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The Student's Creed

I believe in honest work, in generous comradeship, in the courage of high ideals.

I believe in the inspiration that comes from contact with all that is truest and best—in books, in people, in life.

I believe in loyalty to our high school, the fostering mother of these ideals; and I pledge her my allegiance in all her undertakings, in all that will make her a stronger and nobler school.

THE MONAD

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CLASS of 1935

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FOREWORD

All good things must end some time. Therefore, at the conclusion of our high school days, we, the Class of 1935 of Belleville High School, offer this book, the 1935 MONAD, in an effort to preserve the happiness and the achievements of these years, and especially of the past year, in the years which are to come.

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DEDICATION

To William R. Holbert

Who has given his best efforts in all things; who has encouraged us to seek and attain that which is worthwhile, we, the Class of 1935, respectfully dedicate this book.



ALMA MATER

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Nestled in the folds of Jersey, In a quiet vale, Stands our noble Alma Mater; Belleville High: All Hail!

Chorus

Lift the chorus, sing her praises, Over hill and dale; Hail to thee, our Alma Mater; Belleville High: All Hail!

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None eclipse thee in thy glory, High thy fair name stands: Honor crowns thy sons and daughters, In this free-born land.

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So to thee our praise we're raising, Honoring thy fame; We, thy children, love and cherish Thy unspotted name.

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"Binnit" "There's nothing becomes a man as modest stillness."

EDWARD BATTOGLIA

94 Columbus Avenue

"Eddie" "Say not he did well or ill, but only he did his best."

THEODORE MARTIN BEAUSANG

"Ted"

"Joy comes, grief goes, we know not how." Band 3, 4; French Club 3.

ELEANOR BECKETT

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33 Adelaide Street

57 Preston Street

24 Bremond Street

"Thus I was wont to compare great things with small ones." Secretarial Club 4: Art Club 2, 3.

"Pat"

ROBERT HEATH BENNETT



Radio Club 2, 3.

CHARLOTTE VIRGINIA BERGMANN 27 Ralph Street "Shutts" "I will be sad for nobody." Junior Prom 3; Class Committees 4; Bankers Club 1, 2, 3, President 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; German Club 2.

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"Wamen know not the whole of their coquetry." Junior Prom 3; Sophomore Hop-2; "The Goose Hangs High" 4; Senior Monad Staff 4; Student Council, Sec'y 3, Pres. 4; Class Comm. 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Latin Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3.

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"Ob, this learning! What a thing it is!" Class Committees 4; Band 2; Concert 2; Latin Club 1, 2; French Club 2, 3; Art Club 2.

JAMES CAMPBELL 47 Rossmore Place

"Jimmie" "Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm." Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Swimming 3, 4; German Club 2, 3.

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MARIE PATTY COOKE

50 Wallace Street

34 Overlook Avenue

"Cookie" "Eat, drink, and be merry-." Spanish Club 2, 3; Poetry Club, President 2.

GEORGE ARTHUR CRANE

"Crane" "Behold, of what delusive worth Glee Club 3; German Club 2; Dramatic Club 3.



"All are architects of Fate, Working in these walls of Time." Student Banker 3; Basketball 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Swimming 2; Latin Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3.

ROSE D'ACHINO

131 Heckel Street

"Roe"

"Can one desire too much of a good thing?" Secretarial Club, 4.

MARION D'AVELLA persuades where speaking fails." ch Club 2, 3. e

46 Belmont Avenue

HELEN DE FRANZA

68 Emmett Street

"Muggsie" "The highest degree of earthly happiness is quiet." Student Banker 1: Secretarial Club 4.

RALPH DE FURY

30 Park View Avenue

"Curly" "Look you him in the face So beginneth he to smile." "Sweethearts" I; French Club 2, 3.

LOUISE DEL GROSSO 56 Mt. Prospect Avenue "Lou" "Imagination is the air of mind." tudent Banker 2; Secretarial Club 41

DOROTHY ALVA DEL GUERCIO

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217 Forest Street

"Dotty" "Acquaintance does not depend on number, but on choice of friends." Secretarial Club, 4.























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ANNA EVANS

01 Cortlandt Street

"Nanny" "The right only shall endure, All things else are but false pretences." Watkins Glen High School, Watkins Glen, New York.



"And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew That one small head could carry all he knew." Secretarial Club 2.

ALBERT WILLIAM FISK

19 Hunkele Street

"A man he was of cheerful yesterdays and confident tomorrows." German Club 2; Debate Club 2, 3; Bell-Hop 2.

JAMES FITZGERALD

I Smallwood Avenue

Football 4; Latin Club 2; French Club 2, 3.

DOMENIC FRATELLA

MONAD

137 Beech Street

"Domie-Frat" "A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market." Student Banker I; French Club 2, 3; Stamp Club I.

























PAUL A. HORTON

94 Fairway Avenue

JOHN JOSEPH KENNEDY 63 De Witt Avenue 'Jack'' "A gentleman makes no noise." Class Committees 4; Student Patro Latin Club 1, 2; French Club 2, 3. BEATRICE LOUISE KENNY **39 Tiona Avenue** 'Bea' "Without the smile from partial beauty won, Say what were man? A world without a sun." Junior Prom 3; Student Banker 3; Secretarial Club 4; German Olub 3. 43 Oak Street ELEANOR S. KRAEUTLER EC from her the mounds of all annoyance." "Remove Junior Prom 3: Sophomore Hop 2: Art Club 3. Micuriey 320 Greylock Parkway EDWARD KRAUS "He'll find a way-or make it." Class Committees 4: Senior Monad Staff 4: Harmonica Chub 2: French Club 2, 3: Dramatics 2: Bell-Hop 2: Drama Club 2: Att Club 2 142 Heckel Street ANTOINETTE LA BADIA "Red" "Where more is meant than meets the eye." Art Club 2. 114 Brighton Avenue JOHN LANZ to remember all we know." now and then "It is Spanish Club 2, 3 fon Avenue ROBERT LA Respe Student Counci Student ball 2, 3; Latin Club 1, 2, 3 German Q 567 Washington Avenue FRANCIS JOSEPH LEE "Pete" "Rest is good after the work is done." Latin Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 2. 3.

ELEANOR LEININGER

199 Main Street

"Kid" Class Committees 3, 4; Junior Prom 3; Student Banker 2, 3; German Clup 2, 3; Secretarial Club 4; Dramatics 3; Debate Club 1.

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49 Watchung Avenue

"A silent tongue and a true heart are the most admirable things on earth."



	ARNOLD JAMES LINCOLN 143 Academy Street
	"Gingy" "He who strives to do, does more than he who has the power."
	Junior Police I; German Club 2.
and the stand	
1	MARGARET LISTER 31 William Street
	"Midge"
	"Truth and honesty have no need of loud protestations." Class Executive Committee 3: Secretarial Club 4.
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	MARY LISTER 27 Hornblower Avenue
	"Mar" "It is the wisdom of ancient times to consider what is most useful as
	most illustrious."
Non Non	Secretarial Club 4.
I walk the walk	ALICE E. LOUNSBURY Essex County Hospital
	"Lonny" "A word is worth a dollar, silence two."
	"A word is worth a dollar, shence two.
	ELEANORA IRENE LUKØWIAK II Minker Place
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Canada Courtes	"Ill grounded partien spicki" wear away, and pairs built upon esteem can ne er decay."
	Class Committees 4; German Cub 3; Secretarial Club 4.
	ANTHONY MICHAEL LUNETTA 75 Lake Street
	Anthony Bell-Hop 2; Press Club 2.
	HAN Bell-Hop 2; Press Club 2.
	VIOLA MACALUSO 7 Hilton Street
	"Vi"
	"It is safer to bear and take counsel than to give it." French Club 2, 3.
The set of the set	French Club 2, 5.
2 1 12	ELIZABETH JANE MAC FADYEN 436 De Witt Avenue
	O y' 'Betty''
	Fund the "Confidence is a plant of slow growth." But Class Committees 4; Senior Monad Staff 4; German
	Club 2; Secretarial Club 4; Art Club 2; Bell-Hop Staff 2.
11 Mar 1 Mar 1	1.1ARGARET MACNAIR 73 Preston Street
	"Laugh and the world laugh with four"
	Junior Prom 3; Band 2; Orchesfranz, 3; Concert 2, 3, 10 French Ciub 2, 3.
	IRMA MAGUIRE 172 Holmes Street
	"Mickey" Stock truly bappy who wishes others bappy."
	Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Concert 3, 4; German
	1 9 3 5
RAYMOND MARSHALL

157 Stephen Street

''Ray''

"Oh, this learning! What a thing it is!"



"Sober, but not serious, Quiet, but not idle."

ROBERTA McCABE

104 Overlook Avenue

"Bobbie"

"W batever I did not know, I was not asbamed to inquire about, so I acquired knowledge."

JAMES IRVING McCALL

amps J. M. Call 24 Clearman Place La

"His is a still and quiet conscience."

Glee Club 3.

GRACE BETTY McCARTHY

15 Martz Avenue

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever."

Junior Prom 3; Sophomore Hop 2; Class Committees 4.

JEAN ANNE McCLELLAND 90 Joralemon Street

"Jeanne"

"It's nice to be natural when you are naturally nice." Class Comm. 3, 4; Junior Prom 3; "The Goose Hangs High" 4; Senior Monad Staff, Associate Editor 4; Band 1, 2; Orch. 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; A Capella Choir 2, 3; "Sweethearts" 1; Concert 2, 3, 4; All-State Chorus 4; Essex County Chorus 3, 4; Latin Club 3; Secretarial Club 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Debate Club 1, 2, 3, Sec. 4; Press Club 4; Drama Club 3; Inter. Artists Soc. 3, 4; Best Speaker. Inter-Schol. Debate 2, 4; Prize for Best Stage 3; Tennis Tournament 3, 4.

IRENE JULIA McDERMOTT 29

DTT 29 Mt. Prospect Avenue

"No great good comes without looking after it." Band 2, 3, 4; Concert 2, 3.

MAE McFADZEAN

24 Agnes Street

"Diligence is the master of success." Class Secretary 3, 4; Student Council 2, Treasurer 4 Student Banker 3; Spanish Club 2; Secretarial Club, Hesi dent 4; Senior Monad Staff 4; Class Committees 3, 4.

CLEMENT A. McGARRY

15 Jefferson Street

pour

"Pete" "A square peg in a round hole." Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Concert 3, 4; Saxophone Club 4; French Club 2.























VINCENT CLARK NAPPA

576 Union Avenue

"Vinnie"

"He is fond of dress, but fonder still of dresses." Football 3: Baseball 3, 4: Latin Club 3: Spanish Club 3.

WOODROW NOURSE

139 Overlook Avenue

"A true gentleman looks the part."

MARY LUCY NUCCI 62 Cedar Hill Avenue

"The remembrance of a well-spent life is sweet." Basketball 2; Band 1.

Sust Wighes HELEN C. PAPARTIS

"Cleopatra"

277 Stephen Street

"The eyes have one language everywhere." Junior Prom 3; Sophomore Hop 2; "The Goose Hangs High," Student Coach 4; Student Banker 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 3; Stamp Club 1, 2; Drama

Club 3, 4. **ROSE PASSAFARO** "There are many rare abilities in the world that former never brings to light."

French Club 2, 3, 4.

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FLORENCE MILDRED PAYNE If a wondrows life is the I lead " Junior Prom 3. Sophomore Hop 2; "The Goose Hangs High" 4; Class Comm. 3. 4; Sec y of Music Council 3; Glee Club 2. 3 4; A Dapolla Choir 2, 3; All-State Chorus 4; Piano Club 2, Pres. 3; Latin Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Dramatics 2: Drama Club 3.

MARY PEDALINO

12 Hilton Street

"Rare commodities are worth more than good."

ALEXANDER PERKC

Basketball I, 3, Captain 2; French Glub 2, 3; Art Club 3.

40 Harrison Street

"Dink" "Learning maker a man a fit companion for himself." Golf 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3.

EDITH CAVELL PETRIE

242 Belleville Avenue

"Pete" "Her heart and hand, both open, both free." Junior Prom 3; Class Committees 4; French Club 2, 3; Dramatics Club 2; Debate Club 2; Press Club 4; Piano Club 2; Secretarial Club, Vice-President 4.

WILLIAM RICHARD PETRIE

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242 Belleville Avenue

"Give every man thine ear but few thy voice." Student Patrol 2; French Club 2; Secretarial Club 4.



























BETTY 295 Greylock Parkway V "Silence is the greatest ornament of a woman." Sophomore Hop 2; Basketball 1; German Club 2, 3; Secretarial Club 3.

> FRANK SIMEONE 113 Ralph Street "Frankie" "A good nature is one of the rarest gifts." Junior Police 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Orchestra 1, 2; Spanish Club 2, 3.

DAVID RAE SIMPSON 84 Tiona Avenue "Dave" . "Never arrogant or proud On he went with manner mild." Student Patrol 4; Football 4; Spanish Club 2.

DOROTHY W. SMITH

"Smitty"

"Her thoughts have a high aim."

ETHEL MAY SMITH

129 Beech Stree

141 Holmes Street

"Good things come in small packages."

196 Hornblower Avenue FLORENCE MOLLIE SMITH

"Mollie" "Kind bearts are more than coronets." Basketball 1; Colored Choir 3; French Club 2; Dramatics 3, 4; Bronzemen's Club 3.

WALTER C. SMITH

110 Overlook Avenue

"To live as nobly as I can, To be, no matter where, a man." Student Patrol 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Tennis 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; "Sweethearts" 1; French Club 2, 3.

"Walt"

CHARLES SN Young fellows will be young fellows."

Latin

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136 Mt. Prospect Avenue "Charlie"

JOHN PHILIP SNOW

28 Smallwood Avenue

"Snowy" "Happy-go-lucky, full of cheer." Football; French Club 2, 3, 4. I SOMERS

"Joe"



















tuck "Frank Tuthill FRANK S. TUTHILL 491 Union Avenue "Tut" "He was so generally civil that no one thanked him for it." Student Patrol 4; French Club 2; Rifle Club 4. ESTELLE USDANSKY 509 Washington Avenue "Stell" "If it were done when 'tis done, then 'twere well It were done quickly." Junior Prom 3; Senior Monad Staff, Circulation Manager 4; Student Council 2; Class Committees 4; Basketball I; Bell-Hop 2; Press Club 2. GEORGE UZZOLINA 35 Magnolia Street "Shorty" "As I walked by myself and talked by myself." Junior Police 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Radio Club I. JOSEPHINE VAN DYKE 16 Oak Street "Silence is the perfect herald of joy." P GERARD JAMES VESSIE 7 Myrtle Avenue "Jerry" Luc "An affable and a courteous gentleman." French Club 2, 3, 4. long easie RAYMOND H. VOSBURGH, Jr. 85 Fairway Avenue "Ray" "A wise man knows when he knows not." Senior Monad Staff 4; French Club 2, 3. ELEANOR SHEPHERD WALTER 78 Malone Avenue "The truest temples are fixed in the bear the Junior Prom 3; Sophomore Hop 2; Salaretarial Club 4; matics 3 Dramatics 3. 060 - Jord CHARLES G. WEBER 11 Oak Street "Chuck" "Music has charms alone for peaceful minds." Class Executive Committee 4; Football 3; Orchestra 1, 2: Concert 2; French Club 2, 3. HELEN M. WEISS 15 Hornblower Avenue Class Committees 4; Senior Monad Staff 4; Basketball I; Dramatice 3: Press Club 4. MARCUS WERTZ 229 Overlook Avenue A "Tobe bonest as this world goes Is to be one man picked of a thousand." Msa Vece-President 4; Executive Committee 4; Student Patrol 4; Football I, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Athletic Council 3, 4.

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Howard Jackmann

HOWARD ZACHM 23 Linden Avenue Zack' "I do not deem myself worthy of such honor."

Senior Monad Staff 4; Student Patrol 4; Football 3.

Junior Prom 3; Sophomore Hop 2; Band 2, 3; Glee Club 2; Concert 2, 3; Latin Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3.



CLASS SONG

Tune: "How Can I Leave Thee?"

Blue sky we know of old, Rich in the yellow gold, Colors our hearts enfold, Of Belleville High. Colors may fade away, Emblems last but a day, Still thee we'll love for aye, Our Belleville High.

To the school on the hill Seniors are loyal still; We'll work with all our will For Belleville High. Now let each student cheer Till we the echoes hear, Echoes that loud and clear Praise Belleville High.

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The Class of Thirty-five Will now and ever strive That we may keep alive Our memories dear; Memories of friends and fun, Memories of work we've done, Memories of victories won, For Belleville High.

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SENIOR CLASS

Belleville High School first opened wide its gates to us four long years ago but no bleating herd of sheep were we. Never did a member of the Class of 1935 run to Mr. Kittle for a pork-chop stretcher, at the request of some wily senior; we were wise beyond our years. Our high spot as freshmen was reached when we won the school debating contest from the seniors after vanguishing the sophomores.

In our sophomore year we organized our class with William Tully as president; Nicholas Grande, vice-president; Ethel Young, secretary; and Ruth Brinkerhoff, treasurer. Under Mr. Brennan's advisership our first dance, the "Sophomore Hop," was admitted to be the best dance of the year, next, of course, to the "Prom."

With Robert Brinkerhoff, president; Nicholas Grande, vice-president; Mae Mc-Fadzean, secretary; and Ruth Brinkerhoff, treasurer, guiding our destinies as juniors we really went into action. Early in the year a novel dance was attempted, the "Military Ball". And the world most certainly beat a path to our door that night! Following the "Military Ball", the class made another innovation. Card parties were held at the private homes of the various juniors. The result: score up another credit to the Class of 1935. Then came that event which will forever "linger in the hearts and minds" of those who were present—the Junior Prom. Jack Anderson, general chairman, headed a group of committees that functioned like the widely-famed "welloiled machine". The Class of 1935 is proud of the fact that while the Junior Prom was a "howling" social success it is the first class on record known to have reaped a cash profit from the Prom.

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JUNIOR CLASS

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"TOMORROW

Three years ago a crowd of noisy youngsters entered the portals of our high school. They spent their first year getting acquainted with their classmates, teachers, and the school.

They started their second year by electing the following officers to represent them: Wellesley Earl, president; Jane Warrick, vice-president; Mary Elizabeth Compton, secretary; and Ellen Conry, treasurer. Mr. Holbert served as class adviser. During that year, as sophomores, they staged their first social affair, a most successful dance, called "The Last Round-Up".

The juniors began their third year by electing James Tully, president; Wellesley Earl, vice-president; Mary Elizabeth Compton, secretary; and Ellen Conry, treasurer. The main social event of the year, the Junior Prom, under their direction, was something they are justly proud of.

The Junior Class has been very successful in the past three years and we hope it will continue so in the future.

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-AND TOMORROW"



SOPHOMORE CLASS

This class has passed through that dubious stage in which they were designated as sophomores, or "wise fools."

The sophomore class is greater in number than any previous sophomore group. This is at least an indication of their quantity. We hope that quality will come with time and patience.

Although the class has not organized to act as a unified body, its members have contributed individually and collectively to the activities of Belleville High School.

Since this class was the baby of the morning session, you could alwavs tell a sophomore, but you couldn't tell him much!

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FRESHMAN CLASS

Another record broken! The Freshmen swarmed our walls, only to be pushed back. But only for a few hours, because they were given a special session in the afternoon.

We naven't heard much from these quiet under-classmen but hope to hear from them in the next year or so.

The Senior Class wishes to all Freshies the best luck that can be wished, throughout their high school career.





SENIOR PLAY

"THE GOOSE HANGS HIGH"

by Lewis Beach

Cast

BERNARD INGALS	
EUNICE INGALS	ALICE HELMLINGER
LEO DAY	
RHODA	
JULIA MURDOCH	
MRS. BRADLEY	
HUGH INGALS	ROBERT BRINKERHOFF
RONALD MURDOCH	HOWARD HOLMES
LOIS INGALS	JEANNE McCLELLAND
BRADLEY INGALS	WARREN HODGKINSON
DAGMAR CARROLL	JOAN BYLES
ELLIOTT KIMBERLEY	WALTER RAJCA
CLEM	
SID {	ROBERT BOOTAY
MR. HOLDING	

Director

Miss Frieda E. Reed

Miss Helen Papartis, Student Assistant

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It was just two hours until our masterpiece was to delight the world! The stage was set, all was in readiness, and then—

Grim tragedy stalked in!

At the "zero hour" our "juvenile lead," Jeanne McClelland, had been taken to the hospital, seriously ill. There was our problem. But not a blench blenched we.

The solution—with two hours notice our student coacn, Helen Papartis, prepared herself for the part left vacant by Jeanne. The play went on! Was it successful? Did Helen "come through"? In answer to "these questions we can only bow our heads and modestly confess that it was the best ever produced and add that Helen simply "knocked 'em cold."

As to the more humorous aspect of the play we turn your attention toward the "coonskin's" grand entrance accompanied by a derby and Jack. Or perhaps the thought of Alice, as a sober and dignified mother might "tickle your funny-bone." For outstanding incongruencies, however, imagine "Chalky" turning up with a bottle of gin, "Brink" in love with Joan, or "Boots" coming around in a tuxedo to take Jeanne out. Still more amazing is Helen Kelsall's complaint about being kept awake till three by the children and then out until—your guess is just as good as mine at an "after-the-play" party. It is also hard to feature Walt being beaten up by "Chalky," Porter being interested in horticulture, Mildred sobbing because "Chalk," "Brink," and Jeanne didn't say hello to her. The last straw however, was hearing Florence (whose son, of all people, is Howard) tell Alice and Bill just how "Brink" should have been brought up.

The whole class is deeply grateful to Miss Reed for her coaching and the cast is particularly grateful to her for her patience and understanding during the difficult hours of rehearsal; "we do appreciate." To Miss Kelleher, Miss Sandford, and the stage and property committees go our thanks for the beautiful stage set. And last of all we thank those audiences which so splendidly supported us.



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CLASS PROPHECY

I returned home late one evening last week. Upon entering the kitchen I was surprised to see on the table a curious gold goblet. I examined the strange vessel and found it contained a sweet-smelling liquid. On the outside of the goblet I discovered these words, "Drink me at your risk; reject me at your sorrow."

I stopped and considered for a moment. But the adventurer in me was predominant. With one fell swoop I quaffed the entire contents; I choked! I gasped! Reeled! Then—darkness—

It is easy to imagine my astonishment at the next turn of events. I had recovered my faculties and was standing up, apparently sound in mind and body, in the lobby of what seemed to be a bank. I happened to glance at a nearby calendar—I almost fainted. On the exposed sheet I read, June the first, 1955! At that point I fear I stumbled a little for I felt a strong arm supporting me. I looked around. Where had I seen those merry brown eyes before? "Who—who are you?" I stammered. The brown-eyed strong man laughed and said, "Oh, I'm the town dog-catcher. My name is Bob Brinkerhoff." Then I began to understand my curious situation. I asked Mr. Brinkerhoff if he could get someone to show me around his fair city. He told me that the man I wanted was the local Rotary president, Mr. Warren Hodgkinson. Mr. Hodgkinson showed up in a few moments and greeted me, as a Rotary president like Mr. Hodgkinson would, very, very, effusively. "First," declared my distinguished guide, "You shall meet the officials of the bank." I walked out of that bank a few minutes later in a very dazed condition. The president of that supposedly reliable institution was one Mr. Clement McGarry; the first vice-president, Mr. Paul Horton; and the cashier (people didn't care what they did with their money), Mr. Daniel Alvine.

Across the street from the bank, I observed a sign which read "Luncheon, Dance Music at the New Evergreen, with Bill Tate and his Orchestra." I resolved to go there and Mr. Hodgkinson agreed to go with me, remarking at the same time that since Ruth Brinkerhoff has been managing the culinary department the food was much better. On the way up I was introduced to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson who were out for a stroll with their son Jules. Mr. Anderson told me that his brotherin-law, Gerard Vessie had gone into partnership with Vincent Nappa and that Robert Bootay had made a fortune in haberdashery. At this point we passed the Woman's Club which led Mr. Hodgkinson to remark that the officers, Mrs. Danny Del Tufo, formerly Ethel Searl, Miss Helen Kelsall and Mrs. DeWitt Gilbert, the former Margaret Haworth, were holding a reception in honor of the Misses Jeanne McClelland and Helen Papartis, those two young ladies who had set the world afire by their marvelous acting. At the New Evergreen I was told all the latest news by the local society queen, Miss Florence Payne. She informed me that a team of traveling athletes—namely, Ed Sadlock, Walt Smith, Marcus Wertz and some others—had been arrested by Sheriff Kenneth "Two-gun" Boyd for stealing rides on freight cars.

Miss Payne also told me that two old friends of hers, Alice Lounsbury and Jane Rose, were prominent health authorities in New York City. I learned too, that Mr. Everett Martling and Mr. Charles Snively had been elected president and vice-president of the famous secret fraternity B. M. O. C. H.

We were escorted to the door of the New Evergreen by the hostess, Miss Mary Boswell. Leaving the place we were accosted by an unkept looking individual, evidently a nondescript Smith or Jones, who mumbled something about needing money to write a dictionary. Mr. Hodgkinson explained that he had made and lost a million in Amalgamated Zink. The Rotarian then asked me to go down to the railroad station to meet the local Pullman porter, fellow named Sheldon. I was willing to go but I began to feel the strangest pains in my head, sharp penetrating pains they were piercing my brain—I was falling in a bottomless chasm—darkness—

Ah—light! why there I was in my own bed, in my own room. But who is there that can truthfully say that I had not really journeyed to the land of what-is-to-be?

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ADVICE TO THE JUNIORS

Parents, Friends, and Juniors, hearken to the words of wisdom dropped from the benign lips of sages, Sheldon and Petrie. For three long years the Seniors have viewed with dismay the present Junior Class. It seems that they are lacking in all of those valuable qualities which we possessed. Being of a helpful turn of mind, the Class of '35 charged two of us with the doubtful honor of composing this advisory letter to that diminutive Junior group. It contains in a very condensed form the major weaknesses of the Juniors. It is sincerely hoped that its contents will completely reform them. After due deliberation, although we were skeptical as to their powers of comprehension and reading ability, we decided to donate our services for a worthy cause.

> Belleville High School Belleville, New Jersey June, 1935

Class of 1936

Belleville, New Jersey

MONAD

Dearest Juniors:

Because of your mental condition, the present Senior Class has summarized the following advice:

First: Do not continue your practice of cutting classes or skipping school for, like the Senior Class, you are supposed to be a good example to the rest of the school.

Second: Always take good care of the school property. In no way deface, destroy, or otherwise brutally mutilate the books, especially since they are so battlemarked already.

Third: As we have always done, hold the standard of your marks at a very high level. It will pay to do this.

Fourth: You have all heard about the clerk in the store whose motto is, "The customer is always right." Let me suggest that as a body you adopt a similar motto, "The teacher is always right." Therefore, never argue with a teacher or the Vice-Principal, Miss Kayhart.

Fifth: P. S. to item four. You cannot win an argument with the faculty anyhow; so do not try.

Sixth: To all boys: Beware of the grasping hands of women, especially the Junior girls. Do not let them divert your attention from your lessons or keep you from your early hours of beauty sleep between 8 and 12 P. M.

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And now you will understand that I am getting very tired of this boresome duty and I know you will sympathize with me. Therefore, I am sure you will permit me to turn this arduous task over to my colleague, and let that worthy one complete it by giving specific advice to the most needy of your number.

First: The junior class president is in need of a chaperon. Don't you think Rena Clarkson would be just the person for that position?

Second: Thomas Marshall should become an actor. I am sure that the style seen in the Lyric could be well copied by him.

Third: Marion Malcolm needs a coach in bookkeeping. Babe Fitzpatrick would be just the person; she knows so much about that fascinating subject.

Fourth: To Ann Travers and Dorothy Prendergast, all we have to say is this: You ought to take a course in journalism before attempting to write for the local newspapers.

Fifth: A model T. is all right for the first sixty-five but after that one should have pity on the poor, broken-down thing and give it a well-earned rest. How about it, Wellesley Earl?

Sixth: We desire a favor from Mary Elizabeth Compton. Won't you always wear that delightful smile? Your success will then be assured.

Seventh: We know of a good vocation for Jack English: Modeling. He wears his clothes with a dash and a certain style of his very own.

Eighth: Ellen Conry is a model debater, but why not copy the glamorous "something" found in the oratory of those illustrious seniors, Jeanne McClelland and Helen Kelsall?

Ninth: Don't you love the haircuts that Frank Carragher gets? There's another vocation for one of your class: Barbering. You could even set the styles yourself, Frank, with ease.

Tenth: We congratulate Jule Vessie on her dancing, and advise her never to grow old, which we are sure she will never do.

It is our sincere wish that these seeds of wisdom may fall on fertile ground and may bear good fruit in due season.

Affectionately yours,

THE CLASS OF 1935

by Porter Sheldon, Edith Petrie.

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CLASS ELECTIONS

BOY

Robert Brinkerhoff Marcus Wertz Robert Brinkerhoff Robert Brinkerhoff Marcus Wertz Edmund Sadlock Marcus Wertz Christie Albanese Robert Bootay Bill Jones Bill Jones Bill Jones Marcus Wertz Robert Brinkerhoff Robert Bootay Daniel Alvine Arthur Jocher Bill Jones Frank Stellatella Joseph Shanahan Marcus Wertz Nick Grande Joseph Shanahan J Danford Del Tufo Warren Hodgkinson Bill Jones Robert Bootay Jack Anderson Jack Anderson Carl Hummel Nick Tuorto Walter Raica Marcus Wertz Marcus Wertz Gerard Vessie Daniel Alvine Daniel Alvine Carl Hummel Eldon Shawger Nick Tuorto Warren Hodgkinson Jack Anderson Walter Rajca Danford Del Tufo∫ Warren Hodgkinson Nick Grande Howard Zachmann Jack Anderson David Simpson Danford Del Tufo Nick Tuorto Warren Hodgkinson

Most popular Most likely to succeed Most respected One who has done most for the class Most scholarly Most athletic Most efficient Most talented Best personality Most original Most versatile Most interesting Most sincere

Most friendly

Peppiest Laziest Most ambitious Best natured Best sport Most generous

Most optimistic

Most pessimistic Best actor—Best actress Best politician Best looking

> Best dressed Best dancer Class bluff Class clown Class shiek Blushingest

Most bashful

Quietest Noisiest Biggest talker Scrappiest Biggest giggler Wittiest Most naive Most sophisticated

Class flirt

Class baby Teachers' pet Best salesman First benedict—First bride Biggest woman-hater—Biggest man-hater Best line Most entertaining Busiest

GIRL

Ruth Brinkerhoff Helen Kelsall Mae McFadzean Mae McFadzean Helen Kelsall Betty Wilson Mae McFadzean Helen Kelsall Joan Byles Jeanne McCIelland Helen Kelsall Alice Helmlinger Mae McFadzean

Ruth Brinkerhoff

Helen Papartis Anna Petrosino Mae McFadzean Mildred Monaghan Ethel Young Ruth Brinkerhoff

Charlotte Bergman

Rita Burke Alice Helmlinger Jeanne McClelland Grace McCarthy Helen Papartis Florence Payne Annabelle Keir Alice Helmlinger Anna Petrosino Alice Helmlinger Mary Bowler (Marion Bowler Mary Bowler Marion Bowler Ruth Brinkerhoff Jeanne McClelland Marjorie Brean Jeanne McClelland Edith Petrie Jane Rose Grace McCarthy

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Jeanne McClelland Jeanne McClelland Estelle Usdansky Bernice Ruff Josephine Van Dyke Alice Helmlinger Alice Helmlinger Mae McFadzean

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MEMENTOES

As we have watched our fellow classmates come and go in their life with us, we have seen serious deficiencies in their equipment. Let it not be said that one of us has left this school improperly equipped for life. Therefore, to the following members of our class we present these small mementoes. May they be valued in proportion as they are appropriate and significant.

Warren Hodgkinson—A book, "How To Dance In Six Easy Lessons."

Danford Del Tufo—A Fish Line to give your own line a rest.

Nicholas Tuorto—A Lawn Mower to use on your jaw and give the razors a break.

Robert Brinkerhoff—A Cane to lean on after automobile accidents.

Marcus Wertz—Just a Football to replace the one you gave to a Miss.

Carl Hummel—A Pump so as not to run out of air.

Joseph Grosch—A Ruler to measure your rapid growth.

Robert Bootay—A new Address Book to keep track of the girls at Hobart.

Walter Rajca-An Information File labeled, "How To Know Every Thing at Once."

Charles Weber—A Bunch of For-get-me-nots from Rena.

Alex Stewart—A Pair of Fred Astaire's Shoes.

Raymond Vosburgh—One Hard Nose.

Frank Stellatella—A Can of Grease to slide into a scholarship.

Bill Jones—A Pipe so as not to stunt your growth.

Arthur Jocher—A Speedometer to measure the rapidity of your animated steps.

Felix Clark—A Register to keep track of your own attendance.

Joseph Shanahan—A Carnegie Medal for saving Ruth's Life.

Jeanne McClelland—A Horse Shoe as a guaranteed prevention from further hard luck.

Mildred Monaghan—An Apron as a start upon your career.

Edith Petrie—Just a Crank to wind yourself up.

Bernice Ruff—The good old All-Day-Sucker to make your heart a little harder.

Audrey Heilman, Janet Scholtz, Alice Lounsbury, and Florence Payne—Hair Ribbons to replace those which you so unfortunately lost.

Estelle Usdansky—This 1934 Medal for the Ads you sold for the 1935 Monad.

Grace McCarthy—This Pamphlet, "How to Freeze at a Moment's Notice." by Westinghouse Refrigerators.

Ruth Brinkerhoff-A Megaphone to aid your sound effects.

Muriel Berliss-A Stick of Dynamite to upset your equilibrium.

Irene Barnes and Florence Bloemeke—A Check to Dr. Worthington for some Laughing Gas.

Joan Byles—A Book, "How to Win Bob," by Mary Boswell.

Helen Kelsall—Some horn-rimmed spectacles and an ancient hat so you can practice being a grandmother.

Mae McFadzean—Welch's Grapejuice, Hollywood's diet for safety's sake.

Mary Boswell-Scissors to cut loose your boy friends.

Margaret Haworth, Myra Zink, Jane Rose, Ethel Searl, and Joan Byles—A Chain to link you together.

Betty Wilson—Adhesive Tape to put over your mouth.

Alice Helmlinger—A Goat returned with the class' compliments.

YESTERDAY, AND YESTERDAY, AND YESTERDAY

- Sept. 5-Great beginning-Freshmen absent.
 - 6-Schedules wrong-Miss Kayhart mobbed.
 - 7-Who's who in B. H. S. faculty?
 - 8-9-Weekend relaxation from strenuous work.
 - 11-Advice on scholarships? See Miss Kelleher.
 - 12—Who is this Greta we hear so much about?
 - 13—The Seniors amuse themselves by stuffing ballot boxes.
 - 14-New elections.
 - 17-Test, tests, and more tests!
 - 18-Zero, zeroes, and more zeroes!
 - 19-Mr. Fagan begs for IOc from student body.
 - 22-More begging.
 - 23—Stellatella becomes an orator.
 - 24-Senior Executive Confab.
 - 25-Christmas approaching-cards distributed.
 - 26-Lung and joint exercises free of charge in girls' lunch room.
 - 27-Hoarse voices emitting.
 - 28—At last they're chosen! 3 cheers for the cheerleaders.
- Oct. I-B. H. S. trims the farmers.
 - 2-Last minute students urged through back door.
 - 3—Absence slips appear.
 - 4-Good gravy! Charlie Ellison's a meat chopper; I mean a chopper of meat.
 - 5-Mrs. Carls says, "Yes and no, but don't quote me."
 - 8-It's fun roller skating, isn't it, Seniors?
 - 9-Alice Lounsbury begins life as senior in B. H. S.
 - 10—Observation reveals she has eye on C. H.
 - 11-What, slam books already?
 - 12—So Mr. Glenn is a fisherman; well! well!
 - 15-Capitol profits by students' free afternoon.
 - 16-Oh dear! What? 5 minutes to 8.
 - 17-It's a shame there's no elevator for Seniors.
 - 18—Under-classes insist upon entrance through front door.
 - 19—"Hold that privilege!" say the Seniors.
 - 20-Stellatella swings a haymaker.
 - 23—We hear W. B. has splinter of P. goal post.
 - 24-Hallowe'en tickets for sale.
 - 25-Seniors make mess of gym.
 - 26-Jones greets Hodgkinson on platform.
 - 29-Imagine students trying to imitate Jones-it's pitiful.
 - 30-Macbeth hath certainly murdered our sleep.
 - 31-Dot Belanske carries fairy tale book to school. What's up?
- I-Bill Meeker walks Win to school. Nov.

 - 6-Wm. Schillig directs the "THREE LITTLE BEARS."
 - 7—Ho, Hum! Five book reports due.
 - 8-Nick Tuorto entertains football players with Derby Dance.
 - 12—Who shot Mr. Coulter in the leg?
 - 13—From all reports the All-State Chorus members had a wonderful time.
 - '14-O-oh what big hands you have! \$1 deposit please.
 - 15-To the Pollard Players-"Isn't it rather uncomfortable sleeping on the floor?"
 - 19—Antique exhibition given in Mrs. Carl's room.
 - 20-Seniors doll up for pictures.

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21—Helen Papartis breaks camera.

- 22-Two girls seen sticking note in photographer's car. Hm?
- 23-Will Chalkie Hodgkinson ever get to school on time?
- 24—The great Chemistry test finally arrives.
- 25—George Washington invites us to visit Mt. Vernon. (No Crashers.)
- 28—Was E. Lukowiak embarrassed when she couldn't read her shorthand in presence of Messrs. Parmer and Holbert?
- 29—Even a dog is attracted by B. H. S. music.
- 30, 31, 32, 33—Thanksgiving interlude.

Dec. 3—How was the Varsity Club Dance?

4-A new girl from Asbury enters our institution.

5-Gorman scares her away.

- 6—"There is no tomorrow"—we hope—report cards.
- 7—The combined glee clubs fill our ears with divine music.
- 10-B. H. S. girls need shoeing since they've become hoofers.
- 11—Mr. Coulter establishes a "Believe it or not" column. (We don't believe it!)
- 12—What teacher always says, "Remind me to remember to tell you to remind me not to forget"?
- 13-We do wish the girls doing aesthetic dancing wouldn't scream so loud!
- 14-Crowds gather outside 310 as oral reports are given.
- 17-Robert Brown is turning shiek.
- 18—Belleville vs. South Side in peppy debate.
- 19—College men home for holiday visit.
- 20—Even Miss Kayhart pities us poor P. A. D. students.
- 21—Good behavior perceptible—Santa Claus is coming to town.
- Jan. 2—Bon voyage, Miss Thorne.

3—Welcome, Mr. Cotter.

- 4—It's ice-skating time at Delawanna.
- 7—Did Betty Jenkins fall hard? Right through the ice!
- 8—The great Jones still hasn't recovered from New Year.
- 9—Neither has anyone else.
- '10—Just think, half the year is gone.
- 11-Five Seniors hide in lockers to cut gym.
- 14—We still don't know how they did it.
- 15—Monaders scour the town to loosen money from Merchants.
- 16—We nearly froze as we tramped in the cold.
- 17—In fact, we were under a blanket of snow.
- 18—Seems as if everyone has the grippe.
- 21—Imagine M. E. C. ordering cocoa and then not having the money to pay for it!
- 22—Who were the two Seniors who commented upon Hamlet's anatomy?
- 23—Latin test, French test, Chemistry test, English—Oh, ma goo'nes'!
- 24—We might have been having mid-years!
- 25—And we just laughed and laughed, 'cause we knew there wouldn't be any school.
- 28—H. K., must you crawl on your hands and knees in the snow?

29—Monad staff announced.

- 30—Jubilance reigns as students buy tickets for Senior dance.
- 31—Men's Faculty Quartet sings "Śweet Adeline" with variations both foreign and domestic.

Feb. I—Senior play tryouts!

- 4-Results, rejoicing, and rehearsal.
- 5—Picture Jack Anderson as a '' Big shot.''
- 6—Jane Kuhn just couldn't squeeze through the ladder.
- 7-Walter Rajca signed up for "Dagmar.
- 8—Dot Smith and her mirror are inseparable.
- 11—Red top tip: Mr. Glaspey can wash dishes, gals!
- 12—What Senior boy wears a whisk broom?

13-Nick Tuorto.

14-Mrs. Carls' pet peeve-Bill Cross.

15—Heart balm sought to repair the effects of Valentine's Day.

18—Seniors plan to celebrate the 300th anniversary of the high school.

19-Extract from newspaper: "Miss Murray Wilcox, Science-.

20-A certain Junior wrote the following in a play: "The woman opened the door and recognized the man standing there as her dead husband."

21—Misquote by E. Leininger, "When I was kids.

22—One little Freshman didn't know what a lamb chop was.

25—Fire alarmed—Roy Gorski on a Monday.

26-C. Weber asks for five cents' worth of dimes.

27—Marge B. and Anna P. have to take gym with the Freshies.

28—One year from today, it will be February 28, 1936.

29-Wait till next year.

1-Howard Zachmann says if N. J. adopts a sales tax, we'll have to buy soap Mar. in N.Y.

4—Most of us don't use it anyway!

5—"Hansel and Gretel" greatly enjoyed.

6-Mr. Wilcox takes joke out of camphor balls.

7-B. H. S. faculty romance buds.

8-Nick Grande gets into so much trouble with that squeaking desk.

11—B. H. S. conquers South Side in radio debate.

12—Chem students have exercises to clear their brains.

13—All the girls are anxious about Prom bids.

14-Mr. Spotts had to push his car.

15-J. McClelland gets appendicitis.

18-H. Papartis stepped in with success.

19-D. Del Tufo becomes official back-seat driver.

20-Twelve "regular high school bums" hitch-hike to Newark.

21—"Spring! Spring! Beautiful Spring! All the birds are on the wing."

22-Afterthought: "My word! How absurd! I thought the wings were on the bird!"

25-Kenneth C. drives his limousine on Market Street, while licking an ice cream cone.

26—Wanna buy a bar of candy?

27—Lillian H. and Tony F. become Secretarial dramatists.

28—Wendell Cranston—so that's what the "C" stands for.

29—Teachers get paid in cash!

Apr.

I-Lorraine, you really shouldn't play April Fool jokes on Miss Gray.

2-Miss Pattison just discovered the sign pinned on her back.

3—"Time," the careless laundryman, shrinks our pockets.

4-A. Petrosino falls off the typing chair.

5-Sophisticated Juniors visit the circus.

8-School hears sad news-Joe Shanahan's accident.

9-Mrs. Carls is on strike against her fifth period.

10-Senior boy skipped class to skip rope with the Freshies.

I'I-Richard T. lugged fishing rod to study hall.

12-Patsy Calvitti disrupts History class with that picture of his.

15-W. H. drove all the way to the Washington Bridge.

16—Guess what! There was a bug in Chemistry class!

17-Paul Revere and Citronella are quite enough to entice anyone to the Prom.

18—Welcome vacation!

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29—Theatre Guild Poster Prizes all won by Freshies.

30—Speakers inspire students to attend college.

I-The end, but not the end. Sorry, we had to go to press. May

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Tast Will and Testament

BE it hereby known that, we, the graduating class of 1935 upon leaving forever this hallowed hall of learning, namely Belleville High School, do, in full possession of our faculties announce and proclaim this fourteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five this, the following, to be our last will and testament:

FACULTY

General

- 1. To the entire faculty: we bequeath our sincerest thanks and appreciation for their generous support, willing cooperation, and patient understanding.
- 2. To Belleville High School: the inspiration to be derived from the indomitable spirit of the class of 1935.
- 3. To the Board of Education: one balanced budget.
- 4. To the Men's Faculty Quartet: one pitch pipe.

DEPARTMENTS

- 1. Administration: a robot to answer foolish questions.
- 2. Art: proper appreciation.
- 3. Commercial: one Commercial Department.
- 4. English: one set of books to go all the way around.
- 5. History: one duplicating machine for homework and some kisses from the Blarney Stone.
- 6. Industrial Arts: some rubber tools.
- 7. Languages: one sanitarium.
- 8. Mathematics: the chalk cliffs of Dover.
- 9. Physical Education: a few more dumb-bells.
- 10. Music: one Rockefeller Center sound-proof broadcasting studio.

FACULTY

Specific

- 1. To Wayne R. Parmer: in general, the High School; specifically, a trick watch to complete successfully THAT psychological experiment.
- 2. To William R. Holbert: an ambulance—so that his new Dodge won't be used as a conveyance for all students who are ill.
- 3. To Minnie D. Kayhart: a group of up and coming students who are immune to the movies, ice skating, spring fever, and the seductive glamour of "The Ole Swimmin' Hole."
- 4. To Kenneth C. Coulter: many thanks for his sustaining influence and pleasant memories of the class he so well advised.
- 5. To Myrle Allen: one "Hail Hitler" salute gesture for study hall.
- 6. To Wendell Allen: one Alderney grade "A" vitamin X cow.
- 7. To Paul Brennan: a set of "Can't Miss" golf clubs, guaranteed to hit the ball at least once out of every three shots, money refunded if ineffective.

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- 8. To David Buchanan: a class of he-men to appreciate tap dancing with artistic effects.
- 9. Helen B. Carls: a book entitled "Witty Answers," compiled and edited by Eddie Cantor and Ed Wynn.
- 10. To P. Webster Diehl: one padlocked kennel for an elusive bull terrier.
- 11. To Robert Fagan: one chemistry text with a chapter on setting-up exercises for chemically-minded inertia.
- 12. To Edward Glaspey: one eyebrow, no,-mustache tweezer.
- 13. To James Glenn: a class of geometry students who will "Pardon My Southern Accent."
- 14. To Hugh D. Kittle: a detector for gate-crashing chiselers at football games.
- 15. To Ethel Knox: a few Roman weddings for dull moments.
- 16. To Albert McBride: one ten-foot rule to measure a six-inch trout.
- 17. To Frank Spotts: a twinge of compassion for the lower animals, especially when playing basketball in the Faculty vs. Varsity game.
- 18. To Alice Walters: a vault for band sweaters.
- 19. To Murray Wilcox: smudge-proof faucets.
- 20. To Lydia Wright: an advance schedule of all fire drills.

STUDENT

General

- 1. To the Junior Class: FAITH.
- 2. To the Sophomore Class: HOPE.
- 3. To the Freshman Class: Just CHARITY.

Specific

- I. To Paul Breen: the Pearly Gates . . .
- 2. To Rena Clarkson: one faithful football hero. (Meantime, Rena, hands off the freshmen; after all ...)
- To Phyllis Dettlebach: with Grace McCarthy's consent, we leave you the privilege of imitating her style and manner. Really, it's an art and you need SOME practice.
- 4. To Wellesley Earl: parking space in the Smithsonian Institute for Leapin' Lena.
- 5. To Warren Everson: a patent for that grin.
- 6. To George Freed: Marcus Wertz's good judgment and Clem McGarry's clarinet.
- 7. To Seymour Taffet: someone with whom to agree.
- 8. To James Tully: one big headache—the Class of '36.
- 9. To Gary Vanderbilt: a sewing basket and a music box.
- 10. To Jule Vessie: a substitute for Jack Anderson.

In Witness Whereof, we, the class of 1935, realize by the symptoms; namely, talkativeness, superiority complex, and unequaled brain power, that the dreaded disease Education has completed its disastrous work. In the few remaining minutes of life we scan eagerly the faces of our classmates, then beyond to the corridors of our beloved Alma Mater, the scene of many pleasant hours. Having thus secured an indelible imprint with which to face the Purgatory of Life, we now with our dying breath revoke all former promises, threats, and challenges, and affix our hand and seal on the aforesaid date.

Witnesses: The Big Bear

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The Middle-size Bear The Wee Little Bear

All aboard folks! We're going for our last ride in that good old class auto that has carried us through the past four years. What's that? Did someone ask what kind of a car it was? It's a Senior car, painted red and white and-well here's what it is made of:

Front Bumper Eldon Shawger - - - Nathan Miksch, Ellinor Apgar Bumperettes - -Fenders - George Crane, Florence Payne, Joseph Shanahan, Edith Ackerman Wheels - Jack Anderson, Doris Shechner, Mildred Monaghan, Nick Rosamilia Six Cylinders - Marcus Wertz, Walter Rajca, Frank Stellatella, Helen Kelsall, Bernice Ehrlich, Jeanne McClelland

Four Wheel Brakes (Air Brakes) - Christie Albanese, Patsy Calvitti, Alice Lounsbury, Irma Maguire

Headlights Joe "Red" Grosch, Estelle "Red" Usdansky
Engine Trouble Carl Hummel, Anna Petrosino
Speedometer Porter Sheldon
Parking Lights Geraldine Miller, Ted Beausang
Stop Light Francis Lee
Spare Tires Myra Zink, Everett Martling
Choke Bill Cross
Ornaments Howard Holmes, Chuck Babcock, Grace McCarthy, Joan Byles
Four Doors - Marjorie Brean, Ruth Brinkerhoff, Ed Sadlock, Elmer Van Demark
Running Boards Audrey Heilman, Felix Clark
Springs William Meeker, Peggy Haworth
Emergency Brake Paul Horton
Starter Bill Jones
Exhaust Chalkie Hodgkinson
Gasoline Class Dues
Lubrication Danny Del Tufo
Driver Robert Brinkerhoff
Back-seat Driver Mr. Coulter
Baggage The Rest of the Class

AS WE WERE

(See Page 44)

- I. Ellinor and Reeve Apgar
- 2. Ethel Searl
- 3. Joan Byles
- 4. Elizabeth MacFadyen
- 5. Jeanne McClelland
- 6. Margaret Haworth and Jane Rose
- 8. Margaret Haworth 8. Audrey Heilman 9. Florence Payne 10. Everett Martling

- Janet Scholtz
 Edward Kraus
- 13. James Campbell
- 14. Patsy Calvitti
- 15. Ellen Jackson
- 16. David Goodrich
- 17. Florence Smith
- 18. Jane Rose
- 19. Theodore Wyckoff
- 20. Francis Lee
- 21. Edith Petrie



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Eleanor Deck	-	-	-	-	-		- Secretary	
Mae McFadzea	n -	-	-	-	-		- Treasurer	

The Student Council meets on alternate Wednesdays of every month. Its purpose is to improve the school in every possible way. Representatives to the council are chosen by elections in the home-rooms. Each homeroom has one representative.

This year, under the supervision of the faculty advisers, Miss Penelope Pattison, Miss Oleita Thorne, and Mr. Robert Fagan, and the presiding officer, the Council was able to sponsor a series of eight varied programs, including The Ulrichs, Frank P. Douglas, The Pollard Players, Ambassador Quartet, Major Phillip Martindale, Zellner, Kenneth E. Foster, and Di Grosta and Ferrari.

The Student Council's successful year was due to the cooperation of the school administration and members.

STUDENT PATROL

One of the most respected bodies in Belleville High School is the Student Patrol his is an organization of young men who are in good standing, have leadership BUty, and have a good average in their subjects. Each patrolman has a definite post to which he goes when the two-minute bell rings. It is his duty to see that order kept in the corridors during the changing of periods.

This year it has been more difficult for the faculty adviser, Mr. Robert Fagan, because of the two-session day. It was necessary for him to break in a group of Freshmen who had little or no idea of how our patrol was run.

Marcus Wertz was elected captain of the morning group and Bill Schillig was given control of the afternoon patrol. The two captains of the patrol are responsible to a chairman of the Student Council who is in charge of the patrol. Mr. Fagan is constantly in touch with the members of the patrol and personally sees that they do their duty.

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Philip Ward	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Vice	e-president	
Jean Forbes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Secretary	

"Who's going to bank today?" That's the cry of our Student Bankers every Tuesday.

This organization, whose membership consists of students elected from every home room, cooperates with Miss Linnea Andree, faculty adviser, in instilling in the minds of the student body the vaule of thrift.



THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

"Music is a moral law. It gives a soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, a charm to sadness, gaiety and life to everything. It is the essence of order and leads to all that is good, just, and beautiful of which it is the invisible but nevertheless, dazzling, passionate, and external form."—PLATO.

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Daniel Alvine -		-	-	-	-	-		- Secretary
Nick Grande	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Treasurer

The students in this department are directed in their thought, but the final results rest with each student. Thus the Music Clubs have become the largest and most active group in Belleville High School.

In November of the school year, a music council was formed, comprising a representative from each unit of the organization. These eight students plan and carry out the program arranged for the year under the conscientious guidance of their faculty director, Miss Alice Walters.

We consider it a singular distinction to have had the privilege of sending five students representing our high school to Atlantic City in an All-State Chorus and four students in an All-State Orchestra. These participants received pins as merits for their outstanding accomplishment.

Our band and bugle corps, led so well by that able drum-major, Daniel Alvine, is composed of 106 members. Perseverance and cooperation coupled with personal sacrifice have made possible its achievement. Had it not been for our band, our various civic affairs, our gridiron contests would have been lacking in enthusiasm.

In March, an audience which overtaxed the capacity of the auditorium was given a rare treat in the presentation of the opera, "Hansel and Gretel," sponsored by the music department.

Later in the month, the Parent-Teachers Association donated the sum of seventy dollars to further the activities of the music clubs. This money was expended in purchasing a screen for the auditorium.

In May, because of the increased interest and a greater degree of proficiency we were able to have a larger delegation represent us at the combined Essex County Chorus, Band, and Orchestra than heretofore. We feel that the substantial foundation laid in the past year augurs well for the future success of musical activities.

The orchestra, and each member thereof, deserves much credit. Their untiring efforts and unselfish devotion have helped tremendously to make our social functions enjoyable and to give spirit to our morning assemblies.

The stellar rendition of this club was the Concert given on May the fifteenth, before a large audience. Sufficient funds were realized to secure a set of kettledrums.

Students who ardently supported the Glee Club in its many activities for a period of four years were awarded gold pins, while those who similarly served for a period of three years received a letter, an old English style "B."

Despite the handicap of the two-session plan, the Music Department has met with apparent approval, having the whole-hearted support of the students and the parents as well. The students were highly commended by their director, Miss Walters, for their productive efforts and fine sense of responsibility.

Our entire success was largely due to the encouragement and cooperation of Mr. Holbert and his other administrative officers.



DEBATE CLUB

Helen Kelsall -	-	-	-	-	-		- President
William Jones -							Vice-president
Jeanne McClelland	-		-	-	-	-	- Secretary
Ellen Conry -	-	-	-	-	-	-	- Treasurer
Kenneth C. Coulter Wendell C. Allen							Faculty Advisers

This past season has been the fullest in the history of debating in Belleville High School. Not only has the society taken part in numerous forensic activities, but also more students than ever before have had a chance to participate in these activities.

In the Northern New Jersey Debating League Belleville met several important teams. In a radio debate the Belleville team scored a victory over South Side. Belleville also entered the University of Newark Tournament and is a member of the Newark Forensic Union. An extemporaneous speaking contest was held for the students of Belleville High School. The first prize, offered by Mr. Laurence Keenan, was won by Helen Kelsall. Ellen Conry, who won second place in this contest, later represented Belleville High School at the State Extemporaneous Speaking Contest held in Perth Amboy.

In a large part, the success of the debate club this year can be attributed to Mr. Coulter and Mr. Allen, who gave a great deal of time to assist in the preparation of the debates.

DRAMATICS

The dramatics classes, under the direction of Miss Frieda Reed, were this year divided into two sections. A beginners' class was formed for those who had not studied the subject before, and an advanced class for those who had had one or more years of practice and study in drama.

In the primary group the principals of drama were learned and practiced. In the second term, in order to gain practical experience, the class gave a play, "The Neighbors," by Zona Gale.

Pronunciation, enunciation, and diction were practiced in the advanced group. Two plays, "The Turtle Dove," a Chinese love story by Margaret Scott Oliver, and "The Will o' the Wisp," a rural story by Doris F. Halman, were presented as class projects.

PRESS CLUB

Helen Kelsall -	-	-	-	-	-	- Editor-in-chief
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Edward Glaspey	-	-	-	-	-	- Faculty Adviser

"All the news that's fit to print!"

The Press Club could well claim this statement as their slogan.

Under the advisership of Mr. Glaspey, the Press Club was organized in September. The fundamental purposes of this club were to receive instruction in the elements of journalism and to gather all school news of value and interest to the students, for publication in **The Belleville Times**.

Among the highlights of the articles printed was the ever-amusing and interesting "Feature Column," which students looked forward to reading every week.


SECRETARIAL CLUB

Mae McFadzean	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	President
Edith Petrie -	-	-	-	-	-	÷	Vice	-president
Lillian Harker -	-	-	-	-	-	-		Secretary
Natalie Savage	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Treasurer
Mrs. Anne Snede	ker -	-	-	-	-	-	Facult	y Adviser

The purpose of this club is to prepare the students for the business world and to give secretarial assistance to the members of the faculty.

Some of the outstanding features of the year's activity were two assemblies, one of which presented the champion typist of the Royal Typewriter Company, the other a three-act play entitled "The Trailer of Errors."

The club sponsored a typing contest among the students of the advanced typing class and the winner, Edith Petrie, received a gold pin.

The members of the club supplied secretarial service to the faculty and the high school office during the year.

INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL ARTIST'S SOCIETY

Jeanne McCle	land -	-	-	-	-	-	-	President	
Eileen Mueller	-	-	-	-	-	-	Vie	ce-president	
Mary Elizabeth	Compt	on -	-	-	-	-	-	Secretary	
Daniel Alvine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Treasurer	

The highest honor which can be awarded a student of the fine arts is membership in the International High School Artist's Society. Upperclassmen only are eligible for election to membership in the Society. Miss Alice Walters, Miss Frieda Reed, and Mr. P. Webster Diehl, the sponsors, all require outstanding proof of the ability of the candidate in music, drama, or art.

The chapter roll includes John Cataldo (1932), Charles Christell (1932), Lieselotte Goettert (1933), Dorothy Gardner (1933), Rayna Maryott (1933), Thelma Petith (1934), Alyce Miller (1934), Marion Davidson (1934), Jean MacKay (1934), Donald Gauss (1934), Mildred Drentlau (1934), Muriel Beresford (1934), Elsie Balder (1934), Jeanne McClelland (1935), Helen Kelsall (1935), Mary Elizabeth Compton (1936), Daniel Alvine (1935), Eileen Mueller (1936), Ellen Conry (1936), Muriel Oschner (1936), Gladys Perry (1936).

CHEERLEADERS

"Oh, my back! Oh, my arms! I'll never be able to walk again." Such were the cries of those who tried out for cheerleading.

After weeks of strenuous practicing the following were picked from the many who tried out: Ruth Brinkerhoff, Ethel Young, Rena Clarkson, Eleanor White, Mario Russo, Warren Hodgkinson, Joseph Grosch, and Phyllis Dettelbach.

So that the Freshmen could have cheering in their assemblies, the coaches picked five girls as Freshman Cheerleaders. They were Betty Schwab, Isabelle Smith, Margaret Soleau, Helen Sanok, and Janet Smith. These girls did a very good job and we hope they will make the varsity next year.

The cheerleading groups were sponsored by Edward Glaspey.



SHOT AT SUNRISE





ATHLETICS

With the appointment this year of A. K. McBride as Athletic Director and Supervisor of Physical Education in the Belleville schools, new impetus was given to athletics in the schools. The athletics of the lower schools are now coordinated to increase both interest and skill in sports, one end in view being to make high school athletics more effective in the future.

Cooperating with Mr. McBride in this work is Hugh D. Kittle, Faculty Manager of Athletics, who has worked unceasingly to provide interesting schedules for the various sports, and to keep athletics on a firm financial basis.

A coaching staff consisting of eight faculty members supervises the training of the various teams. The following are coaches of high school sports:

David H. Buchanan	-	-	-	-	-	-	- F	ootball
A. K. McBride -	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ba	sketball
Frank A. Spotts -	-	-	-	-	5	-	- E	Baseball
Walter A. Hack -	-	-	-	-	-	Fresh	man F	ootball
Alvin B. Davis -		-	-	-	- F	reshm	an Ba	sketball
John K. Hefferman	~	-	-	-	-	-	- Sw	imming
George C. Reinke	~	-	-	-	~	-	-	Tennis
Paul A. Brennan -	-	-	-		-	-	-	Golf

VARSITY CLUB

Marcus Wertz -	-	-	-	-	-	President
Frank Stellatella		-	-			- Vice-president
Arthur Jocher -	-	-	-	-	-	Secretary-Treasurer
William Chapman Paul Brennan Frank Spotts	} -	-				- Faculty Advisers

The Varsity Club consists of those boys who, in their high school career, have been awarded a varsity letter for participating in a major sport.

The meetings of the club are held bi-monthly in the Belleville Recreation House.

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This year the annual Varsity Club Dance was held on December 1, 1934 in the high school gymnasium. The dance, as usual, was a great success, because of the cooperation of the club members and of the student body, and the interest of the faculty advisers of the club.



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FOOTBALL

Football has become one of the foremost athletics in the High School. The enthusiasm of the boys and the training received in school helped to make Belleville's team a strong unit.

Frank Stellatella was elected captain of the 1934 eleven. Under his leadership Belleville scored many victories, but the pinnacle of success was reached when the Blue and Gold defeated Kearny, one of our greatest rivals, with the score of 25-0. The annual Varsity versus Alumni game played at night under floodlights proved that the Belleville boys could play football "Night and Day."

The High School eleven was coached by David H. Buchanan, whose conscientious work kept the squad in condition.

BASKETBALL

For the second time in the history of the school, Belleville was invited to enter the State Basketball Tournament. Though we were eliminated in the first round by Bayonne, we made a good showing.

In addition to the tournament invitation, Belleville enjoyed a very successful season, winning twelve games, and losing only five. Our victories included such schools as Garfield, Orange, Irvington, Kearny, and Weeguahic.

The team was coached by A. K. McBride, who was assisted by Alvin B. Davis. The team consisted of Elmer Van Demark, Joseph Shanahan, and Edmund Sadlock, forwards: Robert Bootay and Horace Gausepohl, centers; and Walter Smith, Felix Clark, and Anthony Zuzzio, guards. The student manager of the team was Daniel Alvine.

BASEBALL

Frank Sullivan -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ca	aptain	
Fred Sisbarro, Jr.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ma	nager	
Frank A. Spotts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- (Coach	

Greater interest was aroused in baseball this year than ever before through a series of inter-home games run off before the season opened.

However with only three letter men back this year, Sullivan, Sadlock, and Van Demark, Coach Spotts had to build up a team from raw material.

Our team played Kearny, Barringer, Lyndhurst, Bloomfield, Dickinson, Weequahic, Irvington, and West Side. The team also entered the Greater Newark Baseball Tournament.





SWIMMING

The swimming team, under the direction of its coach, Richard Cheatle, and its sponsor, John K. Hefferman, met for practice three days a week, at the Montclair Y. M. C. A.

The Captain elected for this year was Jack Anderson, who has won the foremost place in diving and in the 100-yard free style. Following him, a close second, is Danford Del Tufo. Those excelling in other swimming styles are as follows: breast stroke, Wilfred Potis; 50-yard free style, Frank Schleicher and Herman Doell; 200-yard free style, James Campbell and William Tate; 50-yard back stroke, Jack English; 200-yard relay, Herman Doell, Frank Schleicher, William Tate, and Jack Giglio; 150yard medley relay, Frank Schleicher, Jack English, and Wilfred Potis.



GOLF

Golf is rapidly becoming an important sport in all schools. In the High School this year the golf team was organized under the leadership of Paul A. Brennan. The team qualified on Broad Acres Golf Course. Qualifying scores were as follows: Chester Sanok, 80; Ted Duszczak, 84; George Uzzolino, 87; Al Perkowski, 88; Carl Dittmeier, 89; Dewey Tatz, 92. The team chose Greenbrook Golf Course for the home matches.

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