



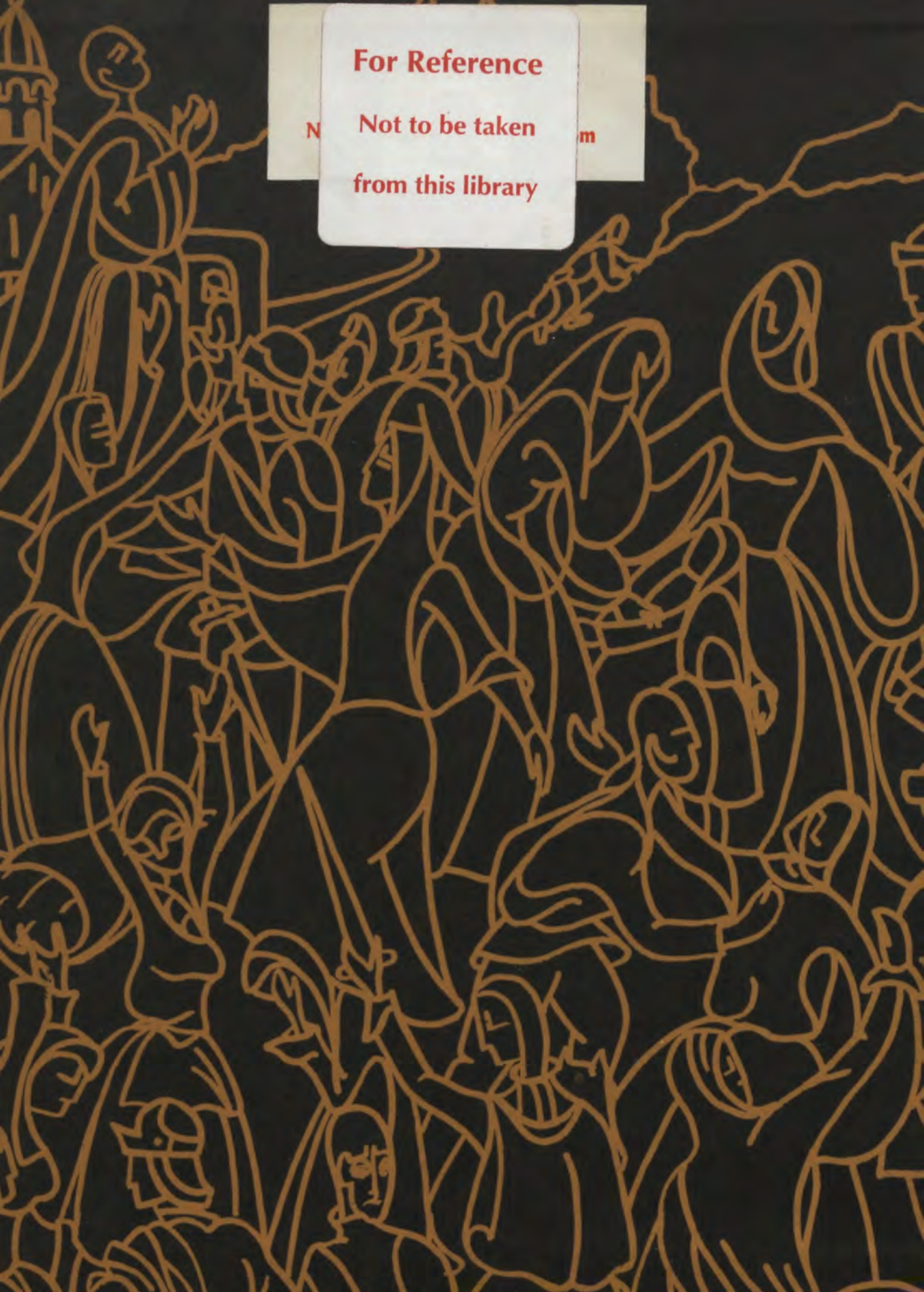
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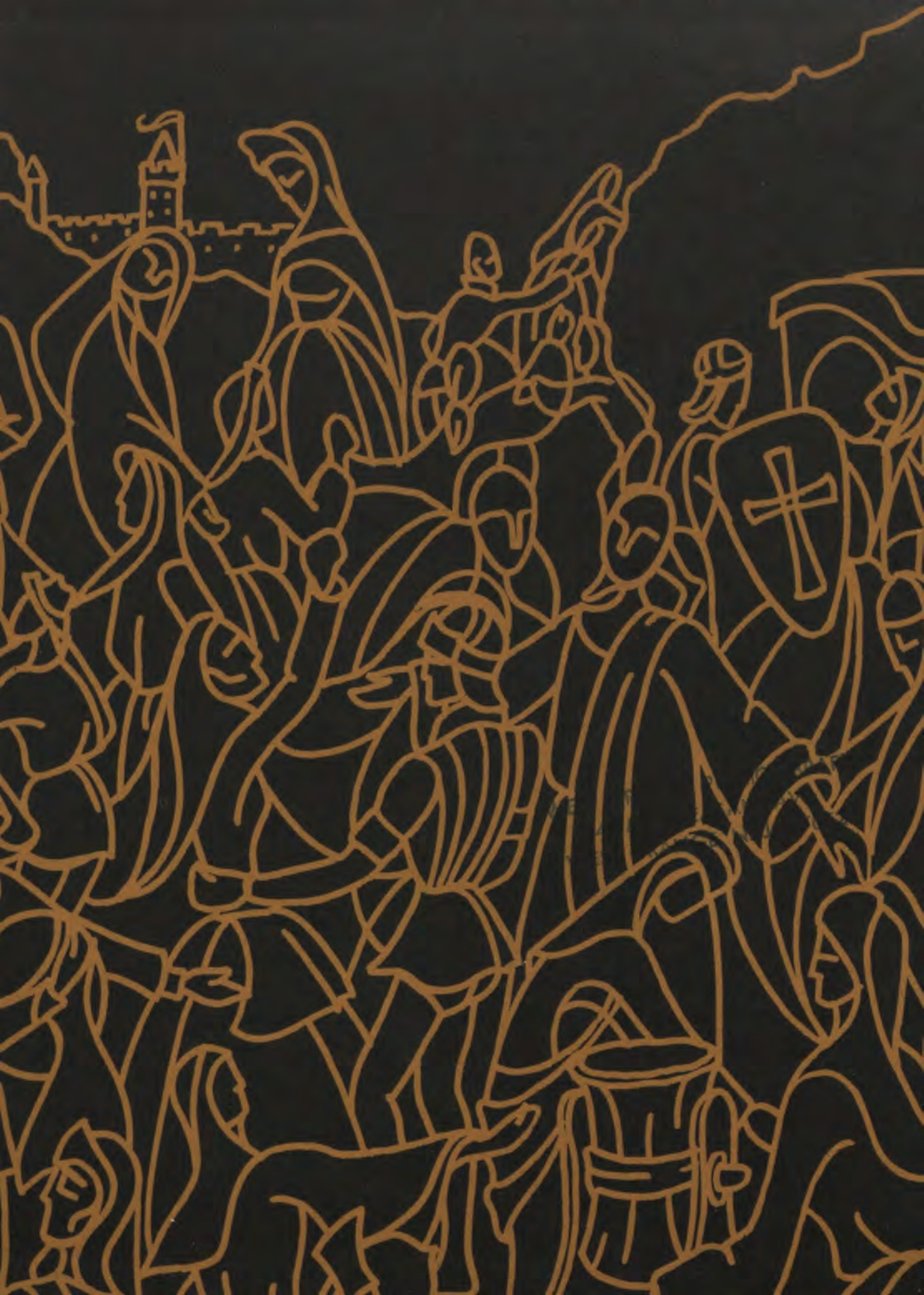
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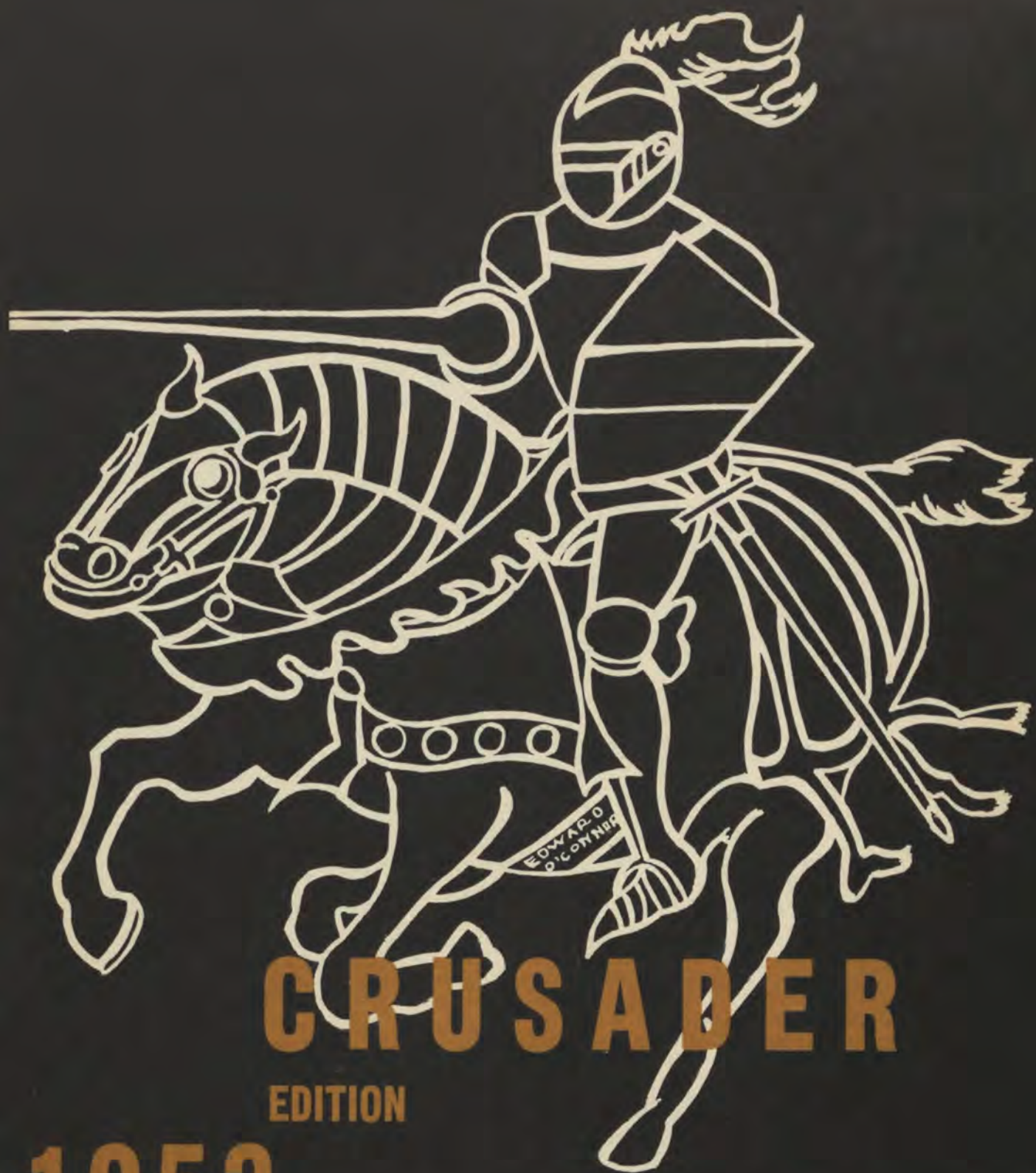




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# PRAYER

Having passed the last three years of our lives enrolled as students of West Orange High School, we now find that it is time to depart from our "alma mater" and to embark upon the stormy and uncertain voyage of adulthood. For some of us, it means the transition from this "alma mater" to a new one. For others of us, it means the final departure from the student phase of our lives. To all of us, it means the end of our three year high school period, during which, for the first time in our lives, we became conscious of life's many paths with their diverse and challenging obstacles.

With this realization, the hour of departure arrives amidst mingled sentiments of sorrow, joy, and hope: sorrow in that the first part of life's voyage has ended; joy in that a milestone of accomplishment and development has been attained; hope in that the future lies beckoning and open before us.

United in a common cause, we each embark upon a personal crusade. United in a common cause, to seek a peaceful way of life, we look for a common leader. As the crusaders of old, we address this plea to you, Lord.

*O Lord, who ruleth the kingdom above,  
Protect us with your eternal love.  
Grant us wisdom that we may see—  
See this life, this world-life in peace.  
The world is big: with a place for all—  
Lord, help us to find our way.  
If we stumble—give us leaders,  
We are sincere.  
O Lord, You are our faith.*







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## DEDICATION



One of the most respected members of the West Orange school system is Mr. Robert C. Callard, Director of the Physical Education, Safety, and Health Programs in all of the West Orange Schools.

Since he loves to build the character of the West Orange young people through experiences they gain in the Physical Education Department, Mr. Callard makes his work his major hobby.

Mr. Callard, who has been with the West Orange system since 1921, is planning to retire within the next year or so. Upon his retirement he plans to travel and to work on his large farm.

It is to this man, whom we will miss very much, that we dedicate our 1953 West-O-Ranger.





# DEDICATION



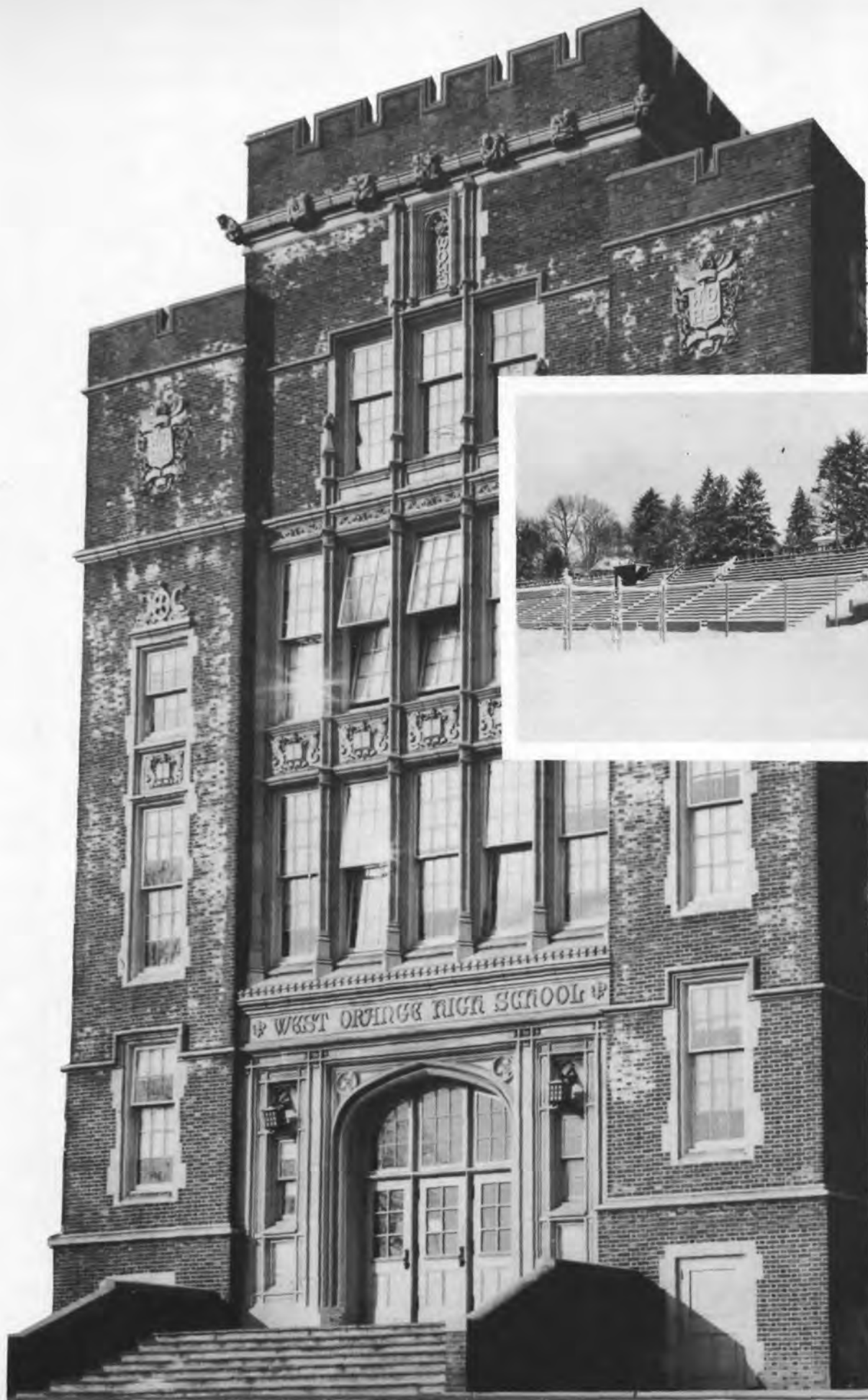
Ruth Goodyear is indeed an asset to our faculty. Many students, after passing through her capable hands, express gratitude for the thorough English course they have received from her.

Miss Goodyear, who enjoys her teaching immensely, has said she prefers our school to any other, because of its friendly atmosphere. By setting high standards for which her pupils must aim, she takes pride in watching them strive to attain these goals.

We, too, take pride in dedicating this book to Ruth Goodyear.





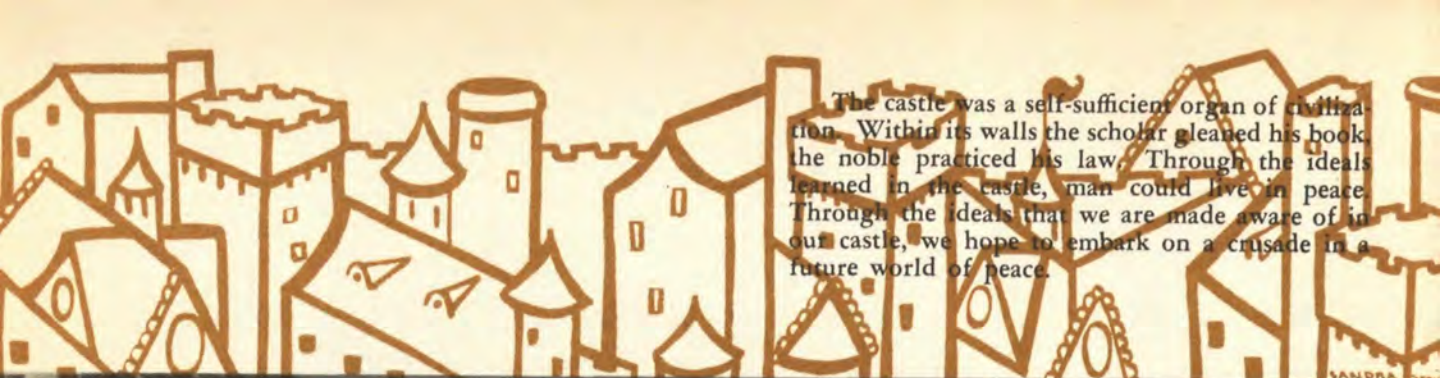




On the slopes of Orange Mountain stands our castle majestic: West Orange High School. It is surrounded by a moat consisting of the North Field, the Glen, the Bever Lea, and the Valley. In these halls of learning the student is taught to preserve the cherished ideals that guide the American Crusade.







The castle was a self-sufficient organ of civilization. Within its walls the scholar gleaned his book, the noble practiced his law. Through the ideals learned in the castle, man could live in peace. Through the ideals that we are made aware of in our castle, we hope to embark on a crusade in a future world of peace.

SANDRA EYRE









# SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS



## DR. BROWN

Although we seniors have been attending school for many years, few of us have ever considered the many little things which others have been doing for us in order to make our school days pleasant.

Our high school is but one of many pieces which constitute the complicated machinery of the West Orange School System, which is kept running smoothly under the able guidance of Dr. Brown, our Superintendent of Schools.

Dr. Brown was born in Wisconsin; however, he spent most of his boyhood in Illinois. He earned his B.S. degree at Knox College in Illinois and after a year of graduate study at the University of Chicago, he received his M.A. degree. This was followed by 15 years of teaching during which time he was awarded his Ph.D. degree.

Dr. Brown then became the superintendent of schools in Glen Ridge. Upon the resignation of Mr. Strong in 1946, he came to West Orange.

We, the seniors of West Orange High School feel that we owe Dr. Brown a debt of gratitude for his sympathetic interest in West Orange students and for his excellent work in bettering our school.





# PRINCIPAL



## RAYMOND E. HEARN

Every student who comes in contact with Mr. Hearn appreciates his friendly manner and kind guidance. Mr. Hearn is never too busy to help and advise the students of West Orange High School. All his actions reflect his sincere desire to promote the welfare of the student body.

Our principal came to the West Orange educational system in 1924 as a mathematics teacher at Gaston Street School. After serving as principal of Gaston Street School and Roosevelt Junior High School, he came to the high school as principal in 1944. Mr. Hearn has done much to improve our school. Foremost among his accomplishments is an excellent activity program which has received recognition from the State Department and the Federal Office of Education. Outside of school, Mr. Hearn's interests range from music to golf. He is very interested in sports, particularly basketball and baseball. During his college days in Pennsylvania, he played varsity and semi-professional baseball.

It will be impossible for us to recall our high school days at West Orange without remembering Mr. Hearn's sincere interest in us.



## VICE-PRINCIPAL

MR. CHESTER H. WINE

Whatever your problem may be, you can always depend on sound understanding advice from Mr. Wine. A graduate of Lebanon Valley College, a veteran of World War I, a former history teacher of West Orange High, and for the past eight years our vice-principal, he sits at his desk ever ready to lend a helping hand to each and every student. From the first day we entered West Orange High School till the day we leave it, he has been a very important building block of our characters. We are sure he will continue to give his time and patience in the same manner to the classes of the future. To him we voice our sincere appreciation.





**MRS DOROTHY NOCK**

This year West Orange High School will lose one of its most worthy and most respected faculty members. Mrs. Dorothy Nock, a graduate of Vassar College and a scholar of Latin, will retire after many years of faithful and devoted service.

During her long and laudable career, Mrs. Nock's greatest satisfaction has been to witness and to aid the social and intellectual development of her students. Through her extensive association with youth, Mrs. Nock has formulated a purely American and optimistic philosophy which she transmits to her pupils.

Upon retiring, Mrs. Nock definitely intends to be active, preferably with young people.



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**SENIORS**















**Thomas Ambrose**

"Knowledge is the fruit of labor, but why labor?"

Tom is hardly ever seen without a wide grin or a pleasing smile. Even though he has time to go riding around in his car, his school work does not seem to be affected. In his free time, Tom can usually be seen with either Mike, Jim, or Richie. After graduation Tom plans to go to college.

Philo III, IV; Student Congress IV; International Relations Club III, IV; Round Up Staff III; Auto Mechanics II.



Joan Lesnik



**John Bain**

"The Empire State has nothing on him."

John's friendly demeanor and keen sense of humor make him a favorite among his classmates. His dependability and initiative add to his efficiency as business manager of the West-O-Ranger. His first love is basketball. He was on our basketball squad and is in the basketball club. John can usually be seen palling around with his teammates and good friends, Bob and Dave. After graduation John hopes to study business administration.

Varsity Basketball III, IV; Junior Varsity II; Captain of Gym Class II, III, IV; Homeroom Treasurer II, III; Clio IV; Subscription Campaign II, IV; Yearbook (Business Manager); Visual Aids Club II.



**Herbert Bell**

"He is characterized by a generous disposition, Pleasing to all."

Herbie's talent for art is not well known because of his very quiet manner. He is usually seen with some of his many friends. Herbie's way of seeing the world is to sail the seas the Navy way. We know that Herbie will be very successful in this career which he plans to follow.

International Relations IV; Art Club III, IV; Arttyping Club II; Chess Club II; Auto Mechanics III.



**Samuel Berkman**

"I am unique; after the Lord made me, He threw away the key."

Anyone entering the art room is likely to find either a dozen of Sam's fiery, vivid water colors strewn around the room, or even the great artist himself fervently working on his next and "best painting yet." Sam's other love is boats, which he can usually be heard discussing. As yet, Sam is undecided whether to go into commercial art or naval engineering after high school.

Art Club II; Sports Club III, IV; Auto Mechanics II; Radio Club IV; Sports Club IV.





**Richard Bilotti**

"Imagination rules the world."

Dick is a very friendly and considerate member of the senior class and is truly the life of any party for he possesses a keen sense of humor. Dick also has a profound interest in music. His large record collection includes practically all standard and Broadway hits. After graduation Dick hopes to be a business major at college.

A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Intentional Relations III, IV; Visual Club II; Leather Craft Club IV; Ballroom Dancing II.



**Bruce Bolen**

"I am so big and strong."

Bruce Bolen, one of the most popular members of the football squad, is quite a ladies man. When seen driving his tan "Rolls Royce" he is seldom without a passenger of feminine pulchritude. With his cronies, Tony, Louis, and Buddy, he spends several nights a week at the "Y." A very active young man, Bruce should succeed in later life, although he has no definite plans for the future at present. Varsity Football IV; Junior Varsity Football III; Student Congress IV; Track II.



**James Brower**

"A fellow worth knowing, And worth knowing well."

Jim is one of our quieter seniors. His friendly manner, however, has gained him many pals. Often he can be seen measuring some historical landmark on campus with the Surveying Club of which he is president. Upon graduating, Jim hopes to go to college. A "swell" guy, in the true sense of the word, Jim is sure to meet with success during these college years.

Captain of Gym Class II, III; Junior Varsity Basketball II; Yearbook Staff IV; Sports Club II; Metalcraft Club II; Leathercraft Club III, IV; Code Practice Club III; Surveying Club IV (President).



**Ronald Burack**

"Born with the gift of laughter, And a sense that the world is mad."

Ronnie can usually be found buzzing around town in his blue "Henry J" or with his pal Mike. If you want to read a pocket book, just find Ron for he is bound to have one in his 'back' pocket. Ron has made no definite plans for the future, but with his friendly smile and pleasant personality he is sure to be a success.

A Cappella Choir II; Boys' Choir II; Auto Mechanics III; Radio Repair and Construction IV; Bridge Club II.





### Joan Abbott

"A graceful ease and sweetness void of pride."

Joan is that cute senior who is always laughing with her many friends which her witty sayings and sprightly manners have gained for her. Joan loves popular music and enjoys nothing more than listening or dancing to the latest disc sensations. Her weakness is a certain sailor in Uncle Sam's Navy. Joan's ambition is to live some day in California. Sub-Captain of Gym Class II, Captain IV; Girls' Glee Club II; Yearbook Staff (Personalities) IV; "Roundup" Staff (Representative) II, III, IV; Cafeteria Squad IV; F.H.A. Club IV; Arttyping Club II.



### Carol Alcock

"Good nature shines in her face."

Carol, a cute little blond, is well known for her support of the WOHS football team. If west Orange is winning or losing, she can be found in the cheering section rooting her team to victory. After school, Carol spends most of her leisure time with Joan at the Center. Upon graduating, Carol hopes to attend Jersey Medical Center to become a laboratory technician. Music Appreciation Club (Classical) II, (Opera) IV; Baseball II; Basketball II; Swimming II; Chemistry-Nursing Club IV.



### Audrey Alviggi

"Laughing eyes and silken hair, The fairest style of clothes she wears."

Audrey, one of our most sophisticated seniors, is known to most of us for her beautiful wardrobe. Her main interest right now is her lessons in Exhibition dancing. During school lunch periods she can always be found in Room 101-A discussing important matters with Barbara. As yet, her plans for the future are undecided, but she is sure to reach the top rung of the ladder of success. Music Appreciation (Classical) II, (Opera) II; Modern Dance II; Chemistry Nursing III; Science III.



### Barbara Amabile

"Small in size but not in spirit."

If one could put height on one side of the scale of life, and pep, enthusiasm, and personality on the other, in Barbara's case the latter would outweigh the height side. Her energy and efficiency, as shown by the fine work exhibited as the cheerleader captain, is just one example of proof. Barbara's cute appearance and energetic personality should pave her way to a bright future. Baseball II; Basketball II; Swimming II; Ping-Pong II; Cheerleading II; Official Cheerleader III, IV; Home-room Pres. II; Spanish Club II; Girls' Glee Club II; Music Appreciation Club, Opera (Sec.) III; Modern Dancing III; Science Club; Chemistry Nursing IV; Yearbook Staff (Subscription Committee); Subscription Campaign II.





### Arlene Babbitt

"Friendliness is the secret of the universe"

Cookie is one of our attractive senior girls. She is always ready to read a good book and then relate its contents to the "gang." Lots of fun in all she undertakes, she has many activities, which range from playing "pop" tunes on the piano to athletics. Her after-graduation plans are to attend a teachers' college.

Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III; Twirling II, III; Ping-Pong II, III; Captain II, Sub-Captain IV of Gym Class; Yearbook Staff IV (Ways and Means, Personalities); Prom Committee II; Art Club II, III, IV; Leathercraft Club II; Homeroom Treas. IV; Junior Red Cross IV; School Production Writing Committee IV; Bowling III; Usher for '52 Graduation.



### Helen Bensen

"A bit of rascality, a sweet personality."

Helen, one of our outstanding honor students, is well known throughout the senior class for her keen sense of humor and mischievous ways. Her ability to lead is well exemplified by the fact that she is co-editor-in-chief of the West-O-Ranger. Helen actively participates in her Young People's Group, and her aim for the future is to know the Lord's will and follow His leading.

Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Swimming III; Ping-Pong II; Capt. of Gym Class III; Sub-Capt. of Gym Class II; Spanish Club III, IV; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; Philo III, IV; Student Congress Alternate II; Yearbook Staff (Co-Editor); Leather Craft Club II; Needle Craft Club II.



### Joan Betz

"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."

Joan's attractive smile and good sense of humor make her a welcome addition to any group. Joan, too, is one of those gals who hold an after-school job, and every afternoon at 3:00 one may find Joan boarding the bus; off to work at the Telephone Company. Joan's secret ambition is to take a trip to California in her yellow convertible.

Cafeteria Squad IV; Camera Club III; Music Appreciation Club II; Needle Craft Club III; Leather Craft Club IV; Hostess III; Art III.



### Mary Blackstock

"Happy and carefree am I."

Hear that giggle? Well, that's Mary. Mary, who can usually be seen on Ashland Avenue with her friend Celia, is an ardent basketball fan and an excellent player herself. She plays for one of our local teams known as the "Tacs." At the present time, Mary's main interest in life is a young man named Jimmy, who, she feels, will play an important part in her future.

Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Ping-Pong II, III, IV; Arttyping Club II, III; Student Secretaries Club IV; Music Appreciation Club II; Dramatic Club II; Bowling III; Modern Dance Club III.





### Michael Burke

"As prone to mischief, As able to perform it."

Mike is noted for his noisy maroon calling card, his model "A." Thanks to his good nature and genial manner, Mike has earned many friends among his classmates. After school hours Mike can be found working at Wilson's on South Valley Road. During weekends, he can be seen anywhere in New Jersey driving his limousine. After being graduated in June, Mike plans to attend college.

Captain of Gym Class III; Spanish Club III; International Relations IV; Track II; Boys' Chorus III; Sports Club IV; Auto Mechanics II, III.



### George Butsikares

"Staid and firm and true, And deep in his thoughts as his legs are long."

Calm, deep, and intellectual can fit only George. This quiet, deliberate, and friendly manner have brought many into his admiring group of friends. George's seriousness, however, is balanced by his love for basketball. His numerous other abilities include singing, as proved by his membership in the Choir. George's wide range of knowledge will surely enable him to make a name for himself as a writer. Varsity Basketball II, III; Junior Varsity II; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; All-State Choir III, IV; Student Congress III; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV.



### Anthony Candello

"Full well they laughed at all his jokes, For many a joke he had."

Anthony is well known for his smiling face and friendly humor as well as his ability to participate in sports. He is usually seen along the corridors with Lou and Tony, just to mention a few of his many friends. After school hours, he rides around town in his sharp new Chevy. Uncle Sam's Navy will play a big part in Anthony's life after graduation.

Junior Varsity Basketball II; Varsity Football III; Junior Varsity Football II; Track II, III; Football Club III.



### Joseph Cantore

"I only regret that I have but one heart to give to the ladies."

Everyone who knows Dick likes him. He is that guy with the twinkle in his eyes and may be depended upon to brighten up the day by flashing one of his wonderful smiles. He is quite a football enthusiast but also enjoys any other kind of athletics. A bright future is predicted for this fellow with such a personality.

Captain of a Gym Class IV; Varsity Football III; Junior Varsity Football I; Track II, III; Football Club II, III.







### Allyn Capp

"He has knowledge never found in books."

Al, although he has no actual relationship with the famous comic-strip writer, he, too, can get himself into some comical affairs. His interests range from pocket books to sports and music. His musical ability has led him into the Choir and Boys' Chorus for the past three years. His future will no doubt be as interesting as his high school days. Captain of Gym Class II, III; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV.



### Ralph Carlson

"What's life without a Ford."

Ralph is the good-looking guy who is usually seen zooming around in his little green Ford. He keeps busy by delivering for Rubins and flying as a sergeant in the Civil Air Patrol. Ralph is well known for his friendly smile and his ability to make friends. After graduation, he plans to join the Air Force or to continue his pilot training in Miami, Florida. Orchestra II, III, IV; Band II, III, IV; Marching Band II, III, IV.



### Patrick Carroll

"The joy of life is hard to kill."

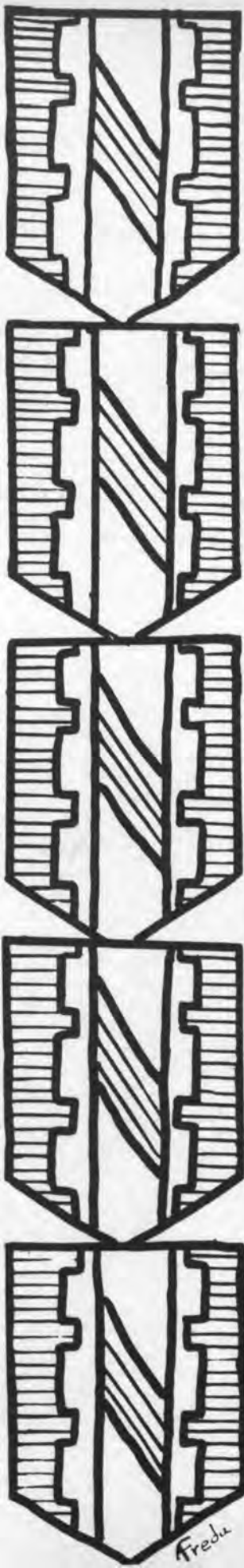
Pat, one of West Orange High's "sharpest" dressers, usually has a witty retort for one and all. He spends much of his time with his model airplanes, both building and flying them. Perhaps this hobby will give him a head start on other recruits, since he intends to join the Air Force after graduation. Sports Club II; Radio Club IV; Auto Mechanics III.



### Louis Ciamillo

"It's not the size of the man in the fight  
But the size of the fight in the man!"

"This is your F. B. I. Agent" — Louis hopes that in the future this will be true because his life's ambition is to acquire that coveted title, that of an F. B. I. man. After graduation he is planning to go to college to take up law practice. His natural ability and fondness of excitement will surely be to his advantage in his field. Captain of Gym Class IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Student Congress (Alternate) IV; Boys' Chorus III, IV; Arttyping Club IV; Football II; Music Appreciation Club III.



### Carol Brady

"Charm strikes the sight  
And merit wins the soul."

Carol is one of the cute brunettes seen around WOHS. She is noted for her attractive smile, freckles, and when in the group, she's noted for her giggle. One can always count on Carol to help support the school. After she graduates from high school, she plans to attend a junior college where she will major in merchandising. Cheerleading II; Girls' Glee Club II; Subscription Campaign IV; Modern Dancing II.



### Margaret Brannigan

"She's called sweet and well it fits her."

East Orange lost and West Orange gained when Marge came to us from Clifford Scott. Although Marge appears to be one of our quiet seniors, she makes her presence felt among her friends, especially Joan, and Kathleen. Marge is a hard-working gal, usually busying herself at Woolworth's. Her congenial manner plus her genuine friendliness have made Marge a welcome addition to W.O.H.S. Assembly II; Glee Club II, III.



### Anita Broere

"She's as good as she is fair."

Friendly Anita has the outstanding trait of being one of the most pleasant seniors. Her willingness to help in various activities also accounts for her collection of friends. She can often be found discussing different incidents between giggles with Barbara. Anita's many good points, too numerous to mention, will aid her unmeasurably when she enters the business world as a secretary.

Yearbook Staff (Personalities and Subscriptions) IV; Hostess Committee III; Modern Dance III; Needlecraft II; Junior Red Cross IV; Typing IV; Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Swimming IV; Archery III; Bowling III; Ping-Pong II, III, IV; Twirling II, III.



### Barbara Bross

"Her good nature carries a magnetic charm."

"Bobbie" is one of those rare girls who is liked by everyone in school. Her enthusiasm and winsome manner are the major characteristics of "Bobbie's" charm. She likes music in all of its forms and has been in the choir for three years. Her genuine love for sports has made "Bobbie" a good sport and an exceptional player in all fields. After attending college she plans to be a teacher.

Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Swimming II; Ping-Pong II; Capt. Gym Class II, III; Sub-Capt. Gym Class IV; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Philo III, IV; Student Production Comm. (Writing) IV; Student Congress Alt. III; Yearbook Staff (Subscription, Personality) IV; "Roundup" Staff (Reporter III, Features Ed. IV, Concession Stand IV); Quill and Scroll III, IV; Modern Dance Club II; Junior Honor Guard III; Girls' Quartet III, IV.





**Elsie Burk**

"A little red roofed arsenal."

Elsie, one of our eye-catching red-heads, is usually seen with Barb and Gwen. For about a year and a half now, Elsie's main interest has been focused upon a Lehigh Freshman. "A's" in gym are easy for Elsie to earn because she enjoys all types of sports. An ambitious girl, Elsie hopes to travel around the world, particularly in the Far East, after her graduation.

Baseball I; A Cappella Choir I; Yearbook Staff (Ways and Means Committee) IV; F.H.A. II; Artying Club III, IV; Modern Dance III; Needlecraft IV; Senior Class Play IV; Hostess III.



**Lillian Canfield**

"The very pattern girl of girls."

Lil's wonderful, friendly smile is a mirror of her warm personality. When she's not strutting her stuff as a twirler on the football field, "Lil" is usually seen gabbing with the girls, treating them to her keen sense of humor. She loves all sports and has exhibited her fine sportsmanship this year as a gym captain. Lil is an honor student and was elected secretary of the senior class.

Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Swimming II, III, IV; Ping-Pong II, III; Twirling II, III, IV; Sub-Capt. II; Capt. III, V (Gym Class); Sec. of Class IV; Spanish III, IV; Philo III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Co-editor of Subscriptions) IV; F.H.A. Club IV; Art Club III, IV; Junior Honor Guard.



**Joan Canning**

"The kind of girl it is pleasant to have for a friend."

Joan's cute looks and sweet disposition have won her many friends both inside and outside of WOHS. A cheerful, friendly personality accounts for her popularity. Her secret ambition is to take a long cruise on a luxury liner to Bermuda. Joan is interested in secretarial work, and without a doubt, she will make someone a very fine secretary.

Twirling II, III; Captain of Gym Class II, Sub-Captain III; Girls' Glee Club III; Student Congress III; Cafeteria Squad IV; Student Secretaries' Club IV; Modern Dance Club III; Typing Club III; Business Practice Club IV.



**Marie Cantelmo**

"Cheerfulness is the friend and helper of all good graces."

Marie is that cute cheerleader whom you saw doing her stuff in front of the cheering sections at our basketball and football games. Full of pep and enthusiasm, she takes part in many school functions. Marie hopes to become a nurse after graduating from West Orange High, and her lively spirit will certainly aid her in her chosen profession.

Cheerleading II, III; Official Cheerleader IV; Captain of Gym Class III; International Relations Club IV; Yearbook Staff IV; Cafeteria Squad IV; F.H.A. Club III; Red Cross Council III; Modern Dance Club II; Chemistry Nursing Club IV.





### Robert Coen

"Red hair, eyes of blue

There is no telling what he can do."

Bob's main interest is cars, particularly his '34 Ford. Another of his favorite pastimes is listening to jazz or to use the expression, "that real cool stuff." Although Bob may appear to be one of our quieter seniors, he possesses a real bit of Irish wit, a quality which has won him many friends and is certain to be an asset in the future.

Art Club II, III; Surveying Club III.



### George Collinson

"One who does not waste a smile

But keeps it till it proves worthwhile."

George, frequently called "the actor" by his friends, spends most of his time tinkering with the mechanics of a car. He plans to do this for a living after graduating from WOHS. George can also be seen down at the "Y" playing basketball. As president of his homeroom during the past year, George has shown his leadership abilities which will carry him far.

Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Sports Club II, III; Track II; Auto Mechanics Club IV; Leather Club IV.



### David Condit

"Men of few words are the best men."

A friendly disposition and cheerful countenance are but a part of Dave's personality. He enjoys all sports and is especially good at roller skating. Another of his interests is mechanics and much of his time is spent working on his car. Someday Dave would like to earn a farm of his own, way up in the hills of Vermont.

Auto Mechanics II.



### Arthur Cormier

"I often regret my speech

But never my silence."

Art can usually be found at the Crestmont Pro Shop or riding around in his Ford. He spends a great deal of his time golfing and caddying in the summer. He also has a stamp collection which keeps him busy. This year he has been taking part in Junior Achievement Activities. With his ever glowing smile and talkative personality, he will probably have a happy future.

Chess III, IV; Science Club IV.





### Francis Crines

"I'm a big man in my small world."

Frank's height has made him famous with his friends, though he hates to admit it, and will confront anyone with an opposing answer of "It's not so." Frank's measurement hasn't stunted his sense of humor, however, for he is well known for his harmless but witty antics. At present, Frank is employed with Cook and Dunn in Newark, and he intends to continue working there after graduation. Sports Club II, III, IV.



### Nicholas Dascoli

"All the world is a song,

And Nick is the one to play it."

While his Revelers wait their turn, Nicky Carlo emanates wave after wave of heat with his Sherlock-Holmes-pipe-shaped instrument rising ecstatically in front of him. Not only does Nicky wield a tricky sax, but he also totes a mean clarinet. A gentle game of tackle without equipment is his favorite recreation. His password, like that of most lady killers, is a whistle.

Captain of Gym Class III; Orchestra II, III, IV (Section Leader IV); Band II, III, IV (Section Leader IV); Marching Band II, III, IV.



### Richard Daum

"A gentleman who acts the part."

Dick is one of the more mechanically minded members of our senior class, and is well known for his Packard named Jezebel. Besides working on cars and in his father's shop, Dick takes an interest in his studies. On weekends, night life is Dick's middle name. After his graduation, he hopes to attend college, preferably King's Point. Yearbook (Personalities) IV; Prom Floor Committee III; Hunting and Fishing Club II, III, IV; Auto Mechanics Club II, III, IV.



### Alan Debbs

"Better late than never."

Alan is one of the more quiet members of the senior class. He spends a great deal of his time on the golf links practicing for the golf season. He can also be found with Tommy and Jimmie riding around town. After graduation "Red" plans to attend a college in the south and to study agriculture.

Spanish Club III; Student Congress III; International Relations III, IV; Golf III, IV; Swimming III, IV; Sports Club II, III, IV; Ballroom Dancing II.





### Marie Cerutti

"She smiles and smiles and will not sigh."

Marie, one of those gals who haven't followed the fad of short hair, has lovely long hair which is but one of her charms. Her ability to sew is evidenced by her attractive wardrobe which is shown to advantage by her trim figure. Because of her talent, Marie would like to study designing at Pratt Institute.

Swimming II; Captain of Gym Class II; Gir's' Glee Club II; Art Club III; Music Appreciation Club III; Modern Dance II; Business Practice Club IV.



### Renee Chasalow

"Harmony with every grace,

Plays in the fair proportions of her face."

Renee is one of West Orange's attractive twirlers seen at the football games or practicing faithfully after school during the fall. When she's not twirling, this popular senior is busy playing in the school band and orchestra, or going to a modern dancing lesson. Among her many other aptitudes are sewing and knitting, which help to take up the spare hours of her busy curriculum.

Basketball II; Ping-Pong III; Twirling II; Official Twirler IV; Capt. Gym Class III; Homeroom Treas. III; French Club II, III; Clio III, IV; Orchestra II, III, IV; Yearbook (Ways and Means, Subscription) IV; Literary Committees; Junior Red Cross Council III, IV; Band II, III, IV; Girls' Sports; Bowling III.



### Carol Christiano

"A winsome gal to mischief much inclined."

If you're looking for someone to instigate mischief, "Chris" is the girl to see. She is well known for her fun-loving nature and her outstanding ability as a seamstress, as her wardrobe proves. When she isn't getting into mischief with Marilyn, her time is occupied by her "one and only." She is undecided as to her future; but for one so happy as this miss Chris, nothing in store can be sad or dull.

Girls' Glee Club II; International Relations Club IV; Roundup (Representative); F.H.A. Club III; Dramatic Club II; Needlecraft Club III, IV.



### Carol Christiansen

"She hath the charm, the skill  
to wield a universe at will."

Want to be cheered up? No one can do it better than Chris, with her sparkling, mischievous eyes and infectious laugh, or with her father's corny jokes for sure. Chris can usually be found hard at work for the "Roundup" or dreaming of some clever arrangement for the "Four Roses" quartet. Art work and playing the piano are some other activities of this busy miss' schedule.

Baseball; Swimming; Archery; Ping-Pong; Cheerleading; Girls' Glee Club IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Student Congress II; International Relations III; Roundup Staff, Subscription Manager III, IV; Art Club II; Chemistry Nursing IV; Chatter Club II.







**Antoinette Ciantra**

"Of raven hair and shining eyes."

Ann loves popular music and enjoys nothing more than to listen or to dance to the latest disc sensations. She also likes sports, including volleyball, basketball, and softball. Her sweet disposition, pleasant voice, and gracious manner have made her a welcomed member to West Orange High School. No doubt success will go with her into the future. Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Ping-Pong II, III; Sub-Captain of Gym Class II; Library Council II; Arttyping Club II, III; Music Appreciation Club II; Bowling Club II, III.



**Carol Colantoni**

"Here's a heart well filled with cheer for every being."

Carol, who has a pleasing personality, is usually seen with Barbara and Anne. She is most interested in Allan, who is her main topic of conversation. Carol is also well known for her athletic ability. After graduation she plans to work as a private secretary, and then she would like to go into the domestic part of life. Basketball II; Swimming II, III; Captain of Gym Class II, III, IV; Student Secretaries Club IV; Music Appreciation Club II, III; Dramatic Club II, III.



**Joan Collins**

"Just a little handful  
But a barrel full of fun."

Small, but dynamite, that's our Joanie. Enthusiastic and smiling Joan can be seen scurrying around to get ads for 1953 West-O-Ranger, rushing to perform her duties as vice-president of the Junior Red Cross Council, or traveling to Orange to do volunteer hospital work. These are just a few of the reasons why her free minutes are numbered. Joan's future plans are to attend a junior college. Swimming III; Cheerleading III; Sub-Capt. Gym Class II; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Student Congress II; Subscription Campaign II; Advertising, Ways and Means, and Subscriptions Committees of the Yearbook; Homeroom Rep. of "Roundup" IV; Leathercraft Club II; Needlecraft Club III; and Chemistry Nursing Club IV.



**Barbara Collinson**

"Sweet and gracious  
Even in common speech."

Quiet Barbara can usually be seen with Bernice, Pat, and Barb. Her winning personality and willingness to help others have gained her many friends. A few of her many interests are sports, music, dancing, and needlework. Barbara's many fine traits, too numerous to mention, will surely aid her when she enters the business world. Girls' Athletics II; Ballroom Dancing II; Modern Dancing II; Choir II; Office Messenger II; Music Appreciation (Modern) III; Hostess III; Business Practice IV.



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### Anthony De Masi

"Like two single gentlemen rolled into one."

Tony has become well known for his efforts on our "fighting eleven." He was the only lineman to have scored touchdowns for two consecutive years. A heavy-set, good-natured guy, Tony was also a good weight man in track. His mild manners and amicability have won him popularity throughout the school.

Junior Varsity Basketball II; Varsity Football III, IV; Junior Varsity Football II; Student Congress Alternate II; Track II, III, IV; Sports Club III, IV; Football Club II, III, IV; Homeroom Officer II.



### Louis De Meo

"Athletics are my joy."

Lou is that modest senior who is known not only for his athletic ability, but also for his pleasant personality. On the football field, as well as on the baseball diamond, he is one of our outstanding players. Lou's aim in life is to be a physical education teacher. With his fine athletic background and his friendly nature, he is sure to be successful.

Junior Varsity Football II; Varsity Football III, IV; Junior Varsity II; Student Congress Alternate IV; Sports Club IV; Football Club II, III, IV; Baseball Club II, III, IV; Homeroom Officer II.



### Richard De Zao

"There's madness in his music."

Tall, light, and handsome are the adjectives to fit our boy Dick. A friendly fellow liked by everyone, he is usually seen surrounded by a flock of girls. Dick is a very active member of the band in which he plays the drums. He also uses his talent with the well-known band "The Revelers." After graduation he plans to go to music school.

Junior Varsity Basketball II; Varsity Basketball III; Captain of Gym Class II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II; Orchestra II, III, IV; Prom Committee III; Canteen Committee IV; Marching Band II, III, IV; Concert Band II, III, IV.



### Joseph DiMaggio

"Athletes are born, not made."

"Jolting Joe" is related to the famous "Jolter" only in name. However, he takes a keen interest in baseball and it is shown by his playing shortstop for the school team. Joe is also musically inclined for he plays the trumpet in the school band. Joe plans to follow up this musical career by continuing his trumpet lessons.

Junior Varsity III; Captain of Gym Class II, III, IV; Orchestra II, III, IV; Canteen Committee IV; Concert Band II, III, IV; Marching Band II, III, IV.





**Frank Emanuel**

"Success follows earnest effort."

Frank's shy exterior leads one to believe that he is quite a reserved young man; however, among his friends he is better known for his friendliness and wit. Frank's good marks and extracurricular activities, such as being co-editor of the personalities of the yearbook, do not prevent him from finding time to have an interest in cars. They seem to be his favorite pastime. After graduation Frank hopes to attend Lehigh College in Pennsylvania, where he will major in engineering.

International Relations IV; Co-editor of Personalities of Yearbook IV; Visual Club II; Leathercraft II; Auto Mechanics III; Surveying IV; Junior Honor Guard III.



**Robert Evans**

"Take me out to the ball game."

Bob is a tall lanky fella who can always be found having a good time. His special interests are music and baseball. Bob is noted for his bass voice and puts it to good use in our choir. For the last two years he has played baseball for WOHS and has been a valuable asset to the team. Bob's one aim for the future at present is college.

Captain of Gym Class II, III; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Senior Production Committee IV; Baseball II, III, IV; Yearbook (Advertising) IV; Boys' Glee Club III, IV; Sports Club II; Science Club IV.



**Richard Fahey**

"He loves work;

He could sit and watch it for hours."

Richard is better known to everybody as Rip. He is noted for his good looks and can usually be seen talking to a member of the fairer sex. In his spare time Rip drives in his "Relic" around town or takes an occasional trip to New York. After school Rip can be found working as a gas station attendant in Montclair.

Junior Varsity Baseball II; Junior Varsity Football II; Sports Club III, IV; Varsity Baseball III, IV.



**Jeffrey Farkas**

"The rule of my life is to make

Business a pleasure, and pleasure my business."

Jeff is known for his many varied interests. Among the latest are hot rods and cars in general, hunting and fishing, boating, camping, and his record collection. Ice hockey and track are his favorite sports. Jeff's greatest ambition for years has been to gain weight, to match those broad shoulders of his. His full-of-fun personality, however, more than makes up for whatever he may lack in weight.

Track III; Sports Club IV; Music Appreciation Club IV.





### Rita Conversano

"I'm happiest when farthest from pen and book."

Because of her wit and gaiety, Rita has won many friends both in and out of school. Rita is noted for her gift of gab and is usually seen using her gift with Marie. She likes sports, and takes an active part in the various activities of the school. When graduated Rita hopes to enter some field of medicine. Swimming II; Basketball II; Sub-Captain of Gym Class IV; Student Congress III, IV; International Relations IV; Yearbook (Personalities, Subscriptions) IV; Prom Committee III; Art Club III; Music Appreciation Club III; Metal Craft Club II.



### Marilyn Cooper

"A smile for every girl,  
Two for every boy"

Although Marilyn may seem to be a quiet, shy person at first glance, beware that twinkle in her bright blue eyes! Marilyn has an avid interest in music and has participated in Glee Club and Choir and the all-girl "Four Roses" quartet. As a reporter, worker at the "Roundup" stand, and columnist, Marilyn has supported the "Roundup" as she does all school activities.

Sub-Captain of Gym Class III; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Yearbook Staff (Personalities) IV; "Roundup" Staff III, IV; Quill and Scroll III, IV; Metalcraft Needlecraft III; Chemistry Nursing IV.



### Maria Costanzo

"'Tis a merry heart that wins many friends"

Maria's cheerfulness and willingness to help all will doubtlessly aid her in acquiring new friends throughout life. Well liked by all, she can usually be seen scurrying around school on some busy errand. Among her many hobbies are reading, sewing, the Yankees, and art. Her clever cartoons have appeared in the "Roundup" for the past two years. An excellent student, Maria plans to attend a college to become a Spanish teacher.

Assembly Council IV; Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III; Ping-Pong II; Swimming II; Spanish II, III, (Pres.) IV; Girls' Glee Club IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Clio III, IV; Subscription Campaign IV; International Relations III; Yearbook (Personalities) IV; "Roundup" Staff III, (Assoc. Ed.) IV; Prom Committee (Art) II, III; Quill and Scroll III, IV; Junior Red Cross III, (Pres.) IV; Student Prod., Writing IV; Junior Honor Guard III.



### Audrey Crawley

"Happy and gay through out the day."

Audrey is probably the most ardent Dodger fan in the senior class. At the slightest encouragement she will tell anyone who is interested, why the Yankees are "so terrible" and her Dodgers, tops. Besides baseball, Audrey also enjoys television, radio, and motion pictures. Audrey's fondest hope is to receive a "MRS" degree.

Library Council II; Dramatic Club II, III; Music Appreciation II.



### Kerfus Crawley

"Ready of heart, and ready of hand,  
Wel-spoken, sweet and true."

Kerfus is the possessor of one of the sweetest voices in our class. She has graciously displayed this talent by her singing in various school activities. Her cheerfulness and ambition has been shown by her willingness to help. Kay is also interested in Spanish and she hopes to use it in the future.  
Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III; Ping-Pong III; Sub-Captain of Gym Class II, Captain III; Spanish Club II, III, IV; Girls Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Yearbook (Subscription Committee, Personality Committee) IV; Junior Prom (Entertainment Committee) III; Needlecraft Club III, IV; Current Events Club III, IV.



### Ann D'Alessandro

"A smiling face, a true heart,  
Are qualities to be cherished."

To those who know her, Ann is a true friend. She actively participates in all school functions and her initiative and dependability have made her a good student. One of her finest assets is her good taste in fashion modes. This accounts for her stunning appearance. Ann is interested in sewing and makes a good deal of her own clothes. After graduation, Ann plans to attend Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School. Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III, IV; Captain of Gym Class III; Sub-Captain of Gym Class II, III; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Clio III, Secretary IV; Subscription Campaign II, III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Personality Committee) IV; Roundup Staff III.



### Pauline D'Angelo

"Happy am I, from care I'm free;

Why aren't they all contented like me."

Pauline, or Bunny, as she's more often called, can be found where there is laughter. She is recognized by her classmates as the lass with a sparkling personality. After school, Bunny can usually be seen riding around in a sleek Pontiac. If she follows her present ambition to become a teacher, her wholesome good looks, and sincere manner will give her top billing.

Baseball II; Swimming II; Girls' Glee Club II; International Relations IV; Student Congress II; Yearbook (Subscriptions Committee) IV; Vice-President of F.H.A. IV.



### Florence De Cheser

"Always lively, never sad,

The kind of friend one likes to have."

This happy-go-lucky individual showed her strong school spirit when she appointed herself "Official Sign and Slogan Maker" for the football games. Never seeming to hurry or worry, she makes her friends believe her motto is "Better late than never." She is often found in the secretary's room doing work for a teacher. At other times she is either trying out new songs or discussing her favorite subject—Boys.

Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III; Arttyping Club II, III; Business Practice.







**Charles Ferrone**

"A man among men, a man among women,  
And a man among leaders."

Charlie, liked and admired by everyone, has been equally successful as President of the Student Congress and co-captain of the football team. To mention one of his many other accomplishments, he has a bass voice which has been enjoyed by all who have heard it. With his genuine friendliness and ability to get along with people, he should do well when he finishes Seton Hall College and enters the insurance field.

J.V. Basketball II; Capt. Gym Class III; Pres. of Class II, III; J.V. Football II; Varsity Football III (Co-Capt.) IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Student Congress Rep. II, III, (Pres.) IV; Track II, III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Subscription Comm.) IV; Chairman of Soph. Hop Comm. II; Chairman of Junior Prom Comm. III; Boys' Glee Club II, III; Football Club II, III, IV; Boys' State (Alternate) III; Chairman of Ex. Comm. IV; Student Congress of Oranges IV, (Sub. III); P.T.A. Member IV; Chairman of Christmas Comm. IV.



**Adolf Freda**

"The only jewel that will not decay is knowledge."

Who is the boy with that extensive vocabulary still arguing for the Democrats? Why its Adolf, of course. A straight "A" student all through school, he plans to go to college and major in foreign languages. Eventually, he hopes to teach college students, but first he would like to teach high school. With his superior intellect and ambition, Adolf should climb to the highest rung of the ladder of success.

Assembly Council III; French Club II, III, IV; Spanish Club IV; Philo III, IV; International Relations Club II; Yearbook (Literary Committee) IV; Opera Appreciation Club III, (Vice-President) IV; Chess Club II.



**Ernest Fountain**

"How 'bout that!"

If ever Mel Allen lived in miniature, he does in Ernie. The slight southern accent, the announcing talent, the pleasant voice, and ready wit are reproduced in "Fountainhead." By speaking through the loudspeaker to football fans in our stadium, our future broadcaster has limbered up his vocal cords on local boards. With so much natural resource, he'll easily make the grade.

International Relations III, (Vice-President) IV; Track II, III, IV; Boys' Glee Club IV; Hi-BA.



**James Freeman**

"Quiet but of much ability."

Although Jim came to us just this year from Immaculate Conception High School, he has made many friends. His interests range from a job at the Midland Press to various sports. He has contributed much to his gym team and to the Sports Club because of his enthusiasm for baseball and basketball. Sports Club IV.





### John Gesin

"Always ready with the pun  
Here's a boy who's full of fun."

John is that tall fellow known and liked by everyone. You can usually find him having a good time with his friends or getting into some kind of trouble with the faculty. John spends his spare time working on his car or playing basketball; he has a weakness for playing center in basketball games. His witty remarks and sense of humor will aid him in becoming a success.

Varsity Basketball III, IV; Junior Varsity II; Captain of Gym Class II, III, IV; A Capella Choir II; Sports Club IV.



### Louis Grebler

"I hate no one; I'm in charity with the world."

Lou is the most prominent member of the Visual Aids Club. If you ever want a phonograph or spotlight fixed, Lou is the one to see. Lou can usually be found with that winning smile and helping hand doing something for somebody. He is president of his Youth Group and very active in his church. Lou hopes to attend Kings' College in Delaware where he plans to study for the ministry.

Captain of Gym Class III; Football III; Track II; Visual Club III, IV.



### William Greenan

"The mighty Greenan shall not strike out!"

One of the most popular boys of this senior class, Bill is well known for his great athletic ability. As a result of his constant and whole-hearted efforts, he became co-captain of our football team as well as a great asset to our baseball team. Bill is also skilled in wood-working and would like to become a furniture maker after his education is finished.

Varsity Football II, III, IV; Student Congress IV; Track III; Yearbook Staff IV; Varsity Baseball II, III; Leather Crafts Club IV; School Production Committee.



### John Gross

"For he is just the quiet kind

Whose nature never varies."

Quiet, yet sincere, with a great love for basketball characterizes John. A shy exterior conceals a hidden personality which is always on the lookout for a good time. John's shyness, however, is forgotten on the basketball court where he spends a great deal of his time. At present he spends his after school hours working in a florist shop where he may continue after graduation.

Varsity Basketball III; Junior Varsity II; Camera Club II.



### Barbara De Rose

"She that goes softly, goes safely."

Barbara's pleasantness and good nature can be crowned only by her modest quietness. Her active manner is shown by her work in many organizations of the school. On weekends, she can be seen busily at work at McCrory's. During her spare time, Barb enjoys sewing and listening to her favorite disc jockey. Her plans for the future include a teachers' college.

Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III; Archery II, III; Ping-Pong II, III, IV; Yearbook (Subscriptions) IV; F.H.A. Club IV; Opera Club III; Hostess III; Junior Red Cross IV; Bowling IV; Modern Dancing II; Ballroom Dancing II; Needlecraft Club III; Hawaiian Folk Dancing IV.



### Jane Du Bois

"A happy smile every day,

She gives to all who come her way"

Janie, the lively, pleasant, dark-haired girl, enjoys popularity with both faculty and students. She is full of merriment and fun as all of her friends will agree. Janie can usually be found performing so ably on the field during the football season. It is certain that with Janie's conscientiousness and winning personality, she will succeed when she attends a junior college, her after-graduation goal.

Sub-Captain of Gym Class III; Yearbook (Ways and Means, Snapshots) IV; Classical Music Appreciation Club IV; Dramatic Club II, III; Bridge Club II; Twirler III, IV; Needlecraft IV; Hostess III, IV.



Jean Lesqik



### Clare Dourney

"Charms that strike the sight

And merit that wins the soul."

All who know her like her, for Clare is always friendly and has a smile for all she meets. Besides writing to a certain "Buzzy," Clare also finds time to join many extra-curricular activities and to sew most of her own clothes. After graduation, Clare plans to go to college where she will study to be a teacher.

Twirling III; Spanish Club III, IV; Girls' Glee Club IV; Library Council II; Student Congress Art Comm. IV; Subscription Campaign IV; Snapshot Co-Ed., Literary, Personality Committees of the Yearbook; Junior Prom Comm. III; Christmas Dance Comm. III; Art Club IV; Camera Club II; Dramatic Club III; Leathercraft Club II; Homeroom Chairman IV.



### Joan Ench

"Small I am, and small I'll be

Until the very end of me."

One of the friendly girls in the senior class, Joan has a smile for everyone she meets. Her favorite pastime is dancing. Joan is always "hep" on the latest steps. She is usually seen sporting a new hair style or talking with Gloria and Anna. Joan's one weakness is clothes. After graduation Joan plans on entering a beautician school.

Baseball II; Basketball II; Ping-Pong II; Captain of Gym Class II; Sub-Captain III; Classical Music Appreciation Club III; Modern Dance Club III, IV.





### Barbara Entwistle

"If attractiveness is half the battle,  
Hers is won."

The beautiful, red-tressed lass who strutted along with our band during the football season, we all know is Barbara. She can usually be seen gaily chattering to Joan or some of the other "Dales." As for her work on the "Roundup" she was definitely the most "Inquiring Reporter" on the staff. With her sweet and amiable personality, she will do well in anything she attempts.

Capt. of Gym Class II, III, IV; Class Secy. III; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; Student Congress Rep. II, III, IV; Ex. Comm. IV; Hostess Comm. IV; Subscription Campaign III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Personalities, Subscription) IV; "Roundup" Staff (Inquiring Reporter IV, Reporter III); Junior Prom (Entertainment Comm.); Senior Prom (Decorations) III; Modern Dance II, III.



### Marilyn Farrell

"There's determination hidden by her quiet ways."

If you've wondered about that pretty spark of neatness who was always touring the halls before the first bell with Barb, stop wondering. Marilyn, not only tops in appearance, has a glowing personality to match. You might have witnessed this as she smilingly pounded the adding machine during third lunch. Clerical work has been her main interest, and no doubt a secretarial position will await Marilyn after graduation.

Assembly Council IV; Baseball II; Basketball II; Swimming II; Ping-Pong II; Twirling II; Sub-Capt. Gym Class III; Student Congress (Election Comm.) II, III; Yearbook (Photography Comm.) IV; "Roundup" Concession Stand IV; Arttyping III; Cafeteria Squad IV; Student Secy. IV; Needlecraft Club II; Chatter Club II; Creative Writing Club IV; Soph. Dances Comm.



### Anne Fahey

"There's a devil in those Irish eyes."

Small Ray may be, but she is active in both ability and personality. Her willing nature has led her into many school activities. Perhaps you've seen this cute senior behind refreshment tables at some of our socials, or at our football games cheering for our Cowboys. Because of Ray's love for children, she plans to enter social work after graduation.

Assembly Council IV; Sub-Captain II; Baseball II; Student Congress IV; Basketball II; International Relations III; Swimming II; Yearbook (Personalities, Ways and Means) IV; Twirling II; Arttyping III; Dramatic Club II; Roundup Stand IV; School Production Chairman; Speech Club II; Creative Writing Club IV.



### Doris Fisher

"With a song in my heart."

If you think a beautiful voice comes naturally, just ask Doris. She'll tell you that even if you have a fine voice such as hers, to be able to sing well still takes a great deal of practice. Most of her spare time is spent doing just that, except when she's with Barbara and Muriel. Doris hopes to have a career in music after graduation.

Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Student Secretaries' Club IV.



Jean Lesnik



### Gerald Hammer

"Life was made but for actions, not words."

Gerald's genial manner and friendly attitude toward all make him a welcome member of the senior class. His interest in all types of sports takes him to Colgate Playground where he can often be seen with his gang. After graduation, Gerald would like to pursue his interest in sports into an unusual field, that of a sports announcer.

International Relations Club IV.



### Eric Hans

"A gentleman of generous disposition."

With radio announcing as his chief interest and ambition in life, Eric spends most of his free time listening to his large record collection. His witty and humorous way of speaking has won him many friends both in and out of school. He is also an active member of the "Y." He can usually be seen laughing with his friends Ernie, Ralph, and Herbie. A Cappella Choir IV; Track II; Yearbook Staff (Advertising and Personalities Committees) IV; Senior Farewell Decorating Committee III; Visual Aids Club IV; Radio Club III.



### Ronald Hardee

"A youth of quiet ways."

Small, good-natured "Puddy," is one of the most colorful students in WOHS. Ronald is immensely interested in sports and can often be seen at Colgate Playground with Jerry Hammer and the boys. Ronald is also an ardent fan of the St. Louis Cardinals. After school, "Puddy" sells candy, Fanny Farmer's. After graduation, Ronald would like to attend Seton Hall and study business administration.

International Relations IV; Sports Club IV.



### Lloyd Harper

"There are two sides to every argument—

Mine and the wrong side."

As one of the most intelligent debaters of the senior class, Lloyd is an often-heard member of the International Relations Club, and is the frequent questioner with real "stumpers." An associate editor of the "ROUNDUP," his editorials reflect his news knowledge. Lloyd's other interests include sports, music, and French. College at Princeton is sure to lead Lloyd on to fame and success.

French II, III, IV, (Program Chairman); Choir II; Philo III, IV, (Critic); Student Congress Alternate III, IV; International Relations III, IV; "Roundup" Staff III, IV, (Associate Editor); Boys' Choir II, III, IV; Camera Club II; Honor Guard III; Student Production Committee.



**Thomas Haul**

"All great men are dying;  
I feel faint."

Could you ever imagine a discussion of music without the presence of Tom? Tom is one of our most accomplished musicians who will some day make a great name for himself. He is also a member of the All-State Orchestra. After graduation Tom hopes to attend the Julliard School of Music. Assembly Council III; Orchestra II, III, IV; All-State Orchestra II, III, IV; "Roundup" Staff III (Representative); Chess Club II, III, IV.



**Colin Hobson**

"This above all: to thine own self be true."

Colin, the young man who plans to go West, is one of the better orators in our school. His line of gab could sell ice to an Eskimo. Underneath his gay exterior, however, is an intense faith in Christian principles. A hard worker, Colin proves that a job well done is a job done personally. He has more than once shown this ability which will bring him notice in the future. International Relations Club III, IV.



**George Hoffman**

"What fairer cloak than courtesy?"

George came to us from Orange High in his junior year and has made many friends in his short stay here. He has been an active member of both the Sports and Automobile Club, sports and mechanics being two of his main interests. A quiet, yet courteous and friendly manner, is a quality which will aid George in the future. Yearbook Staff IV; Sports Club IV; Automobile Club IV.



**Charles Hug**

"Don't look now:  
Wait 'til I'm President."

Charlie can always be counted on for one of his colorful comments. An excellent history student, Charlie has definite political ideas, which he can quote with gusto when in a debate. He was also a valuable man on the gridiron this past fall, and we wish him continued success in the college of his choice, Cornell.

Junior Varsity II; Varsity Football III, IV; Junior Varsity Football II; Clio IV; International Relations IV; Track III; Varsity IV; Yearbook Staff IV.







### Barbara Freeman

"The joy of youth and happiness her eyes display."

One of the friendly girls in the senior class, Barb always has a smile for everyone she meets. Her greatest weakness is brown-eyed, curly-haired brunettes. She loves to swim, and for that reason, spends many of her summer weekends at Belmar. After being graduated, Barb hopes to acquire an office position for a few years and then on to greater things.

Baseball III; Swimming II; Ping-Pong II; Sub-Captain III, Captain II, III; Music Appreciation Club (Classical) II, III; Business Practice Club IV.



### Phyllis Gartenberg

"Never underestimate the power of a woman."

Without a doubt Phyllis is one of the friendliest and busiest girls at WOHS. Not only does she show her wonderful school spirit by being one of our enthusiastic cheerleaders, but also by her work in countless organizations of the school. Because of her artistic talent which she has demonstrated in the form of various posters and prom decoration work, Phyll will undoubtedly make a successful commercial artist.

Assembly Council III (Secretary); Swimming II; Ping-Pong II, III, IV; Cheerleading III; Captain of Gym Class and Sub-Captain II, III; Spanish Club III; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; A Cappella Choir II; Clio III, IV; Program Chairman of Clio IV; Student Congress II, III, IV; Corresponding Secretary of Student Congress III; Vice-President of Student Congress IV; Subscription Campaign II; Yearbook Staff (Co-Chairman of Art, Member of Literary Committee) IV; "Roundup" Staff, (Art Editor IV, Reporter III); Prom Committees (Art) II, III, IV; Christmas Dance Committee II, III, IV; School Production Committee IV; Vice-President of Homeroom II; Homeroom Treasurer III.



### Carolyn Geismar

"Good clothes are a credit anywhere—  
Red hair, a distinction."

Carolyn, one of our most talented artists, is well known for her beautiful red hair and her attractive wardrobe. She is usually seen rushing to a Student Congress meeting, to a dance practice, or to twirling practice during the football season. After graduation Carolyn plans to attend college to further her study of art. We're sure that her pleasant smile and friendly personality will be a great asset.

Twirling III, IV; Ping-Pong II, III, IV; Capt. Gym Class II, III; Spanish Club III, IV; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; Clio III, IV (Vice-Pres. IV); Student Congress (Executive Comm.) III, (Co-Chairman of Art Comm.) IV; Yearbook Staff (Personalities, Co-Chairman of Art Comm.) IV; Sophomore Hop Comm. II; Junior Prom Art Comm. Chairman III; School Production IV.



### Anne Giannelli

"Laughter and chatter are my concerns."

Hear that giggle? That's usually Anne, and it's certain that someone is enjoying one of her jokes. No group is ever complete without Anne because of her life-of-the-party personality. She enjoys her art class in which she takes an active interest. In the morning Anne can usually be seen touring the parking lot with Sam. Anne's future as yet remains hidden in the crystal ball.

Baseball III; Swimming II; Captain of Gym Class II, III, IV; Music Appreciation Club (Classical) II, III; Dramatic Club III; Dance Club IV.





### Joyce Gordon

"If you need a true friend, on Joy you may depend."

Joy is one of those lucky people who has the talent and ambition to write compositions on a moment's notice. She displays this talent by writing articles for the Y.M.C.A. Joy is also a member of the marching band and she plays the flute in the orchestra. After graduation Joyce plans to attend college, and no doubt will later continue her writing ability.

Baseball II; Basketball II; Ping-Pong II; Orchestra II, III, IV; Yearbook Staff IV; Marching Band I, II, III, IV; Band II, III, IV; Secretary of School Production Committee; Bowling III, IV; Junior Red Cross IV.



### Margaret Gordon

"Pleasure is to women as the sun is to the flower."

Peggy is one of our pretty blonde seniors. During her stay at our school she has been active in F.H.A. where she has proved to be a great asset. Peggy may often be found giggling with Lorraine and Terry while catching up on the latest gossip. Her goal upon graduating is to become a secretary, a position which she will fill capably.

Library Council II; Cafeteria Squad IV; F.H.A. Club II, III; Music Appreciation Club III.



### Regina Graves

"Always lively, never sad—

The kind of friend one likes to have."

Since her entrance in WOHS in her junior year, Regina's lightheartedness has earned her many friends. During the week Regina is usually in Paul's with the girls, spending her last nickel on a coke. Her weekends are reserved, however, for a certain football star. After graduation, Regina plans to do secretarial work for a few years. Then — who knows?

Music Appreciation Club III.



### Mary Ann Guerriero

"Worry—let it run away,

Live a life and live it gay."

Dark-haired Lynn can usually be found wherever there is fun to be had for the asking. During her junior year Mary Ann had the good fortune to go to Italy. She has brought many interesting stories which she can often be seen recalling to her friends. After receiving her diploma, Lynn plans to take another trip to Europe as a graduation present.

Girls' Glee Club II; Dramatic Club II; Leathercraft IV; Creative Writing IV.



### George Hurst

"In order to become a great man  
It is necessary to be a great rascal."

Since George has come to West Orange during the middle of his sophomore year from Sussex, New Jersey, he has taken an active part in school affairs, especially sports. His ability is shown by his being a member of the varsity baseball and basketball teams. George's plans for the future are to attend the University of Maine to study Forestry. Varsity Basketball III, IV; Co-Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Junior Varsity Baseball II; Varsity Baseball III, IV.



### David Johnson

"Men of few words are the best men."

Dave can usually be found popping in and out of classrooms since he is an office messenger. When he is not delivering messages around school, he is busy at the Junior Essex Troop Club where he has won many ribbons and prizes for his horsemanship. Dave's winning smile and friendly manner will aid in bringing him success in his future career. Spanish Club II; Art Club II; Sports Club IV; Office Messenger IV.



### Gerald Jacobvitz

"Young fellows will be young fellows!"

Do you want to laugh? If so, you should find Jerry. He's that happy-go-lucky guy who never lets anything bother him other than his detentions. Jerry always feels best when he is surrounded by a dozen girls and is usually seen that way. To be a salesman is Jerry's ambition and with his gift of gab he should go far in this field. International Relations IV; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV; Auto Mechanics III.



### Walter Johnson

"Take life easy; tomorrow is another day."

"Reb" is one of the most jovial and well-liked members of the senior class. When a commotion is heard in the halls, you may be sure that Walt is there with the other members of his gang. A part of his popularity may be attributed to his famous imitations of Red Skelton and it might be added, that Walt's future might even include such a profession.

A Cappella Choir II; International Relations II; Office Messenger IV.





**Charles Joyce**

"It's better to rust out than wear out."

When you mention this name do you unknowingly become relaxed and get a rather sleepy feeling? Charles, during his "stay" at WOHS has become known for his completely relaxed manner in classes. However, he has a big interest in sports, especially track, mechanics, and taking trips to Pennsylvania. Charley hopes to attend college after graduation. Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Library Council IV; Track II, III, IV; Sports Club III, IV.



**David Kall**

"A leader of men and a follower of women."

Dave is one of the outstanding students of our senior class. He is liked by his classmates as shown by the senior class electing him president. Dave is also known for his ability to play basketball, having played for two years on the varsity team. Dave has only two weaknesses, basketball and girls. After graduation Dave plans to continue his education.

Varsity Basketball III, IV; Junior Varsity II; President of Class IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Clio IV; Student Congress III, IV; Golf III, IV; Co-Editor of Photography of Yearbook; Prom Committee IV; Boys' Chorus II, III; Boys' State Representative; Rotary Club Representative.



**Robert Keiler**

"It matters not how long we live, but how."

Bob is an active student who is a supporter of many school activities. Among these activities is WOTAC, where he spends a good deal of his weekend hours. Bob enjoys all sports and is an ardent fan of our "Cowboys." He is also an active member of HI-Y where he was president. Captain of Gym Class II, III; Junior Varsity Football III; Track II; Yearbook (Personalities, Subscriptions) IV; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV; Hi-Y (President).

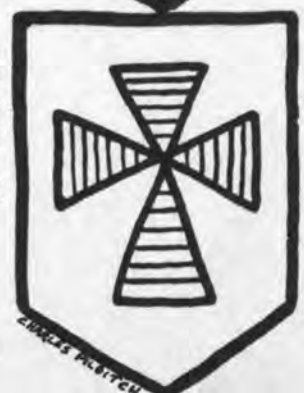


**William Kelly**

"Be gone, dull care!

Thou and I shall never agree."

Bill is a happy-go-lucky individual who is always on the lookout for a good time. His interests are many, of which sports and current events are but a few. He is an active member of International Relations Club and also puts to good use his gift of gab by his membership in the Chatter Club. Captain of Gym Class III; International Relations Club III, IV; Arttyping Club II; Sports Club II; Chatter Club (Secretary) IV.





### Lorraine Haggerty

"Life is just one long giggle."

This pert lass, one of the liveliest members of the class, can always be found laughing and talking with some of the "kids." Always well dressed, Lorraine has become noted for her infectious giggle. Her leisure time is taken up by her friends and "that special guy." After graduation Lorrie plans a secretarial career and wants to have "lots more fun."

Library Council II; F.H.A. Club II, III; Student Secretaries' Club IV; Music Appreciation Club III, IV; School Production Committee IV.



### Suzanne Hoer

"What should a maid do but be merry?"

This cute little senior with laughing eyes and a sunny smile can always be counted on to add cheer to any informal gathering. Sue, who is treasurer of the "Dales," accepts responsibility with willingness. She can often be found in the Secretaries' room doing work for Mrs. Evans. We know that in the future she will be capable as she has been throughout high school.

"Roundup" Representative IV; Dramatic Club III; Modern Dancing II; Business Practice Club IV; Typing Club III; Cheerleading II.



### Selma Hokanson

"A head full of genius,  
A heart full of mirth."

Vivacious, pretty, and smart; that's Selma to a "T." Talented Selma's activities have a wide range and they include: football majorette, president of her Young Peoples' Group, column editor of the "Roundup," and water ballet work. Think this doesn't leave room for studies? You're wrong! Selma is one of our top honor students, too. To attend Wooster College is Selma's plan for the future.

Baseball II; Basketball II; Swimming II; Ping-Pong II; Capt. of Gym Class II, III; Spanish Club (Vice-Pres.) III; Girls' Glee Club II, IV; A Cappella Choir III, IV; Executive Comm. III, IV; Chairman of Bulletin Board Comm. III, IV; International Relations Club (Secy) III; "Roundup" III, (Associate Ed.) IV; Junior Prom Music Comm. III; Modern Dance Club II; Quill and Scroll III, (Pres.) IV; Honor Guard III; Majorette II, III, IV.



### Ann Hopkins

"Her air, her manners,  
All who saw admired."

Don't let Ann's sweet and unassuming manner fool you! Of course, she does possess that gem of charm, but she also seems to be fun's partner. An honor student and a member of Hi-BA, Ann has been co-editor of the personality committee of the yearbook, and is a favorite among her classmates due to her affability and gentle nature. Swimming III; Bowling IV; Ping-Pong II; Lifesaving IV; Sub-Capt. Gym Class II, IV; Capt. II, III; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, IV; Yearbook (Co-Ed. of Personalities, Subscriptions) IV; Concession Stand IV; F.H.A. Club II; Student Congress II, III, IV; (Executive Comm., Chairman of House and Grounds Comm., and Bulletin Board Comm.) IV.



### Susan Israll

"Silence is the perfect herald of joy."

Sue is one of our more gifted seniors. One of her many talents is playing the clarinet. A member of the marching band, she is surely a great asset to this organization. Sue's goal after graduation is to become a Wave. The Navy will find, no doubt, that she's very capable of the job. Swimming II, III; Spanish Club II, III; Orchestra II, III, IV; Band II, III, IV.



### Lois Ittner

"Why should life all labor be?"

Lois is known for her even disposition and sense of humor. This active girl has many interests outside of school which include bowling, roller-skating, dancing, and a job as a waitress in Pleasantdale. Lois's dependable traits and charming personality will certainly help her go far in her chosen profession nursing. Girls' Glee Club II; F.H.A. Club III; Opera Club III; Leathercraft IV; Chemistry-Nursing IV.



### Mary Ann Jiroux

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

"Maj" can usually be seen walking thru the halls with her friends Terry and Peggy. This little miss is known for her unusual laugh, her membership in the G. O. B.'s. She would like to attend Berkeley Secretarial School after graduation. Most of all, "Maj" would like to receive that ring for her third finger. Girls' Glee Club II; "Roundup" Concession Stand III; F.H.A. Club (Parliamentarian) III; Arttyping II; Typing III; Leathercraft IV; Business Practice Club IV.



### Barbara Jones

"Wholesome as the air and genial as a light."

Barb's congenial and friendly manners have been important factors in her successful years at WOHS. She is also very skilled in needlework and spends most of her time knitting sweaters. Barb's interests include piano playing and volley ball, both of which she performs very well. Her present plans are to enter a nursing school and to follow that very noble profession. Twirling II; Swimming II; Gym Class (Sub-Captain III, Captain IV); Girls' Glee Club II; Yearbook (Personalities Committee) IV; Roundup" Staff III, IV; F.H.A. Club (Parliamentarian) III; Arttyping II; Typetory IV; Chemistry Nursing IV.







### David Kennison

"Veni, Vidi, Vici."

The title of Co-Editor in Chief of the 1953 West-O-Ranger is the coveted title which Dave possesses. He has held down this responsibility and all its duties while having an outside job. His assured manner has led him into many other activities of the school, ranging from Junior Honor Guard to football manager. Dave's future will no doubt be as eventful and successful as his high school days.

Captain of Gym Class II, III; Spanish II; Football (Manager) III; International Relations; Co-Editor (Yearbook); "Roundup" Staff; Sports Club II, III, IV; Surveying III, IV; Code Practice Club III; Quill and Scroll Club III; Honor Guard III.



### Paul Klurstein

"A man of few cares has no regrets."

Paul can usually be seen talking with the crowd from Pleasantdale or playing football after school with some of his friends. His greatest weaknesses are cars and boats or practically anything that deals with mechanics. Because of Paul's pleasing personality, we know he will go far after he leaves high school.

Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Sports Club II, III; Visual Aids Club IV; Radio Club IV; Auto Mechanics III; Homeroom Vice-President II; Entertainment IV; Dancing Club II.



### Robert Koch

"I've been dying for four years,  
Now I'm going to live."

A man never without his car, Bob can usually be found riding around with Don in his two-tone green Chevy. When he isn't with one of his "special" friends, he spends a lot of his time in Cliff's where he pursues his hobby of mechanics. After graduation Bob would like to be a cross-country truck driver.



### James Kostibos

"Beware the ones we think of as meek and mild."

Jim, that tall senior with dark hair, is noted for his shy and quiet ways. His main interest is trains; Jim is known for his excellent knowledge of this subject and also for his large collection of miniature trains. His intended career will also be along this line, that of becoming a railroad engineer.

International Relations III; Track II; Radio Club IV; Ballroom Dancing IV.





### Donald Landaas

"Half the joy of living lies in music."

That tall good-looking blond is none other than our Don. Don't let his apparent shyness fool you. Once you get to know him, you'll find him loads of fun and quite interested in the opposite sex. Don is one of the most talented boys at WOHS; he's quite a whiz at the accordion. Don already gives accordion lessons which he hopes to continue after graduation.

Captain of Gym Class III; A Cappella Choir IV; Library Council IV; Boys' Chorus; Sports Club II, III.



### Joseph Lenoci

"Music makes the world go round."

If you want a coke, go down to WOTAC Saturday nights and meet Joe. You'll find him behind the coke counter. Joe is usually found helping someone. He is very active in the band and orchestra where he plays the trombone. His plans for the future include college or the U. S. Navy. Orchestra II, III, IV; Band II, III, IV; Baseball Manager III; President of Homeroom II.



### Richard Lind

"An ounce of wit is worth a pound of sorrow."

With the grace and ease of the practiced exhibitionist, Dick amazes all with his exceptional diving. Not willing to stop at a mere single somersault, he does a complete double and then, as straight as an arrow, cleanly cuts the chlorine. Slim Dick is not limited to aquatic skill. Possessed with a keen mind, this athlete of the waters should succeed in his chosen profession: writing.

Clio IV; Orchestra II; Swimming IV; Track II; Yearbook Staff IV; Band II, III; Creative Writing IV; State High School Swimming Meet IV.



### Walter Lohman

"Fond of trains and of laughter;

Business first, and pleasure after."

Although living at a new residence in Denville, N. J., Walt commutes by train everyday to be with us at WOHS. He is a hard worker, helping out in his father's store in Dover and still is able to maintain an honor student average here at school. Walt's hobbies are his model railroad and his new car both of which take up much of his time.

Captain of Gym Class II; A Cappella Choir II; Sports Club III; Radio Club IV; Auto Mechanics II, III; Ballroom Dancing IV.



### Shirley Jones

"Fair tresses are an asset to attractiveness."

Shirley's sweet voice and pleasant smile are only two of her many notable features. Her lovely voice can be heard in almost any of our musical organizations at school. Her sweet personality has won her many friends. Shirley's secret ambition is to get her "MRS." degree and to visit Waikiki Beach, Florida.

Baseball III; Swimming II; Captain of Gym Class II, III; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; "Roundup" Representative II; F.H.A. Club III; Leathercraft Club IV.



### Ann Kalijarvi

"Everything succeeds with people of sweet and cheerful disposition."

Ann is known by everyone for her sweet disposition and pleasant smile. She is usually seen with Marilyn, Selma, and Barbara. Ann has set plans for the future and one of these is to attend college. After school she wishes to specialize in merchandising or any phase of business where she can use her knowledge of Spanish. Among Ann's many interests are swimming and dancing.

Twirling II; Swimming II; Spanish Club III, IV; Girls' Glee Club II; International Relations Club III, IV; Yearbook (Personalities, Literary Committee) IV; "Roundup" Staff III; Dramatic Club III.



### Barbara Kaiser

"The charm of her presence,  
Was felt where e'er she went."

Barbara's ability to work well and to have responsibilities does not conceal her sense of humor or her fun-loving nature. Barbara has made many friends among her classmates through her personable manner, dependability, and ambition. Besides being a steady honor roll student, Barbara has taught herself to type. Barb is also noted for her "by ear" harmony and her talent with the needle.

Swimming II; Baseball II, III; Ping-Pong II; Cheerleading II; Basketball II, III; Bowling III; Sub-Capt. of Gym Class III; Spanish Club (Secy.) III; Spanish (Vice-Pres.) IV; Girls' Glee Club II; Philo III; Student Congress IV; Subscription Campaign II, III, IV; Yearbook (Co-Ed., Personalities) IV; "Roundup" Staff (Concessions) III, IV; Cafeteria Squad IV; Student Secy.'s Club IV; Needlecraft II; Honor Guard III; School Prod. (Write-up Chairman) IV.



### Margaret Kamprath

"Her graceful ease and sweetness void of pride."

A friendly girl with an inconvenient blush, Marge is sometimes caught with a dreamy sparkle in her eyes or a note to a pal in her hand. She likes cheering at any Cowboy game, sewing and dancing. Her present ambition is to learn some new jitterbug steps. After graduation Marge plans to enter the business world where some lucky boss will get a charming secretary.

Swimming II, III; Archery III; Twirling III; Cheerleading II; Captain of Gym Team III, IV; Library Council III, IV; Yearbook (Subscriptions, Personalities) IV; F.H.A. Club III; Arttyping Club II; Music Appreciation Club III; Red Cross Council III; Business Practice Club IV; Leathercraft IV.





### Barbara King

"She looks most shy but  
There is mischief in her eye."

Barbara is that neat, attractive brunette who can be seen around the halls each morning with Audrey and Marge. Her enthusiasm for all types of sports leads her to the basketball court, rollerskating rink, or ping pong table after school. Barbara's sincere and pleasing personality will make her successful in her future job with the Bell Telephone Company. Baseball, Basketball, Ping-Pong II; Captain of Gym Class IV; Art Club II, III; Hawaiian Dancing IV; Typing Club IV.



### Devorah Kiviat

"A dimpled cheek and a sunny smile."

Though small in stature, Devie has plenty of pep and enthusiasm. When not with Marilyn she is putting off her famous diet until tomorrow or dancing and listening to popular music with that certain someone. Many of her summers are spent enjoyably at camp in Pennsylvania. It is no wonder that this cute little charmer is popular with everyone she meets. Ping-Pong II; Cheerleading II; Girls' Glee Club II; Art Club IV; Modern Dancing Club II, III; Hawaiian Folk Dancing IV.



### Muriel Kunz

"Love, sweetness, goodness in her person shine."

The girl with the dark hair, which is the envy of many, is none other than vivacious Muriel. Every Saturday during football season, she could be seen faithfully cheering for our "Cowboys." Besides being active in school affairs, she is kept busy with her numerous outside activities. Her fondness for children has led her to choose kindergarten teaching as her career; those lucky kids. Girls' Athletics II, III; Captain of Gym Class III; Subscription Campaign Captain II; International Relations (Treasurer) IV; Yearbook (Personalities) IV; "Roundup" (Reporter) III; F.H.A. Club III; Music Appreciation Club (Opera) III; Needlecraft Club III; Junior Red Cross III.



### Barbara Legreide

"Ready of heart, ready of hand  
Well spoken, sweet and true."

Very seldom does one find Barb without a smile on her face to greet all. Her cheerful countenance and happy manner have won her the distinction of being called one of those "mad scientists" trying to "splinter" the atom in room 305. Barb hopes to apply her knowledge of chemistry in some field of nursing which she will follow after graduation. Sub-Captain of Gym Class III; Yearbook (Advertising) IV; Yearbook (Personalities, Literary Committee) IV; IV; Code Practice Club II; Typing Club III; Modern Dance Club II; Junior Red Cross Club IV; Creative Writing Club IV; Chemistry Nursing Club IV.



### Joseph Longo

"Beneath his countenance lurks  
A soul of friendly mischief."

One of the newcomers to West Orange High, Joe hails originally from East Orange. He is a tall, dark, good-looking fellow and has a friendly nature that has won him many new friends among West Orange students. His personal charm has also won him much admiration from the girls. International Relations IV; Chatter Club (Program Chairman) IV.



### Alexander Lopez

"Curly hair means happy life."

Alex is well liked by his fellow classmates and is one of the most sincere fellows in the senior class. Born in Spain, he speaks his native language fluently. He has entertained us many times in assembly playing his wonderfully-executed harmonica. After graduation Alex would like to follow a career of engineering and hopes to attend Stevens Institute. Sports Club III; Radio Club (Vice-President) IV; Auto Mechanics II, III; Chess Club III.



### Joseph Lucas

"When business interferes with pleasure,  
drop business."

Joe, a favorite among his classmates is well known by all for his interest and ability in sports, especially baseball. Last summer Joe was a member of the American Legion Post No. 22 Essex County Championship Team. He has been captain of his gym team for three years. His Plymouth convertible provides his transportation to and from work after school hours. Junior Varsity Baseball II; Auto Mechanics Club II, III; Sports Club II, III; International Relations IV; Captain of Gym Class II, III, IV.



### Guy Macauley

"Fond of dress, fonder of dresses."

This handsome, blond senior is none other than our class treasurer. Guy has proved his capability for this job by holding it for three years. His friendliness and determination have made him tops in the eyes of his classmates. After graduation, Guy plans to continue his education with an eye toward real estate. Metalcraft II; Class Treasurer II, III, IV; Student Congress II, IV; Choir II, III; Glee Club II, III; Camera Club III; International Relations IV; Yearbook (Subscriptions) IV.



### Edward Mangas

"A gentleman is not born; he develops."

Did someone mention "hot rods?" Ed is sure to be right there. Ed has made a great hit with all his friends (especially those female admirers) because of his sunny smile and ever ready "Hi." Although he is one of our quieter seniors, his six foot plus form is going to be missed next year! As for his future, with such a personality as Ed's, who could fail to find success?  
Student Congress IV; International Relations IV; Sports Club II, III; Surveying IV; Code Practice III; Auto Mechanics II; Sophomore Football.



### George Manus

"Write me as one who loves his fellow men."

George is well liked by his fellow classmates for his friendly attitude and cheerful disposition. He takes a genuine interest in all subjects and is known for his active part in class discussion. His many and varied interests range from mechanics and bicycles to church work. As for the future, George plans to follow the Lord's leading.  
Auto Mechanics II; Chess Club II; Sports Club III; Visual Aids III, IV; Library Council IV.



### John Mateyka

"You can't hold a good man down;

He springs back twice as determined."

John, of all the seniors graduating in '53, is one of the most friendly. He is seldom seen alone, for John is always chatting with one of his numerous acquaintances. A little devilish at times, he sometimes gets into scrapes but he is soon out of them. John likes playing basketball, arguing with Jim, and attending the Y's Fun Fests.  
Basketball (Junior Varsity Manager) II; Football (Junior Varsity Manager) II, III; International Relations Club II, III, IV; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV.



### James McFarland

"Take life seriously, and what's it worth?"

Affectionately called "Packy" by some, "Macko" by others, Jim is an example of good will among students. He easily wins friends in any place that he may be. This tall, slim senior can easily be seen walking down the hall, his head towering above the rest of the student body. Jim works part time after school and spends his hours of leisure at Morris' Sweet Shop.

Boys' Chorus II; Sports Club II, III; Auto Mechanics II, III; Chess Club IV; Radio Club IV.







### Joan Lesnik

"Half her charm is hidden by her modesty."

Joan is one of the attractive Lesnik duo who is always confusing her teachers. Though a twin, she has a pleasing personality quite her own. One thing they have in common is their artistic ability, which Joan, an honor student, hopes to put to use as an art teacher. She is most often seen with her sister Phyllis and usually doing some type of art work.

Captain III; Sub-Captain II; Spanish Club IV; Girls' Glee Club IV; Yearbook (Art, Subscription, Literary) IV; Prom (Art Committee) II, III; Art Club II, III, IV; Junior Red Cross IV; Ballroom Dancing II.



### Phyllis Lesnik

"As nice a girl as can be seen!"

Much of the school's outstanding art work can be attributed to Phyll. Being one half of a set of twins does not stunt her individuality or her own distinctive charm. Her interest in school life keeps her busy on various projects. Her art consumes much of her time, and surely she will reach the top rung on the ladder of success in her field of art. Captain of Gym Class IV, Sub-Captain II, III; Spanish Club IV; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; Yearbook (Art and Literary) IV; Prom Art Committees II, III; Art Club III, IV; Ballroom Dancing II; Junior Red Cross IV.



### Barbara Lindorfer

"Eyes so blue, hair so blond

A pleasant picture to gaze upon."

Gentleness and good humor are two characteristics of golden-haired Barb, whose cheerful smile is always welcome to everyone. She can usually be seen (and heard) practicing with Bev, Bobbie, and Pat at quartet rehearsal in the Visual Aids room. Barb has been a member of choir, band, and orchestra for the past three years and is definitely musically inclined. Barb plans to be a teacher in the future. Swimming II, III; Ping-Pong II; Twirling II, III; French IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Philo III, IV; Orch. II, III, IV; School Prod. Comm.; Student Congress Alternate; Subscription Campaign Capt., "Roundup" IV; Yearbook Staff; "Roundup" Staff; Concert and Marching Band II, III, IV; Quill and Scroll IV; Junior Honor Guard.



### Barbara MacMillan

"Good nature shines in her face."

Whenever you see that far-away look in Barb's eyes, you can be sure she's thinking of that certain fellow from East Orange, namely Bob. Barb is a very active member of Young Peoples' in her church. With her friendly manner, she is sure to be a success in her chosen career, nursing. Girls' Athletics II, III; A Cappella Choir II; Subscription Campaign III, IV; International Relations Club IV; Yearbook Staff (Personalities) IV; Music Appreciation Club II; Modern Dancing Club II, III; Chemistry-Nursing IV.



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### Barbara McCartney

"Capable, but unassuming."

When the Cowboys are down, so are Barb's nails. This pretty lassie is one of the most faithful rooters for West Orange High. You'll find this miss taking her morning exercise by strolling the length of the halls a few times with Marilyn and Florence. After finishing school she would like to be a married secretary. Swimming II; Twirling II; Sub-Captain of Gym Class IV; Arttyping Club II, III; Student Secretaries Club IV.



### Hannah McDermott

"It is a friendly heart  
That has many friends."

A girl well worth having as a friend, Hannah has a variety of interests. She is an avid basketball fan, likes football games, and all types of music. She spends her summers at Cranberry Lake where she swims and goes boating. After graduation Hannah would like to enter East Orange General for her nurse's training. We are sure she will give comfort to many an ailing patient. Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III; Swimming II, III; Ping-Pong II, III; Twirling II, III; International Relations IV; Music Appreciation Club II, III; Modern Dance II, III; Chemistry-Nursing Club IV.



### Audrey McCauley

"It would talk!

Lord, how it talked!"

One of our most enthusiastic seniors, Audrey can usually be seen causing a mild riot. She is interested in all sports particularly basketball and baseball. She can usually be seen recounting those wild college weekends with her many friends. Her bubbling personality and neat appearance are the envy of many. Her after-school plans are to attend college.

Basketball: Baseball; Captain of Gym Class II, Sub-Captain III; Student Congress Alternate II, III; Yearbook Staff (Photography) IV; Arttyping Club III; Dramatic Club III, IV.



### Marie McLoughlin

"Her radiant hair is her crowning glory."

Whenever you see Marie with a faraway look in her eyes, you'll know she's dreaming about that certain soldier stationed in Korea. She is known for her red hair and smart clothes. Marie can usually be found sharing the latest gossip with her pal, Terry. Although she has no definite plans for the future, Marie's pleasant personality is sure to be an asset in whatever she does. Arttyping II, III; Music Appreciation III, IV; Typing IV; Leathercraft IV; Ceramics IV.



### Walter McLaren

"He will give the devil his due."

Walter was one of the outstanding golfers in WOHS. His skillful playing greatly aided the golf team in having a winning season. He is at present wearing the Navy's blue, and whether he plans to make the Navy a career or not, we all wish him continued success.

Chess Club III; Golf Team III; Literary Council IV.



### Philip McLaughlin

"Full of the joy of living."

Always friendly, ready with a "hello" for everyone—that's Phil. Although it is not always outwardly expressed, his sense of humor is an advantageous addition to his general personality. Phil finds enjoyment in attending and actively participating in track meets. He has been a valuable member of our track team for the past three years. Phil believes his future will be dedicated to Uncle Sam Track II, III, IV; Sports Club II, III; Ballroom Dancing II, IV; Auto Mechanics II, III.



### Bruce Mershon

"Manners make the man."

Bruce, who can successfully add a serious thought or a bit of his joviality to a conversation, will ever aid to anyone who calls upon his willing nature. His pleasant ways reveal his sparkling personality. Besides his love for animals, Bruce is also well up on current news affairs. Bruce's calm and understanding nature will certainly win success for him in the future.

A Cappella Choir II; Visual Aids Club IV.



### Lewis Middlecamp

"Never hurry, never worry."

Another of our mechanically minded boys, Lew, can often be found at Bob's Repair Shop doctoring someone's car. He is also an active member of his church Young People's group and on Sunday nights one can see his blue Plymouth putt-putting up to church. Lew is undecided as to whether he will use his mechanical ability or work at the Bell Telephone Company after graduation.

Auto Mechanics IV.





### James Milway

"Never trouble trouble till trouble troubles you."

Jimmy, the tall curly-haired senior with a smile for everyone, is greatly interested in sports. His ability on the basketball court was proven by his past participation on the junior varsity basketball squad. This year, however, his after school hours are spent at work in a nearby chain store. Jim's pleasant personality should gain him much happiness in the future.

Junior Varsity II; Sports Club IV; Auto Mechanics Club III, IV.



### Franklin Mink

"I am small, but I am mighty."

Well liked by the class, Frank can be seen many times helping fellow students in their work. Although a hard worker, Frank likes to have a good time whether in school or out. After school he boards the bus and heads for his father's store where he works. Frank plans to attend Upsala after graduation.

Captain of Gym Class III; Spanish Club III, (Secretary) IV; Subscription Campaign IV; International Relations IV; Sports Club II; Visual Aids Club IV.



### Stuart Murray

"Give me sports—utmost."

Stu's excellence on a basketball court has brought his quiet exterior out into the limelight. His range of athletics also includes baseball which he has performed as successfully as basketball. Oddly enough Stu's athletics haven't changed his unassuming nature. His plans for the future are to attend a teacher's college where he will prepare for the appropriate work of a physical education teacher.

Varsity Baseball III, IV; Junior Varsity II; Captain of Gym Class IV; Student Congress IV; Junior Varsity Baseball II; Varsity Baseball III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Co-Ed., Subscription and Personalities) IV; Basketball Club II, III, IV.



### Allen Nichols

"A smile upon his futures,  
A laugh within his heart."

A friendly disposition with a cheery smile for everyone are two of Al's fine traits. With his pal, Dave, he may usually be found after school hours working on that Super V-8 Ford. His interest in mechanics has made him an active member in Auto Mechanics Club. After being graduated he plans to attend college.

Auto Mechanics IV.





### Mary Mejuto

"Music hath charm and so hath she."

The skill of a concert pianist, the poise of a lovely trouper, and the spice of Spanish fire combined make Nieves a respected potential for success in the musical field. Intelligence and charm are rarely joined; but add a pretty face on a striking girl and you have one phase of Mary's excellence. Singing, piano, and Spanish are but a few of her accomplishments.

President Spanish Club II; Girls' Glee Club II, III; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Orchestra III; Student Congress III.



Joan Lesnik



### Lois Memminger

"Gay hearted and free."

Cute, dark-tressed Lois is a gal with many aims but her main one is to become a very good secretary. Lois is noted for her cute laugh and her gift of gab. Eight thirty-three on weekday mornings finds Lois hurrying to find someone who will help her get the pins out of her hair in time to get to homeroom.

Captain of Gym Class IV; International Relations II; Artyping Club II, III; Student Secretaries Club IV; Dramatic Club III.



### Harriet Metz

"Some think the world is made for fun and frolic And so do I."

This jovial dark-haired miss is one of our most fashion-conscious young ladies. Her attractive appearance and good nature contribute to her popularity among her classmates. Her interests are truly varied and swimming is one of Harriet's favorite pastimes. When she's not giggling with the gang, she may be seen in the art room working on a new project. With these attributes, Harriet will surely succeed in merchandising.

Swimming II, III, IV; Sub-Captain III, Captain of Gym Class IV; International Relations II; Roundup Subscription Staff III; Artyping Club III; Dramatic Club II, III; Business Practice IV.



### Marilyn Meyer

"A gay person is always well liked."

That cute senior you've seen in the hall of WOHS is none other than Marilyn. Her sprightly manner and ever attractive appearance make her an eye-catching little miss. Marilyn is also well known for her skill as a seamstress, look at her wardrobe for proof. On many afternoons she can be found riding her horse, "Freckles" or driving her green Dodge. After graduation she intends to follow up designing.

Captain of Gym Class II, III; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; Yearbook (Advertising Committee) IV; Junior Prom (Art Committee) III; Dramatic Club II; Leathercraft III.



**Patricia Miller**

"Pretty to walk with, pretty to talk with,  
And pleasant to think about."

A charming personality with the sweetest ingredients has Pat. She is a true friend and is well known by all in the senior class as a girl endowed with talent, wit, and attractiveness. Her popularity was augmented by her participation in various school activities including twirling and "The Beauty Shoppe Quartet." Pat has maintained an excellent scholastic record and plans to enter the teaching profession eventually.

Baseball II; Swimming III, IV; archery II; Ping-Pong II; twirling II, III; Sub-Captain III (gym class); French Club III; A Cappella Choir II, III; Philo III, IV; School Prod., Writing Com., IV; Student Congress III, IV (alternate); Yearbook (Personalities Comm.); "Roundup" Ed. IV; Concession Stand III; Prom Comm. IV; Modern Dance II; Bowling III, IV; Art Comm. (Student Congress) IV; Official Twirler IV; Quill and Scroll IV; Girls Quartet III, IV.



**Helen Minier**

"What music lives behind those sober eyes."

Helen is a friendly girl who is well known for her marvelous dancing skill. Besides going to dancing school, she teaches two classes herself. She is usually seen walking through the halls with Marilyn, Joan, and Chris. Helen's main ambition is that of becoming a doctor, a profession in which her friendly manner will greatly aid her.

Swimming II; Girls' Glee Club II, IV; Clio III, IV; Yearbook (Ways and Means, Literary) IV; Needle Craft II, Dance Club III.



**Gail Mohr**

"Where there's smoke, there's fire."

Good-humored Gail is noted for her pleasing personality and her unmistakable giggle. She possesses a very common characteristic prevalent among students—she dislikes studying. One can usually find Gail sharing the latest gossip with her many friends. Her current ambition is to get her license so that she can join the silent group who enjoys the use of the family car.

Swimming II; Library Council II; International Relations II; F.H.A. Club III; Music Appreciation Club III; Junior Achievement IV.



**Lillian Moland**

"It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice."

A sweeter personality is hard to find! That pleasant, yet unassuming manner, which has made her a good friend to many, could only belong to Lil. Both Choir and Glee Club have claimed Lil for the past three years and as a member of her own church trio, she has often used her talent for singing in serving her Lord, the guide of her life. Ping-Pong II; Swimming III; Bowling IV; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Yearbook (Personalities) IV; Artying Club.







### David Nielsen

"Untarnished philosophies lead to golden accomplishments."

Dave is that tall, good-natured senior who is always ready to lend a helping hand. Evidence of his willingness to take part in school affairs is shown by his participation in a variety of school activities from the Auto Mechanics Club to the Boys' Chorus. Dave also finds time to be co-editor of photography of the Yearbook. Upon graduation he wishes to attend Trenton State Teachers College. A Cappella Choir II, III; Library Council IV; School Production Committee IV; International Relations IV; Yearbook Staff (Co-Editor of Photography; Personalities Committee) IV; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV; Auto Mechanics Club II, III; Scoreboard II (Captain IV).



### George O'Brien

"Modesty gains more than pride."

George is a very serious member of our class but who enjoys a laugh now and then like the rest of us. He is very interested in current events and is an avid history student as well as being an active member of the International Relations Club of the school. His polite manner will aid him when he continues his education after high school. Subscription Campaign III; Yearbook (Ways and Means) IV; Prom Committee (Refreshments) III; Chess Club II, III, IV.



### Edward O'Connor

"Quiet ways are the safest ways."

They say the Irish are gifted with luck and personality. Well, we don't know about the luck, but we certainly can vouch for Ed's personality. He is also very talented in the field of art and has displayed this talent by submitting drawings for this Yearbook's theme. After graduation, Ed may continue with his ambition in art. International Relations IV; Yearbook Staff (Art Department) IV; Junior Prom (Refreshment Committee) III; Art Club II, III, IV; Chess Club III.



### Robert O'Hare

"I could live without women, But I'd rather not."

A full-o'-pep personality, good looks, and that snazzy '50 Ford convertible make a combination to create one of the most well-liked boys in the senior class. Because of his friendliness and versatility, he was chosen president of WOTAC and vice-president of the senior class. Whenever school spirit is needed, Bob's the fellow that you can count on to be tops. Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Class Officer (Vice-President) IV; Student Congress III; Track III, IV; Yearbook (Subscription and Advertising); Prom Committee III; Sports Club IV; WOTAC.



### Gerard O'Malley

"A wise man knows everything;  
A shrewd one, everybody."

That "tall, dark, and handsome" senior seen around the school could be none other than Jerry. With his wonderful sense of humor and witty remarks, Jerry is certain to liven up any class or activity in which he may participate. After attending the college of his choice, Jerry expects to find a position in the field of science, preferably in chemistry.

Captain of Gym Class II, III; Spanish Club II; Prom Committee III; Sports Club II, III; Visual Aids Club IV; Auto Mechanics II; Science Club IV.



### Noel Otto

"If silence were golden,  
He'd be a millionaire."

One of Mr. Eastwood's ardent Visual Aiders, Noel is usually seen working with "Spats" or running a film. If you happen to be discussing boats or motors, Noel will probably be in the discussion, for during the summer weekends, Noel heads for the shore and his own boat. After graduation Noel hopes to attend college, preferably one close to the shore.

Orchestra II; Band II, III, IV; Visual Aids Club III.



### Charles Parker

"I'm not arguing with you—  
I'm telling you."

For all sports news in the "Roundup," Charlie is the man to see. As sports editor, he has attended the athletic events, while selling refreshments at the Roundup stand, and tickets at the basketball games. Charlie can often be heard discussing the merits of Cornell University, the place where he intends to complete his education before beginning a career in mechanical engineering.

Varsity Basketball (Business Manager) III, IV; French Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Philo II, III, IV; International Relations IV; Track II, III, IV; "Roundup" III, (Sports Editor) IV; Boys' Glee Club II, III; Camera Club III; Auto Mechanics II.



### Robert Petersen

"Neither too careless nor too sad,  
Nor too studious, nor too bad."

Bob is that tall, smiling boy whom you can often see with Lew. He is very fond of water sports and has spent the last summers at Beachwood, New Jersey where he does swimming, fishing, and water skiing. Bob likes to experiment with model planes to see how well he can perfect their flying. After graduation, Bob would like to follow his father into the painting business.

Auto Mechanics IV.





### Patricia Morahan

"The mildest manners  
The gentlest heart."

Quiet, perhaps, but don't underestimate Pat's ability. A friendly word and a pleasant smile, she strives to please you. If you are an early bird, you have probably seen Pat taking her morning exercise as she and her friends walk up that long hill to school. An ardent worker in her business classes, she plans to do clerical work after graduation.

Basketball II; Swimming II; Captain of Gym Class III; Arttyping Club II; Business Practice Club IV; Typing Club III.



### Muriel Morrow

"Sweet, attractive kind of grace."

Muriel is a responsible miss, well liked by all her classmates. No doubt her fine qualities will aid her in attaining her goal of becoming a successful secretary. Among her many hobbies are sewing, knitting, tennis, bowling, swimming, music, and cooking. During the past year she has gained experience as corresponding secretary of her Scout troop, which will aid her when she enters Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School in the fall.

Baseball II; Swimming II; Ping Pong II; Twirling II, III; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir III, IV; Philo III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Co-Editor of Ways and Means Committee); "Roundup" Staff (Concession Stand III, IV); Bowling III, IV; Modern Dance II.



### Gwen Mowle

"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."

Gwen is a happy-go-lucky girl who can usually be seen racing to find Elsie and Barb. Gwen's fun loving attitude will always greet you, or else you will see her dreaming of that march up the aisle. Gwen's other interest is with her church group, and she also enjoys most any sport. Regardless of her plans, her sewing ability will enable her to have a "well dressed" future.

Baseball II; Basketball II; Swimming II; Ping-Pong II; Cheer-Leading II; Captain of Gym Class II, III; School Production Committee IV; Student Congress Alternate II; International Relations Club (Sec.) IV; Roundup Staff (Home Room Rep.) II, III, IV; Modern Music Appreciation III; Modern Dance II, III; Ballroom Dance II; Leathercraft IV.



### Joan Nuse

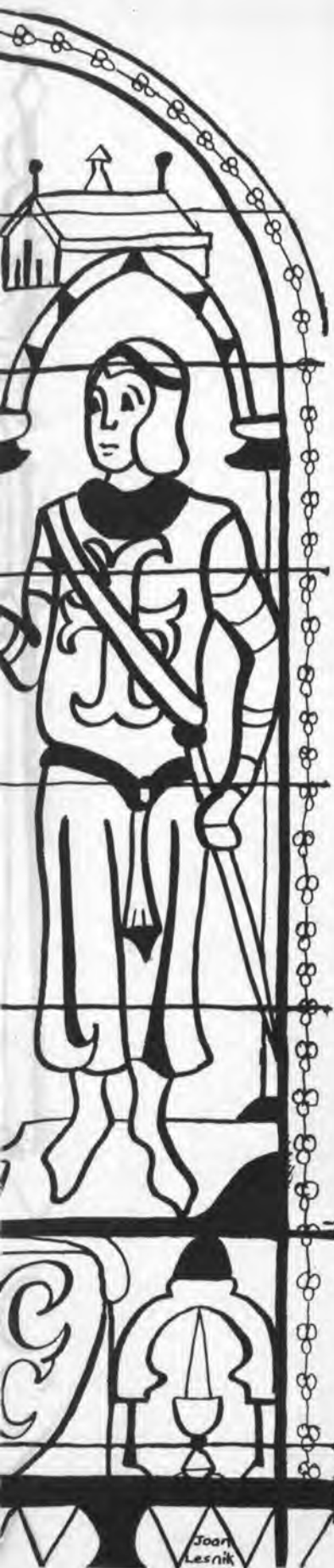
"A bright, airy little lady  
Ever graceful and witty."

Jo, one of our shorter misses is usually seen writing a note to one of her many friends. Her sweet disposition has made her a welcome addition to many of our school activities which range from modern dance to being on the Yearbook staff. After school you can see her hurrying to make the 3:10 bus to work. After high school she will continue in the business world.

Basketball II; Swimming II, III; Cheerleading II; Sub-Captain of Gym Class III; Hostess III; Subscription Campaign III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Subscriptions) IV; Camera Club III; Ballroom Dancing II; Modern Dancing II, III; Needlecraft IV; Leathercraft IV.







### Ann M. O'Rourke

"Grace was in all her steps."

Her blue eyes are as Irish as her name and her face reflects the many qualities of her name. With her sunny smile, Ann can be seen in the wee morning hours chatting with the cop on duty for the day at Northfield Avenue. Because of her willingness to work, her neat personal appearance, and her courtesy to all, Ann should make a most efficient secretary.

Assembly Council (Secretary) IV; Swimming III; Gym Class Captain IV; School Production IV; Student Congress (Hostess Committee III, Student Elections II, III, IV); Yearbook (Personalities) IV; F.H.A. Club II; Arttyping Club III; Student Secretaries' Club IV; Dramatic Club III; Concession Stand IV; Creative Writing Club IV; Speech Club II.



### Barbara Palmer

"Sunshine and happiness are found in her personality."

Bobbie's jesting and love of life is contagious to all who know her. When not giggling with the "gang," she is usually seen cramming for some test that she "clean forgot." Bobbie is well liked for her friendliness and sparkling personality. Her school spirit is shown by her participation in all school functions such as her support of WOTAC and by selling at football games in the fall. Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Archery II; Ping-Pong II, III, IV; Cheerleading II, III; Swimming II; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; School Prod. (Ticket Comm.) IV; Subscription Campaign II; Yearbook Staff (Advertising, Ways and Means, Personalities); "Roundup" Rep. II, III; Concession Stand III, IV; Prom Comm. IV; Bowling II, IV; Leathercraft II, IV; Modern Dance III.



### Greta Overgaard

"So sweet, so slim, so fair."

Greta, with her blond hair and friendly smile, is a combination of fun and vitality. She has worked willingly at the concession stand during the football season and has been an avid supporter of all other school functions. If you see a black Pontiac zooming by, it's probably Greta! She plans to be a nurse in the future, and her pleasing personality most certainly should assure her of a successful career.

Baseball II; Basketball III; Swimming IV; Cheerleading II; Capt. Gym Class III, IV; Sub-Capt. II, III; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; School Production (Ticket Comm.); Hostess III, IV; Subscription Campaign, III; Yearbook (Advertising, Ways and Means) Roundup Concession IV; Prom Committee IV; Modern Dance II; Bowling III, IV; Art Committee IV.



### Dorothy Palmieri

"A light heart lives long."

Dot, one of the busiest seniors, is working at present as a beauty counselor after school. This may be of interest to you girls who would like a few pointers on beauty habits. As sewing and designing are her main interests, she plans to attend designing school after graduation; but this will not prevent her from devoting most of her time to that "certain party." Sub-Captain of Gym Class IV; Girls' Glee Club II, IV; Music Appreciation Club III.



### Robert Pierce

"Must I work? Oh, what a waste of time!"

Bob's ready smile and pleasant personality will never be forgotten. His deepest interest, other than Nancy that is, is automobiles. He is seen most often with Walt Johnson in Walt's "customized" De Soto. Bob is also an active member of the trumpet section of the band and orchestra.

Band II, III, IV; Auto Mechanics II, III, IV.



### Charles Pilditch

"My mind to me a kingdom is."

Charles is a quiet brilliant student. Besides reading, art, and music, he enjoys visiting New York, the theatre, museums, and sight-seeing about the big city. With his friends, Charles often visits historical spots. He would very much like to travel and visit the "Romance" countries of Europe. After high school, Charles would like to continue language study at college.

Assembly Council III; French Club III, IV; Spanish Club III, IV; Philo III, IV; Yearbook Staff (Literary Co-Editor) IV; Cafeteria Squad II; Modern Music Appreciation Club II; Dramatic Club II; Opera Club III, IV.



### John Polito

"Dance away the night."

Johnny is one of the popular personalities in the senior class. His favorites cover everything except white shoes and big words. He can usually be found cruising in his big black La Salle with the boys. Johnny is one of the finest dancers in the school. Although he is not big in stature, he is a dangerous tackler on the football field. After graduation John plans to enlist in the Navy or the Air Force.

Vice-President of the Junior Class III; Varsity Football IV; Junior Varsity Football II, III; Student Congress II, III; Track II; Boys' Glee Club II, III, IV; Sports Club III, IV.



### Frank Possert

"Roses are red, violets are blue

I'm the mad Russian, 'How do you do?'"

Frank is that handsome blond you might see down by the West Orange Center. Frank came to our corral from Central in his junior year, but in that short space of time he has made a great many friends. His special interest is baseball. He was the catcher for the baseball team and did a good job in both catching and hitting. He hopes that someday he will catch for the Yankees.

Captain of Gym Class IV; International Relation IV; Sports Club III; Varsity Baseball III, IV; Baseball Club III, IV; Hunting and Fishing Club IV; Auto Mechanics Club III.



J. Spencos



### Daniel Pursell

"His head is high, but not in the clouds."

There's never a dull moment when Dan's around, in class or otherwise. His very manner suggests mischief, and his nature wit. Dan is an ardent follower and participant in baseball and he has been a top performing pitcher on our team for two years. Second on his list of favorite sports is swimming. When next September rolls around Dan plans to attend college and major in mechanical engineering.

Junior Varsity Basketball II; Clio III (Pres. IV); Student Congress III; International Relations Club (Pres.) IV; Yearbook Staff (Advertising Editor); Boys' Glee Club II, III, IV; Sophomore Football; Auto Mechanics II; Junior Varsity Baseball II; Varsity Baseball II, IV.



### Sanford Reich

"My only books were women's looks. And folly's all they taught me."

Sandy is one of those boys who helps light up the halls of WOHS with his bright friendly smile. He also has a very good singing voice and has been in the Choir for three years. Having an explosive personality, he spends much time in the chemistry lab. He wishes to continue this line of work at Rutgers University to study pharmacy. Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Junior Varsity Football II, III; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Clio III, IV; Vice-President of International Relations Club IV; Track II; Advertising Committee Yearbook IV; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV; Baseball II; Auto Mechanics Club II.



### William Reinhard

"To know him is to like him."

Bill is that happy-go-lucky boy with a big friendly smile for everyone. At parties the clear strains of his ukulele bring everyone to life. He is an ardent school sports fan, and is an active member of Clio and the Musical Appreciation Club. Bill plans to enter college in the fall to study Civil Engineering.

A Cappella Choir IV; Student Congress IV; Track III; Yearbook Staff IV; Sports Club II; Music Appreciation Club; Treasurer III, (Chairman) IV; Auto Mechanics II.



### William Revere

"A boy on whom you may depend,  
One who makes a loyal friend."

Tall, blond, and good natured are all words that describe Bill. A member of the football, basketball, and track squads, he also has other interests which include roller skating, ice skating, baseball, and his record collection. Of course, you can't mention Woody without thinking of the famous "Flea-88," his favorite blue '48 Plymouth. Bill's future plans include college where his good record will continue. Varsity Basketball III, IV; Junior Varsity II; Varsity Football III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Student Congress II; Ways and Means Committee of the Yearbook IV; Junior Prom Committee (Refreshments) III; Boys' Glee Club II, III, IV; Auto Mechanics Club II.







### Audrey Paulik

"Honey of hair  
Light of heart."

St. Cloud lost and Pleasantdale gained when Audrey moved during her senior year. Audrey, with a smile for everyone and a frown for no one, is the kind of friend one likes to have. She can usually be found every morning both delivering library notices and catching up on the latest doings of her friends. An ambitious, hard-working girl, Audrey hopes to work in the Telephone Company after graduation.

Swimming II; Sub-Captain of Gym Class II; Library Council IV; F.H.A. Club IV; Music Appreciation Club III; Modern Dance Club III; Halloween Dance (Refreshment Committee) IV.



### Anna Pellegrino

"A bit of rascality makes a bubbling personality."

A smiling face, a pleasant personality, a willing friend—what more could one ask? Anna certainly lives up to these qualities as she is always there with a willing and friendly hand. Her main interests include basketball, volley ball, and Mr. Guest's history class. Anna can usually be seen singing in homeroom with her pals, or riding around town in her father's truck.

Captain II, III; Secretary II, IV; Music Appreciation II, III.



### Joan Pedley

"Her sunny locks crown her face  
Like the golden fleece."

Joan is one of our high-stepping twirlers. When she is not dashing off to twirling practice, you can see her talking in the halls with one of her many friends, or, by chance, laughing with a group of girls. With her attractive strawberry-blond hair and her friendly personality, Joan is sure to make a success in the field of merchandising.

Captain of Gym Class II; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; Student Congress (Alternate) III; Official Twirler III, IV; Hostess III, IV; Modern Dancing II, III, IV; Curtis Campaign III, IV.



### Bernice Petty

"She smiled and the shadows departed."

Always a smile and a cheerie "Hi," that's our Bernice. Those big hazel eyes reveal a sincere, warm-hearted girl, who is always willing to participate in school activities. When she has any leisure time, she usually spends it swimming. With all of her amiable traits, she is sure to make an efficient secretary after graduation.

Swimming IV; Camera Club II; Music Appreciation Club III; Refreshment Committee Halloween Dance IV; Business Practice Club IV.



### Mary Jane Phillipson

"Her heart has room for every boy."

Janie is a real pal and true worker of WOHS. She can usually be seen flitting around the halls or whizzing by in her "little ol' jet." As the latest football hero or basketball star can tell you, Janie possesses a gift of gab and the ability to make friends quickly. Her most secret ambition is to follow in her sister's footsteps by taking a trip to Europe.

Baseball II; Basketball II; Capt. Gym Class III, Sub-Capt. II; Girls' Glee Club II; Clio IV; Student Congress Alternate II, IV; Art Committee IV; Subscription Campaign II, III, IV; Yearbook Staff, (Subscriptions IV, Snapshots IV; Roundup Rep. IV; Prom Comm. III, IV; Art Club II, III; Leathercraft Club III, IV; Writing Comm. for School Prod. IV; Homeroom Treas. III, IV; Hostess IV.



### Carmella Princiotta

"A good heart is worth a pot of gold."

Carmela is the lucky possessor of a sweet smile and pleasing personality. Her skill with needle and thread has often added attractive articles to her wardrobe. Carmela is not completely interested in the domestic part of life, for she also enjoys many types of athletics. Although she has no definite plans after graduation, her present part time work experience will be of value to her.

Sub-Captain of gym class III; Modern Music Appreciation Club II, (Secretary) III; Modern Dance II, III; Nursing Club IV; Advanced Typing IV.



### Jean Pollitt

"She speaks, behaves, and acts as she should."

A quiet girl with a personality to match her attractiveness, Jean spends most of her study periods working diligently as a student secretary. Among her many interests are reading, knitting, and the weekends spent at Closter. Jean's present ambition for the future is to attend the Washington School for Secretaries. We are sure her neatness and dependability will insure her a successful life.

Twirling II, III; Yearbook Staff (Personalities) IV; Student Secretaries Club IV; Music Appreciation Club III; Needlecraft Club III; Hostess III; Office Messenger III.



### Kathleen Raftery

"What mischief hides behind those sober eyes?"

Whenever you see Kay, just look a little further and you will probably see Antoinette, her close companion and best friend. A hard working student, Kay plans to apply the knowledge she has gained in her commercial course toward a business career. A gentle disposition and quiet nature, such as Kay possesses, will aid her in this chosen field.

Artyping Club II, III; Leathercraft Club IV.





### William Rich

"A little nonsense now and then,  
Is relished by the best of men."

Bill is one of those seniors who's always dreaming up some mischief. A popular guy with his friends, Bill is willing to help them out and to do it with a smile. His main interests are hunting and fishing and he also enjoys sports, mainly golf. As for the future, Bill would like to attend college. Clio IV; International Relations IV; Golf III; Yearbook Staff IV; Auto Mechanics Club III; Hunting and Fishing Club III.



### Karl Riffel

"A good egg—sunny side up."

A small blond with a sunny disposition, Karl is quiet, yet friendly. His keen sense of humor bring merriment into the scene of which Karl is a part. A "good kid" in the true sense of the word, Riffel makes many friends with his spontaneous laugh. He intends to join the service when he graduates. Leathercraft IV.



### Anthony Ronde

"Don't cry little boy, don't cry;  
you'll be graduated by and by."

Ronde has a ready smile for one and all and also a ready eye out for mischief. "Brother," as he is called, came to us from Orange High in his junior year, and has proved his ability to make friends rapidly. He usually is seen with Dave and Jack. Confidentially, we happen to know Ronde has a secret weakness for the girls. Sub-Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Sports Club III, IV; Music Appreciation Club III, (Co-Chairman) IV; Co-Chairman of Junior Red Cross.



### Robert Rospond

"And away we go!"

That fire-engine red Packard is the proud possession of Bob. Besides the "chariot," he divides his time between snapping pictures for the "Roundup," Glee Club, Choir, and the piano. As preparation for a law career, Bob is an ardent member of International Relations Club, and a chief debater of his history class. After graduation, Bob plans to attend college at Yale and Harvard Law School. French Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, IV; Philo III, IV (Program Chairman IV); International Relations Club IV; Tennis II, III, IV; "Roundup" Staff III, IV (Photographer IV); Boys' Glee Club II, III, IV; Camera Club; Scoreboard II; Quill and Scroll III, IV; Student Prod. IV; "Roundup" Concession Stand III, IV; Subscription Campaign II, III, IV.





### James Russell

"I can do no better than relax."

Jimmy, that blond-headed guy with a smile for everyone is well-known for his friendliness. He can always be depended upon to join any form of fun. Outside of sports, Jim's main interest is his black '46 Ford with those sharp white wall tires. It is his proudest possession and he can usually be seen cruising around in it.

Orchestra (Manager) III; International Relations Club III; Golf IV; Track IV; Sports Club IV; Visual Club III-IV.



### Leonard Russo

"I'm sober but not serious;  
Quiet but not idle."

Sincere, hard-working, quiet, and fun-loving all are adjectives that describe Len. Although he has an after-school job, Len works hard in school and can be seen cruising around in his father's Pontiac in his spare time. Len's plans for the future are not definite now, but he will probably enter the business world after graduation.

Assembly Council II; International Relations IV; Arttyping II; Music Appreciation Club II, III; Chess Club III, IV.



### John Salin

"I love life, and I want to live."

This energetic senior with the very noticeable haircut can always be relied upon to create a small riot at any informal gathering. Johnny can usually be found in "Sherry's" with the boys—that is when he isn't with Regina. His terrific personality and ability to get along with everyone has made him one of the most popular boys at WOHS. John plans to become a draftsman after graduation.

Varsity Football III, IV; Junior Varsity Football II; Track II, III, IV; Sports Club III, IV.



### Owen Sear

"People who make no noise are dangerous—I'm harmless."

Owen, a versatile fellow, is always eager to lend a hand in any kind of fun, but on the other side, is serious about his school work. He also enjoys participating in different kinds of sports outside of school. Owen's present ambition is to go into medicine. He hopes to study at Cornell University.

Philo III, IV; International Relations III, IV.





**Barbara Redford**

"She is gentle and doeth gentle deeds."

This peppy little blonde is often seen talking about the happenings at the past Young People's meeting or party with her good friends Gwen and Elsie. Barb likes to sew whenever she can take time out of a busy schedule, and she also likes to dance. After graduation Barb would like to become a secretary for some lucky business man.

Baseball II; Swimming II; Ping-Pong II; Captain of Gym Class III; Sub-Captain II; Camera Club II; Advance Typing III; Modern Dance III; Business Practice Club IV; Senior Production Staff IV.



**Theresa Rega**

"Her wit is as swift as her speech."

If there's a commotion in the halls you can be sure Terry is around. She has a real sense of humor and a truly genial spirit. Her favorite pastime is "talking in her sleep" in Mr. Thomas' class. After school she can be seen cruising in her car with some member of the J.G.C.'s. Upon graduation, Terry hopes to attend secretarial school.

Captain of Gym Class IV; Cafeteria Squad IV; F.H.A. Club II, III; Music Appreciation Club (President) III; Business Practice IV.



**Margaret Rimbach**

"Good nature is worth more than knowledge."

Although Margaret appears to be one of the quieter members of the senior class, she is full of fun when she is with her friends Phyllis and Audrey. An ardent football fan, Margaret can always be counted on to help cheer the Cowboys on to victory. After graduation she plans to work for the Bell Telephone Company.

Arttyping Club II; Music Appreciation Club II, IV; Leathercraft Club IV; Modern Dance Club II, III.



**Beverly Roberts**

"Her grace and charm will follow"

Through in all she undertakes."

Bev's ambitious nature has led to leadership in many worthwhile fields. She has held the respected office of editor of our school paper, "The Roundup," and was appointed a chairman of a creative writing committee of the school production. Attractive, Bev spends a lot of her spare time in New York, modeling furs and jewelry for the Barbizon Modeling Agency.

Baseball II; Archery III; Ping-Pong IV; Twirling II; Sub-Capt. Gym Class II, III; French Club II, III, IV; Girls' Glee Club, II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Philo III, IV; School Prod. Comm. IV; Personality Comm. of Yearbook IV; "Roundup" IV; Business Staff II; Junior Prom Comm. (Chairman Music Comm.); Modern Dance Club II; Quill and Scroll III, IV; Curtis Campaign II, III, IV; Girls' Quartet III, IV; Junior Honor Guard III.





### Marjorie Rowland

"A girl who is pleasant, a girl who is gay,  
A girl who is happy the livelong day."

Marge is one of our more ambitious seniors. Though always gay, she certainly can be serious when it comes to school work, as she is an honor student. Her talents don't stop there. She is an active member of choir, bank, orchestra, and Philo, just to mention a few. With her ability and wonderful personality, Marge is sure to do well in anything she undertakes.

Swimming II, III, IV; Ping-Pong II; Twirling II, III; Spanish Club IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Philo III, IV; Orchestra II, III, IV; Co-chairman of the Ways and Means Committee for the Yearbook IV; "Roundup" Representative IV; Band II, III, IV; Marching Band II, IV; Junior Honor Guard III; Bowling III, IV; Brass Sextet IV.



### Elizabeth Samenfeld

"To be merry best becomes me."

Betty, a fun loving senior, has won many friends at WOHS because of her happy-go-lucky manner. She is also known for her athletic ability and has contributed much to her gym team. After 2:50 she can usually be found discussing the latest news with the J.G.O.'s. Betty hopes to attend secretarial school after she has received that diploma.

Basketball II, III; Swimming II, III; Captain of Gym Class II, III; Sub-Capt. of Gym Class II, III, IV; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; Student Secretaries Club IV.



### Eleanor Scharff

"She loved to laugh and so she lent  
To other lives her merriment."

Eleanor is liked by all and is usually seen with Joan. Her big blue eyes, charming smile, and attractive personality please everyone who knows her. Eleanor also possesses a lovely voice, a fact which makes her a welcome addition to the choir. Outside of school she actively participates in her Young People's group. She is a member of the Clerical Practice class and will make some executive a good secretary. Girls' Athletics II, III; Captain of Gym Class II, III; Sub-Captain IV; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Library Council IV; Student Congress III, IV, (Alternate) II; Yearbook (Personalities) IV; Junior Prom (Decorations Committee) III; Dramatic Club II; Modern Dance Club III; Program Girl IV.



### Cornelia Schlotter

"She with exactness performs every task."

If ever you happen to hear anybody discussing his favorite baseball team, you are sure to find Corny putting in a good word for the Phillies. Also an ardent supporter of the West Orange Cowboys, she attends all the games to help cheer the team on to victory. On Saturday mornings she can be found working at Orange Memorial Hospital. Corny plans to attend college to become a doctor.

Girls' Sports II, III, IV; Sub-Captain of Gym Class III; Chio IV; Subscription Campaign III, IV; Oper Club III, IV; Metalcraft Club II.





### Raymond Sears

"None but himself could be his parallel."

Ray is a member of the WOHS orchestra, marching band, choir, and glee club; good indications of his musical interests. When Ray is not marching down the field, or playing his "licorice stick," you might see him selling bookcovers and sweatshirts, or thinking up some other way to make money for the "Roundup" in his post as Business Manager. Ray plans to attend college as preparation for engineering. French Club II, III, (President) IV; A Cappella Choir II, IV; Philo III, IV; International Relations IV "Roundup" Staff III, (Co-Business Manager) IV; Concert Band II, III, IV; Marching Band; Quill and Scroll III, (Treasurer) IV; School Production IV; Code Club III.



### Douglas Sheft

"A gentleman who loves to hear himself talk."

A pleasing smile and a "hello" to everyone is Doug's trademark. A few of his many school activities include the "Roundup" and president of Philo. He also was a hard worker at the concession stand during the football season. Doug plans to enter Cornell next fall and is already practicing the words to its Alma Mater.

French Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II; Philo III, IV (President) IV; Student Congress (Alternate) IV; International Relations Club IV; Tennis II, IV; "Roundup" Staff III, (Exchange Editor) IV; Boys' Glee Club II, IV; Camera Club IV; Auto Mechanics Club II; Junior Class Council III; Quill and Scroll IV; Student Production IV; "Roundup" Stand III, IV.



### Robert Shuba

"His athletic manhood by kindly ways was tempered."

Bob, a member of both the varsity football and baseball teams, can usually be found with Bill. This athlete's interests also include sports, singing, and playing the ukulele. He is known for his witty remarks which, when coupled with his musical ability, make him an asset to any group. Bob's great ambition is to attend West Point.

Varsity Football III, IV; Junior Varsity Football II; Student Congress II, III; Varsity Baseball II, III, IV; Yearbook Staff IV; Prom Committees III; Boys' Chorus II, III, IV; Football Club II, III, IV; Baseball Club II, III, IV.



### Robert Simokat

"Reading maketh a wise man."

Bob is both a versatile and popular senior. His favorite pastime is sports in any form, but he enjoys arguing with anyone willing to oppose him. He is one of those ardent Dodger fans, always eager to wager that Brooklyn will win the latest game. Even though much of Bob's time is taken up by sports, he has been able to maintain a good scholastic record. Bob plans to attend college after graduation.

Varsity Basketball III, IV; Junior Varsity II; Captain of Gym Class II, IV; Baseball (Junior Varsity) III, (Varsity) IV; Yearbook Staff (Co-Editor of Sports) IV; Sports Club II; Surveying Club IV; Basketball Club III, IV.



P. Carlsberg



### Raymond Smith

"It is no sin to be small;  
It's just an inconvenience."

Ray, one of our working boys, can usually be seen after school at Stark's Store at Tory Corners. His favorite pastimes are bowling and girls. The foremost in his mind seems to be well expressed by his mischievous smile. Ray has won many friends among his classmates because of his fun-loving manner. After graduation he hopes to attend college. Sub-Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Art Club II; Sports Club III; Chatter Club III.



### Ward Smith

"The strength of twenty men,  
The idleness of forty."

Ward is one of the "gang" who meet outside the office during first lunch period to discuss those "heavy" problems of the day. In school one can find him sprawled at some desk reading a book. After school you can probably see him riding around in his green Plymouth. No doubt his literary ability will lead him into a distinguished career. International Relations III, IV; Sports Club II, III, IV.



### Jay Snyder

"Life is what you make it."

Jay's sense of humor and enjoyment of life make him a good companion. He can usually be seen having a good time with his best friend, Noel. Jay has proved that he is a versatile fellow by doing a good job as an active member of the Visual Aids Club, Treasurer of the International Relations Club, and Business Manager of the football team. Jay's ambition is to become an accountant after attending Upsala or Miami College. International Relations Club IV; Track II; Yearbook Staff IV; Sports Club II; Visual Aids Club II, III.



### Herbert Speer

"A jolly good fellow with friends galore."

Herb, who is well-known throughout the school, always has a pleasant smile for all. Perhaps you have seen him happily at work behind the counter of his parents' candy store, Dot and Herb's. Though two of his main interests are hunting and fishing, his top interest is in Christian work. Treasurer of Hi-B. A., Herbie hopes to continue his Christian work and fellowship by going to Bethel College. Junior Varsity Football II; A Cappella Choir II; International Relations IV; Boys' Chorus II; Opera Club (President) II, (Vice-President) III.





### Mary Schnekenburger

"Squareness, depth, and sincerity,  
Lightened by a sense of humor."

The tiny dark-haired pixie touring through our halls while casting furtive glances at the male population, is none other than our own sweet Mary, whose gay laugh and sparkling brown eyes are known to all of us. Even though she works after school, Mary can always find time to do someone a favor. Her future plans include a business career.

Captain of Gym Class III; Yearbook (Subscription Committee) IV; Art Club II, III; Modern Dance II, III; Business Practice Club IV; Glee Club II, III.



### Joan Sherman

"This lass so neat with smiles,  
So sweet has won our right good will."

Joan is one of our pert and popular seniors. Of her numerous activities she is best known for her cheerleading prowess which she has shown for two years. Joanie can be found after school engaged in such activities as art work and the Yearbook. She hopes to become a fashion co-ordinator and to put some of her artistic talent to work.

Assembly Council III; Ping-Pong II; Official Cheerleader III, IV; Sub-Captain of Gym Class II, III; Yearbook (Advertising, and Ways and Means) IV; Junior Prom Art Committee III; Art Club III, IV; Leathercraft Club III; Red Cross III, IV; Student Congress Art Committee; and Modern Dance Club II.



### Colet Dey Siegars

"Eyes of blue,  
Shining through"

Colet's good nature has won her many friends all through her school years. Besides being fond of roller skating, she has a great love for horses. Colet is also a member of both the band and orchestra, and during football season could be seen practicing with the band on the field. After graduation she would like to raise horses.

Girls' Athletics II, III; Orchestra II, III, IV; Band II, III, IV; Marching Band III, IV; String Quartet II, IV.



### Marilyn Siegel

"She's full of wit and fun,  
Tops in the hearts of everyone."

Marilyn Siegel is the senior with the Ipana smile. This cute, vivacious girl is usually blushing or laughing at some mischief. Some other pastimes are talking and chewing gum. A happy-go-lucky girl, Marilyn is truly a favorite among her classmates. Marilyn's future plans consist of going to a junior college and taking a course in merchandising.

Twirling II, III; Spanish Club II, III; Subscription Campaign (Captain); Yearbook Staff (Advertising and Subscription Committees); Art Club III.







### Janet Simmons

"Flowering tresses, a merry heart,  
and winning ways."

Janet, with her lively laugh and love for a good time, has made for herself many friends both in and out of school. One of her favorite pastimes is dancing. In addition to dancing, Janet enjoys talking excitedly about the events of the past weekend. Her plans for the future are uncertain, but with her pleasant disposition, the future should be bright for her.

Girls' Glee Club IV.



### Dorothy Smith

"A sunny disposition is hers."

Dottie is another of our shorter misses. However, her small size is no indication of the amount of pep she has, for she has enough to enliven any group. She is also quite handy with the needles, which is evidenced by the socks she is always knitting in study hall. At the moment her plans for the future are indefinite.

Camera Club IV.



### Mildred Smith

"Her hair is not more sunny than her heart."

Millie is one of our prettiest seniors. With her blonde hair and blue eyes she really looks attractive driving around town in that gray Dodge. You can find her playing that sweet trumpet in Band and Orchestra or harmonizing with the "Four Roses" quartet. Millie's plans for the future are indefinite right now, but with her pleasant manner, she will be a success in any future career.

Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Captain of Gym Class II, III, Sub-Captain IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Orchestra II, III, IV; Subscription Campaign II; Yearbook (Personalities Committee Subscription Committee IV; Marching Band II, III, IV; Girls' Quartet III, IV; Concert Band II, III, IV.



### Caroljean Somers

"Flaming youth 'specially her hair!"

That flaming redhead seen at WOTAC on Saturday nights is none other than Caroljean. This active gal can also be seen playing a sweet trumpet in the school band and orchestra, or singing in the choir. Not only is she interested in music, but she also enjoys most any kind of athletics. Caroljean plans to attend the University of Miami where she will continue to improve her many talents. Assembly Council II, III, IV; Cheerleading II, III; Choir II, III, IV; Library Council II, III, IV; Orchestra II, III, IV; School Prod. IV (business); Student Congress, (Art Comm.) II, III, IV; (Calendar Comm.) IV; Yearbook Staff, (Adv. Co-Ed.) IV, Art II, IV; Personalities, IV; Subscriptions IV; Prom Comm. (Decorations) II, III, IV; Concert Band, II, III, IV; Marching Band, II, III, IV; WOTAC, II, III, (Vice Pres.) IV; Community Service League II, IV; Brass Sextet, III, IV.



### George Stamas

"Quiet but of much ability  
Behold the active youth."

George is one of the quieter boys here at WOHS. His great love for sports makes him well liked by all who have any sports interest. A great fan of the New York Rangers, George also follows baseball, basketball, and football events closely. Although he is uncertain about his plans for the future, George would like to further his education by attending night school.

Sports Club II, IV; Mechanics Club II, III, IV.



### Kenneth Stausland

"He doth indeed show sparks  
That are at times like wit."

Ken is known to his friends as being rather quiet and retiring most of the time, but he's a boy with a ready smile and a sunny disposition. Affectionately known as "Swede" to his friends, he is interested in all sports, especially basketball, and is an important asset to his church team. After graduation, Ken plans to study agriculture and have a tree nursery of his own.

International Relations Club IV.



### John Stellenwerf

"Sincere, energetic, capable, and well liked;  
What more do you want?"

John's handsome and friendly demeanor are just two reasons for his success in high school. John, who is vice-president of Hi-BA, is well deserving of the group of friends he claims. He has taken an interest in many school activities as well as golf. After graduation John plans to attend an agricultural college and hopes to own a farm of his own some day.

Golf II, III, IV; Yearbook (Advertising and Personality) IV; Sports Club II; Auto Mechanics Club III, IV; Surveying Club III, IV.

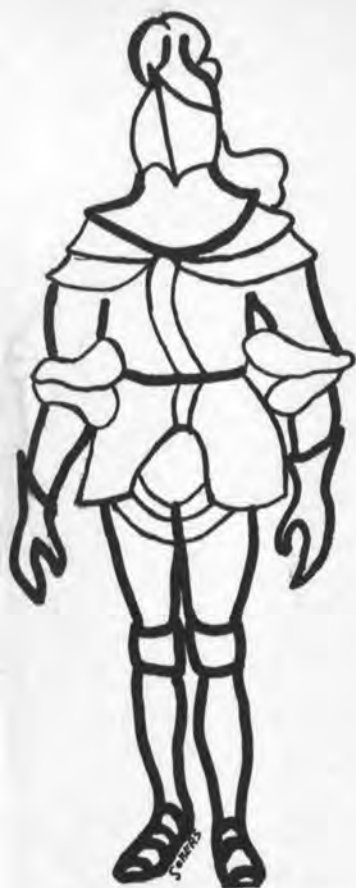


### Michael Stephens

"The soul of this man is in his clothes."

Mike's quiet exterior certainly camouflages his excellent ability as an athlete. He has been a member of the varsity baseball, basketball and football teams, yet his manner has remained unassuming contrary to various other athletes. Mike hasn't allowed sport to completely fill the bill, for he has succeeded in making a good school record for himself. His plans for the future are college and undoubtedly a successful career.

Varsity Basketball III, IV; Junior Varsity Baseball II, III; Varsity Football IV; Junior Varsity Football III; Varsity Baseball III, IV; Yearbook (Sports Editor) IV; Sports Club II; Hi-Y IV; Chess III.



### Robert Stevenson

"If I had the wings of an angel,  
Over these prison walls I'd have flown."

Bob, who is better known by his nickname, "Steve," is one of our good looking blonds, and friendly seniors. He is often seen with Bunny, with whom he took a trip to Florida last summer. Steve is an active member of the band and orchestra. As for his future plans, "only time will tell."

Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Orchestra II, III, IV; Track II, IV; Yearbook (Ways and Means) IV; Band II, III, IV; Choir II; WOTAC Committee.

### George Stilwell

"His personality is worth achieving."

George's participation in school sports has gained him a reputation as one of our finest athletes. He has been a member of the football and track team every year and is an active member in the Sports Club. George is also noted for his dancing ability. He plans to enter college after graduation. Junior Varsity Football II, III; Varsity Football IV; Track II, III, IV; Sports Club II, III, IV; Yearbook (Art and Sport Committees) IV.



### Alasdair Swanson

"A steady guy with a steady mind;  
A better guy is hard to find."

Al, better known as "Swany," is one of the best athletes in our senior class. He participates in football, basketball, baseball, and tennis. Although he is active in so many different sports, he has been successful in maintaining a good school record. His pleasant disposition and winning personality have made him many friends. After high school Swany plans to attend college.

Varsity Basketball III, IV; Junior Varsity II; Varsity Football IV; Tennis III, IV; Yearbook (Co-Subscription Editor) IV; Camera Club II.



### Ronald Thatcher

"Music, maestro, please!"

His white bucks dazzling the audience, he leans back with the confidence of a born troupier and magically bewitches listeners with his golden trombone. "Ronbone's" trombone pilots us in the general direction of paradise. Ronnie, a pilot himself, does some real flying for the Civil Air Patrol. To top off his likability, he has one of the most valuable possessions in our world today: a sense of humor.

A Cappella Choir II; Orchestra II, III, (Section Leader IV; All-State Orchestra IV.







### Joanne Spenzos

"Dark eyes and hair

A bright heart is hidden there."

It was a lucky day in West Orange High School when Joanne came to us in her sophomore year from Orange. She lost no time in winning the friendship of everybody. It is that special smile that makes her good humor and cheerful manners contagious. Her interests vary from reading to playing the piano. She will do well in teachers' college which she plans to attend after graduation.

Spanish Club III, IV; Student Congress (Alternate) III; Subscription Campaign (Captain) II; International Relations III; Yearbook Literary, Personalities, Art IV; Junior Prom Committee III (Art); Art Club II; Camera Club IV; Dramatic Club II; Junior Red Cross IV; Creative Writing IV; Leathercraft III.

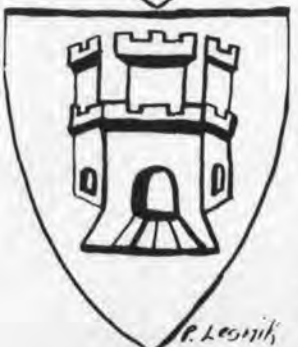


### Louise Spina

"The light hearted among us  
can cause no pain."

Lou is well known for her winning smile and her willingness to help others. Louise is always with old friends or making new ones. Her consideration for others is only one of the many qualities which, with her good looks, have contributed to her school popularity. Her plans for the future include nursing school, preferably East Orange General.

Ping Pong II, III; Swimming II; Captain of Gym Class II, III; Sub-Captain II, III; Spanish Club II; Library Council IV; Student Congress II; Yearbook (Personality Committee) IV; "Roundup" Representative III; Chemistry, Nursing Club (Chairman) IV; Leathercraft Club IV.



### Sandra Starke

"Youth is full of sport."

Do you hear those golden tones coming from the auditorium? Most likely it is Sandra practicing one of her difficult orchestral pieces on the flute. Besides music, sports, driving, and swimming, she enjoys many other activities which the Y.W.C.A. offers. She hopes to enter nurse's training in a Newark Hospital after graduation.

Baseball II, III, IV; Basketball II, III, IV; Ping-Pong III, IV; Swimming II; Sub-Captain of Gym Class II; Orchestra II, III, IV; Band II, III, IV; Marching Band II, III, IV.



### Sandra Steigler

"Pert, pretty, and popular."

Sandy is a lass with many and varied interests. She enjoys music, particularly playing the piano. Her activities also extend to artwork, which she excels in. This attractive senior is known by many for her cute "poodle cut." Always surrounded by friends, Sandy's wonderful personality and ambition are sure to help her succeed in anything she undertakes.

Gym Class (Captain) III; Spanish Club IV; Girls' Glee Club IV; International Relations III; Yearbook Staff IV; Art Club III, IV; Music Appreciation Club II; Modern Dance II.



### Sandra Stone

"The force of her merit makes her way."

Sandy, who is noted for her lovely clothes and pleasant personality is usually seen with Joan. She plays golf quite well, but does not neglect her school work to be on the course. Her ambition is to get an "A" in chemistry. Sandy plans to have a career in the interesting field of Dental Hygiene. Ping-Pong II, III; Baseball III; Captain of Gym Class II, III; Girls' Glee Club II; Senior Dramatics IV; Student Congress II; Subscription Campaign IV; International Relations (President) IV; Prom Committee II; Dramatic Club III; Chatter Club (Vice-President) III; Chemistry Nursing IV; Curtis Campaign III, IV.



### Annette Tarantino

"Loveliness needs not the foreign aid of ornament."

Annette is one of those versatile girls with "personality plus." She can usually be seen chatting with her "gang" about that "certain someone." Annette's activities included after-school sports, and a countless number of clubs of the school. With her cheerful attitude toward all, Annette will surely succeed in her plans to be a laboratory technician.

Swimming II; Basketball II; Ping-Pong II; Gym Class (Captain) III, IV; Yearbook (Personalities) IV; Metalcraft II; Leathercraft III, IV; Chatter Club III; Chemistry Nursing IV.



### Joan Taworsky

"Rapt in lively talk."

If you should see a green Olds zooming up the driveway in the morning, it's sure to be Joan. Her car is one of her main interests but she also likes Business Practice. No end of talk is heard about Jimmy, another of her interests. After graduation Joan plans not only to be a receptionist, but also a Mrs.

Basketball II; Swimming II; Twirling III; Captain of Gym Class IV; Sub-Captain of Gym Class III, Girls' Glee Club II; F.H.A. II; Student Secretaries IV; Business Practice IV, Chatter Club III.

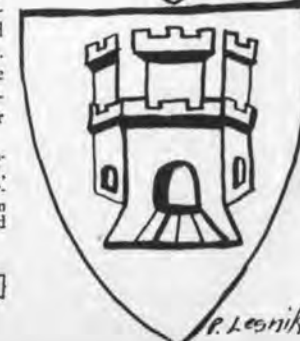


### Carol Thompson

"Cheerfulness is an offshoot of goodness and wisdom."

Carol is well known among her classmates for her friendly manner and pleasing personality. Wherever you hear laughter, there you are apt to find Carol, blushing in the middle of a group of friends. Besides being able to enjoy school so much, she also has been able to maintain a very high scholastic record. Carol plans to attend college after graduation to study nursing.

Baseball II, III; Basketball II; Cheerleading II; Sub-Captain of Gym Class II, III; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; Student Congress (Art Committee) IV; Yearbook (Subscription Committee) IV; Junior Prom Committee III; Program Girl III, IV; Honor Guard III.





### Thelma Thompson

"An athlete, a worker, and a girl noted for good sportsmanship."

Thelma, one of our most energetic seniors, has enjoyed camping in the Adirondack Mountains for the past six summers at Eagle Island Girl Scout Camp. Being very athletic, she has enjoyed participating in all types of sports both in and out of school. After graduation Thelma hopes to attend the college of her choice to become a physical education teacher.

Baseball II, III; Basketball II, III, IV; Swimming II, III, IV; Ping Pong II, III, IV; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; Yearbook (Ways and Means) IV; Modern Dance Club III, IV.

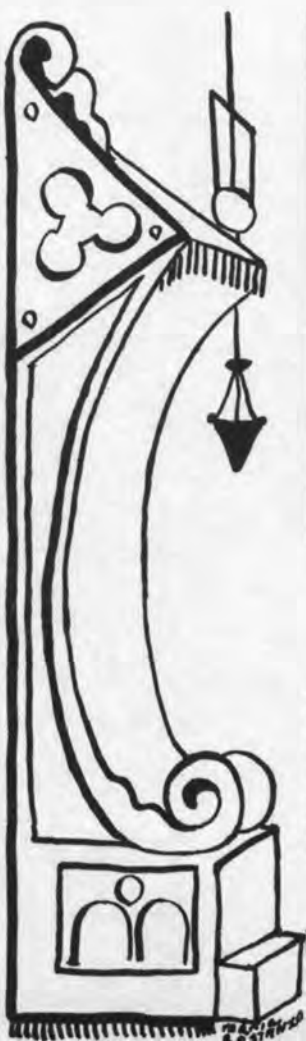


### Phyllis Valentino

"Dark of hair, but not of heart."

With a little giggle here, and a little giggle there—that's our Phyll. Phyll, who is known for her beautiful, long, dark hair can usually be found with her two best friends Mari, and Audrey. Her friendliness and pleasant ways are sure to aid Phyll in her chosen career, that of a law secretary.

Swimming II; Sub-Captain of Gym Class IV; Camera Club II; Needlecraft II, III, IV.



### Cornelia Vanderwolk

"She's little but she's wise;  
She's a terror for her size."

Corrie is another of the shorter misses seen around town. This is no indication of the energy and pep she has until she gets in with Harriet, Marie, and the rest of the girls. Corrie's many interests range from dancing to Kenny. At present Corrie is working in the Orange Valley Bank and expects to continue there after graduation.

Girls' Athletic II, III; Captain II; Sub-Captain III; Girls' Glee Club II; Student Secretaries' Club III; Music Appreciation Club II.



### Eleanor Vanner

"Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

Eleanor is one of our quieter seniors with a pleasant, easy-going personality. She has an ever-ready, infectious smile which is one of her top qualities. El can usually be found with her best friend Lillian. Nursing, which seems to fit El to a "T," is included in her after-graduation plans. Ping Pong II; "Roundup" Representative II, III, IV; Music Appreciation (Modern) II, (Classical) II.





### Phyllis Ward

"Neat and refined in appearance and mind."

Phyll, one of our peppy cheerleaders, spends a good deal of her time practicing her swimming at the "Y;" but she still finds plenty of time for Dick. She's noted for her attractive clothes and yellow convertible in which she's usually seen driving around town. Phyll hopes to attend college and to become a swimming coach. Assembly Council III; Girls' Athletics II, III, IV; Official Cheerleader IV; Captain of Gym Class II, III; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir IV; Clio III, IV; Student Congress III, IV; "Roundup" Staff III, IV; Cafeteria Squad IV; Prom Committee III; Quill and Scroll IV.



### Norma Williams

"Quiet and dignified,  
And a person to be trusted."

Although Norma appears to be a quiet member of the senior class, she is full of merriment and fun with her close friends. As a member of Hi-BA and her Young People's group, Norma is kept busy with outside activities. Her plans for the future are as yet indefinite but no doubt she will never worry with her future in His hands. Baseball II, III; Basketball II; Ping Pong II; Student Congress II, III; Subscription Campaign II, III, IV; International Relations Club III; Yearbook Staff IV; "Roundup" Concession Stand II, III, IV; Arttyping Club III; Chemistry Nursing Club IV.



### Jacquie Williford

"There are many who never wore a crown,  
but are royal within."

Genial and likeable, Jacquie is president of the Hi-BA Club. To her many friends Jacquie is always a welcome sight because of her cheerful friendly manner. The happiness Jacquie finds in serving her Lord is the secret to her radiant personality and it is certain, that with such faith in the Lord as Jacquie has, she will surely do well in any field she chooses.

Baseball II, III; Swimming IV; Ping Pong II; Captain of Gym Class II, III; Sub-Captain of Gym Class IV; Spanish IV; Girls' Glee Club III, IV; Yearbook (Personality) IV; "Roundup" III, IV, (Concession Stand) IV; Quill and Scroll IV.



### Nan Young

"I have three aims in life  
To live, to laugh and to love."

Who is that pretty brunette driving around in that chartreuse Ford? You guessed right, it's Nan Young! Nan is one of our best twirlers and has been on the squad for two years. Her musical side is shown by her singing with the "Four Roses" quartet and the choir. The "Round-up" also takes a lot of her time. Nan's future looks very bright with college as a shining star.

Assembly Council III; Official Twirler III, IV; Gym Class Captain III; French Club IV; Girls' Glee Club II, III, IV; A Cappella Choir II, III, IV; Clio III, IV, Treasurer IV; All State Choir IV; Student Congress II, III, IV; Subscription Campaign (captain) II; Yearbook Staff; Roundup Staff II, III, IV; Cafeteria IV; Prom Committees III; Quill and Scroll III, IV; Junior Red Cross II, III, IV.





### Andrew Tirpak

"His joy of life is hard to kill."

Andy is one of our most versatile seniors. Not only is he "at home" when in Auto Mechanics but also he has just as much ability in the kitchen for during his senior year he took cooking. After receiving his diploma in June, Andy plans to join the Navy. It's certain that he will make a capable as well as handsome guy in his blue uniform. Sports Club II; Auto Mechanics Club II, III.



### Angelo Turturro

"Oft he burned the midnight oil,  
But not for studying."

Angelo is strictly the outdoor type, for he enjoys hunting and fishing. Fooling around with motorcycle motors also holds a certain fascination for him. During his "stay" at WOHS he has been the proud owner of quite a few jalopies which were familiar landmarks in the parking lot. In the future Angelo hopes to join the Marines. He's one fellow we're all sure will meet their stiff requirements.

Captain of Gym Class III, IV; Sports Club IV; Visual Aids Club III; Leather Craft IV



### William Webb

"Much studying is a weariness of the flesh."

"Buddy," as he is called, is seldom seen without his inseparable pal, Andy. Nevertheless, this tall friendly senior seems to know everyone else in the school very well. Buddy works after school in the Acme, and spends his leisure hours at the "Y" practicing with the swimming team. Besides swimming, his interests include basketball and driving his Packard convertible.

International Relations Club IV; Swimming IV; Auto Mechanics Club II, III; Leathercraft Club IV.



### Richard Weidele

"A gentleman makes no noise."

Quiet, easy going, hard working, smiling, all are adjectives that describe Richard. He is also noted for his incredible speed and agility in sports. His main interests are camping and fishing, and scouting. He shared his interest as a member of the Hunting and Fishing Club. He is also interested in music and has been an active member of the band. Sports Club II, III; Auto Mechanics II, III, IV; Chess IV.





### Gerald Werle

"A merry life, a gay spirit."

Jerry, one of our ambitious seniors, can usually be found delivering newspapers around St. Cloud. Much of the remainder of his time is taken up with trying to balance the budget for the Westminster Fellowship of St. Cloud Presbyterian Church and puttering around with his car. A welcome addition to many of our football and basketball games is Jerry, whose merry ways lend an air of fun to those around him.

Orchestra II; Surveying Club III, IV; Auto Mechanics Club III, IV; Band II; Marching Band II.



### Edwin Wolfman

"Forever foremost in the ranks of fun."

Eddie is the comedian of the senior class. He has kept us laughing a countless number of times with his ingenious imitations of Jackie Gleason, Jimmy Durante, and Jerry Lewis, to name a few. After school he works in a clothing store where he makes "mucho dinero." He is also noted for his terrific dance steps. Eddie is not yet certain about his future plans.

Varsity Basketball Manager III, IV; Captain of Gym Class; Tennis III, IV; Sports Club II, III, IV; School Production Committee IV.



### Robert Zuckerman

"Throw away sorrow, cast away cares."

From the Weequahic section to West Orange is quite a switch, but Zookie has worn the changes of scenery with characteristic ease. One of our more quiet students, he makes up for his silence with good scholastic records. Although serious, his relaxing sense of humor charms boys and girls into his circle of appreciative friends. There's no doubt that Zookie's intelligence and charm will carry him far.



# SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



The word "Crusaders" has come to signify those who undertake an enterprise with enthusiasm. In the spirit of the Crusaders we Seniors first set forth to attain knowledge and friendship. It was but a short time before many members of our class made noticeable achievements and contributions under the newly adopted school flag. Our first Crusade was brought to a close by the dance, "Deep in the Jungle."

In our junior Crusade many students were knighted in athletics, music, art, and scholastic pursuits. This second pilgrimage culminated with our "Trip to the Moon" prom.

Several new leaders arose to direct our third and final Crusade. Charles Ferrone was elected president and Robert O'Hare was elected vice-president. Guy Macauley was re-elected for another term to the treasurer's office. The scribe for this final year was Lil Canfield.

"Love of Adventure" was the theme of our Halloween Dance. At our successful Christmas Concert we sang the "Glory of God."

We know today that the Crusades of the eleventh, twelfth, and thirteenth centuries were mainly military fiascos. We know they failed to achieve their desired goal. They were successful, however, in one respect: they gave to the people a passion for travel and knowledge. Thus, we see that our Crusades of '51, '52, and '53 were similar to the Crusades of old in that one respect—we have been successful in increasing broad-mindedness and tolerance, natural outgrowths of sustained learning.

With the attainment of our immediate goal, with renewed faith and eagerness, we look to the future and hope that we may live during an enlightened period of peace.



# JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

The Class of '54 had chosen competent people to guide its affairs during the school year. This year Vinnie Minelli led the class as president. Ralph Spero, vice-president, aided Vinnie in performing his duties. Secretary Ann Calabria kept the minutes and Lee Friermuth helped the juniors to pay the bills.

In February the junior class sponsored a Valentine Dance. Music was supplied by the Revellers and refreshments were served. This event proved to be a huge success and all who attended had a very pleasant time.

The most important event of the year for the class was the Prom. The various committees under the able guidance of Mrs. Nock made sure that the Prom would be remembered for a long time to come.

During the various campaigns the Class of '54 "boarded the bandwagon" and displayed a great deal of energy. Artistic students submitted excellent posters to help send the Curtis Campaign off to a good start. Many attractive door decorations were on display during the Christmas season.

The Class of '54 has good students and varsity lettermen. The members of the class contributed efforts not only to the newspaper but also to the various school programs.

The Juniors certainly proved that they have the ability to work together. As a result, this class proved that it is capable of taking on the responsibilities and duties which it will be faced with next year as a Senior Class.



## JUNIORS



Seated: K. Hansen, E. Hill, M. Henning, E. Hardee, C. Hulighan, P. Jennings, E. Hood, G. Jones, M. Harmon, M. Heron, J. Hoffman, M. Harrington, C. Hirst, J. Hoffman, Miss Heese-man. Standing: D. Haney, S. Holzman, R. Hofheinz, S. Herman, H. Isaacs, R. Handler, J. Hecht, G. Hulighan, K. Harris, R. Heath, A. Heller, R. Hayward.

Seated: B. Miller, C. Milston, A. Moreno, B. Newhouse, G. Morahan, N. Newman, J. Pinhero, J. Peterson, C. Nolan, H. Mueller. Standing: Mr. Groendyk, W. Mills, R. Minelli, V. Minelli, D. Millman, P. Pisano, T. Oesterle, J. Molloy, R. Perkins, R. Monks, L. Morris, J. O'Malley, J. O'Connell, O. Petit-Clair, R. Petrin, J. Perrin, J. Page, A. Palmere, D. Morrison.



First row, seated: E. Chase, R. Colantuoni, T. Crawley, G. Condit, N. Cooperman, J. Christiano. Second row, seated: J. Connors, N. Christiano, A. Champi, B. Crankshaw, F. Crone. Standing: Miss Schwenk, R. Chuckerel, J. Cormier, A. Cassidy, M. Cavanaugh.



First row, seated: C. Giordano, G. Gibson, J. Gendel, S. Greene, C. Frawley, S. Ginsberg, M. Green. Second row, seated: Mr. Smock, D. Giuditta, H. Gloede, F. Gagliardi, E. Gavenas, M. Griffinger, J. Gargan, R. Grey. Third row, standing: R. Fry, S. Frieswyk, D. Gagliardi, L. Frier-muth.



First row, seated: J. Townsend, J. Walpuff, R. Wasserman, G. Wilson, D. Tonak, N. Zimnick, J. Weinberg. Second row, standing: Mrs. Richardson, R. Waller, K. Wilson, D. Winkler, G. Wanner, S. Wagner, M. Wohlgenuth, D. Witherington, A. Zaino. Third row, standing: W. Webb, R. Ver-noy, J. White, R. Weidele, R. Wallace.

Seated: M. Russo, C. Ruggiero, G. Schreiber, P. Schwartz, E. Raftery, A. Savage, S. Schofield, G. Rellah, E. Rimback, A. Rosenwasser, J. Rudolph. Standing: Mrs. Evans, R. Sabetay, J. Roh-rich, J. Sauter, H. Richards, F. Priscoe, J. Salinard, R. Progelhof, R. Russell, S. Ross, R. Pittner.





Seated: E. Mayer, A. McCaw, V. McDermott, E. Maxfield, B. Maines, C. Maxfield, M. Macaulay. Second row, standing: F. Mellin, L. Menzel, J. Mahon, Mr. Wear, T. Metzger, R. Meravi, R. Mayer, F. Merrick, K. Meier. Third row, standing: R. Mangino, M. Malkin, R. McDermott.



Seated: L. Tillmes, M. Sharf, E. Swanson, J. Theodore, P. Spina, S. Stasi, M. Smith, S. Sialiano, A. Silvestri, M. Stevenson, C. Smith, J. Solove, P. Spooner, J. Stieve. Standing: Mr. Evans, K. Stagg, F. Sullivan, R. Sherwood, J. Theall, J. Sweeney, J. Swanson, R. Stumpf, D. Snyder, R. Todd, B. Siminoff, L. Taylor, A. Taylor.



Seated: M. Finch, I. Dioszeghy, E. Foster, E. Farley, C. Evans, J. Edelhauser, L. Dodds, J. Fennell, J. Finkle, J. Fitin, A. Egidio. Standing: G. Fortune, J. Flynn, J. Ecker, Miss Quinn, P. Florio, F. Driscoll, P. Forman, F. Fogle, C. Ehrhardt, R. Fahey.

Seated: J. D'Amato, E. DeVincentis, R. DelGiudice, M. Dillon, B. Devine. Standing: Mrs. Meyer, R. Davis, A. Dalrymple, C. Digaetano, J. Dickie, E. DeCastro, R. Dally.



Front row, seated: F. Klosky, A. Loebbecke, B. Landers, D. Krapf, M. Litwa. Second row: T. Karas, J. Kocher, C. Lutsky, P. Landers, J. Lovenguth, B. Kavaleer, B. Krekel. Third row: S. Leckie, J. Kistner, K. Lombard, T. Kamprath, N. Knudsen, J. Knudtsen, L. Lovatt, Mr. Suttman.

First row: E. Aquino, P. Belott, A. Antonelli, A. Bamford, J. Allyn. Second row: G. Boyd, R. Blake, A. Buhler, E. Capen, C. Carlson, R. Caciopne, B. Bateman. Third row: G. Canham, J. Callaghan, W. Belott, G. Byrne, J. Brennan, R. Ballou. Fourth row: W. Battaglini, E. Bury, R. Browner. Standing: P. Bennett, N. Baier, J. Bull, A. Calabria, B. Brown, G. Brennan, J. Acquadro, W. Abrams, R. Acker, R. Bennett, N. Barnert.





# SOPHOMORE OFFICERS



The meek little students we met at the opening of school last September are none other than our present active sophomores. Although, in the fall, they may have been somewhat apprehensive about what was to confront them in the months to come, they have discovered a sophomore's life is not so bad after all.

This year's class chose very capable officers from the many outstanding students. Dave Trebour was a very competent and hard working president. The very able vice-president was Richard Christiansen. Always on hand with the minutes of the meetings or with any other records was the girl the sophomores elected secretary, Nancy Bartlett. Another first-rate officer was none other than treasurer Nancye Van Deusen, who always had those important money matters kept "just right."

During the various campaigns the sophomores certainly excelled in both talent and ambition. The Curtis Campaign results certainly proved this point. Not only did they win prizes in the Poster Contest but they had many high salesmen, who won for the class the distinction of having sold the most subscriptions.

The Christmas door decorations contest also gave the more artistic sophomores a chance to show off their talent and compete with the upperclassmen.

Many of the class have been active in the Student Congress and numerous other clubs of the school.

To bring the year to a successful close the "Soph Hop" was held and it proved to be a great success.

Now at the end of the year the sophomores are getting ready for their Junior year. This year has certainly been a worth-while one. It has given all those frightened sophomores self assurance and confidence. Next September these same boys and girls will enter school as confident juniors.



# SOPHOMORES

Seated L. Chambers, Miss Nussbaum, K. Burke, E. Cohen, F. Bullock, L. Ciampi, C. Columbus. Standing: P. Cataldo, R. Cohen, O. Cicalese, A. Christiano, M. Cherry, D. Campbell, T. Burns, R. Collinson, R. Christensen.



Seated: B. Simons, D. Theodore, N. Smith, J. Talerico, P. Tennaro, L. Siegmeister, M. Silakka, C. Sutton, P. Sinkler, H. Thompson, B. Thatcher, G. Skaad, M. Soulides, J. Stager, B. Timins, C. Sward, E. Thomas. Standing: G. Tennyck, B. Swanson, W. Stelger, M. Temkin, B. Stone, J. Searles, F. Scura, A. Sellitto, M. Silverstein, Miss Weissenborn.

Seated: R. Leone, P. Marzano, M. Marks, A. Levey, J. Matthew, B. Liccese, E. McLoughlin, B. McHugh, J. Lutchko, P. Marsh, C. Lawler, M. Moore, M. Magrino, N. Moody, B. Mohr. Standing: Miss Wilson, F. Lynch, J. LaStella, R. Manshel, F. McManus, D. Mettler, T. Miller, W. Michael, T. McGovern, P. Longo, J. McInerney, L. Lucas.



Seated: E. Rinaldi, R. Sayers, F. Rosenbaum, P. Saynor, G. Rhodes, S. Ryno, B. Rose, P. Portuese, M. Reinhardt, F. Rapisardi, F. Robinson. Standing: A. Rega, R. Reiter, D. Reedy, R. Sarros, C. Rose, W. Reidenbach, A. Rosenblatt, H. Ryder, D. Schiavo, J. Reid, F. Ruggiero, H. Rooney, C. Schaible, K. Rosen.



Seated: B. Friedman, M. Goldfein, B. Florio, E. Finkelstein, V. Gassler, A. Edwards, M. Freda, G. Glass, E. Perrone, E. Fauer, J. Fahey, S. Ford, M. Elphinstone, B. Freer, L. Gizzo, R. Gaudenzi. Standing: D. Fullerton, F. Farrell, F. Farace, A. Entwistle, F. Ench, C. Gallico, J. Galin, I. Gieser, T. Fresh, T. Fittin, J. Gordan, J. Fleisher, F. Filan, Mrs. Cotter.



Seated: M. Kelly, P. Kopinsky, P. Graves, J. Hester, N. Hogg, J. Landaas, J. Iatarola, S. Horowitz, J. Jankow, G. Landers, J. Guerriero, B. Hess, B. Johnston, M. Greenberg, B. Kelly, A. Guerriero. Standing: A. Larson, R. Henry, W. Koehler, L. Hoffmann, A. Kossmann, A. Hayward, M. Johnson, R. Knapp, R. Kugel, F. Green, R. Groves, R. Jones, J. Hester, B. Grabelle, R. Kendall, R. Kunz.



Standing: M. Duncan, L. Connell, M. Coote, H. Dascoli, N. Eberle, Mr. Pregar, L. Eberhardt, B. Donker, E. DeZao, J. Dalgauer, M. Dalbo, R. Deckenback, D. Comerford, M. Dankowski, J. Deurney, C. Crawley, J. Dennis, R. Cramer, M. D'Aries, M. Disko, N. Deighton, A. DuBoff, C. Dedrick.



Standing: M. Williamson, C. Valentino, E. Wilhelm, S. Wilson, R. Travers, E. Wishnie, A. Wunderlich, C. Williamson, J. Zimnick, R. Villone, J. Weber, A. Vaughan, W. Williams, F. Wexler, R. Williamson, R. Wanner, N. VanDeusen, A. Witt, D. Trebour, F. Walter, M. Trautwein, L. Wilson, C. Whiting, G. Welter, R. VanDine, E. Zoda, A. Volpe, D. Wenny, J. Ward.



Seated: A. Petit-Clair, H. O'Malley, R. Oppenheimer, M. Plank, A. Natelson, L. Perna, P. Parsells, M. Pagluica, P. O'Connell, D. Odgers, P. O'Boyle, S. Palmer, B. Palardy, C. Nieman. Standing: C. Oftedal, A. O'Connell, P. Peters, E. Palmieri, J. Petroll, M. Pearlman, R. O'Connor, A. Picon, P. Peretore, F. Mowle, R. Murphy, N. Murray, J. Nichols, R. O'Brien.

Seated: C. Adams, E. Almond, E. Abbey, C. Baumiller, A. Bauersachs, J. Bocca, N. Bartlett, M. Aquilino, M. Barca, S. Berla, D. Barron, N. Benson, M. Atwater, J. Beck. Standing: E. Brennan, R. Behar, R. Brochart, B. Brown, D. Blake, R. Bleakley, H. Bruckner, B. Braun, G. Alford, B. Bayley, C. Bolen, Mr. Bush.





**ATHLETICS**

















First row: A. Swanson, L. DeMeo, G. Stilwell, M. Stephens, B. Bolen, J. Salin, W. Revere, C. Hug, A. DeMasi, R. Shuba, C. Ferrone, J. Polito, Mr. Callard. Second row: R. Mangino, J. Acquadro, F. Merrick, K. Wilson, J. O'Connel, F. Priscoe, R. Blake, J. Stassi, F. Kafke, R. Ball, C. Pierce, Coach Johnson. Third row: Mgr. R. Monks, R. Minelli, R. Spero, L. Friermuth, P. Cataldo, J. Cooper, O. Cicalese, F. Ench, L. Ciampi, W. Greenan, Coaches T. Guest, R. Krimmel.

## FOOTBALL



L. DeMeo

Co-Captain Greenan

Coaches: E. Johnson, J. O'Keefe, R. Krimmel, T. Guest.



During the early part of the 1952 football campaign, West Orange was riddled by injuries and failed to live up to preseason expectation. By midseason most of the casualties had returned to action and the Cowboys began living up to those expectations.

Led by Co-Captains Greenan and Ferrone, the team journeyed to Irvington for the season's opener. A determined Cowboy eleven hoped to avenge last year's defeat. However, an equally determined Irvington squad battled West Orange on even terms, the final score being 7-7. Returning home, the team began to be plagued by injuries. When Clifford Scott arrived for the second game, it was confronted by a weakened but game Cowboy squad that put up a good fight before succumbing 27-13.

In the second game of a two game home stand, West Orange faced a good East Orange club. Looking for the season's initial victory, the weakened Cowboys tried their hardest only to be nosed out 13-6. The trip to the Kearny Scots' stadium proved to be a heartbreaker for Cowboy fans. Playing the role of the underdog, West Orange barely missed a victory, losing by the close score of 7-6.

The third visiting club was the perennial powerhouse, Montclair. Remembering some previous close games, the West Orange fans hoped for an upset victory. The "Mounties" had other ideas and proved it as they completely outclassed the Cowboys, the resulting score being 52-0. After the mauling by Montclair, the West Orange Cowboys surged up the comeback trail with blood in their eyes. In a game played in fog and rain, the Cowboys gained their first shutout of the season by beating Westfield 8-0.

Seeking the victory that barely eluded them last year, West Orange advanced on the "Cougars" of Columbia for the annual Thanksgiving fray. In a terrific comeback late in the fourth quarter, the Cowboys pulled a 12-6 victory out of the fire by scoring the winning touchdown with only seconds remaining in the game.

The players of the 1952 West Orange football team deserve a great deal of praise for their unceasing spirit and hard work during the season. Although the victim of many untimely injuries before crucial games, West Orange proved itself no soft touch for any team. The season which started so poorly was salvaged by a fighting Cowboy eleven which snapped back to win three of the last four games.

Spero Skirts Columbia End.



Incomplete Pass Gives West Orange the Nod.



West Orange Stops Orange Back.



Co-Captain Ferrone

Some of the regular starters line-up; left to right, standing: R. Spero, J. Polito, L. Frier-muth, R. Shuba, C. Hug, M. Stephens, L. DeMeo, G. Stilwell, R. Minelli. Kneeling: R. Blake, F. Priscoe, C. Pierce, W. Revere, A. DeMasi, B. Bolen, J. Stassi, C. Ferrone, J. Salin.







C. Hug



Shuba Tries a Long One.



Stilwell Cracks the Columbia Line.

DeMeo Follows Interference.



A. Swanson

Revere Gets His Man.





Pass Thrown to Stephens, Incomplete.



J. Polito



A. DeMasi



Ferrone and Blake Block for DeMeo.

Shuba Breaks From Orange.



West Orange Line Rams Columbia Back.



# TWIRLERS



There are certain things which must be added to any sporting event to make it more colorful. Among these are the twirlers. If you have attended a West Orange football game, you certainly remember the twelve pretty girls in sparkling white uniforms strutting down the field. During the school year these girls work constantly to perfect new routines. Mrs. Terry is always nearby with pointers and encouragement. Their ambition is to entertain the fans, and they

do a fine job.

Although the girls twirl their batons with the greatest of ease, the process is not as easy as it looks. Many long hours must be spent in rehearsing before it can truly be said that they twirl with the greatest of ease.

Each new squad of twirlers is chosen from a group that takes lessons from preceding twirlers during the winter and early spring months. This is a very good procedure, and the best girls of the group are always chosen.







# CHEERLEADERS

As much a part of the spirit of a football or basketball game as the players themselves are the cheerleaders.

Under the able supervision of Miss Addario they can be seen hard at work practicing after school throughout the year. In the fall the cheerleaders can be seen performing their antics every Saturday before the football crowds. During the winter the girls shift their base of operations to the gym where they cheer the basketball team on to victory.

Spring of every year finds the cheerleaders teaching those girls who aspire to be chosen for the following year's squad.

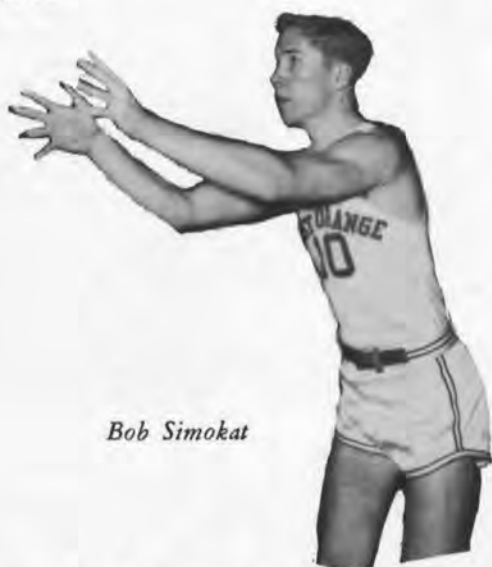




First Row: R. Blake, A. Swanson, S. Murray, D. Kall, J. Gesin; Second Row: Coach Lawrence, T. Crawley, J. Stasi, W. Revere, T. Thompson, M. Stephens, Mgr. K. Harris; Third Row: V. Minelli, H. Isaacs, G. Hurst, R. Minelli.

# BASKETBALL

*Revere guards Swanson*



*Bob Simokat*

The 1952-1953 WOHS basketball team showed great determination and skill in winning ball games this year. As a result, the team sported a fine 14-6 won and lost record. For the second consecutive year the Cowboys were under the expert tutelage of Coach Al Lawrence.

In their season's inaugural, the Cowboys, who fielded a different starting lineup for nearly every game, upset a highly touted Bloomfield five, 48-40. In the second encounter, a startled Orange High quintet succumbed 66-44 to a high powered Cowboy offense. The favored Mounties of Montclair handed WOHS its first setback, 73-65.

Snapping back from this loss, the Maroon and White produced a five game winning streak which included Columbia and Kearny as victims. After this spurt, a letdown faced West Orange when some players were absent because of injuries. While these boys were sidelined, the Cowboys suffered losses to Irvington and West Side by one and eight points respectively.

The regular season was polished off in fine style as the Cowboys won five of their remaining six games. They defeated Orange, Nutley, Panzer Frosh, Columbia, and Belleville and lost a decision to East Orange by two points in an overtime contest.

Going into the first game of the Essex County Tournament as a decided favorite, West Orange was upset by Nutley. Determined to make themselves heard from in the State Tournament, the Cowboys rode along in fine style by trampling West Side and Irvington. In the third encounter, however, the Maroon and White attack stalled and took a 57-43 licking at the hands of a well-oiled Bloomfield quintet. The game brought to a close a successful year on the hardwood.

RECORD		
West Orange		Opponent
48	Bloomfield	40
66	Orange	44
65	Montclair	73
49	Morristown	48
96	Newark Academy	59
64	East Orange	59
46	Columbia	39
81	Kearny	62
62	Irvington	63
65	West Side	72
47	Orange	40
67	Nutley	54
61	East Orange	63
65	Panzer Freshmen	55
68	Columbia	58
74	Belleville	64
56	Nutley	61
41	West Side	33
57	Irvington	41
43	Bloomfield	57



*Blake gets the tap*

*Swanson jumps high*



*Kall goes up for two*



*Co-captains Kall and Murray with  
Coach Lawrence*



*Murray jumps against Irvington*







*Blake goes for a tap-in*



*Murray drives hard*



*Columbia, W'OHS jump ball*



*Stephens jumps for W'OHS*

*Swanson up for the basket*



*A tense moment*



*Stephens passes off*



*Blake taps to Kall*



*Columbia goes high*



*Blake ready to drive in*

*Under the board in tournament play*



*Kall swishes the net*





First row: E. McNamara, J. Stellenwerf, S. Ross, R. Meyer, R. O'Connell. Second row: Coach H. Evans, F. McManus, T. Oesterle, T. Kamprath.

## GOLF

Two returning veterans, John Stellenwerf and Bob Mayer, are expected to bolster the golf team in their campaigns this season. Since these are the only two returning lettermen, Coach Haydn Evans does not think the prospects for the season look too bright. Coach Evans hopes to achieve some success with a team consisting of Steve Ross, Buddy McManus, Ted Oesterle, Ed McNamara, Ted Kamprath, Dick O'Connor, Frank Melline, Del Reedy, Arthur Cormier, and Eugene Chase.



*Coach Evans gives a few pointers to Ed McNamara, John Stellenwerf, Steve Ross, and Bob Meyer.*



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**Captain  
John Stellenwerf**

**Steve Ross**





# 1953 TRACK



*Coach Johnson mapping strategy with Phil McLaughlin and Charlie Hug.*



*Dashmen: Lee Friermuth, Ken Wilson, Ralph Spero, Eddie Rimbach.*



Since many members of last year's track team have been graduated, the thin-clads of the 1953 track team will have a hard time matching last year's record which saw only one loss. Phil McLaughlin, Charlie Hug, Ralph Spero, and Lee Friermuth are the returning runners of the 1952 team around whom Coach Johnson hopes to build another good team.

*Weightmen: Bob Keiler, Tony DeMasi, Bruce Bolen, George Stilwell.*



First row: K. Wilson, R. Ball, A. Dalrymple, T. Battalini, W. Billott, F. Ruggiero, R. Bleakley, J. Dsurney, E. Rimbach. Second row: L. Friermuth, G. Fortune, C. Dedrick, O. Cicalese, L. Lovett, J. Sauter, M. Snyder, R. Spero, J. Petrol, W. Michaels, G. Stilwell. Third row: J. Mateyka, A. De Masi, P. McLaughlin, D. Fullerton, K. Burk, J. Dickey, M. Disco, R. Todd, R. Waller, F. Mowle, J. Creo, R. Weiler, T. Crawley, B. Bolen, C. Hug, L. Wilson, Coach E. Johnson.





*The pitching staff lines up.*

## 1953 BASEBALL

With a ball club built around five returning starters, and backed by the nucleus of the 1952 championship American Legion team, West Orange should have a successful season in 1953. The All-Senior infield consists of Bob Evans at first, Rip Fahey at the keystone sack, Stu Murray at short stop, Lou DeMeo in the hot corner, and Frankie Possert behind the plate. Utility infielder Al Swanson is

ready to step in where needed. The outfielders are capably patrolled by two-year veteran Bob Shuba and juniors Vinnie and Ralph Minelli and Dick Dally. The mound staff is made up of senior Dan Purcell and juniors Ray Colantouni, Bob Mangino, Bob Davis, and Bob Petrin.

If the boys live up to previous performances, the Cowboys should have a good year.

First row: T. Crawley, R. Grey, A. Palmere, R. Davis, P. Cataldo, A. Longo. Second row: R. Minelli, R. Hayward, F. Possert, R. Petrin, R. Mangino, G. Hurst, R. Dally, V. Minelli. Third row: J. Lenoci, L. De Meo, R. Fahey, S. Murray, R. Evans, D. Purcell, D. Trebour, A. Swanson, R. Shuba, J. Brennan, Coach J. O'Keefe.





*Coach Jim O'Keefe giving a few pointers to Captains Bob Shuba and Stu Murray.*



*Catcher Frank Possert.*



*DeMeo puts the tag on Minelli.*

*The first string infield.*





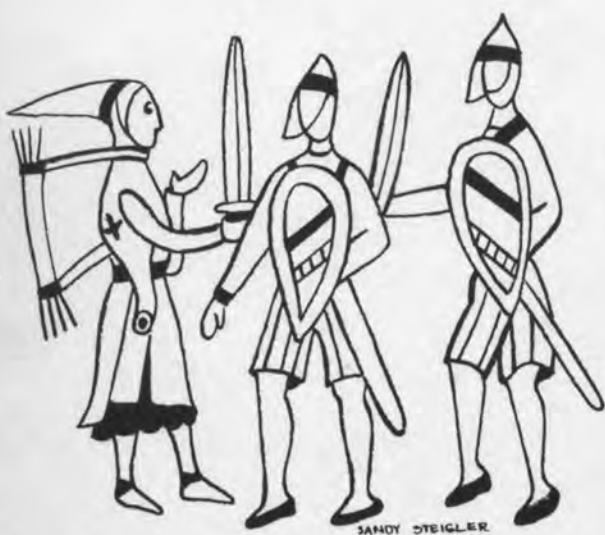


First row: E. Wolfman, J. Hecht, M. Stephens, R. Rospond. Second row: A. Debbs, M. Griffinger, A. Heller, R. Cohen, P. Forman.

# TENNIS

Hovering about the 1953 WOHS tennis team is a big question mark. Fourteen aspirants hold the fortune of the team in their grasp.

Among the returning hopefuls are Doug Sheft, Owen Sear, Eddie Wolfman, Alan Heller, and Siebolt Frieswyk. The new candidates for the team are Mike Stephens, Charlie Hug, Pete Forman, Barry Stier, Mike Griffinger, Jeffrey Hecht, Roger Manshel, Martin Pearlman, and Joel Galin. The natural ability of the boys plus the coaching of Mr. Finch will probably combine to produce a winning season.



*Coach Merlin Finch with Veterans Eddie Wolfman and Bob Rospond.*





**ACTIVITIES**





## DRAMATIC CLUB



The Dramatic Club, under the capable supervision of Mrs. Violette Cotter, is composed of students interested in acting. The purpose of the club is to help the members to learn more about the theatre and the work involved.

There are many activities included on the club's agenda. The members went to New York and saw Cinerama; and they intend to see the Broadway show, "Wish You Were Here." They are also planning to give a two-act play in assembly and skits during the club period.

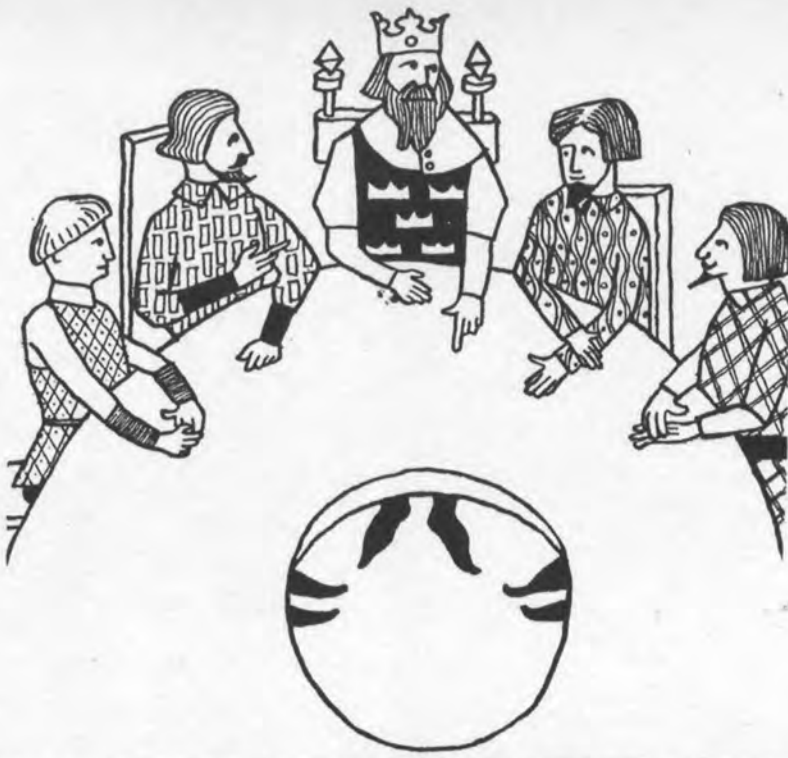
Many of the former members of the club are now engaged in some type of theatrical work. No doubt, their careers have been helped along by the experience which they gained at W.O.H.S.

## SURVEYING CLUB

This club, led by Mr. Smock, helps those who are interested in an engineering career learn the fundamentals of surveying through the use of the proper instruments. This practice is obtained through the club's main activity of the year—plotting the school grounds. When these are surveyed, a detailed picture of them is drawn to scale.

Most of the members are going on to college, and they feel the experience gained through their membership is well worth their time and effort. They are aware of the fact that this activity will greatly benefit them in the future.





# STUDENT CONGRESS

The Crusades, of necessity, had their organizational councils. Similarly, West Orange High School has its guiding council in the Student Congress. Our students give their suggestions to their home-room representatives, who, in turn, present the ideas to the Congress at the regular Friday morning meetings in the Library. In the past years, meetings were held on Monday mornings in the Visual aids room. The change of days and rooms gives the students additional time and a more pleasing atmosphere to carry out their activities.

Each year the Student Congress engages in many important and beneficial activities. The basic theme of this year's work has been increasing school spirit—through cooperation with the teachers and the P.T.A., and through talks, posters, pep rallies and bonfires. Besides the continuance of an active community service program through the U. S. History II classes, the congress instituted a new program—Junior Achievement. This undertaking, sponsored by various local businesses, gives students training in setting up model companies on a stock basis and in making and selling their products. The faithful service of the many students who participated has helped to broaden the practical side of education in our school. The congress provided the annual introductory party for the sophomores and supported the Red Cross Drive. They also bought new mirrors for the girls' rooms and began a program to provide music during lunch periods. Their annual formal Christmas dance and their holiday decorations provided a warm feeling for all the students. These projects serve as an illustration of the cooperation that is necessary for the success of any program undertaken by the Student Congress.

The congress takes an active part in the meetings of the Inter-Oranges' Council and the New Jersey Organization for Student Congresses. These meetings are attended by the executive committee who later reports the discussion results and the latest news. Representatives of neighboring schools, in voicing the suggestions, offer valuable advice to our Student Congress.

To carry out the varied functions of the high school, competent and enthusiastic leaders are required. No one is more qualified to choose these leaders than the students themselves. This is illustrated by the efficient, capable leaders chosen by the student body each year. This year the Student Congress, under the guidance of Mr. Johnson and the leadership of president, Charles Ferrone, vice-president, Phyllis Gartenberg, secretaries, Elizabeth Swanson and Phyllis Spina, and treasurer, George Fortune, has done an extremely good job of promoting the welfare of the student body, of encouraging school spirit, and of improving school conditions.





# ASSEMBLY COUNCIL



During the past year, the student body eagerly anticipated each assembly program that was presented during the regular assembly period. The Assembly Council under the direction of Miss Lancaster had the pleasant, though at times difficult, task of selecting and scheduling the various programs.

Among the professional entertainers who appeared during the year were Russel Curry, Robert Loomis, and Duke Montague. Curry presented his amusing "It's a Date" program in which he satirized teenagers' behavior while stepping out. One of the most successful programs was presented by Mr. Loomis when he showed his adventure film, "A Modern Saga of the Sea." "Mystifying Magic," a program of entertaining tricks, was presented by Duke Montague.

Student talent is not overlooked by the Assembly Council. The council sponsored two successful student talent shows, one in November, the other in March. Other student efforts included the "Round-Up Assembly" which inaugurated the newspaper subscription drive, and the Spanish Club program. The council also called on the band, choir, and orchestra to present concerts.

At this time the council is busily engaged in scheduling programs for the coming year. The task of completing the schedule takes time and a great deal of planning. The council should be congratulated for the job they had done this past year, for presenting a program of such high calibre.



# LIBRARY COUNCIL

The Library Council, under the able direction of Mrs. Elsie Meyer, performs an important function in WOHS both as a club and as a daily activity. The twenty members of the club perform the various duties of cataloging, indexing, typing, arranging of bookshelves, and displaying on the bulletin board many interesting items pertaining to almost any subjects.

During every period of the week, there is at least one Council member on duty in the library. Here, the student takes care of the admittance slips and also brings them to the study halls. The student also helps Mrs. Meyer in any way possible.

During the Wednesday activity period, the president of the club, Nannette Christiano and the secretary-treasurer, Kenneth Harris, conduct the Council's meetings. All old business is discussed, and each of the club's members is allowed to give his suggestions for the improvement of the library.

This year, Mrs. Meyer is trying to enlarge the scope of the library through inter-library loans. Since Mrs. Meyer is interested in helping each student of the high school as much as possible, she is helped in this objective by the Council. The Council members have performed with efficiency the routine tasks necessary in running a library.

The members of the Council have spent many long hours assembling the material that almost every student in the school has used. The Library Council works untiringly to aid both the teachers and students of WOHS.



# CLIO

Miss McSweeney is the helpful adviser of Clio, one of the literary societies in our school. Dan Pursell is the president, Carolyn Geismar, the vice-president, Ann D'Allessandro, the secretary, and Nan Young, the treasurer.

The club holds a meeting the first and third Friday of every month, at which time Joyce Weinberg, the program chairman, presents some interesting activity in which the members participate.

At Christmas time both Clio and Philo held their annual Christmas party. The members of both clubs brought gifts for children in hospitals. In June the two clubs will meet again for their traditional banquet. At this banquet new members of both clubs are initiated, the presentation of new officers is held, and speeches are made. The climactic event of this affair is the presentation, by Mr. Hearn, of the silver cup to the club which had the highest scholastic average.







The Philologian Literary Society is one of the oldest clubs in our school. It began solely as a debating group which contested against similar societies from other schools. Philo acquired its present status when it was placed in the capable hands of Mrs. Nock. Her interest and capabilities have enriched the meetings by giving the members valuable aid in solving any problems which arose.

Activities accomplished throughout this past year were varied and interesting. At the joint Christmas party with Clio, gifts

were collected and sent to the Orthopaedic Hospital, while a magazine subscription was given to the Crippled Children's Hospital. In the spring, members of the club enjoyed a trip to New York to see Cinerama.

Officers of Philo this past year were Doug Sheft, president; Barbara Bross, vice-president; Selma Hokanson, treasurer; Lil Canfield, secretary; Robert Rospond, program chairman; Lloyd Harper, critic.

## PHILO





The French Club under the enthusiastic supervision of Miss Allen is comprised of students interested in the language and way of life of the French people. In order to better acquaint themselves with the language and also to get practice, the members speak only French at the meetings.

At each "get-together" entertainment is provided in the form of lectures on French artists and French movies. A Christmas party planned by the program committee is given annually. One of the high points of the year is the initiation of new members. Each initiate must wear a provincial homemade French costume and at the meeting he must entertain the rest of the club by singing, dancing, or acting in any way specified.

During the year the members take trips to New York to learn more about the French people. By eating in authentic French restaurants and viewing French movies, the members accomplish this objective.

This year the club has chosen very capable officers. Ray Sears was elected president; Pat Miller, vice president; and Martha Green, secretary-treasurer.

## FRENCH CLUB





The meetings of this club, sponsored by Miss Eaton and Mrs. Seaman, are conducted in Spanish in order to facilitate the members' ability in hearing and speaking the language outside their usual class periods. At these club sessions, which are held after school, plans for the various activities of the year are made.

The first event of the school year for the club was its Christmas party, complete with Spanish games, songs, and refreshments. Another very entertaining meeting was the one at which new members were initiated into the club. The initiates had to withstand such "ordeals" as wearing Spanish costumes, answering questions, and performing stunts.

The club's annual production this year was a comedy which was written by three club members and presented at a March assembly. Later in the spring, the club attended the second annual "Student Conference on Inter-American Culture and Education" held at Rutgers University, and also visited a Spanish moving-picture theatre and restaurant in New York City.

Officers of the club during this successful year of activities were president, Maria Costanza; secretary, Franklin Mink; vice-president, Barbara Kaiser; treasurer, Jacquie Williford.



## SPANISH CLUB





# FHA CLUB

The Future Homemakers of America is a national organization that has a membership of over 300,000 girls. The West Orange High chapter has been affiliated with this national group for the past eight years.

Membership in the club is given only after the adviser has been consulted. All girls who finally are able to join have in common an interest in homemaking and family living.

F.H.A. meets every Friday morning during the Activity period under the supervision of Miss Schwenk.

Time during the meetings was spent in making surgical dressings, filling Red Cross gift boxes, and decorating Christmas stockings. The girls also spent much time reading "Teen Times," the official F.H.A. magazine which is published four times a year.



# JUNIOR RED CROSS COUNCIL



The Red Cross Council, which meets on Monday and Tuesday afternoons, is a very active organization. Since it does many different types of work, it is possible for each member to find a job which he can do well.

The activities of this organization are guided by Miss Schwenk, who always tries to make membership in the Red Cross Council very interesting.

Four officers have been chosen to carry out the executive needs of the group. Maria Costanza is the very able president. The vice-president is Joan Collins. Michal Heron was elected secretary and Joan Lesnik is the treasurer.

Several weeks before Christmas, the council started cutting and stitching Christmas stockings. They were able to finish more than one hundred of them. These stockings were sent to Army posts in Greenland and Labrador.

The members have also folded and prepared for shipment to hospitals hundreds of surgical dressings.

The chief aim of the council is to help society and it is doing a good job of it.



# SCIENCE CLUBS

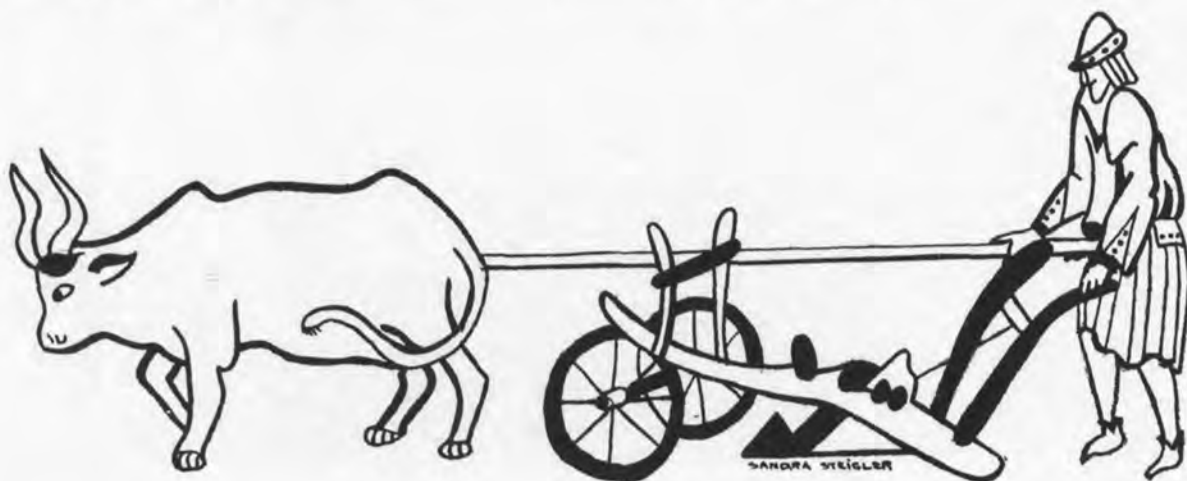


The science club was formed primarily for those students who have a special interest in biology and are willing to contribute to the club. It gives the members a chance to express their own ideas in both individual and group projects.

Some of these projects were the making of microscopic slides, raising fruit flies for genetic experiments, and the cross breeding of brown and white mice.

In the future they plan to mount skeletons and do work in taxonomy.

This year the club is making a field trip to the Newark Museum. The members will observe the activity that goes on behind the scenes of the science department which prepares the experiments for exhibits.



A Science Club was formed this year under the direction of Frank X. Sutman, our new chemistry teacher.

The club is made up of those students who are particularly interested in the science of chemistry, its history, and its practical applications in the world today.

Some of the numerous experiments performed by the members of the club this year were clock reactions, the making of gun cotton, and qualitative tests of unknown substances.

The club works under the policy that a member can try any experiment as long as the facilities of the chemistry lab are sufficient, and Mr. Sutman is willing to assume the responsibility.

The club is going to participate in the annual Parent-Teachers' Night by demonstrating some of the things it has done so far this year. Several field trips to points of interest have been planned for further explanation of chemical principles.





# AUTO MECHANICS CLUB

The purpose of this club is to acquaint the members with the main functions of a car and to enable them to detect minor engine failures and repair them. At the various meetings the club listens to lectures given by the adviser, Mr. Brooks, who arranges each session and gathers all the needed information. This year he introduced slide films which have made the club activities more interesting and understandable to all the members.

Each year the group plans one or more field trips. This year the Lincoln-Mercury plant was visited in order to see how cars are assembled and painted.

Because the club helps those who own cars to obtain more knowledge of their mechanics and maintenance, the members all agree it is a very interesting, educational, and worth-while activity.





## INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

The purpose of the International Relations Club is to increase the understanding of world problems and affairs.

This year there are two I.R.C. Clubs which meet every Wednesday during the activity period. These clubs are ably sponsored by Mr. Blumer and Mr. McRoberts who replaced Mr. Hoeren after his departure for the Army.

The activity is usually begun with four to six people who present their opinions on a topic. From then on the meeting is usually left open to the rest of the members for questions and debates. The members have discussed such opportune issues as the Taft-Hartley Labor Law, the McCarran Immigration Act, the Federal Union of Europe, the Iranian Oil Disputes, Tideland Oil, and our own presidential election. One of the aims of the clubs is to visit the United Nations General Assembly in New York.

This activity has prompted its members to become more interested in international affairs and thus the members have become better civil minded citizens.





## MUSIC APPRECIATION CLUB



Because of the widespread interest in classical music, it was necessary to form two divisions of the Classical Music Club. One group under the direction of Mrs. Terry studies the opera, while the other considers classical music in general with the aid of Miss Peckham.

The Opera Club meets each Wednesday during the activity period. During the course of the year, the club considers several operas from the standpoints of plot, famous arias and outstanding features. Among the many famous operas studied this year were: Gounod's "Faust" and Bizet's "Carmen."

Miss Peckham's group, the Classical Music Appreciation Club, spends its club period listening to the works of the great composers and studying the lives of these men.

These two clubs have afforded their members a better understanding of both classical and operatic music, and an opportunity to learn more about the great men of music.

The informal procedure and friendly atmosphere are very conducive to the study of this serious and worthwhile music.







## ART CLUB



Copper ash trays, pottery, year-book drawings, prom decorations are a few of the projects handled by the art club. There are many others, and all are extremely interesting.

Every Wednesday and Friday during the activity periods, the members of this club meet to work on their various projects. They are assisted by Mrs. Richardson, who really has a job trying to remember which art lover is working on which project.

The primary purpose of this organization is to provide for those really interested in art, enough time to work on whatever project they enjoy. A member of this club need not be very talented, but he must like art.

The club is also the "right hand man" of the student congress. If posters or decorations for a school event are needed, the Art Club, joining with the student congress art committee, will always come through to boost the school spirit in West Orange High School.





## CHATTER CLUB

The Chatter Club, one of the newer Friday Morning activities, is sponsored by Miss Wilson. This popular club was organized to help students acquire better speaking habits.

During the club periods, the members discuss recent books, poems, plays and motion pictures. Occasionally character sketches of friends and teachers are presented by the students.

This year the club's activities were highlighted by a trip to New York. During this trip, the members enjoyed seeing Cinerama, as well as many other interesting sights.

The Chatter Club's activities are enjoyed thoroughly by all of its members, not only because of the well-planned meetings, but also because of the enthusiasm shown by Miss Wilson, the director.



Mr. Pregger is the very active adviser of the Radio Club. The club is made up of boys interested in some phase of radio work. There is a group of boys building small radios from kits. They buy a box of parts and assemble them. Another group of boys studies Morse code. They are the "ham" radio operators. In order to get a permit to work a sending radio one must pass an F.C.C. test. A knowledge of Morse code is needed to pass the test.

This Club gives its members an opportunity to decide whether they want to make radio a life ambition or pursue radio merely as a hobby. It also presents a way of gaining experience in radio mechanics.



## RADIO CLUB



Every Friday morning a group of students met in Room 301 to compete in chess games. The club not only afforded the opportunity to chess enthusiasts a chance to compete in the Y.M.C.A. school tournament, but it gave new members a chance to get acquainted with the fascinating game.

The informal atmosphere fostered by adviser Mr. Pregger did much in the way of forming an appeal to join the club.

The members of the club who participated in the Y.M.C.A. tournament won a good reputation for West Orange High. As for the rest of the members — they simply enjoyed playing the game for the experience.

## CHESS CLUB



The activities of the Camera Club this past year were quite varied. During the first half of the year the meetings were devoted to the viewing of the slides that Miss Lancaster, club adviser, had taken this past summer during her trip to Europe. One of the meetings was spent in discussing the quality of the pictures which won the annual Kodak Photography Contest.

Since most of the members of the club are inexperienced photographers, the second half of the year was devoted to the learning of the intricacies of the camera. Lectures were given by members on the construction of the camera and the developing of film.

By the end of the year the members of this club felt confident enough to submit pictures in national contests.



## CAMERA CLUB





# LEATHER CRAFT CLUB



Each Wednesday and Friday morning the Leathercraft Club meets under the direction of Mr. Bush, adviser to the club. The main objective of the club is to give the members a chance to learn the art of working leather. During the course of the year members have a chance to observe the process of turning a raw hide into a finished product.

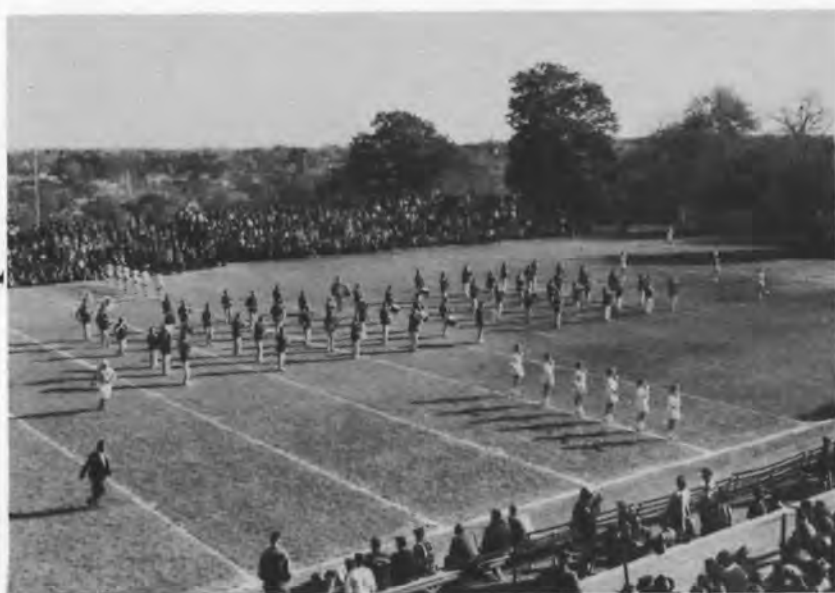
Mr. Bush procures a variety of hides from which members may fashion products of their design. Once a pattern has been cut, the members choose a number of tools with which they will work the leather. During the past year practically every member fashioned himself a beautiful hand tooled wallet. Among other projects completed were key-cases and shoulder-strap pocket books.

The members not only arrived at a point where they found a new appreciation for leather goods but they also had the leather goods to prove it. The club enjoyed a great popularity this past year because of the appeal of the fine tooled products.





# BAND



Whether it be on the broad expanse of the W.O.H.S. football field or on the indoor stage of the W.O.H.S. auditorium, the high school band can always be depended on to provide good music.

The music played by the band ranges from the light tune, "Fight That Team Across the Field," to semi-classical selections from "The King and I."

The band's schedule is quite an active one. During the fall of the year the members of the band were in constant preparation for the appearances which they made at the football games every Saturday. With its marching maneuvers the band entertained the fans during the halftime intermission. After the football season was over and the uniforms had been stored, the band began rehearsing for its

annual spring concert. The proceeds of this concert, which is annually presented during the month of May, go toward a scholarship fund.

Selections which were played at the concert included selections from "The King and I," "American Weekend," and the popular tunes "Glow-Worm," and "Lady of Spain."

The year of activity is rounded out by the band by presenting concerts at the two West Orange Junior High Schools.

This year there were two directors who assisted one another in preparing the band for its performances. Mr. Reifsnnyder, the head director of the band, was in charge of brass. He was ably assisted by Mr. Sost who directed the woodwind division of the band.





# CHOIR





The A Cappella Choir, composed of over 120 members, has had an extremely successful year under the direction of Mr. Barnes.

At the Christmas Assembly the Choir sang the Fred Waring arrangement of "Twas the Night Before Christmas." The highlight of the concert, however, was the impressive rendition of Ringwald's "Song of Christmas." To round out the program, numerous carols were sung, and the quartets presented entertaining specialty numbers. This same Christmas program was presented before a packed auditorium of appreciative parents. The proceeds from this concert helped to defray part of the Year-book expenses.

After the Christmas Concert, the Choir appeared at assembly programs at Edison and Roosevelt Junior High Schools. The Choir had an additional honor bestowed on it when it was afforded an opportunity to sing at East Orange High at an exchange assembly program. The Spring Concert brought to a close the successful year of activities of the Choir.



# GIRLS' AND BOYS' GLEE CLUBS





The Girls' Glee Club, under the leadership of Mr. Earl Barnes, met regularly every Wednesday morning in the girls' gym. This club was a three part chorus consisting of approximately one hundred and ten girls who had been admitted after an audition.

Mr. Barnes also directed the Boys' Glee Club, a group of fifty boys who met on Friday mornings.

The Glee Clubs this year have been a great asset to the high school. Throughout the year, the Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs sang at various assembly programs at the high school. A yearly Spring and Christmas Concert were given in which the Girls' Glee Club participated; but the Boys' Glee Club sang only at the Spring Concert. Proceeds from these concerts went to the Senior class.

Among the numbers which the clubs have sung are "The Old Lamp Lighter," "Mountain Love Song," "Life Has Loveliness to Sell," "What Can We Do with a Drunken Sailor," and "The House I Live In."

The clubs have served a two fold purpose. Not only have they proved to be a place of enjoyment for those who like music, but also the members have learned a great deal about vocal music.





# ORCHESTRA

The West Orange High School Orchestra, under the very able tutelage of Mr. Jennings Butterfield, is one of the most active and certainly one of the most worthwhile of all our school activities. The musicians assemble in the auditorium every Wednesday and Thursday during the fifth period. Anyone passing through the school's corridors at this time can easily hear the beautiful strains of music issuing from the auditorium. A great variety of music — anything from a sonata by Beethoven to Leroy Anderson's well known pieces — is played by our orchestra.



Mr. Butterfield, with his two assistants, Mr. Charles Reifsnyder and Mr. James Sost, directs the many activities of the orchestra in addition to the regular sessions. Probably the biggest one is the annual Spring Concert. An annual assembly program is also given by the orchestra. Its weekly activity consists of providing the music to which the school's students enter and leave the auditorium for assembly programs. It is indeed a very diligent organization.

Some of the more talented musicians have membership in the New Jersey All State Orchestra, a very coveted honor. A music scholarship and prizes for the senior class's most deserving girl or boy student of music are awarded annually. This is indeed a student organization of which we can justly be very proud.





# BALLROOM DANCING CLUBS

The Ballroom Dancing Club meets on Wednesday during the activity period in room 211. Mrs. Meyer, the home economics teacher, is the adviser and instructor.

She was asked to sponsor this club in 1948 by a group of pupils who thought it would be a good chance to learn the basic steps of dancing. This is the purpose of the organization now. The group is also interested in learning all the modern and unusual dance steps.

There are no elected officers of the club. The club is very informal, and everyone feels comfortable. Since there is an equal number of boys and girls, everyone can take part in the activities of the group.



## MODERN DANCE CLUB



The Modern Dance group is one of the very active clubs in West Orange High School. Its purposes are to give the girls a means of self-expression, and to develop in them poise and grace. It also offers excellent practice for good coordination.

Under the direction of Miss Addario, the girls are rehearsing for the Spring concert. They will dance to the beautiful song, "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue."



## HAWAIIAN FOLK DANCE CLUB

The Hawaiian Dance group is a recent addition to the school's family of clubs. The girls in this group meet during the Wednesday activity period under the able guidance of Miss Addario and practice many dance steps. They will appear in the Spring concert and at one of the P.T.A. meetings.





## STUDENT SECRETARIES CLUB



The Student Secretaries Club is one of the few clubs of the school which have restricted membership. Only certain senior girls with commercial subjects are qualified to belong.

Under the able direction of Mrs. Nora C. Evans, the girls are given the opportunity to apply knowledge learned in the commercial classes to secretarial work, similar to that of the business world. This background enables a graduate to go into business with some practical experience.

During Wednesday and Friday morning club periods, the group meets in Room 308. There, as well as in the small student secretaries' room, the girls are usually found at work. This work ranges from relieving the office of many jobs such as typing up report cards, and subject sheets, to stenciling the songsheets and cheers that are used for certain assemblies. Outlines of different subjects are mimeographed and ordinary copy work is done for teachers quickly and efficiently. The *West O-Ranger* and *Roundup* depend on this club to type articles before being sent to the printer.

This club may well be proud of the aid it has given to the various school functions.





# TYPING CLUB



This year the typing club, under the sponsorship of Mr. H. Groendyk, started a new service. It taught beginners how to type. During the club period, members not in the typing classes, were taught the fundamental skills of typing. After learning the keyboard, the students practiced to build up their speed and accuracy. The members were also taught to type simple business letters and announcements.

Membership in the advanced typing club was limited to those who have taken typing. During the club period the typists drilled for speed and accuracy in timed writings. The members were also permitted to type schoolwork and club announcements for the benefit of the school. One of the special activities of the advanced club was art-typing. This consists of making pictures with the typewriters. Many examples of this type of work can be found on the bulletin board in the typing room.

Members of the typing clubs all agree that they have really accomplished a great deal during the year, and that they enjoyed the club activities.



## CHEMISTRY-NURSING CLUB



Chemistry-Nursing Club is a club for senior girls who are planning to become nurses. The club helps the girls to acquire a general knowledge of the fundamentals of science needed in nursing.

The club this past year was sponsored by Mr. Sutman and met every Friday during the activity period in Room 305.

The meetings were informal. Many discussions about interesting facts concerning nursing were presented and many experiments were conducted. At one meeting the Director of Nurses at Mountainside Hospital showed a film on nursing as practiced at that hospital. The film showed the life of a girl from her first day of attendance at nurse's school to the day of her graduation. The members were then invited to make a tour of the hospital.

The club serves a very good purpose since it acquaints the members with actual situations which will confront them when they enter the field of nursing.

## VISUAL AIDS CLUB



The Visual Aids club is composed of those students who want to learn how to run motion picture projectors and other visual equipment. Only those boys who are willing to sacrifice part of their free time to help run the machines are allowed to join the club.

At every assembly or school function, members of the visual aids club are at work. Some of their duties are operating spotlights, running films, or showing slides. The assistance of these boys at school programs is invaluable for without their help many of our present activities would not be possible.

The members of the club feel that the knowledge and know-how that they have received in the club will be of great service to them in later life.

# BUSINESS PRACTICE CLUB



Every Friday morning the Business Practice Club meets with its adviser, Mr. Hadyn Evans. The club serves a very practical purpose since it acquaints the members with all types of machinery used in business.

By the end of the year the members are quite proficient in the use of adding and listing machines, recording and transcribing machines and electric typewriters.

The members realize the worthwhile purpose of this club since they are exposed to the use of the type of machine they will use when they enter the business world.

## NEEDLECRAFT CLUB



The purpose of the Needlecraft Club is to give to the members a chance to learn fancy handiwork. This advanced type of handiwork supplements the work done during the regular sewing classes.

Miss Quinn supervises the twenty girls who meet in Room 207 every Friday morning. A casual atmosphere is present in the club, where the members work on any project pertaining to needlework.

To date the members have knitted socks, sweaters, and scarfs. Embroidering tablecloths, pillow cases, and pictures has kept other club members quite busy.







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When the Cowboys and Cowgirls at W.O.H.S. wish to learn what is new around school, they immediately consult The Roundup. The paper, which is in its seventh year of publication, has won recognition by gaining a first place rating from the Columbia Scholastic Press Association for the sixth consecutive year.

The Roundup activities commenced with a subscription campaign that totaled over six hundred supporters and highlighted the entertaining "Roundup Time" assembly.

With Beverly Roberts as editor-in-chief and Mr. Thomas as faculty adviser, the senior and junior journalism classes put out nine newsspacked issues of the paper. Associate editors were Barbara Bross, Maria Costanzo, Phyllis Gartenberg, Lloyd Harper, and Selma Hokanson.

Three business managers, something new in Roundup history, "balanced the budget" quite profitably. Subscription, circulation, advertising, and football concessions were managed by Carol Christiansen, Ann D'Alessandro and Raymond Sears. In addition to this, sweat and T-shirts, bookcovers, stickers, and decals were sold. Roundup candy and pretzel sellers were also familiar sights after school and at ball games.

From the hubub of interviewing, writing, meeting a deadline, printing, circulation, and a dash of candy selling emerged a profitable year for both the Roundup and the students.



# WEST-O-RANGER

At times, when a finished product is offered for consumption, the work that is responsible for the product is usually unseen. Only those concerned with the production of the product know of the ambitions, toil, and failures that attend any large undertaking.

Early in September the Editors of the Yearbook met and voted on the "Crusader" theme for this year's book. During the early part of the year, Muriel Morrow and Marjorie Rowland could be seen preparing the pins and shakeroos for the Ways and Means Committee sales. Dave Nielsen and Clare Dourney were busy with making schedules for the photographer.

Every day from September through November Frank Emanuel, Barbara Kaiser, and Ann Hopkins could be seen in Room 202 wracking their brains for those elusive descriptions of the seniors. In the art room, Mrs. Richardson was constantly conferring with Carolyn Geismar and Phyllis Gartenberg.

Local merchants were contacted for ads by DeZao and O'Hare, Somers and Pursell. The Subscription campaign was opened during the latter part of December with Lil Canfield, Al Swanson, and Stu Murray directing the committee. Mr. Groendyk and John Bain kept the money accounts in order.

In December the twenty-one editors of the book met in a meeting conducted by Dave Kennison and Helen Bensen and decided on the dedications.

By February, Bob Simokat and Mike Stephens were getting the sport stories written. The literary committee with Joan Lesnik and Charles Pilditch was quietly disposing of the club write-ups.

All in all, the parts played by many people, contributed in completing the book in April. In the spring the issue was put to sleep. In June the issue awoke and served as a sentimental reminder of all the activities that we call the "past."



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# W. O. T. A. C.



During this past year, the Canteen produced one of the most successful seasons of entertainment enjoyed by West Orange students. Officers of the Canteen were Bob O'Hare, president; Caroljean Somers, vice-president; Lee Friermuth, treasurer; Lyn Etkin, secretary. Mr. Krimmel once again served as adviser to the organization.

Featuring orchestras that provided novelty and square dancing, a sophomore Welcome dance, a night in honor of the football team, and a talent show, the Canteen officers rounded out a year of successful activity.

Two of the more recent functions, the U. N. Birthday dance and the Television Star Program, topped off a year that will be long remembered by all who attended the canteen.



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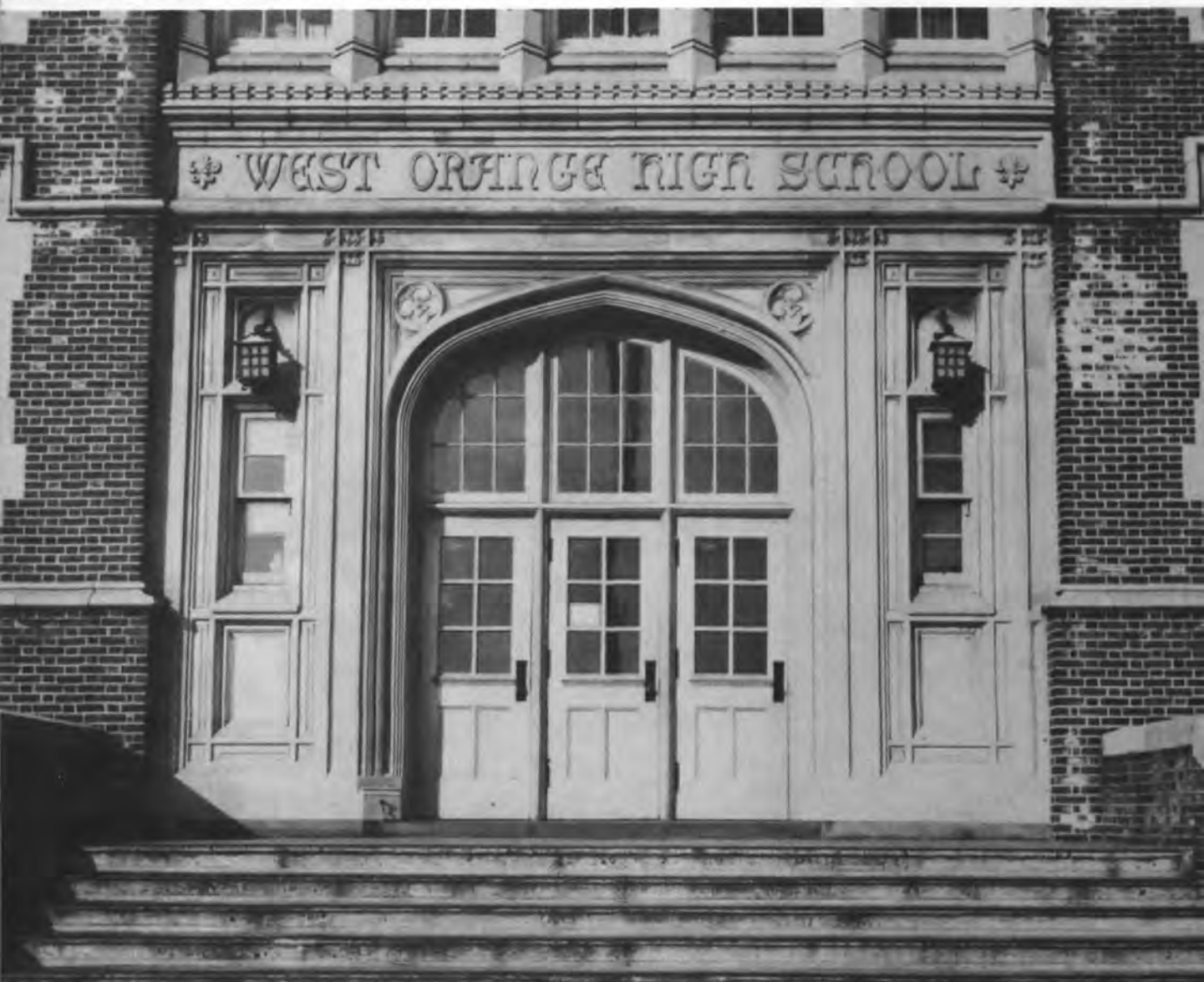
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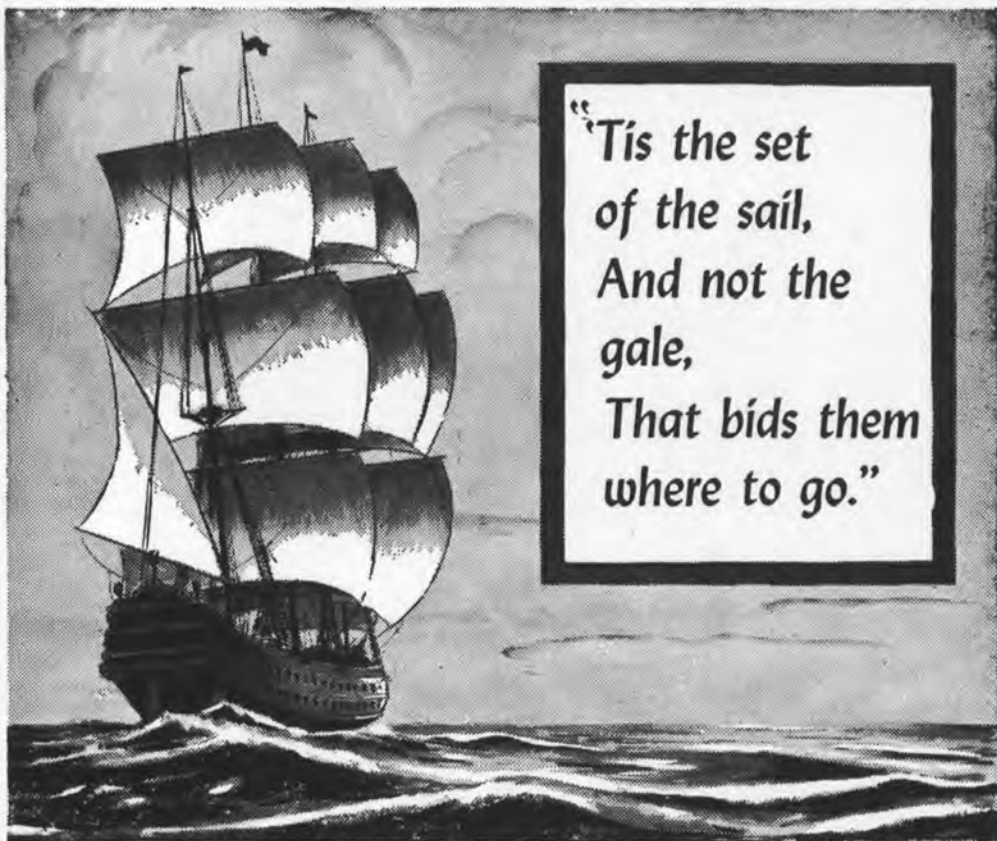
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