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DEDICATION

WE, the Class of 1940, dedicate
the Monad to our Mothers and
Fathers, who have guided us
with patience and understanding
through the most important
period of our lives.

*"Thou wert our parent, the nurse of our souls,
We were moulded to manhood by thee,
Till freighted with treasure-thoughts, friendships,
and hopes,
Thou didst launch us on Destiny's seas."*



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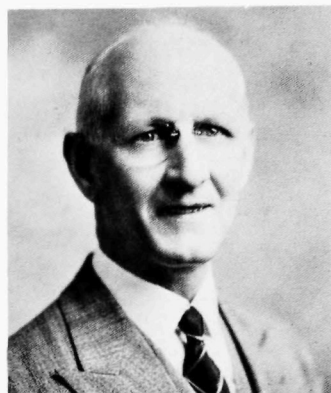




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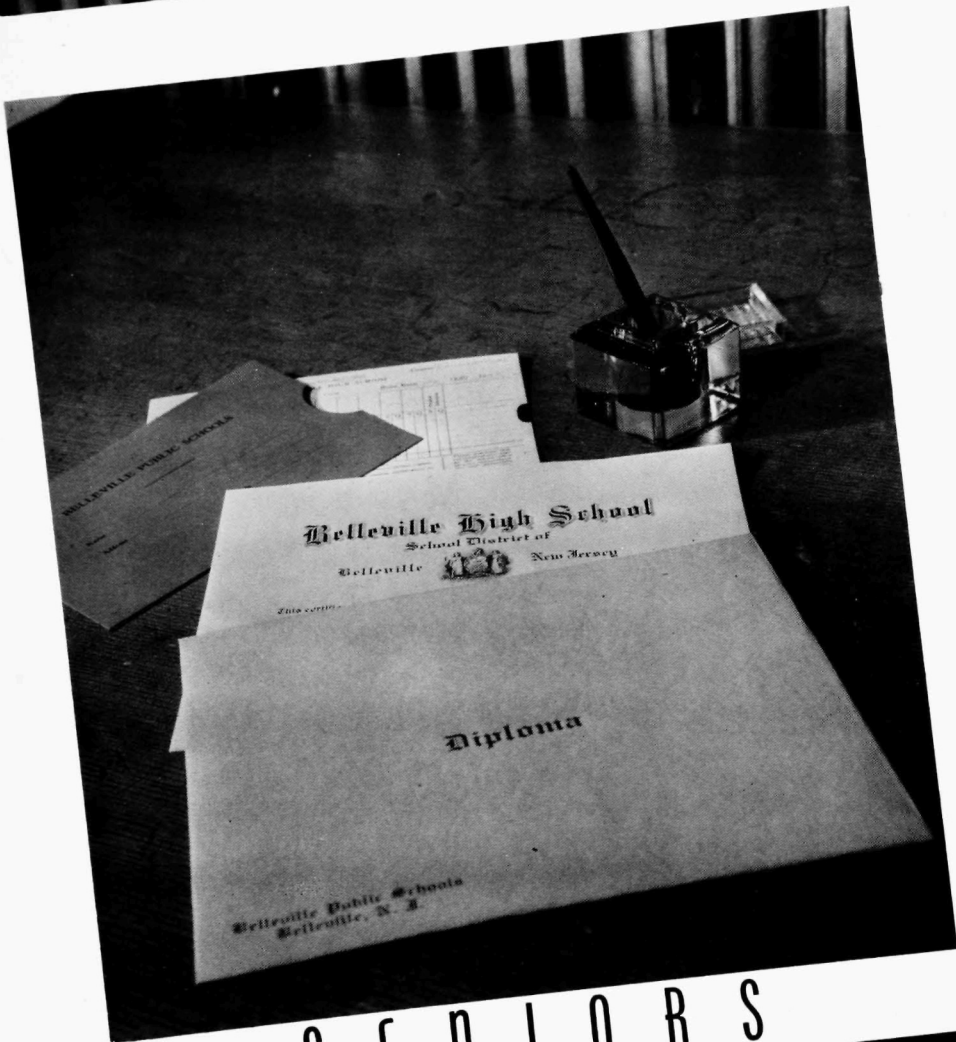


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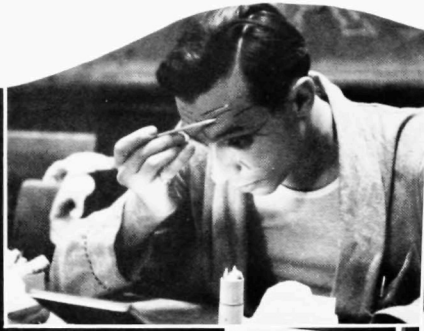


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SENIOR SENATE.

"WILL the meeting PLEASE come to order." Stanley Litts surely has some job presiding over this ambitious group of seniors that go to make up the Senior Senate. This legislative body is composed of two senators elected to represent each homeroom.

The senate exists for the students. It is their duty to act for each senior, thus planning all dances, trips and other activities. After each meeting, the senators give a report of their activities to their respective homeroom. A detailed report is posted for those who are further interested.

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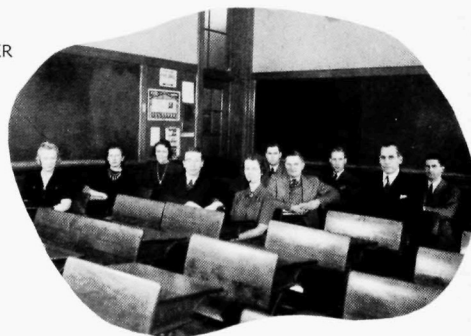
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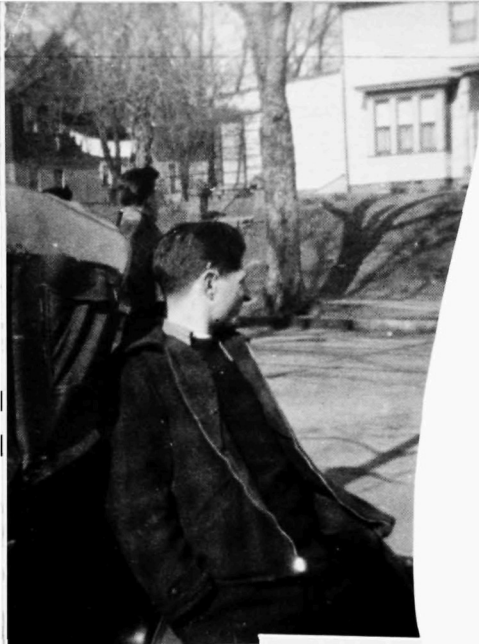
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VENIMUS, VIDIMUS, VICIMUS





IT was a lovely sunny morning when a herd of young freshmen, to be known later as the Class of 1940, crashed the gates of B. H. S. At last our ambitions were achieved—our hopes fulfilled—no longer were we children. We were high school students! And besides that, we were untroubled by the usual blights of a freshman's existence. We attended an afternoon session of school, by ourselves, in the absence of the heckling upper classmen. That is, this peace lasted until—the inevitable came. The completion of the new addition to the high school found us the proud occupants of the brand new classrooms and shiny lockers. And suddenly, it seemed, we came of age and were able to organize and enter into a money-making proposition. Herbert Tolton, our president, announced the great event in assembly one day and made quite an impression as was shown by the profits of our Christmas Party. A great deal of the credit for the success of this, our first affair, was due to our advisers, Mr. Norman Cotter and Miss Rose Friedman.



Freshmen are all well and good in their place, but there is nothing like being a sophomore to inspire one with the confidence and experienced air so necessary to an upper classman. We elected as class officers: Darrell Zink, president; "Red" Gorman, vice-president; Edith Frey, secretary; and Stanley Litts, treasurer. Aided and abetted by our advisers, the Misses Myrle Allen, Olga Nelson, and Blanche McDonald, we threw another very successful party, the Sophomore Hop, which was held in April.



Really, there is nothing like being a junior—now that sounds familiar, doesn't it? But it just seems that each year of high school is more fun and more enjoyment than the last. This year we really branched out. We began by electing a new set of officers: Stanley Litts, president; Bob English, vice-president; Margaret Cocks, secretary; and Lucille Gallagher, treasurer. Then it was, "Wanna buy some candy?" at the football and basketball games and, "Would you care to purchase a pair of tickets to the Junior Mid-Season Dance? Aw, come on, help a poor junior out." But this was all just a build-up for our big chance to make good, the opportunity of a class career. And did we muff it? I'll say we did not! In spite of our worries and frets, our Junior Prom was just as



lovely and as perfect as anyone could wish. We did it on a modernistic theme reflecting the light rays of the gym through long tubular "sticks" of cellophane and with a back-drop typifying the current World's Fair.

Ah—but the nicest thing in the world is to be a senior! We officially became Seniors last June when Stanley Litts, reelected to serve a second term as president, received the mantle from the president of the Class of 1939 for our Senior Class. Our officers elected were "Luke" Plenge, vice-president; Lucille Gallagher, secretary; and Eldon Kunze, treasurer. We got right to work. First we held a couple of football dances in honor of our heroes of the gridiron, which netted us some very good times, but which added little to our class treasury. And then there was that big masquerade, attended by those who dared to brave the witches and hobgoblins who were afoot that night, the Hallowe'en Dance.

About this time we were very busy, between trying to sell our Christmas Cards (and being very successful, at that) and catching up on the latest rumors pertaining to a very important event in our career as the Class of 1940. Towards the end of November, being up on the latest gossip, we knew practically for certain that a smash Broadway hit of last year was to be our own Senior Play! Came the try-outs, and with them sleepless nights and ragged fingernails. And where could we have found a more perfect cast for "What a Life"? For two weeks before the actual performance, the whole town of Belleville became "What a Life" conscious. For this much credit and thanks are due to the advertising committee. The untiring efforts of the cast and production staff were appreciated by the whole class, and the play was a huge success financially as well as professionally.

Our farewell dance for the school was the Midwinter Frolic, at which we crowned the King and Queen of Belleville High, elected by popular vote, "Red" Gorman and Margo Hyde.

To the members of the faculty who have endured our idiosyncrasies and helped us to keep on the straight and narrow path, guided us faithfully and supported us staunchly we are sincerely grateful. They are Miss Gregoria Condon, Miss Elsie Sanford, Miss Alma Gray, Miss Thelma Weidman, Miss Eleanor Rush, Mr. Paul Jones, Mr. Harold Dufford and Mr. David Fulcomer.





Carl Adams

18 May Street
General Course

As a contrast to the fact that he is always seen with the fun-loving group, Carl is on the honor roll . . . a tall, lanky fellow with blond hair and a ready smile . . . the friend of everyone . . . his aim is to become an aviator and with his eagerness to work, there is no doubt of his success.



Ruth L. Alworth

167 Hornblower Avenue
General Course

A little shy about mentioning it, but she wants to become a doctor . . . but contrary to this aim is her attitude toward insects . . . they scare her "most out of her wits" . . . a member of the Junior Senate and a follower of her class activities . . . history is her favorite subject . . . biggest worry: "Am I getting out?"



Dorothy Anderson

608 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

A conservative young lady with a pert little face . . . has always taken her school work seriously . . . Dot likes being a spectator at football and basketball games . . . has long, beautiful auburn hair and just loves to fuss with it . . . Dot has helped her class by selling candy at football games.



Philip Androsiglio

26 Columbus Avenue
General Course

Phil is a quiet and usually a serious boy, but he can also appreciate other people's jokes . . . his interest in music led him to join the Orchestra and to play the violin in it for three years . . . hobby is botany . . . expects to take a business course at Drakes College in Newark next year.



Marilyn Ruth Armstrong

11 Forest Street
College Course

Marilyn is a conscientious worker . . . is attracted by Irish setters . . . likes sports, especially horseback riding . . . collects pictures of horses and follows the polo games . . . quite naturally was a member of the Riding Club . . . also the Latin Club . . . intends to study to be a medical secretary.



Jack Avaxier

74 Little Street
Commercial Course

Hunk is his name . . . he is a persistent chap, usually getting what he goes after . . . a good sportsman . . . Jackie excels in basketball . . . as a Senior, he is trying to be the captain of the basketball team and pitches for the baseball team . . . Hunk would like to be a professional baseball player.



Violet May Bailey

221 Little Street
Commercial Course

Vi, whose middle name is "Pep", takes an active part in all sports . . . a whiz at basketball . . . is usually on the winning team . . . during her high school years, has served on the Junior Senate and several dance committees . . . aims at no set mark . . . says Vi, "I'll hit that target when I come to it."



Cecile Marie Baker

50 Little Street
Commercial Course

Cecile, an ambitious girl with a determined will of her own . . . always on the go and ready for anything . . . was active in various clubs . . . a member of the Senate for three years . . . builds model aeroplanes . . . hopes to become a newspaper secretary and with her friendly manner is sure to be a success . . . on "Monad" staff.



Doris M. Baldwin
31 Columbus Avenue
Commercial Course

A quiet, reserved girl with a pleasing personality . . . ever ready to give someone a helping hand . . . her favorite pastime is strumming a Spanish guitar . . . ambition is to become a teacher of music . . . is the youngest member of a musical organization called Strings of Harmony.



Alyce Barrett
11 Terrace Place
College Course

Alyce is a friendly, shy, little girl, who is always very co-operative . . . a confirmed jitterbug who just loves to put a rug to the music of a hot orchestra . . . her ambition: "Now I'm a little spark hoping some day to burst into large flame" . . . interested in social service work . . . hopes to attend some college.



Lillian Baumbush
90 Bell Street
Commercial Course

Shyness accompanied by a friendly smile is your first impression of Lillian . . . further investigation reveals an active interest in bowling . . . Lillian would like to become a receptionist and, with her pleasing personality, we are sure she will and become a success at welcoming.

Laura Beckett
38 Adelaide Street
College Course

Laura is the girl with a cheery hello and a smile for everyone . . . her desire to help in school led her to be Student Banker in her junior year . . . often would rather swim than do anything else . . . Laura says, "My ambition right now is to get out of school as soon as possible."



Casper Behring
84 Bremond Street
College Course

Casper is friendly but quiet . . . to see his tall figure approaching you'd guess he was good basketball material . . . right, he has played on several teams in the town leagues . . . a member of the National Guard . . . going to study mechanical engineering at Newark Tech in evening courses.

Marie Behring
84 Bremond Street
General Course

A slight bit of a girl with a shy smile . . . you will find, Marie a very entertaining person with whom to associate . . . a girl who is willing to share with anyone . . . expects to be a nurse, and with her pleasing personality she should tend to speed her patients to recovery.



Rita Bennett
46 New Street
Commercial Course

A little slip of a girl . . . never a dull moment when Rita is around . . . blonde hair, blue eyes and a cheery smile are her main assets . . . attended all high school affairs . . . pert, poised, and peppy . . . you'll find her rug-cutting whenever possible.

Eleanor Berry
130 Overlook Avenue
Commercial Course

El, an attractive and very athletic girl . . . excels in swimming . . . in the winter skiing and ice skating take up much of her time . . . enjoys watching most sports, her favorite being football . . . an easy-going disposition with a sense of humor mark her personality.





Pauline Ann Biase

42 Bellevue Avenue
Commercial Course

Need somebody who can sell tickets? Pauline is the girl... snow and skis are all she needs to be in her glory... also collects stamps... has taken part in a number of school activities... belonged to the Secretarial Club... likes school but the homework gets her down... little Miss Librarian.

Ella Bloom

15 Dow Street
Commercial Course

Ella came to B. H. S. after two years in Central High... a short slim, blonde girl with laughing blue eyes... one and only interest is dramatics... one of the reasons for the success of the Senior Play... desires to continue her education in the form of dramatics.



Virginia C. Bond

403 DeWitt Avenue
Commercial Course

Attended Barringer High School during her first three years upon entering our high school, she immediately acquainted herself with the students and became a Belleville sport enthusiast... Ginny, we admire you for the way in which you made friends and got into the "swing" of things.

Robert Breen

382 Stephen Street
College Course

Bobby is noted for his joking saunters through school day in and day out without a worry... Bob's most interesting subject is chemistry never takes a book home for homework... says, "All work should be done in school"... plans to further his education in mechanical engineering.

Salvatore Brisk

66 Union Avenue
Commercial Course

"Sally" is an obliging chap and therefore has many friends... his sports interests included Freshmen basketball and football... belongs to the Bowling Team... graduated from School Number Eight... also finds enjoyment in art work... will follow high school commercial course with a term in a business college.

Clemence Brough

302 Greylock Parkway
Commercial Course

Clem is everyone's friend... has taken dancing lessons ever since she was knee-high to a grasshopper and has the ambition to become a professional dancer... a member of the Secretarial Club... very outstanding in all her secretarial work.



Catherine Brown

262 Hornblower Avenue
Commercial Course

Catherine is very good natured and cooperative in all she is asked to do or undertake... an excellent basketball player... noted for rolling up the scores on the court... a loyal follower of all sports... has participated in many high school activities.

Francis Brown

65 Perry Street
Commercial Course

A graduate of St. Rose of Lima, Newark... has a craving to travel... favorite outdoor sports are swimming and skating... unusual in the fact that he collects milk caps... pet hate is peroxide blondes and reasonably so with his contrasting black hair.





John Brown

262 Hornblower Avenue
Commercial Course

An easy-going fellow, John . . . never worries about anything, least of all school work . . . a whiz on the ice . . . the first cold snap, you'll find him executing a new stunt . . . favorite hobby is playing billiards, a game at which he is an expert.

Virginia Brujian

100 Division Avenue
Commercial Course

During Ginny's four years of school, she has been friendly with all her companions . . . jet black hair and beautiful big brown eyes that flash when she is angry and gaily twinkle when she is happy are her main assets . . . a bubbling-over personality . . . is liked by all.

*Love of Luck
Two Canteens
1932*

Rosemarie Buono

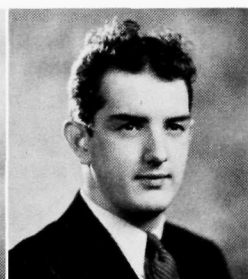
117 Chestnut Street
College Course

Rose likes to travel which accounts for her desire to become a foreign correspondent . . . a vivacious person and a good sport at all times . . . hiking may be classed as her favorite pastime . . . a member of the Latin Club.

Thomas Burns

575 Union Avenue
General Course

Tom, a tall boy with wavy hair, came from St. Mary's School in Nutley . . . works as an office boy hoping to advance himself until real success taps his shoulder . . . he is a very quiet fellow and makes a fine friend . . . participated in sports including two years of football and two years of basketball.



Charles Butler

43 Wilson Place
General Course

Charles has many friends because he is lively and full of fun . . . is easy to get along with and gets a big kick out of teasing people . . . of all sports he enjoys playing basketball best . . . with that winning smile, there is no doubt he will be a success as a traveling salesman.

Carmine Cafone

96 Passaic Avenue
Commercial Course

People are never aware of his presence . . . quiet and studious . . . an active member of the baseball team for three years . . . whenever it is possible plays golf as a hobby . . . Carmine's one and only objective is to play baseball with a big league team.



Peter A. Calabrese

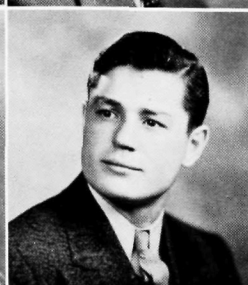
16 Bloomfield Avenue
General Course

Pete is small, but nobody tries to bully him because he is a mighty midget . . . in sophomore year his studies were hindered by a broken leg . . . has been a member of dance committees and the Senior Senate . . . played in the orchestra for four years . . . hopes to study medicine at Johns Hopkins University.

John Calicchio

500 Joralemon Street
College Course

This boy is famed for his basketball playing . . . he intends to go on to college and study journalism . . . a "set shot" artist and Bachelor Club member . . . his favorite subject is public speaking . . . not afraid to voice his opinions . . . a great joker who possesses an everlasting grin.





Lucy Margaret Capalbo

38 King Street
Commercial Course

Lucy is a short, chubby girl . . . collects photographs from here, there, and everywhere . . . a member of the Home Eckers Club . . . likes to putter around in the kitchen . . . a regular movie goer . . . doesn't know exactly what she wants to do . . . a secretarial job will suit her.



Michael Capanear

34 Franklin Street
College Course

Mick, as he is known to his friends, is usually seen reading the sports section of the newspaper . . . would like to be a sports commentator . . . interest centers mainly around ice hockey and golf . . . a hard working fellow . . . always ready to enter into class activities.



Antoinette Caputo

151 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

Chickie was born on Thanksgiving Day, hence the nickname . . . collects antiques . . . is in her glory when she can plan a party for other people or redecorate her room . . . a member of the Camera and Home Eckers Clubs . . . Chickie is a movie fan . . . ambition is to be an interior decorator.



Edward Carr

208 Stephen Street
College Course

Oh yes, it's Ed who is a whiz in the laboratory . . . always has the experiment under control, despite a number of mishaps reported . . . likes to bowl and swim . . . Ed intends to continue his education and become an A number one aviator . . . serious, studious, yet popular and likable.



Margaret Carragher

54 Smith Street
Commercial Course

Marge is a blue-eyed, Irish lass . . . interested in becoming a journalist . . . always clowning . . . known for her jokes both original and twice told . . . loves to dance . . . prefers sweet music to swing . . . a member of the Secretarial Club and typing staff of the "Monad."



Carol Catwell

378 DeWitt Avenue
College Course

Carol is noted for her clarinet playing . . . a happy-go-lucky person, ever ready for fun . . . considers music her favorite pastime . . . has been a B. H. S. representative in the All-State Orchestra . . . was an enthusiastic member of the Glee Club . . . she desires to become a professional musician.



Ruth E. Cartwright

28 Ralph Street
Commercial Course

Ruth is a talented girl who has the ability to write novels . . . quiet and sincere . . . reading is her hobby . . . a member of the Secretarial Club . . . she has not chosen her profession, but hopes that she may go far in the field of writing . . . can be found studying seriously any hour of the day.



Joseph Caruso

191 Cortlandt Street
General Course

The Senior with the platinum blond hair . . . otherwise known as Joe . . . an unassuming fellow going about his work with never a worry . . . a member of the Bowling Team . . . an excellent artist . . . would like to continue his education in this field and become a commercial artist.



Mildred Caruso

468 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

Her friends call her Milly . . . known for the way she wears her hair . . . excels in secretarial work and belongs to the Secretarial Club . . . intends to continue her education along this line . . . a good dancer . . . also likes popular music.



Mary J. Cataldi

347 Union Avenue
General Course

Mary is a very attractive girl who is well-liked by teachers and students alike . . . came to high school from Number Three School and has always taken an interest in activities . . . was a Student Banker and belonged to the Secretarial Club . . . think she has a promising future and wish her success.



Kenneth Chewey

178 Malone Avenue
College Course

"Chew" was the Italian junkman in our Senior Play and executed his part extremely well . . . an excellent violin player . . . has been a band and orchestra member for three years . . . an argumentative sort of fellow . . . a distinguished member of the International Artists Society.

John T. Ciallella

67 Cedar Hill Avenue
Commercial Course

A jitterbug what am a jitterbug . . . spending all his spare time rug-cutting . . . a riotous fellow, never a dull moment when John is around . . . a lover of all sports . . . was manager of the Freshman Football Team . . . intends to further his education in order to become an electrical engineer.

Alphonso J. Cipolaro

11 Cedar Hill Avenue
Commercial Course

Alphonso, believe it or not, has no nickname . . . likes vaudeville shows better than anything else . . . a lover of all sports, Alphonso was Freshman Football Manager . . . just a jitterbug at heart, you'll find him rug-cutting whenever possible.

Rita Clark

95 Union Avenue
Commercial Course

Rita is one of our wide-awake "Sunshine Girls" . . . has a cute smile that Mother Nature trusted her with . . . has the power to make the deepest frown or darkest cloud disappear instantly . . . her voice mingled with those of the Glee Club these last two years . . . an all around good sport.

Ted Close

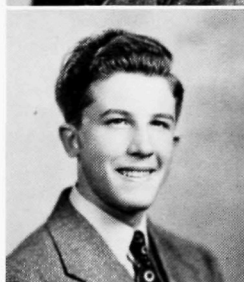
19 Tiona Avenue
College Course

Ted is one of our shining lights but he appears to be a little bit modest . . . is a friendly, jovial chap with few enemies but many friends . . . will always remain with us as a fellow who knew more than a little . . . played basketball in his senior year.

Margaret E. Cocks

172 DeWitt Avenue
College Course

An attractive, smiling young lady with a winning personality . . . Margaret serves as secretary of the class which a junior and proved herself a very efficient member of the Senior Senate . . . delights in the music of the leading swing bands . . . a sweet girl and a more faithful friend would be hard to find.





*Good hulk
Bealy*



Domenick Corino

32 King Street
Commercial Course

Best of Luck
Domenick is tall, dark and quiet, always reserved and easily pleased. He is ambitious, a leader, well-mannered, happy-go-lucky fellow who likes to dance and enjoys music especially swing. He has a conservative life of any party doesn't raise family electric bill by working over school books until late at night.



Catherine Cox

53 Van Houten Place
College Course

Here we have a studious child with a great deal of ambition to make good. We are happy to say Belleville is proud to claim her as a student. When not studying she is simply perfect, having a cheerful word for all. She likes Mr. Jones and history. She belonged to Orchestra and Band.



Mary Ann Cozzarelli

8 Van Rensselaer Street
General Course

Sweetness is one of Mary's most prominent characteristics. She has a winning smile and an "hello" for everybody. We find her breezing along through school with few troubles. She intends studying nursing and we think she is perfectly suited to it. Her plenty of charming personality is hers.



Florence Crafferty

237 Stephens Street
Commercial Course

"Chub" is one of the taller set of our beautiful women. She has a terrific hate for French. Her dark hair, nice disposition, describes her perfectly. She loves to roller skate. She can be seen frequently at the local rink. She spends great deal of time at school sports events.



Arthur Crommelin

71 Bremond Street
Commercial Course

Art is tall and lanky with blond hair and a keen sense of humor. He enjoys ice skating, driving and tinkering with his car. These are his main pastimes. Art has no set ambition, almost any simple job will suit him.



Jean Marie Daddio

495 Franklin Avenue
Commercial Course

Jean has a grand personality as well as driving ambition. While in school she has joined the German, Camera, and Secretarial Clubs. She is known for her smart and tasteful appearance. She intends to study dress designing. Her smile and sweet disposition have won her many friends.



William Daddio

495 Franklin Avenue
Commercial Course

Bill
Bill never made very much noise but in his subtle, quiet way, has piled up an imposing list of friends and activities. He can argue himself out of everything. He seems an authority on everything but girls. He is an exceedingly good basketball player for high school.



Claude Daw

50 Smith Street
General Course

Claude is a quiet, unassuming person who spends his time studying. Like all boys he is fond of sports. His favorite pastime and hobby is building model aeroplanes. Claude's main objective is to further his education and become an architect.



Anthony De Feo

31 Mt. Prospect Avenue
Commercial Course

Anthony comes from Number Eight School . . . his friends call him Tony . . . seldom seen studying . . . usually seen clowning . . . has no spare time, for he works after school hours . . . his main problem is how to keep out of trouble.



Daisy E. Del Guercio

14 Hewitt Avenue
Commercial Course

Pep and vitality plus an endless supply of quick comebacks . . . her interests run toward music . . . a mellow voice and a unique style of her own really "put a song over" . . . Daisy's clear, flawless skin makes her stand out in a group . . . a lovely face with the devil dancing in her eyes.



Palma Del Guercio

217 Forest Street
Commercial Course

Pam, as she is known to her friends, is as full of fun as anybody in the school . . . seems to enjoy everything she does . . . dancing is her pet form of recreation, and she also may be seen watching various athletics in school and out . . . vivacious, amusing, and sportsmanlike are good words for Pam.

Teresa J. Del Russo

373 Lake Street
Commercial Course

Terry is one of our most talented jitterbugs . . . executes intricate steps with ease . . . an ardent bicycling fan who also derives a great deal of pleasure from roller skating . . . was a member of the Glee Club in her freshman year . . . small but full of pep and vigor . . . always ready for a good time.



Marie M. De Nicola

603 Main Street
Commercial Course

Marie is a most good-natured girl who is very interesting to talk to . . . spends her spare time in school doing homework and catching-up on her subjects . . . enjoys playing a good game of basketball . . . would like to become a telephone operator . . . hard-working, energetic, and pleasing.

Helen J. De Noia

15 DeWitt Avenue
College Course

Helen's four years have been crowded with a great number of activities . . . a class banker for two years . . . an active member of the Debate Club and served on the Junior Prom Committee . . . aside from these she found time to be up at the top of the class in her studies . . . nice work, Helen!



Gloria H. Denton

224 Joralemon Street
Commercial Course

A tall girl with blue eyes . . . is a speed demon at shorthand leaving the class far behind . . . has a pleasant personality and is cooperative and willing to work . . . was a prominent member of the Orchestra for three years and was a member of the Secretarial, Hiking, and Debate Clubs, and was on the Junior Prom Committee.

Ruth Dettelbach

Hampox Avenue
College Course

A lovely Miss with a flair for athletics . . . served as an officer of the Riding Club during all four years . . . an ardent golf enthusiast, she was the manager of the Golf Team when a Senior . . . an excellent student . . . she is always meticulously groomed.

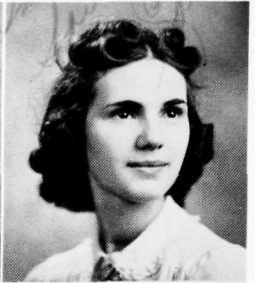




Benny T. Di Lauri

128 Belmont Avenue
Commercial Course

Benny has a warm, friendly manner that appeals to everyone . . . his subtle humor can relieve the gloomiest of situations . . . plays a fast game of baseball and is interested in track activities . . . never at a loss for words, he soon makes himself known to those about him.



Camille Distasio

145 Garden Avenue
Commercial Course

Camille is one of those unusual girls who is quiet and somehow seems to enjoy her solitude . . . interested yet seldom showing that interest or taking part in class activities . . . is different from most of the other students . . . perhaps she will succeed for this reason.



Florence M. Dmchowski

440 Cortlandt Street
General Course

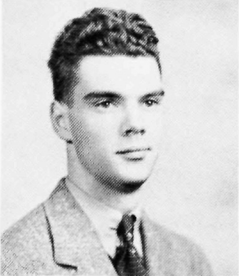
Flo has a giggle that spreads through an entire classroom . . . good naturedly takes a great deal of kidding about her name, many calling her "Smitty" . . . her stream of conversation flows endlessly . . . one of the few girls who actually plays basketball well . . . a grand girl and always pleasant company.



Irene M. Donofrio

14 Columbus Avenue
Commercial Course

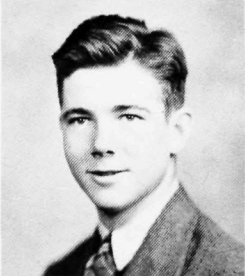
A girl who takes an interest in sports and plays a "bang-up" game of basketball . . . likes to cheer our school on to victory . . . when she finishes high school, she will be one of the many who will look for success in the business world . . . prepared for it by joining the Secretarial Club.



Edward Dyson

108 Belmoir Street
General Course

Ed is very tall and also handsome . . . with these distinguishing qualities, however, he is quiet and a bit shy . . . has made good on the track team for two years . . . is a happy-go-lucky sort of fellow whose wit is sure to amuse you . . . seldom seen at class affairs.



Harry E. Eisenbrown

67 Bremond Street
General Course

Belleville High School's gift to the local theatre . . . Harry's an usher, you know . . . attended Westwood High School as a freshman . . . made himself known by his prowess on the basketball court . . . very agreeable and always ready to please . . . wins admiring glances from fellows and girls alike.



Gloria Jane Elдер

85 Greylock Parkway
College Course

Pert, pretty and popular . . . that gives an accurate picture of her . . . one of our very capable . . . during her senior year and a constant sports enthusiast bound for Katherine Gibbs School after graduation, and we think she'll make a very pleasant secretary to have around.



Wallace Elliot

217 Greylock Parkway
College Course

This happy-go-lucky chap has breezed his way through high school with a grin and a ready answer . . . was a hurdler on our track team in his junior and senior years . . . Wally's amazing faculty for making noise won him the job of sound effects man for the Senior Play . . . he's fun-loving, friendly and frank.

Just a bunch of kids



Robert W. Engel

338 Washington Avenue
General Course

One of our "muscle men" . . . Bob was a familiar figure on the gridiron . . . this tall, thin lad also played basketball for B. H. S. . . . he's not noisy and yet you are always conscious of his presence . . . his powerful physique is secretly envied by many . . . congenial . . . we have yet to see him lose his temper.



Robert B. English

92 Tiona Avenue
College Course

Bob is a tall, dark fellow who likes basketball and ice skating are just two of his favorite sports . . . likeable and friendly . . . elected Vice-president of the class in his junior year . . . enjoys a joke and is always ready to play one on some unsuspecting person . . . interested in class activities.



Barbara Ewing

305 Greylock Parkway
College Course

"Bobbie" is the studious type of girl . . . at her desk every morning bright and early, ready for the day's grind of work . . . is very quiet, but she has a smile for everyone . . . we wish her luck in her life work . . . an ardent member of the Bowling Club.

Bob is a tall, dark fellow who likes basketball and ice skating are just two of his favorite sports . . . likeable and friendly . . . elected Vice-president of the class in his junior year . . . enjoys a joke and is always ready to play one on some unsuspecting person . . . interested in class activities.

Patricia Field

66 Calumet Street
College Course

Pat is an all-star athlete . . . one of our shining lights on the gridiron . . . in his last three years . . . interested in track . . . a freshman, and baseball as a sophomore . . . plays games skillfully and is a good sport, winning or losing . . . has a ready sense of humor . . . athletic and sportsmanlike.

Lucille S. Federici

146 Heckel Street
Commercial Course

Known to her friends as "Lu" . . . attended Number Four School before entering high school . . . even though Lucille doesn't make very much noise in classes she is a swing fan . . . likes jitterbug dancing . . . cooperates with the class in its activities . . . can be relied upon to help in every way possible.

Patricia Field

43 Schuyler Street
College Course

Pat is quiet, kind and the possessor of a pleasing personality . . . is the winner of friends will surely succeed with her tenacity and ability . . . incidentally is one of the school's attractive brunettes . . . is efficient and should succeed in any field . . . had a leading part in the Senior Play.

Domenick T. Fierro

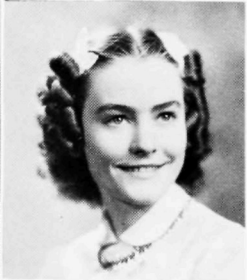
74 Cedar Hill Avenue
Commercial Course

Domenick is never known to be absolutely quiet . . . known for his lengthy discussions of timely subjects . . . is a "pro" at bowling, baseball, and basketball . . . is likely to start dancing at any time if he is in the mood . . . he hopes to become a barber or beautician.

Robert Fitzgérald

1 Smallwood Avenue
General Course

Bob is one of the grandest fellows in the school . . . a perfect gentleman at all times and everybody is his friend . . . interested in track in his junior year . . . always ready to cooperate with the class and with the students . . . attractive personality, amusing, and ambitious.



Best of luck to it



Walter Fodor

235 Joralemon Street
General Course

Short, brilliant and quiet, that's "Wally" . . . is always willing to help with all that is in him . . . is very seldom seen looking or even conversing with anyone of the fairer sex . . . doesn't lack school spirit but didn't have time for social life . . . a Senior Banker.

Harvey W. Fort

133 Forest Street
College Course

Here is a boy who has real dramatic talent . . . has been seen in dramatic class productions throughout his four years in high school . . . his ability was recognized when he competed in oratorical contests . . . was a member of the cheerleading squad in his junior year . . . original and entertaining.



George H. Fralley

36 Mertz Avenue
College Course

Friendly and ever ready to help anyone . . . George has won many friends for himself during the past four years . . . recognized as a leader . . . was a class representative as a freshman and as a senior . . . gave a most pleasing performance in the Senior Play . . . a really fine fellow and well-liked.

John G. Fredericks

174 Union Avenue
Commercial Course

John was a member of the French Club although its meetings gave him many headaches . . . he dislikes people who are endlessly apologizing . . . would like to be an explorer . . . a candidate for the Football and Track Teams . . . speaks little but acts with determination . . . quiet, sensible.



Robert H. Fredericks

17 Continental Avenue
General Course

If you are looking for an all-around good fellow, that's Bob . . . plays basketball, golf, and baseball . . . is an enthusiastic sports fan as well . . . can tell you who the National Open Golf Champion is or who will win the pennant without a moment's hesitation . . . easy-going, likable, and entertaining.

Edith F. Frey

159 Tappan Avenue
College Course

Personality plus a golden voice and an extraordinary musical talent are only a few of Eede's qualifications for success . . . was elected secretary of the class for two years . . . participated in every activity imaginable including the Monads' joined the Bowling Club and Glee Club . . . enthusiastic, entertaining, and efficient.



Ruth J. Fuller

31 Overlook Avenue
Commercial Course

A dark-eyed maiden with a personality that "clicks" . . . never forward but continually on hand when there is any action . . . proved to be an active member of the Secretarial Club . . . fond of swimming and an all-around athlete . . . a grand girl who is well-liked.

Lucille B. Gallagher

442 Union Avenue
Commercial Course

There can be no doubt that this career is going places . . . treasurer of the class in her junior year and secretary in her senior year . . . did a very convincing job in the Senior Play . . . gifted with the voice of the Irish . . . a welcome member in a group . . . efficient, fervent, and easy-going.



Catherine G. Gardella

10 Parkside Drive
College Course

A lively, pretty girl with loads of friends . . . has a smile and a ready "hello" for everyone . . . is interested in bowling and debating as well as other school activities . . . is always prepared for a good time and enters into all the school fun . . . the perfect description of Catherine is "good sport."



Mildred Ellen Garland

67 Forest Street
Commercial Course

Millie's lovely, curly hair is the envy of all of us . . . combined with a sparkling personality and an appealing manner that's all her own, she's a charming lass . . . her senior year brought a position on the cheering squad . . . a keen sense of humor makes her popular . . . is alert, amiable and active.



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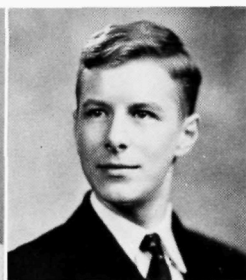
124 Prospect Avenue
Commercial Course

A fun-loving Miss with a friendly manner . . . likes to be called "Elaine" . . . by her friends . . . enjoys dancing and has a grand time in school . . . is one of the girls who sincerely likes shorthand and means to use it when she graduates . . . enthusiastic, intelligent, and always ready for a good laugh.

H. Paul Gemill

10 Van Rensselaer Street
College Course

This personable young man is extremely interested in photography . . . took moving pictures of our football squad in action . . . can easily be persuaded to tell of his extensive travels through the United States and Canada . . . an enthusiastic aquatic fan . . . always pleasant company.



Pauline J. Gentile

92 Roosevelt Avenue
Commercial Course

Pauline is a quiet, hard working girl who finds history her hardest subject . . . urges her friends to call her "Chubby" . . . is one of the many of girls who go bicycling for fun and exercise . . . is an ardent sports fan . . . quiet, quiescent and very easy to like.

Anna Patricia Glennon

131 Union Avenue
College Course

A hand reaches in the door and snatches the attendance slip . . . paces to the next room and so on down the hall . . . this is Anna's job . . . endlessly running around, although calm at all times . . . a meek grin and a drawing voice set her off from all . . . a talented key tickler and a member of the Band.



Natalie Goodwin

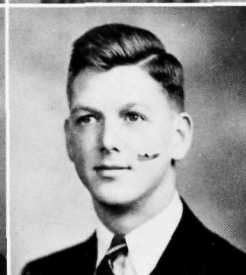
71 Overlook Avenue
Commercial Course

"Nat's" red hair is her shining light . . . a knack for keeping up with the fashion trend and takes a "gor-jus" picture . . . entered our portals from Westfield Junior High . . . elected Riding Club treasurer and joined Secretarial Club . . . thinks the perfect job is a receptionist . . . warbled with the Glee Club.

Edwin J. Gorman

69 Belmohr Street
General Course

Nicknamed for the carrotty glints in his hair . . . "Red" is one of the most well-liked fellows in school . . . elected to serve Jan Freshmen, Sophomore and Junior Senates . . . vice-president of our Sophomore class . . . excels in basketball and football . . . played varsity on the gridiron in his senior year.





Elsie A. Gow

49 Garden Avenue
General Course

Two years a banker and member of the German Club . . . "Els" is on her way to study law . . . can be found four times a week at the local movie house . . . olive oil makes her shiver . . . dresses stylishly and shows partiality to blue . . . laughs incessantly and has searching blue eyes.

Grace Greik

286 Franklin Avenue
Commercial Course

Grace is never boastful and always quiet . . . we are proud to claim her a member of our class . . . has been admired for her independent mind, her ability to meet problems with a cool head and frank opinion . . . is the type of person whose respect people work to win . . . is a member of the Senior Senate.



Elsie F. Grum

59 Smith Street
Commercial Course

The typical high school girl Elsie enjoys sports and French appeals to her . . . a member of the Riding Club . . . just can't get up in the mornings . . . her late arrival from St. Peter's Junior High School didn't hinder her progress . . . is going to travel . . . ambition: to become a leather buyer.

Erica L. Grund

35 Maier Street
Commercial Course

A green-eyed frau born in Germany . . . happy as the day is long . . . thoughts in mind and pencil in hand, she sets out and conquers her work . . . worries unnecessarily about school . . . belonged to Secretarial and German Clubs . . . is sorry to say, "Auf Wiedersehn."



Abraham Haber

94 Cedar Hill Avenue
Commercial Course

Abe's high school years have been well spent in accumulating information and taking an interest in the life of the school . . . he played the important part of the school "sheik" in the Senior Play and very convincingly . . . capable, hard-working, and efficient complete the description.

Robert A. Hageman

60 High Street
College Course

Here is a truly grand fellow . . . Higgy is interested in football and baseball and excels in basketball . . . his sharp wit and appealing sense of humor make everyone continually aware of his presence there's never a dull moment with Higgy for he's a good sport and always ready for fun.



William Handley

179 New Street
General Course

Is very much disappointed if you don't call him "Red" . . . is right at home on the initial sack and still more so on the court . . . a tall lanky fellow . . . dislikes coconuts and sunburn . . . is dedicated to sports . . . certainly no filibuster, he avoids a cluster.

Ward Hannon

310 Washington Avenue
General Course

Taciturn, reserved . . . not fond of spinach, school, homework or teachers . . . supports all sports but baseball's first in his affections . . . likes swing music . . . hobby is relaxation . . . wants to be a reporter . . . isn't sure but thinks he'll go into the insurance business after June.



Dorothy L. Hansen

230 New Street
College Course

Likes people and spends her spare time reading poetry. . . . change, her hobby is collecting it. . . . can't keep awake in history or math. . . . belonged to Debate, Chess, Riding, and Bowling Clubs. . . . slow but sincere in her efforts to help. . . . good natured, efficient. . . . these words are sufficient.



Henry R. Harder

61 Smith Street
General Course

Couldn't make up his mind as to an ambition. . . . but swing influences him. . . . finds homework his major problem (don't we all). . . . tried to solve it and so found no time for activities. . . . flash! Here's something new—quotes he, "I am not a woman hater!" unquote.



Earl C. Hathaway

223 Stephen Street
General Course

Has sudden bursts of wisdom. . . . for instance, when asked for his ambition, to wit: "pencil pusher, (no change it machinist!)" . . . so we dug up this. . . . he won poster contests, decorated for Senior Play, always forgetting locker key, has a flair for clothes, and is no relation to Anna.

George A. Haywood

154 Franklin Street
Commercial Course

George's hidden desire is to be a boxer. . . . really tucked it away when he joined the Glee Club. . . . but all kidding aside, here's a baritone who doesn't have any worries. . . . we wonder what his recipe is. . . . he's got a stationary smile that will go on file as being worthwhile.



Daniel H. Herb

377 DeWitt Avenue
College Course

Just like a boy, always cutting up and getting into trouble. . . . supplied laughs and heartaches rolling up points on the J. V. Basketball squad in his junior year. . . . Student Banker and Rifle and Chess Clubs were his activities and he says peroxide hair riles him. . . . ping-pong champ.

William H. Hicks

100 Overlook Avenue
College Course

Bill is famous for his chewing gum and howl-ies. . . . his big griot is practicing the trumpet. . . . speaking of brasses and the like, he was in the Band and Orchestra. . . . plays a good game of basketball and his plaid shirts distinguish him. . . . graduated from Number Three and is headed for N. C. E.



William Hill

341 Little Street
General Course

Bill is large of body and strong of will. . . . for four years he contributed a great deal to the welfare of his class. . . . also has the ability to contribute just as much to an intellectual conversation. . . . has a friendly attitude and pleasing personality which will help him to be a great success.

William C. Hochstuhl

22 Hunkele Street
College Course

Refuses to answer to the call of William. . . . took care of the money on Tuesdays when a mere sophomore and a member of the Junior Senate came here meek as a lamb but like March, he says, "I'm going to leave with a bang". . . . Bill also says he's goin' to college and methinks he'll do it up right.





*Best Nobs
John Hollander*

*the best of everything
in the business
Edy Hollery*



Mary A. Hoffman

688 Mill Street
Commercial Course

Mary bubbles over with giggles, sighs and chatters . . . she says she's going to be an all-day loafer, but we think not . . . likes to sew and take "pics" . . . who'd think she could settle down to studies and the Secretarial Club? . . . desire to move back to Magnolia Street.



Randall T. Holden

334 Washington Avenue
General Course

"Chick" has been a banker for five years . . . is destined to become a politician . . . as Bill in the Senior Play he amused us all . . . can persuade people to buy tickets . . . dramatics is his favorite subject and hobby . . . managed the football team in his sophomore year and is everybody's friend.



Dorothy K. Hollander

159 Main Street
College Course

Dot is an ardent music lover . . . dislikes intolerance . . . intends to study psychology . . . a good history student who received publicity for asking questions . . . blonde Cinderella-like hair and smooth eyes betray her inner nature . . . took part in Latin Club and in Junior Prom decorating . . . likes to walk in the rain.



Edward Hollweg

18 Hornblower Avenue
General Course

An elfish fellow who (we meditate) was born in a football suit . . . the shadow in his life is getting to H. R. on time . . . his favorite pastime is eating which shows in his membership in the home-tending Bachelors' Club . . . track aids him in his race with Father Time.



Verna Holly

56 Holmes Street
Commercial Course

Miss Holly is one of our rare phenomena who thinks automatically . . . has opinions on every topic whether politics, literature or customs . . . intelligent, clever, and a pleasing personality make up her qualities . . . quiet and attentive in the classroom but the life of any gathering outside of classes.



Frances E. Hoover

145 Elm Street
Commercial Course

Elected to Freshman, Sophomore and Junior Senates . . . Student Banker . . . Dramatic Club, and not the least of all the Senior Play . . . lovingly dubbed "Skipper" by her pals . . . her big worry is getting to school on Monday morns . . . goes about her work automatically sighing, "What A Life" . . . capable, cool, chic.



Norma A. Hope

47 Malone Avenue
Commercial Course

A likable nature and ability to work are Norma's helps for success in business . . . this charming red head was Secretarial Club president and Glee Club member . . . knows all the answers in history but hates concerted people . . . she passed her 120 speed test and enjoys following school activities.



Jane King Horvath

465 DeWitt Avenue
Commercial Course

"Hap" has swept along in a continuous whirl of activity . . . a leading character in the Senior Play, Editor-in-Chief of the "Monad" and a very vital member of the Senior Senate . . . an athlete, she aspires to being a gym teacher . . . a barrel of fun and a spontaneous personality.



John Howard

338 Greylock Parkway
College Course

Jack is going to be a teacher . . . isn't sure in the choice of a college yet . . . not a dude but a smart dresser . . . whizzes in with the tardy bell each morning . . . has an ability for getting together English notebooks . . . following orchestras is his hobby and has oodles of recordings of his favorites.

Gloria M. Hubert

85 Floyd Street
Commercial Course

Here's a girl with an artistic hand which accounts for her ambition to become a designer . . . obliging, observant, and orderly . . . displayed her talents on Sophomore Hop advertising and Junior Prom . . . wishes they'd install elevators . . . has a craving for banana splits . . . proud she had no red on her report card.



*Lots of lads
Ed Huizer*

*Call She. Luck
in the world to
an angel nice girl
Margo*

Edgar John Huizer

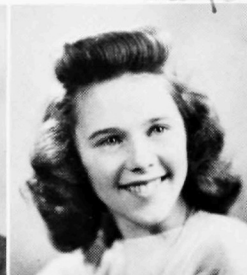
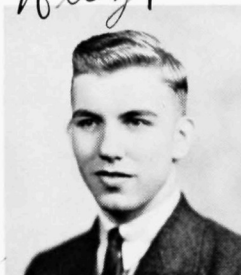
239 Joralemon Street
College Course

Helped behind the scenes of the play, as an electrician and was on the football squad in his junior year . . . cool, calm, and collected . . . these confess his Dutch ancestors' characteristics . . . conservative in dress and talk . . . has chosen as his college, Middlebury . . . and forestry as his life work.

Margo Hyde

275 Little Street
General Course

Four foot, ten inches of effervescent personality and charming appearance . . . that's Midge . . . a cheerleader during her sophomore and junior years and co-captain in her senior year . . . has been interested in dramatics from an early age and plans to continue her studies after graduation.



Rosalie Inaugurato

8 Magnolia Street
Commercial Course

"Ros" wants to be a doctor's assistant . . . is sometimes mistaken for a freshe, being a mere five feet in height . . . came from School Number Four to B. H. S. . . . investigation found she was a true friend and willing to share with anyone . . . her heart is in the B. V. S.

Nettie Ippolito

97 Magnolia Street
Commercial Course

Has been a true friend for four years . . . just follows her gang and indulges in lots of their wholesome fun . . . answers to "Pee Wee" and no wonder four feet ten inches, tch, tch . . . her one ambition is to become a nurse . . . we hope she makes the grade.



Ruth Johnson

66 Greylock Parkway
Commercial Course

"Johnny-on-the-spot" with a big smile for all . . . a prize shorthand student . . . with 120 award to her credit . . . came from Nutley High where she was interested in singing and dramatics . . . cut a niche for herself in 304 and worked hard for the success of the Secretarial Club.

Richard Frank Kapp

6 Division Avenue
College Course

Dick got off on the right foot at Morristown High School . . . seldom heard of but confidentially, has a roaring laugh . . . spent the summer bell-hopping at the Berkely-Carteret and hopes to find his place in that big bad business world.





Dorothy H. Kastner

67 Van Houten Place
Commercial Course

A wee lass with bee-oo-ti-ful brown eyes and enviable black hair . . . athletic, energetic, sympathetic . . . a graduate of St. Peter's and, believe-it-or-not, bookkeeping is natural to her . . . a perfect partner on a dance floor . . . polite yet dynamite . . . aided in decorating for the Sophomore Hop.

Dorothy R. Keeshan

30 Lavergne Street
College Course

Dot has the rare ability to pass German for three years and attended the German Club . . . helped us cutting and pasting for the Junior Prom . . . took to the bowling fad and can't name anything she dislikes . . . has the grand knack of being jovial and whimsical.



Henry Kellenbence

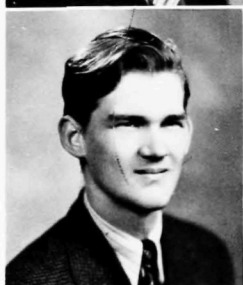
17 Stephen Street
General Course

"Hen's" goal is to become a draftsman and we know he'll reach it . . . so little . . . will he reach the desk? . . . always worrying about physics or something . . . gets big marks for a little fellow . . . assistant Track Manager in his junior year and a banker, of all things, in his first year.

Walter Kellenbence

17 Stephen Street
General Course

"Walt" wants to be a "Take-off" man, (airplane mechanic to us) . . . and speaking of wings and stuff, he was on the Track Team in his junior year . . . says he stayed back so "Hen" could catch up . . . but he's going right on ahead now . . . we're rootin' for him!



George E. Kistner

450 Cortlandt Street
General Course

This fellow's pet hate is the women's hats of now-a-days . . . they just don't make sense . . . says he . . . played in our band and orchestra . . . joined the Chess Club . . . plays basketball for relaxation and hopes to put in a bid for himself in the ever-growing business world.

Robert Klein

152 Ralph Street
General Course

Bob has already decided on being a great naval architect . . . very devoted to all sports, mainly fishing . . . shuns the use of "war paint" . . . a member of the Junior and Senior Senates . . . can be found aboard the "Black Eagle" in summer . . . easy going, quiet, and knowing.



Lorraine Kline

33 Maier Street
College Course

The dark-haired girl we call Lorry . . . kept track of our bank money in our freshman and senior years . . . sang in the Glee Club one year . . . did a grand job on our "What a Life" cast as a member of the Make-up Committee . . . would like to be a librarian, but says it takes too much schooling.

Dorothy Knobel

472 DeWitt Avenue
Commercial Course

A tall, brown-haired girl, who is very quiet, but very nice to know . . . for three years she devoted her Tuesday mornings to banking . . . a member of the Secretarial Club in her senior year . . . looking forward to business school in the fall . . . likes swimming and movies . . . came from Public School Number Five.



Marion Claire Koehler
612 Joralemon Street
Commercial Course

Always smiling . . . this fair-haired girl likes to travel and swim . . . plans to do office work after she graduates although she dislikes bookkeeping . . . belonged to the German Club in her sophomore year and is a member of the Camera Club.

Margaret J. Kolmer
276 Belleville Avenue
Commercial Course

Marjie, the sandy-haired girl in 306, loves to travel and ice skate . . . she says she abhors conceited people . . . wishes to work when she leaves school although she can't say at what . . . attended German Club meetings during her sophomore year.



Edwin R. Kowalski
411 Cortlandt Street
Commercial Course

Tall and blond . . . likes sports especially bowling . . . enjoys Gene Krupa and his ultimatum dancing . . . looks forward to working as a personal secretary or a court stenographer . . . took minutes as a senior for the Secretarial Club . . . loathes getting up in the morn with the alarm clock.

John Howard Kraeutler
43 Oak Street
General Course

Jack enjoys all sports, especially golf . . . looking forward to working with his father as an engraver . . . helped to form the Lancer Athletic Club . . . has an uncanny ability to draw anything from a mural to a cartoon . . . winner of many a poster contest . . . a dashing dresser and jovial jester.

Carl Kretzmer
381 Cortlandt Street
Commercial Course

A fellow you can always find talking . . . keeps busy attending Stamp and Camera Club meetings and fulfilling the duties of the treasurer of the Printing Club . . . likes all sports and enjoys listening to Martin Block . . . hopes to get a job and go to night school . . . he'll gladly join the crusade against women's hats.

Frank Krumeich
446 Belleville Avenue
College Course

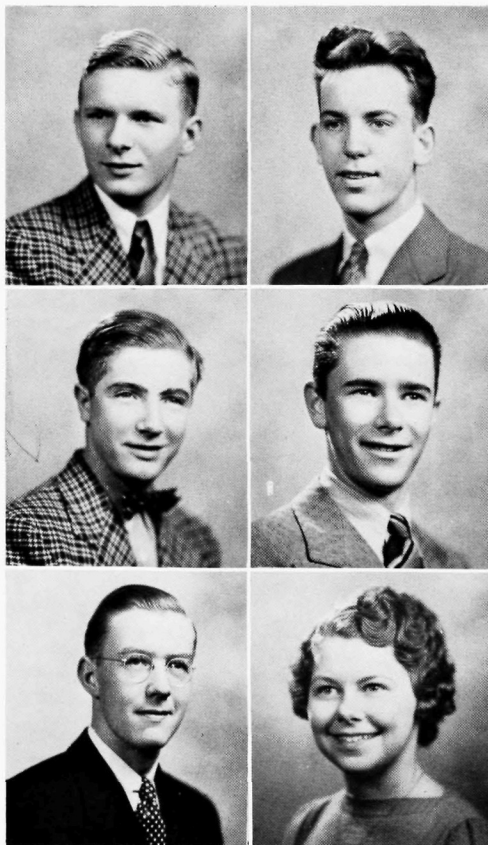
A very congenial fellow who has a friendly greeting for everyone . . . would like to become an electrical engineer if it is possible . . . enjoys good foods and the company of friendly people . . . baseball is his favorite sport with football following close behind.

Eldon C. Kunze
125 Cedar Hill Avenue
College Course

The fellow who sweeps up the bottles we drop in the cafeteria . . . represented his homeroom in our Sophomore, Junior and Senior Senates . . . manager of the 1940 Track Team . . . presided over the Stamp Club in his junior year . . . as treasurer, kept accounts for the Senior class . . . enjoys an occasional round on the green.

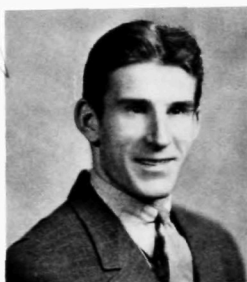
Ruth E. Labaugh
45 Forest Street
College Course

Sang in the Glee Club and helped with the Junior Prom . . . likes horseback riding, roller skating and dancing . . . says she will probably go to business school after graduation . . . June will bring for Ruth a twelve-year certificate for perfect attendance.





*Photograph
Duncan Langlands*



Duncan Langlands
355 Bell Street
Commercial Course

"Fox" is one of the most silent members of our class but when you know him, he gives you an entirely different opinion . . . if you need a friend you can turn to "Fox" . . . contributed a great deal to the football team for four years . . . tall and lanky . . . just a nice big chap.



James Lawlor
11 High Street
Commercial Course

Jim, a little fellow who gets a lot of enjoyment out of movies and adventure stories . . . likes sports, football best of all . . . what will he do when he graduates? . . . oh, get a job, any job, as long as it's a job . . . quiet, calm, but very friendly.



Mary Elizabeth Lee
32 Bayard Street
Commercial Course

A fair-complexioned, fair-haired girl, whom one may always find earnestly discussing short-hand with her nearest neighbor any time during the day . . . came from School Number One . . . likes ice skating and swimming . . . has quite a dislike for history.



Estelle May Lee
32 Bayard Street
College Course

Estelle always has something to talk about and usually manages to find something to giggle over . . . known to her friends as Clinker . . . is tall, blue-eyed, and blonde . . . has a Sunday School class and takes part in many plays outside of school . . . ever see Estelle and her sister Betty separated?



Barbara Ann Lent
182 Joralemon Street
Commercial Course

This light-haired miss would like to be a secretary or continue in a business school . . . a member of the Bowling, Secretarial, and Badminton Clubs . . . likes skating and swimming . . . studied dramatics for two years and demonstrated her fine acting on our stage a few times . . . studied art as a freshman.



Thomas Michael Leonard
89 Union Avenue
Commercial Course

"Tommy" represented his homerooms in his freshman and senior years . . . a member of the Bachelors' Club and the Secretarial Club for two years . . . counting on stenography as a means for earning a living . . . likes eating very much . . . his main desire in life is to visit his homeland, Ireland.



Geraldine Leone
275 Ralph Street
Commercial Course

Jerry is a pretty girl with eyes that express mischief . . . music, gaiety, dancing and laughter fill her daily life . . . being one of the wittiest girls in our class, she is the instigator of many a hearty laugh . . . has a serious sympathetic side too . . . popular and well liked.



Rose Leone
131 Garden Avenue
Commercial Course

Misleading gray eyes is this young lady's memorable feature . . . but running in second place is her desirable curly hair . . . she dances like a demon and is an all-round sports fan . . . we have seen her assisting behind the desk with the library work and in the cafeteria . . . small, sophisticated, and smooth.



Tom Lepre

55 Cedar Hill Avenue
General Course

This bashful lad has played football for three years and as a senior held down the pivot post on the varsity . . . favorite subject is public speaking . . . his hobby and pastime is a strange one — high-powered rifles . . . five feet seven inches of genuine jitterbug material and a class A dancer.

Dorothy Lidlow

91 Ralph Street
Commercial Course

Dot is well known among the basketball lovers of Belleville High School . . . last year won the championship playing forward with the Soclunds . . . fair, blue-eyed with a few freckles here and there . . . likes sports above everything else . . . hopes to do office work after graduation.



James girl!
Duke
Edward Duras Lister

93 Union Avenue
Commercial Course

"Duke" was a member of the Bachelors' Club for two years and a Banker in his freshman year . . . intends to go to college and study chemistry (of all things) . . . finds listening to the Make-Believe Ballroom an interesting waste of time . . . plays the piano and drums . . . quick witted and easily suited.

Stanley Litts

273 William Street
College Course

"Stan," Senior and Junlor class presidents and treasurer as a sophomore, . . . hopes to go through college and become a business executive . . . took part in freshman football and baseball and a member of the Bachelors' Club . . . lent a hand to the Senior Play and Junior Prom . . . jaunty and jovial.

Nicholas Lo Coco

61 Florence Avenue
Commercial Course

Intends to enter the business world after completing a course in accounting and business . . . a member of the track team in his sophomore, junior and senior year . . . participated in school football one year . . . favorite sports are baseball, football, basketball and track . . . was graduated from Number Four.

Arlene Bertha Lothes

29 Perry Street
Commercial Course

Always on the go . . . carting a violin almost as big as herself . . . has chestnut-colored hair, brown eyes and blushes easily . . . came to Belleville High from Jersey City in her freshman year and has played in our Orchestra ever since . . . Ar's favorite sports are ice skating and football.

Bonnie
Gabriel
Gloria Luhrs

56 Forest Street
College Course

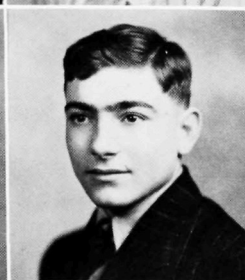
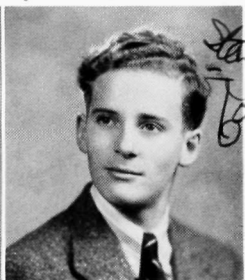
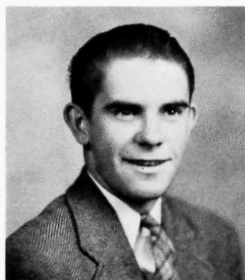
Hopes to enter Jersey City State Teachers College in the fall and study for elementary school teaching . . . shows partiality to tennis and swimming . . . likes to see good taste in her friends' and acquaintances' clothes . . . come from Number Five School . . . acquired a "Monad" berth and did her work well.

Michael Luongo

46 Memphis Avenue
Commercial Course

Known to his friends as "Diamond Rickets" . . . ambition is to travel . . . likes a good movie and enjoys an exciting game of pinochle . . . special dislike is to sit through a boring class . . . participated in school football and track . . . takes an interest in horseback riding, bicycling and deer-hunting.

Remembrances





Maria Catherine Lyons

10 Parkside Drive
Commercial Course

Maria likes watching football games on Saturdays . . . doesn't mind parting with history . . . is tall and dark-haired . . . went to grammar school in Jersey City . . . wants to become a private secretary some day and might well be, too . . . was a member of the Secretarial Club.



Leona Maasz

327 Union Avenue
Commercial Course

Lee's easy, elusive and effervescent . . . likes football and movies . . . weakness is buying nail polish . . . Lee just can't like serious people . . . hates worms . . . plans to buy a boat some day, and is going to be a secretary to get the money . . . activities—German Club and Stamp Club.



Donald Mac Kenzie

281 William Street
General Course

An advocate of winter sports . . . specially fond of ice skating, skiing and roller skating . . . constructs miniature boats . . . plans to go to college . . . still indefinite as to which one . . . pet aversion is talkative girls . . . thinks chemistry is his natural occupation . . . member of Science Club and Stamp Club.



Anthony Maffia

126 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

Detests poor sportsmanship . . . enthusiastic about bookkeeping and most sports . . . collects stamps . . . would like to be an accountant . . . plans to go to night school if he works during the day . . . quiet, studious, puts Lil Abner to shame when it comes to shyness and blushing . . . likes to work.



Claire Maguire

287 William Street
Commercial Course

Claire's nickname is "Midgie" and rightly so . . . short, with masses of dark, curly hair . . . interested in drawing, dancing, and football games . . . Claire wants to be a commercial artist . . . was a banker twice . . . a member of the Secretarial Club and served on the Senior Play Committee.



Joseph Masi

54 Lake Street
Commercial Course

For a good sport and sincere friend we give you Joe, whose word is always his best . . . tries hard and means well . . . quiet, self-reliant and reserved . . . is in every sense of the word a true senior . . . was a member of the school band during his sophomore year.



Rose E. Masi

54 Lake Street
Commercial Course

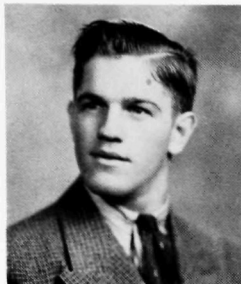
Studious, serious, and smart . . . Rose is always willing to share and is known for her generosity . . . she's a good basketball player and delights in all sports . . . hobby . . . collecting charms . . . Rose wants to become a private secretary . . . she was a member of the Junior Prom Committee.



George Maskell

58 Smith Street
General Course

Believes in nature . . . fond of camping and a strenuous outdoor life . . . naturally he dislikes office work or anything that must be done indoors . . . likes hunting . . . wants to be an outdoor worker after graduation . . . little and quiet . . . seldom know he's around.



Richard Matt

71 DeWitt Avenue
Commercial Course

Richard will always be ready with a wise crack and a pleasant smile . . . likes to play football . . . his work and appearance show a neatness which is very characteristic of him . . . with his classmates his words on any subject carry very much weight . . . a comic chap in English class.

Emily Mayer

201 Linden Avenue
College Course

Calm, cool, and quiet . . . nothing ever excites her . . . an outstanding basketball player, she likes all sports . . . newspapers aren't safe when Emily's around because she collects sport clippings . . . she's been a member of the Glee Club and was on the Junior Prom Committee.



Muriel McBrinn

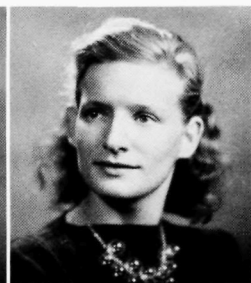
52 Wallace Street
Commercial Course

Muriel's peppy, friendly, and a good sport . . . like mushy dessert . . . has a wide repertoire of jokes . . . hates her piano lessons . . . Muriel's a good basketball player but follows her own rules . . . likes bowling, too . . . a member of the Senior Play Committee and the Secretarial Club.

Elizabeth Mac Caskill

28 Fairway Avenue
College Course

Betty is a certain girl that can be heard chatting gleefully and laughing with girls and boys in the halls almost any time . . . her popularity can be laid to two things: her pleasing personality and her pleasant smile . . . was a laugh-rousing, valuable member of the Senior Play cast.



Annette Mc Clung

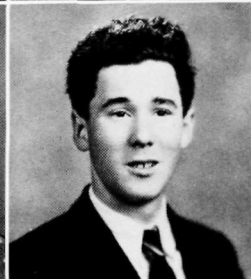
322 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

A devotee of basketball, swimming, nature, and dancing is our Annette, who came to us from Irvington in her junior year . . . her after-school hours are often used for sketching . . . this quiet owner of a captivating voice is quite doubtful concerning her future.

Bernard Mc Cullough

2 Copper Place
General Course

Wants more than anything to bowl in the A. B. C. Tournament this year and no wonder . . . bowling is his hobby . . . gets along with everyone . . . nothing bothers or disturbs him . . . wants to work after leaving school . . . well-liked for his generosity . . . aided in 307's quartette.



Thomas R. Mc Dermott

70 DeWitt Avenue
General Course

"Tucker" — this name has struck with him since his portrayal of that character in a play at St. Peter's . . . he likes to collect stamps and was temporary member of the Track Team . . . a truly artistic mind and hand are his and a genuine sense of humor becomes him . . . famous for his cartoons.

Robert W. Mc Laughlin

137 Forest Street
Commercial Course

Whirled through high school snapping snapshots and dodging girls . . . favorite pastime is relaxing while gulping down gobs of ice cream . . . a candid camera friend . . . thinks he'll succeed if this hard world as a newspaper photographer . . . member of Camera Club and Track Team.





Jean McNair

2 DeWitt Avenue
Commercial Course

Jean's a graduate of St. Peter's ... a rabid football and basketball fan ... has a "yen" for Gene Krupa ... received the Gregg Pin for the 120 words a minute ... looking forward to success in the business world ... Jean's been a valued member of the Secretarial Club and the Junior Prom Committee.

George McNally

11 Howard Place
College Course

Like all fellows, an admirer of sports ... chiefly interested in basketball and baseball ... dreams of the day when he'll travel abroad ... wants to become a member of the medical profession ... collects stamps ... plans to sell athletic equipment after graduation ... nicknamed "Speedy."



Clara Mc Tiernan

76 Ligham Street
College Course

Taffy-colored hair, brown eyes, pug nose and a soft voice are the eminent points about Clara ... this Liliputian is frank, gets along with all ... has a giggly brand of humor ... she's seen duty in the Senior Senate, Hiking Club, and Latin Club ... Clara's aspiration is more education.

Albert Meade

124 Bell Street
General Course

Never made much noise, but in his quiet way has piled up an imposing list of fine activities ... is not one that has a tendency to be very studious, although he does do some of his homework ... can argue himself out of anything and is an authority on most subjects except women.



Irene Mae Meier

31 Maier Street
Commercial Course

Irene's support is equally divided between swing and symphonies ... talk, tactful, and talkative describe her to a "t" ... Irene likes animals, but "specially dogs" ... she's ambidextrous ... her ambition is to work in the Prudential as a filist or a typist.

Louis Melchionne

33 Little Street
Commercial Course

Joined Printing Club in sophomore year and was elected vice president ... devoted sports fan ... in fact, always grabs the sports section of the newspaper first ... is particularly interested in swimming ... considering preparing for a career as an accountant.



Marie Mellilo

65 Center Street
Commercial Course

"Midge" is always a lady in every sense of the word ... grace! she has it ... beauty! she swims in it ... ah! yes, "Midge" of the flying fingers life is agreeable and pleasant when such girls become members of our senior class.

Virginia Grace Mermet

45 Hornblower Avenue
Commercial Course

Excellent dancer ... fond of singing, swimming ... dislikes mystery stories ... hopes the future'll see her established as an actress ... hobby is dramatics and music ... plans to go to the Academy of Dramatic Arts ... member of Senior Play, Glee, Secretarial and Camera Club.



Blanche Miesieski

77 Gless Avenue
Commercial Course

Always laughing . . . never out of breath except when climbing stairs . . . rolls along nicely on roller skates . . . befriends all home-like cats . . . ambidextrous . . . cranks her watch instead of winding it . . . collects pen knives . . . amusing companion . . . engaging sense of humor.

Catherine J. Miglionico

11 Naples Avenue
General Course

Usually found pondering over her studies and the expectation of a test sends her nose still deeper . . . a lover of the finer arts . . . including classical music and books . . . has a desire to become a court stenographer . . . called Kay by her intimates . . . is quiet but quick thinking.



Herbie's
Herbert V. Mihlon

186 Tappan Avenue
College Course

Herbie is best known for his musical ability and his opinions in the Senior Senate . . . a member of the Band and the Orchestra . . . "Monad" writer . . . silently he slips into dreamland in English . . . daily! . . . plans to go to N. C. E. and enthusiastically declares his craving for Sammy Kaye.

Josephine Milano

97 Passaic Avenue
Commercial Course

Josephine's lively, friendly, and giggly . . . she's enthusiastic about baseball, in fact—her ambition is to become a baseball manager . . . in her spare time she collects baseballs . . . popular, she's been a member of the Junior Senate, Junior Prom Committee, Senior Play Committee, Camera Club, and Hiking Club.

George Miller

249 Main Street
General Course

"Judge" is a cheerful member of our class and we might also add quite tactful, too . . . always has an answer for anything and it's usually a sincere, explanatory one, but all in all he's really a good sport . . . he, too, is one of our popular football players, having served four years on the squad.

William Miller

27 Minker Place
General Course

Draftsman, that's his burning ambition . . . plans to work and attend Newark Engineering College in the evening . . . he spends spare time drawing and puttering around model airplanes . . . likes a good fast game of basketball . . . stolid, stable and short.

Pompey F. Molinaro

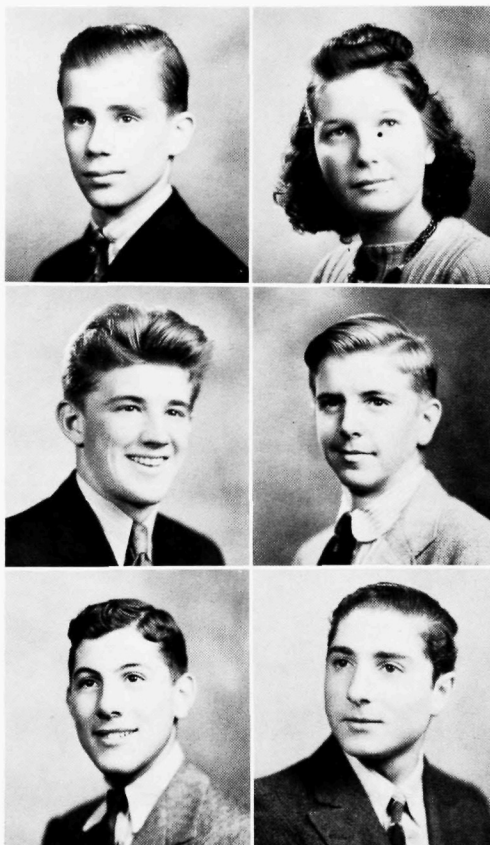
462 Belleville Avenue
General Course

His education first began at Number Ten School . . . can usually be found on the links . . . and a member of the Golf Club . . . a deep voice and tooth-paste-ad smile are his memorable features . . . referred to as "Mo" by his friends . . . desire is to be a radio announcer.

Fred Montalbano

5 Maioran Place
General Course

Fred adheres to the policy of the less you speak the less enemies you acquire . . . seems this policy has met with success for he is a very popular member of his crowd . . . an ardent baseball fan . . . likes to thumb out swing music on his guitar . . . and hums a little.





*Leads
of luck for
a quiet kid.
Regina*



John Moyer

29 Mértz Avenue
Commercial Avenue

John is a congenial fellow who has won his spot in the hearts of his fellow students and has managed to complete his course in four years. . . is a very excellent example of a boy with a sound mind in a sound body. . . John's hobby is bowling at which he spends a great deal of time.



Kenneth J. Mueller

50 Chestnut Street
General Course

"Ken" is a jolly, husky lad who likes wise-cracking best of all. . . he likes football, target-shooting and swimming and is often found participating in these. . . a member of the Printing Club and German Club. . . special band is Orin Tucker's. . . graduated from Number Seven School.



Regina Muller

2 Hornblower Avenue
College Course

Avoids show-offs and conceited people. . . has numerous hobbies. . . bicycling, ice skating, piano playing, eating and toe and tap dancing. . . wants to be proficient in whatever she does. . . intends to further her education. . . banker for three years. . . Sophomore Senate member.



Rose M. Murano

15 Heckel Street
Commercial Course

A tall, dark girl whose hobby and pastime is "How to Win Friends and Influence People". . . ambition is to become a competent secretary and she's well up the ladder. . . helped on the ticket committee for "What a Life". . . an orchestra, movie, and sports fan.



Catherine Murphy

12 William Street
Commercial Course

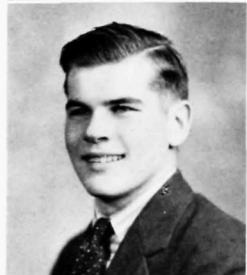
Catherine is a worker at all sorts of dancing and basketball playing but simply fails flat when it comes to telling jokes. . . getting on in the thing. . . desire is to be a dress designer. . . she's a member of the Secretarial Club.



William H. Naylor

231 Joralemon Street
College Course

His old friends call him Watts, his new friends call him Bill, the knowing call him Willie, and answer all, he will. . . a conscientious gentleman, who prefers blondes. . . pleasing personality and athletically minded. . . a long line of activities, among which are Varsity Football and Senior Play. . . desire: to inherit a million.



Eugene W. Neary

56 Van Houten Place
Commercial Course

Eugene is a sturdy likable fellow. . . was graduated from St. Peter's and played football and baseball as well as being on the Track Team. . . he was also on the Sophomore Hop Committee in the second year of high school. . . he plans to go to college and study business administration.



Saverio Anthony Noto

40 Frederick Street
General Course

Known as "Nestles" to his 307 friends because of his love for the famous candy bar. . . has a determined, dimpled chin and is the Valentino type. . . say he'd like to join the Army. . . reserved, resolved, and resigned. . . played football for two years and likes the wide, open spaces.

*More to come
more to come*



Bill O'Neil

Vincent Nucci

62 Cedar Hill Avenue
General Course

Strolled through senior year disliking chemistry class . . . hated rainy days—always got wet . . . worked best in English class . . . hobbies were football and photography (another candid camera fiend) . . . one ambition is to become a prosperous New Jersey farmer . . . will go to an agricultural school after graduating.

James F. O'Grady

122 Bremond Street
Commercial Course

Jim is a good-looking, friendly fellow from Number Five School . . . enjoys many sports such as bicycle racing, baseball, football, and basketball . . . after graduation Jim intends to go to night school . . . his ambition is to be a sports writer on a local newspaper.

Eugene T. O'Neill

94 Columbus Avenue
Commercial Course

A slow-voiced, slow-moving and acting boy . . . spare time is spent with his camera or tinkering with short wave . . . nature brings about his dislike for talkative girls . . . Gene wants to join the Navy or do something drastic in the way of radio . . . our impression: "What's in a name?"

William T. O'Neill

83 New Street
Commercial Course

Bill is a tall, dark boy, who looks as though he will succeed in this rocky world . . . interested in aviation and plans to go to night school . . . wanted to get out of school, but now that he is leaving he is sorry . . . came from Number Eight School and was a member of the Bowling Club in high school.

so a sweet girl
Fred Ochser

95 Tiona Avenue
General Course

An affable personality . . . roots for basketball and swimming but stands up and cheers for feminine company . . . cheerful, happy . . . dislikes nothing but "goes" for chemistry lab . . . interested in chemistry as an occupation . . . has served as banker and representative and member of Senior Play Committee.

Edward Ostroski

Essex County Hospital
College Course

Ed's verbose, mundane and pithy and the halls ring with his laughter . . . has sparse brown hair a ruddy face and Machiavellian eyes . . . questions everything . . . hates intolerance . . . after graduation he plans to enter Columbia and major in finance . . . he's B. H. S.'s gift to Wall Street.

Best
Patricia Owens

283 Little Street
Commercial Course

Never flustered or perturbed . . . a voracious reader of mystery stories . . . likes 'em spooky . . . calms her nerves by knitting after reading a particularly gruesome book . . . reserved . . . lots of fun when started though . . . favors position of private secretary after graduation . . . member of Secretarial Club.

Helen A. Ozupko

65 Fairview Avenue
Commercial Course

Brilliant small brown eyes and the gift to speak easily are Helen's characteristics . . . a member of the Hostess and Glee Clubs . . . hobby is collecting shells . . . intends to follow nursing so her ultimate goal is St. Barnabas Hospital . . . a graduate of Number Seven School.





Marie Paganelli

31 Dawson Street
Commercial Course

Marie likes all sports but especially baseball . . . operas and symphonies give her great pleasure . . . strangest yet, school isn't at all obnoxious, so she says . . . Marie's another ambidextrous maid . . . her ambition is to be a secretary . . . Glee Club benefited by her charming voice for three years.



Elmo Pascale

10 Florence Avenue
College Course

Elmo expects to enter college in the fall . . . in a few years he hopes to be one of Belleville's big lawyers . . . during his four years he has been in the orchestra and also a member of the Debating Club in his freshman year . . . proficient, promising and pleasant.



Eleanor Pasqualina

320 Franklin Avenue
General Course

Dancing, swimming, basketball, and golf have the firm support of this young miss . . . the one big blot on her sunny days is homework . . . her hobby is playing the piano . . . this bashful girl's going to dedicate her life to nursing . . . sweet and sympathetic.



Virginia Pasqualina

320 Franklin Avenue
Commercial Course

Devotee of dancing, basketball and swimming . . . usually avoids conceited people . . . graceful . . . would like to be a stenographer . . . reads and collects silver leaf in spare time . . . plans to get a job after graduating . . . quite and generous.



Dora Passafaro

51 Franklin Street
Commercial Course

Sweet, simple, and short—that's our Dora . . . she's friendly, likes everyone and everything—but school . . . of sports, basketball is most interesting to her . . . Dora collects charms, as if she needed any . . . Dora yearns to be a journalist after leaving Belleville High School.



Frank M. Pedalino, Jr.

12 Hilton Street
Commercial Course

Frank is a graduate of Number Seven School and would like to further himself in the business world . . . his main problem and his pet hate in life is women . . . favorite subject: office practice . . . enjoys all sports . . . ash brown hair and a ready smile.



Irene Pelosi

45 Naples Avenue
Commercial Course

Irene is a dark haired girl with a pleasing personality . . . is intelligent and takes a great interest in her work . . . a member of the Secretarial Club . . . when Irene graduates she intends to become a dress designer . . . as her favorite hobby she likes to collect recordings.



Marian Peppel

158 New Street
Commercial Course

A blonde-haired miss full of fun . . . likes ice skating and can be found at almost all basketball games . . . was a member of the Glee Club for one year . . . when Marian graduates she wants to become a secretary . . . showed durability by wearing her moccasins all winter.



Ruth Peterson

231 Stephens Street
Commercial Course

Ruth is a quiet, conservative girl, but very enthusiastic . . . we are not sure of what she will do when she graduates, but whatever it is, it will be something Ruth wants and we wish her all the luck possible.

Lawrence Pignatoro

25 Belmont Avenue
Commercial Course

After graduating from School Number Four, Lawrence entered Belleville High . . . likes to participate in all sports, but watching basketball and football games is his hobby . . . his ambition is to take an aeronautics course at Casey Jones School.



Frank Pitrelli

44 May Street
College Course

Frank is known to some of his friends as "Night 'n' Day" Pitrelli because of his remarkable faculty for getting lost wherever he goes . . . plays a spasmodically good game of golf on the Forest Hill course . . . likes to play football and shoot a rifle . . . wants to study medicine after his experience at Belleville High.

Ethel Place

146 Stephen Street
College Course

Quiet at times, but always has a pleasing smile . . . was very enthusiastic about her school work . . . Ethel's favorite subject is English . . . after graduation she expects to go to Newark Normal School . . . her favorite sport is riding and then basketball.

Robert L. Plenge

Rutan Place
College Course

Bob—better known as "Luke" . . . like most of us doesn't know what the future will hold . . . every part of him spells good sport as shown in his enthusiastic basketball playing . . . Class of '40's vice-president . . . modest, merry and mischievous . . . famed for his cider.

Claire G. Poole

18 Tremont Avenue
General Course

Claire is a pretty girl with a winning smile and a personality to match . . . came from St. Agnes Seminary in Brooklyn in her sophomore year . . . likes tennis, swimming, dancing, and reading . . . a member of the Stamp Club . . . elegant and efficient.



Mary Prendergast

33 Belleville Avenue
College Course

Maisie, as she is better known, is always right in the midst of any excitement . . . a very pleasing personality . . . she was in our Senior Play and did a swell job . . . Maisie has been in many activities . . . German Club, Dramatic Club and Bowling Team.

Florence M. Price

43 Prospect Place
Commercial Course

Flossie or "Mike" is an attractive girl and exceedingly popular . . . sang in Glee Club . . . she was room representative in Junior and Senior Senates . . . on committee for Junior Prom . . . president of the Home Economics Club . . . member of Secretarial Club . . . enjoys swimming, hockey games, and modern books.





*Is a cute and
sweet neighbor.
Ray
E.*



Winfield S. Prime

171 Cedar Hill Avenue
General Course

Some think he is quiet, but don't let him fool you. . . always ready for a good time and a swell sport. . . he can be found at all our sports events. . . a Student Banker in his freshman year. . . and as a hobby he likes to tinker with radios whenever he can find the time to do so.



Edward J. Reagan

30 Forest Street
Commercial Course

Ed is a former Pennsylvanian. . . came from Upper Darby Senior High School near Philadelphia. . . football, skating, golf, tennis, swimming and basketball all interest him. . . was a member of the Senior Senate. . . plans to go to Drexell School to study electrical engineering.



Jean Reed

111 Belleville Avenue
College Course

A frequenter of the school's socials and a Student Banker. . . destined to become a model or business woman. . . the possessor of a calm personality. . . a constant changer of hair-doo's and ultra-smart dresser. . . would like trying a hand at designing after leaving school.

Kathleen Reilly

509 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

A blue-eyed colleen overflowing with wit is Kay Reilly. . . her hobbies are swimming and boys. . . was a member of the Glee Club and Debating Team. . . also Hostess, Bowling, Hiking, and Badminton Clubs. . . was on the Junior Prom Committee and class committee. . . after graduation wants a position as a receptionist.



Robert Reitzel

61 Preston Street
College Course

Bob is a short fellow but very jovial. . . enjoys camping, hiking, and swimming. . . likes handicraft work and keeps up-to-the-minute by reading science and mechanics magazines. . . has a nearly finished canoe in his cellar. . . will learn to be a mechanical engineer at Newark College of Engineering.

Ethyl M. Reyle

121 Stephens Street
Commercial Course

Ethyl is a shy, pretty girl. . . packed full of school spirit and likes to watch football and basketball games. . . a member of the Glee Club, and likes all kinds of music. . . a graduate of Number One School. . . never announces her presence, but it is felt by all.



Carolyn Reynolds

5 Quipson Street
General Course

Carolyn is a very lively and friendly girl who likes to chat with her friends. . . hopes to go to college and become a social service worker. . . Carolyn's favorite pastime is to play her saxophone, at which she does very good. . . a member of the Orchestra for three years.

John Rhodes

40 Cleveland Street
Commercial Course

John came from Number One School. . . here he belonged to the Bachelors' Club. . . John, in winter, can be found at all the basketball games and is quite a player himself. . . he is uncertain what he will do when he gets out of school. . . a sly grin and low voice complete his picture.



Dorothy Richards

56 Division Avenue
Commercial Course

Dot's middle name is Glenn Miller . . . famed for her costume jewelry . . . a member of the Secretarial, Hiking, and Badminton Clubs . . . can usually be found at Haftner's (can't we all) or with ear to radio . . . a conscientious worker . . . desire to master typing and what's this? . . . want's to get married!



Mary Rinaldi

50 Magnolia Street
Commercial Course

A girl with high ideas . . . she aspires to being a concert pianist . . . expects to go to a school of music to reach her goal . . . Mary likes to draw and is quite an artist . . . admired for her taste in clothes and her conservativeness . . . school is the least of her worries, as if she ever had any!



Josephine T. Ronco

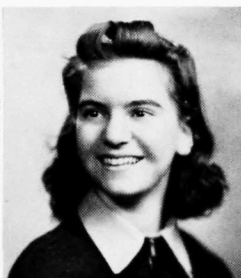
194 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

Jo, as her friends call her, is a small, pretty girl . . . always looks as though she had not a trouble in the world . . . an outdoor girl who finds swimming and camping fun . . . enjoys playing basketball and also was a member of the Glee Club . . . Jo wants to be a salesgirl and ought to succeed.

Fanny Rosamelio

6 St. Mary's Place
Commercial Course

Fay, as she is called by her friends, is friendly to all . . . she wants to be an advertising manager and hopes it will be with some big concern . . . a graduate of Number Five School . . . she likes to write poetry in her spare time . . . unusually long black lashes are her pride and joy.



Robert O. Rubino

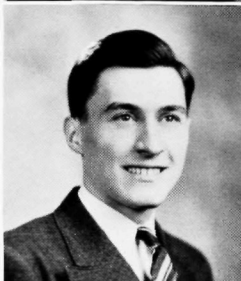
416 Franklin Avenue
General Course

Bob is a sort of stranger around these parts, having come from Netcong just this past year . . . has made a lot of friends though in the short time he's been here . . . Bob played football for two years in Netcong and is interested in music and basketball.

Dominic Russo

380 Ralph Street
General Course

A conservative young fellow . . . always willing to help you . . . although he is quiet at times he is always near when there's fun in the air . . . knows all the angles on both aviation and handicraft . . . can be found in his spare time in the Print Shop learning the "ins and outs" of that work.



William J. Sabie

7 Davidson Street
Commercial Course

Bill is a quiet, curly-headed lad from Number Nine School . . . winter sports such as skating, skiing, and tobogganing interest him most, and he also likes to travel . . . was a member of the Chess Club and saves swing records for a hobby . . . plans to be a traveling salesman.

Helen Sammis

293 Stephens Street
College Course

Here is a girl with a striking personality and ready to do anything for you . . . she was a member of the Band and Orchestra for two years . . . after graduation, Helen expects to enroll at Montclair Teachers' College . . . an uncanny ability to master a long line of figures or a "tough" algebra problem.





*Look Below!
Inquiries*



Antionette Saniscalchi
244 Williams Street
Commercial Course

Annette is everyone's friend and has a pleasing personality. . . she likes several sports. . . her favorite one is swimming. . . ice skating also is included. . . can supply one with information on any filing, history, or typing question. . . enjoys the movies and has aspirations to become a secretary.



Nicholas F. Saragusa
140 Garden Avenue
General Course

Nick is a serious, shy person who came from Number Three School. . . has a great deal of trouble in starting his car. . . likes music, movies, and swimming. . . his hobby is radio, and his ambition is to be successful.



Jeanne Grace Schettick
154 Mill Street
Commercial Course

"A tuneful little earful" is Jeanne, with four years in the Glee Club and the A Cappella Choir, and three years in the Essex County Chorus. . . member of International High School Artists Society. . . wrote music notes for Belleville News. . . will study to be a model at New York School of Modeling.



J. Marian Schlecker
12 Parkside Drive
College Course

A young miss whose vitality is overwhelming. . . her high school life has been a happy one. . . Marian has taken part in many school activities and social affairs. . . if you want to find her just go pushing through a crowd at a dance and you will.



Donald Schofield
1 Bell Street
General Course

Don's musical inclinations led him to join the Band and Orchestra in his second year. . . fond of dancing. . . a genuine swine addict. . . served as a Student Banker in his sophomore and junior years. . . faithful rooter for the teams scarcely ever misses a football or basketball game.



Lillian Schuyler
63 Mill Street
Commercial Course

A quiet young miss about five feet tall. . . Lillian is taking a Commercial Course. . . she wants to become a dressmaker, however. . . while in high school she belonged to the German Club. . . likes to watch all athletic activities. . . adaptable, agile, accommodating.



Lorraine Scott
192 Overlook Avenue
College Course

Scottie is a nickname Lorraine has had ever since she entered high school. . . is a girl who likes everyone and everyone likes her. . . high school activities found her right on the job. . . a long list of activities are hers including Junior Prom, Bowling and Riding Clubs. . . sweet, serene, sociable.



Anna C. Serritella
120 Franklin Street
Commercial Course

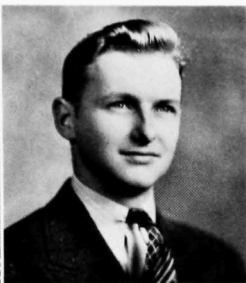
Anna is a quiet, friendly girl, who makes friends very easily. . . was a Student Banker for one year and a member of the Secretarial Club. . . Anna wants to become a nurse, and we are all hoping for her success. . . as a favorite pastime she likes to listen to Glen Miller.



June Shannon

28 Bremond Street
Commercial Course

June came to us from Number Five School . . . expects to study designing . . . for three years June was Student Banker and a member of the Secretarial Club one year . . . likes swimming as a sport and dancing as a favorite pastime . . . quite a dancer, too.



Gregory Shaw

128 Forest Street
College Course

Just like a boy Greg is always cutting up . . . his bright smile makes everyone want to smile with him . . . he is nonchalant about his work, would rather have a good time . . . has a snappy but pleasant answer for all . . . although he won't admit it, he likes one girl as well as the next one.



*Best Wish
Martha*

Smith Sheldon

221 Joralemon Street
College Course

Although Smitty is always among the highly active students, he is too modest to want much printed about him . . . a member of the Freshman and Senior Senates and the Stamp Club . . . walked on and off the stage with a pile of books in the Senior Play . . . enjoys all sports . . . plans to be an engineer.

Martha Virginia Sherman

114 Overlook Avenue
Commercial Course

A blonde-haired girl, peppy and attractive, Martha came from Number Five School . . . her high school activities varied . . . Student Banker for one year Secretarial Club, and Senior Play Decorating Committee . . . was our very attractive color guard for the band . . . real and regal.

Paul Shnitzer

79 William Street
College Course

Paul is Roselle Park High School's gift to Belleville . . . been here for three and a half years . . . chess player and member of the Chess Club . . . wrote several articles for the Belleville News . . . at home spends his time disturbing the neighbors by playing his violin . . . is an expert soda jerker . . . wants to be a lawyer.

Henry M. Sisbarro

204 Passaic Avenue
General Course

Henry is a lively, cheerful fellow, who came from Number Seven School . . . "Chick," as he is known to some, is quite a bicycle rider . . . football, basketball, and horseback riding also appeal to him . . . printing is his best subject and welding his choice for a career.

Edward E. Slavin

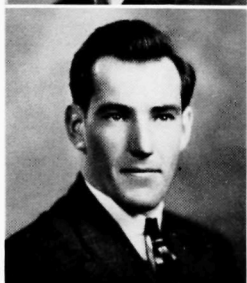
422 Belleville Avenue
General Course

Ed is a tall, Irish lad, who needs no introduction . . . is probably the best known individual in the school, after his three years of starring in football, baseball, and track . . . in spite of all this he is not at all conceited, but is a good sport with a sense of humor.

Jean A. Sloan

8 Smith Street
Commercial Course

Jean is a pretty, blonde girl who came from Number Eight School . . . likes a great many things including boys with big, yellow cars, riding on roller coasters, sleep, and ice skating . . . also enjoys both watching and playing basketball . . . history is her best subject and nursing is her future career.





*As number Snuffy
Clifford Smith*



Clifford J. Smith

37 Fairview Place
General Place

"Snuffy", as he is called by his friends, is probably the most active member of the Senior Class. School wouldn't be school without him. . . sits in assembly balcony and lets Mr. Kittle call him Charley McCarthy. . . is interested in aeronautics but wants to be a sailor-boy.



Good luck to a sweet girl

Jacqueline Snedeker

572 Washington Avenue
College Course

A grand girl with plenty of pep is Jack. . . likes all sports as Student Director of the Senior. Play she contributed much to its success. . . loves to read and dance. . . enjoys being with people which is not strange as they enjoy her company too. . . wants to go to N. J. C. . . popular? you bet!



Edward Soleau

82 Tappan Avenue
College Course

Eddie is the boy who made our play the biggest success a Senior Class has ever had. . . he is a boy whose personality and cheerful smile win everyone. . . his high school activities are numerous. . . the outstanding being his cheerleading for three years. . . this year's co-captain of the squad.



Mildred Spence

361 Little Street
Commercial Course

A not-so-very-tall girl who enjoys art and secretarial work and hopes for a future in the business world. . . spends much of her time in the typing room so she will no doubt feel at home in an office. . . Millie's quiet manner is seldom disturbed, but she will break into an appreciative giggle on the least provocation.



Jane Stanton

469 DeWitt Avenue
College Course

Lively, loquacious, likable. . . Jane's gay smile and good humor have won her many friends in high school. . . a faithful rooter for all the teams. . . baseball is her favorite. . . she'd like to be a nurse when care-free high school days are over. . . her pet hate is to be called Mary Jane.



Daniel Stellatella

102 Passaic Avenue
General Course

Dan to his friends. . . co-captain of our football team. . . a great aid to the team for four years. . . first ambition is to make his car go. . . second to be an undertaker. . . (why, we don't know). . . wants to marry soon. . . line forms on the right, girls, but no shoving, please.



George Stiffler

125 Ralph Street
General Course

Stodious, shy, serious. . . George graduated from Number One School. . . since then he has quietly and diligently pursued his studies in high school. . . would like to further his education by going to college. . . prefers the sports of basketball and softball as a participant.



Richard Stimson

174 Joralemon Street
College Course

Independent, ingenious, indefatigable. . . always has some witty remark or stimulating argument on the tip of his tongue. . . no class is dull with him in it. . . most of his time is devoted to newspaper work. . . sure to be in the wrong place at the right time with his candid camera. . . photography editor of "Monday."



Paul Stootman

452 Cortlandt Street
General Course

Paul's main interest in life is aviation . . . hopes to enter the field of aeronautics as a pilot . . . a member of the Chess Club for two years . . . has enjoyed mathematics the most of all his subjects in high school, algebra being his favorite.

"Best of Luck"
John Stunis

John Stunis

340 Stephens Street
General Course

John came to Belleville High from School Number Seven . . . printing is his favorite subject, although he has also found bookkeeping very interesting . . . prefers baseball to any other outdoor sport . . . this fellow's big ambition in life is to become a public accountant.

Clara Tagliatela

12 Frederick Street
Commercial Course

A diminutive miss with gorgeous dimples is Clara . . . drawing and designing occupy much of her time . . . has some favorite sports . . . bike riding and skating help her a great deal in keeping that trim figure . . . Clara is another one of those hoppy jitterbugs.

Best wishes
Edith

Ruth Thober

44 Perry Street
College Course

Ruth came to Belleville from West Orange in her sophomore year . . . tall, slim, with brown hair and brown eyes . . . always has a bright smile for everyone . . . takes an active interest in ice skating and swimming and enjoys watching football . . . thoroughly enjoyed G. W. T. W., but then didn't we all?



Edward Street

6 Hornblower Avenue
General Course

Eddie has been in numerous activities while in school . . . on the Sophomore Hop and Junior Dance committees . . . Track manager just to mention one of many honors . . . football and track are his favorite sports . . . also enjoys camping . . . his continual vitality will help him to realize his ambition . . . to live to see the year 2000 A. D.



Joseph C. Sullivan

368 Belleville Avenue
General Course

Joe is a boy whom practically everyone in the school knows . . . has a sense of humor and liveliness . . . is quite an athlete . . . played football, baseball, and basketball . . . got a taste of the culinary art in the Bachelors' Club . . . plans to go to Seton Hall and also hopes to be a star baseball player.



Marjerie Taylor

15 Bremond Street
College Course

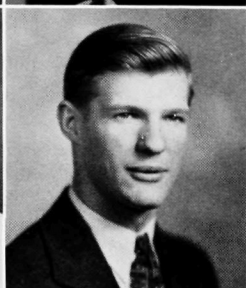
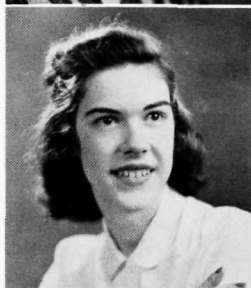
Margie is a little girl with sandy hair . . . makes the most of her high school education . . . studious and fond of reading . . . lessons are always prepared to perfection . . . earnest, estimable, eager to please . . . behind her quiet composure you may be sure that she is always on the alert.



George Tietze

18 Cedar Hill Avenue
General Course

Known to most everyone as "Dutch" . . . came to Belleville High from School Number Eight . . . a member of the Freshman Senate . . . a very athletic fellow . . . one of the strongest pillars of our football team . . . played Varsity for three years, handling the positions of end and quarterback equally well.





*Best wishes
will get
for.*



Helen Tomshow

15 Beech Street
Commercial Course

Helen is one of those effervescent young people often referred to as "jitterbugs" . . . loves dancing, in which she excels . . . also likes cheese and outdoor sports, especially swimming . . . always ready to share a good time or send you into gales of laughter with her quick wit.



Ruth Topping

191 Floyd Street
College Course

Ruth is a quiet, friendly girl with an ambition to do school work . . . enjoys swimming, tennis and ping-pong . . . has blond hair and blue eyes . . . loves to read . . . hopes to further her education with creative writing at Essex Junior College or to be an author . . . earnest and sincere about everything.



Frank Tortorello, Jr.

28 Mt. Prospect Avenue
College Course

Frank is a graduate of Number Eight School . . . an ardent football and basketball fan . . . an active member of the Bowling Team . . . can often be seen making strikes says he is a jitterbug only half and half . . . Student Banker his fourth year . . . ambition is to enter college and pursue his work in research agriculture.



Joseph Triano

231 Brighton Avenue
College Course

Lively, with an infectious grin and a word for everybody . . . although Joe did a superb job as a detective in "What a Life," he intends to forego solving any further mysteries and become a dentist . . . likes basketball both as a participant and spectator . . . public speaking has been his most enjoyed subject.



Rose Tribuna

34 Naples Avenue
Commercial Course

Rose is a very intellectual girl with dark hair and dark eyes . . . her hobbies are reading, collecting poetry and gathering educational pictures . . . English, French, and shorthand are to be her special delights . . . hopes to be a serial actress on the radio or connected with a telephone or telegraph company.



William Trier

121 Malone Avenue
College Course

Courteous, companionable, collegiate . . . Bill is a tall dark fellow . . . always ready, willing, and able to work hard for the benefit of his class . . . even the blisters obtained from pulling the curtain for "What a Life" did not mar his good humor . . . held offices in Latin, German, and Tennis Clubs.



Clara Trommel

563 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

Possesses brilliant red hair but not the fiery temper that usually accompanies it . . . on the contrary she is very quiet and reserved . . . served on the Junior Prom Committee . . . a member of the German Club in her sophomore year . . . enjoys basketball and football . . . has no special ambition at present.



Gaetano Tuorto

46 Watessing Avenue
General Course

An agreeable chap who finds himself most adaptable to manual work and enjoys shop . . . ready at all times for a prank, especially if it is on one of the faculty . . . interested in aviation . . . this year he has gone domestic on us . . . pursued a Domestic Science Course and joined the Bachelors' Club.

*Claps of happiness
and the best always to
blondie*



Claudia Turton

259 Little Street
College Course

A slender, quiet girl with a special sort of charm all her own . . . black hair and eyes against a fair complexion . . . always serene and calm . . . music is her favorite hobby . . . appreciates good literature . . . her ambition is to become a school teacher.



Ward H. Vanderhoff

48 Garden Avenue
General Course

Ward is a former Ramsey High School student . . . he is usually quiet, but once in a while he breaks out with a bit of wit . . . Ward likes baseball, basketball and skating . . . he was a former member of the Stamp Club.



Bettie Vessie

7 Myrtle Avenue
General Course

An energetic, bright-eyed young miss whose slender figure belies her continual hunger and appetite for goodies . . . nothing seems to worry Bettie much, except perhaps preparing a speech for public speaking classes . . . enjoys music and dramatics . . . sure to be a success at whatever she tries.

Josephine J. Vizzone

382 North 10th Street
Commercial Course

Josephine is a dark, quiet, girl . . . likes dancing, tennis and many other sports . . . Josephine plans to go to Drake College . . . wants to be a gossip columnist on a newspaper . . . also a bicycle riding fan and pedals merrily around the town whenever it is possible.



Lillian Vreeland

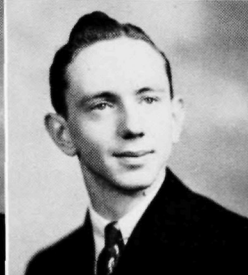
58 Bremon Street
Commercial Course

Her friends know her as Lil . . . chestnut hair and laughing blue eyes . . . member of the Riding Club for four years . . . an excellent racer on ice skates . . . dislikes jitterbugging . . . rather hear Andre Kostelanetz . . . wants to be a good secretary . . . her winning personality gives good promise that she will be.

Harold Wade

181 Floyd Street
General Course

Everybody knows Harold . . . is always dressed up and ready to go places . . . greatest affliction of women, but like so many diseases it couldn't be helped because it was born in him . . . likes to tease the opposite sex . . . not seen at many of our social affairs but possesses school spirit.



Robert Waring

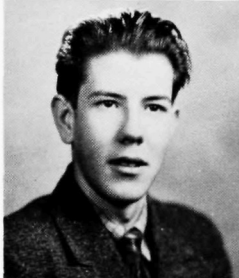
239 Stephens Street
General Course

A slender youth with dark hair and eyes . . . known to his friends as Bob . . . baseball and football enthusiast . . . has found mechanical drawing much to his liking . . . inspired with a creative instinct . . . hopes to achieve success as a draftsman somewhere in life.

Madeline L. Wedekind

433 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

Madeline is a talkative, lively, person . . . likes dancing and basketball, but is also an outdoor girl . . . likes fishing and boating . . . can get along very nicely without history . . . Madeline came from Number One School and was a member of the Glee Club here.





*lots of
luck and
success!*



Hermine Wehrle
56 DeWitt Avenue
Commercial Course

An independent young lady who would like to become a successful business woman working for the government . . . has been a member of the high school Glee Club . . . Hermine has read "Gone With the Wind" eight times and says she still enjoys it . . . hopes some day to visit Hawaii . . . on "Monad" staff.

Joseph A. Weiss
15 Hornblower Avenue
College Course

Joe is an active, witty fellow of the Ned Sparks type . . . enjoys basketball and fishing and also saves recordings . . . is interested in radio work and plans to get work on a boat in a position connected with radio . . . later, he plans to go to R. C. A. and study more about radio.



Edna Wendland
232 Stephens Street
Commercial Course

Short, pleasant and witty is Edna . . . interested in all sports . . . a swing fan . . . has no special ambition as yet . . . decidedly dislikes conceited people and a dentist's drill . . . her delightful sense of humor makes her a welcome addition to any gathering.

Catherine Westlake
39 DeWitt Avenue
College Course

Kay is a pert little miss with a charming personality . . . takes an interest in all sports especially basketball . . . contributed her alto voice to the Glee Club for two years . . . loves to read and roller skate . . . intends to become a nurse after graduation . . . but she'll make a cute one.



Albert Wille
137 Carpenter Street
Commercial Course

Could be called Blondy . . . was a Student Banker . . . although bashful his main interest is girls . . . likes to collect sports pictures . . . enjoys basketball . . . main ambition is to become a star basketball player . . . second to get up early in the morning, an act he detests.

Best Wishes
Paul Wille
137 Carpenter Street
General Course

Tall with light brown wavy hair . . . rather quiet but always friendly . . . his hobby is cabinet making . . . likes all sports particularly football in which he participated while in school . . . has no special ambition as yet except to graduate.



Carmen Willette
137 Stephen Street
College Course

Carmen, a diminutive miss, was a member of the Latin Club, the Camera Club and the French Club . . . enjoys amateur photography and is very good in art . . . wants to be a fashion designer, so she is going to go to Pratt Institute to study.

Eleanor H. Williamson
284 Ralph Street
Commercial Course

Eleanor is an attractive girl . . . forever with a piece of gum betwixt her molars . . . she likes all kinds of sports, especially basketball, swimming and skating . . . her ambition is to be a secretary . . . she was a member of the Glee Club and graduated from Number Nine School.



Doris Wilson
25 Essex Street
College Course

Smiling, sympathetic, sincere . . . Doris has been a hard-working and faithful member of the Senior Senate . . . interested in all school activities . . . has served on many class committees . . . favorite indoor sport is dancing, and she has an uncanny ability for remembering the words to songs.



Sylvia Winkleman
33 Smallwood Avenue
Commercial Course

A tall girl with ash-blond hair is Syl . . . her ready smile is sure to produce those delectable dimples . . . an excellent swimmer who also likes ping-pong . . . always ready for a witty comeback . . . a welcome addition to any social gathering.



Elsie Wood

133 Washington Avenue
Commercial Course

Just a grand girl . . . that's Elsie . . . an all-around pal and a dependable person . . . likes biology, bridge and golf . . . always looks neat in her tailored clothes . . . prefers semi-classical to swing music . . . especially "Dance of the Hours" . . . pet hate is peach fuzz . . . shivers at the mention of it.

William T. Woodward

155 Main Street
Commercial Course

Bill is called both "Woody" and "Red" by his friends . . . interested in stamps and photography and likes to play football and basketball . . . ice skating also appeals to him . . . his ambition is to be either a sailor or a truckman . . . Bill is a joker and likes to cut-up in class.



Mildred E. Zeiss

334 Cortlandt Street
Commercial Course

Mildred is a pretty, dark-haired girl . . . a member of the Glee Club, German Club, and Bowling Club . . . Mildred likes roller skating, swimming, and horseback riding . . . wants to go to business school and be a stenographer . . . graduated from School Number One.

Charles Zetterstrom

34 Division Avenue
College Course

Charles is a provoking teaser but underneath his gayety you'll find a serious, rather shy lad . . . enjoys all sports . . . is partial to Joan Bennett . . . but then aren't we all? . . . his hobby is reading magazines . . . ambition, drafting . . . intends to travel after graduation.



Alice Ziegler

36 Holmes Street
Commercial Course

Though rather a shy girl, Alice has a definite determination to buy a farm after graduation . . . often mistaken for her sister and called Anna . . . she quietly corrects the offender by saying, "I'm Alice" . . . likes to chew gum . . . a hard worker . . . hence that farm ought to be a success.

Anna Ziegler

36 Holmes Street
Commercial Course

Anna is a quiet girl . . . partial to blue as witness most of her clothes . . . bookkeeping her favorite subject, therefore only natural that she wants to become a bookkeeper . . . noted for her novelty pins . . . dresses like her twin sister, Alice . . . extremely good-natured . . . never refuses to help a fellow classmate.



Benny
Lucky
Darrell
Zink



Darrell Zink

26 Rossmore Place
College Course

Versatile and unpretentious, Darrell's interests run in many directions . . . fond of rowing . . . most of his time, when the weather permits, is spent in a shell . . . also much at home on the basketball court . . . our sophomore class president . . . this year an active member of the Latin Club.

Rudolph Zirm

79 Beech Street
General Course

Rudolph is a quiet, unpretentious lad . . . prefers symphonic music to swing . . . baseball reigns favorite with him . . . has an interesting hobby of short wave listening . . . after graduation intends to further his work in radio to become an engineer at a radio station.

George Johnson

21 Stephen Street
General Course

This fellow's dislike for carrots runs contrary to his natural waves . . . he is determined to become the carver of meats—a butcher . . . his favorite pastime is skating . . . he enjoys printing and says he isn't sorry he came back for his fifth year.

IN MEMORIAM

BERNARD GIORDANO

FOR three years Benny held a definite place among the members of the Class of 1940. Although he is not here to graduate with us, his cheerful spirit and good nature live on, and we realize how often it is that a good person is not valued highly enough until we no longer have him with us.

THE SLEEPLESS SAGA

HOW 49 students survived their three-day trip to Washington is the biggest riddle of the year! The nation's Capitol was witness to hilarious fun making. It was also the center of attraction while the sun was shining. And speaking of Old Sol's rays — I don't believe we saw them more than once or twice the whole trip, for it rained for almost two days.

March 27, promptly at 9:15, we pulled away from the front of the high school. The girls were decked out in their Easter finery and the boys laden down with the girls' bags.

The Royal Blue Coach (take note: especially for our party) carried us safely into Washington amidst the clatter of a portable phonograph and the screams of "Rummy!"

Upon our arrival to the fair city, we willingly posed for a group picture on the lawn in view of the Capitol's dome. This was perhaps our most gallant moment for the rains came and brought down the girls' hair combs and the creases out of the boys' pants.

Our evenings were free and most of us saw the city in one way or another. Mr. and Mrs. Babb had the ironic job of keeping us in one pack and checking us in at one in the morning. Speaking of hours I think that if a census were taken of hours slept no one would enumerate the grand total of more than five or six. With pajama parties and screams of "Brewster" out yon hotel window, how could anyone sleep! But who wanted to!

Taking stock we found four people, four beds, on the average six bags, one sink, three chairs, one desk, one dresser, one closet, one shower, one telephone, (well used) thus leaving in each room ten square inches for each occupant to walk around in. But we did it—and enjoyed it.

Things we won't forget: our waiter, Herbert Hoover, and the grand meals he brought forth; the dance Friday night with popcorn and cokes, all you wanted; the quietness of the last bus ride home; the grand feeling of "hitting the hay" in your own bed after three glorious days; and the dreams we had about the whole thing.





SENIOR PLAY

A MUFFLING of voices, a sh-sh-sh-ing from the audience, the parting of the curtains and we found ourselves in the midst of the noise and confusion of a high school principal's office—in the center of the trials and tribulations of a young rapscaillion famous to us all as Henry Aldrich. Yes, the Class of 1940 actually produced a Broadway show, "What a Life."

We had the cast, the faculty and most important of all, the students of Belleville High School talking about it for weeks afterwards. They talked about how Henry, so aptly

played by Ed Soleau, was a "natural"; how his adventures and pranks led him into all sorts of trouble; how all the teachers "ganged" up on Henry, including Mr. Patterson (Bill Naylor to us) with his ever-handy test papers and Miss Eggleston (did anybody recognize Jayne Horvath?) who were the main-stays in the plot against him; how Pat Field supplied the feminine interest as Henry's crush, Barbara Pier-son; how Darrell Zink astonished us all with his grayed hair (product of our make-up department) and pince-nez; how George Fralley and Frances Hoover made such a lovely couple in their office romance; how the audience roared at the sight of Kenneth Chewey as Mr. Vec-chito, the rag man, who kept his girl, Mary,



home to work on his wagon; how Mrs. Aldrich roused them all with her long-practiced tears; and to top all, how the school shiek, George Biglow, magnificently portrayed by Abe Haber, was forever "rubbing" Henry.

Behind the scenes, Ed Soleau, George Fralley, and Darrell Zink formed a team and endlessly kept the cast in gales of laughter. Miss Rush's pleas to keep in character still ring in our ears. There was Smith Sheldon, Stan Litts, and Bob Hageman practicing their lines. Wallace Elliot, sound man, and Margaret Cocks, prompter, kept us posted at times. The whole cast for weeks went tripping over props and trying to keep quiet behind the scenes.





THE MONAD STAFF

ROOM 311 has been the scene of a tremendous amount of activity during the ad-gathering and money-collecting stages of "The Monad". At all hours of the day, Mr. Fulcomer sat surrounded by money, written records, and most of all, people. However, he has been very patient and we all appreciated his help as well as the able support of Ed Street, our Advertising Manager, and Arlene Lothes, our Circulation Manager. According to the number of ads Ed has turned in, he must have spent every spare moment in chasing prospective advertisers and wearing down the sales resistance. Arlene, on the other hand, took care of the little yellow cards seen flourished about by the Seniors in every place imaginable, from the gyms to the middle of the chemistry lab during an important experiment. "Will you buy your 'Monad' from me?" was heard even more than cheers during football season or moans on report card day.

Aside from the financial part of "The Monad", we also had the general make-up which was mostly in the hands of Miss Weidman, Miss Condon and

Mr. Criswell. Miss Weidman was another person who was in the midst of a perpetual stream of Seniors on the editorial staff, on the trail of class advisers, athletic directors, candid camera fiends, and other Seniors. The biographies and all other articles were written by this staff and the arrangement of the book was decided upon. One of the most frequent scenes in those meetings was the picture of our efficient



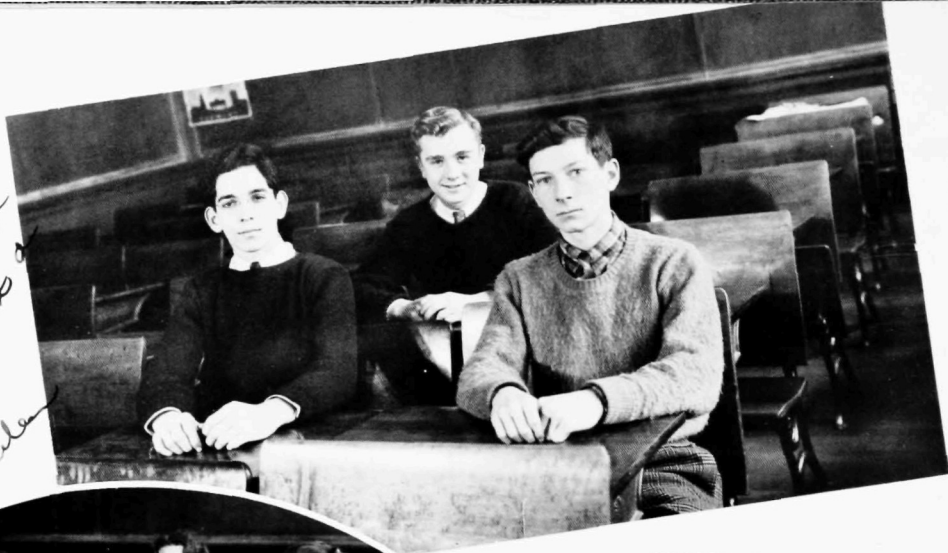
Editor-in-Chief, Jane Horvath, literally buried in paper, pictures, and material turned in by hopeful contributors. Speaking of pictures, Dick Stimson, Photography Editor, was posted behind convenient telephone poles and nooks in the halls to catch the students in action. They certainly proved to be in action when the snapshots were developed and sorted for printing. Instead of having all the groups posed for pictures, the staff decided to let amateur photographers take individual snaps and groups in action. Carmen Willette, Mr. Fox, and the Photography Club helped with some of the pictures. But the greater part of the responsibility fell on Dick Stimson. We thought, that it was the best way to get an accurate picture of the life of the school and to remember the fun after the last strains of the graduation march have faded, and we look back on the school, the teachers, and our classmates. Although we have had trouble sometimes locating the various members of the staff on meeting days, we have tried to pull together toward one goal—the completed "Monad" of the Class of 1940.







A C T I V I T I E S



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ROBERT KIMBLE
Vice-President
JOHN HIGGINS
Secretary
CHARLOTTE BARBER
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DONALD COCKS

Luck

Capitiveness

to a sweet

and very

cute girl

Loveville



SOPHOMORE ADVISERS

MYRLE ALLEN
OLGA NELSON
BLANCHE McDONALD

*Part of luck
to a small
group members*

*Part of luck
to a small
group members*

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*Part of luck
to a small
group members*

*Part of luck
to a small
group members*



*She is a girl of great
talent and ability
yesterday.*

David Bohrer

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LOUISE CARRELL

*Back to a friend
classmate,
Lois Kittle
Success in
your future
years, Bob.*

Theresa Johnson

*Look, look
to a friend give
who always is a smile.*

*Look, look
to a swell girl
Marilyn Jackson*

JUNIOR ADVISERS

LINNEA ANDREE
HELEN HOLLBERG
LUCY WISHART



*My sincere
wishes for your
success!
Alice*

*Look, look
to a swell girl
Marilyn Jackson*



BAND

"EVERYONE ready? Slacks spick and span? Capes and caps adjusted? Instruments ready? Then let's go!" At June's signal the Belleville High School band marches on to Clearman Field. Here they come all dressed in blue and gold and white. Look at the new Belleville banner we're sporting. Some class! Wait! They're going into a formation. What is it? Why, it's a "B." There's another; it's the horseshoe! Now it's up to our football team to carry on, for June Reynolds, our high-stepping drum major, is leading our band to the bleachers.

During band periods throughout the year, the members practiced and played pieces other than football songs and occasionally entertained us in assemblies under the leadership of our band director, Mr. Parker.

They elected officers who were Harold Kreismer, president; Joseph Kirms, secretary-treasurer; and David Pitman and George Kistner, librarians.



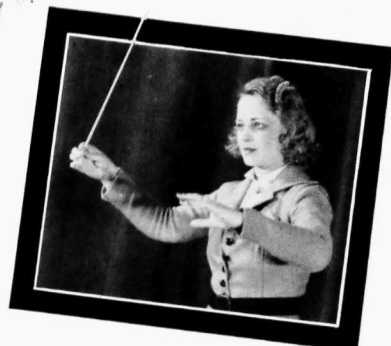
Best Wishes
to B.
Parker
Gilbert
Lug.

Thanks of each (and you) and
George Kistner

Muts!
Dave.

To a swell
girl
Hagley's

ORCHESTRA



THE Orchestra is an organization of which our school is very proud. We listeners marvel at such a large group being able to all "hang" together so well on the same tune. In order to initiate new members, there is a class for beginners which meets after school and is directed by some of the more advanced orchestra players. Then on Thursday and Friday afternoon, the whole group meets to practice. Mrs. Wagner carefully chooses the best of classical music.

This orchestra plays for many occasions. They play when we march into the assembly, at the Senior Play, and the commencement program. Their big event is the Spring Festival.

Some of the members are too active to sit still for long. We find that they have won all sorts of laurels in intercounty and state affairs. Why, even some of them have an orchestra of their own. And all of us will remember some of the outstanding soloists who have contributed to assembly programs.

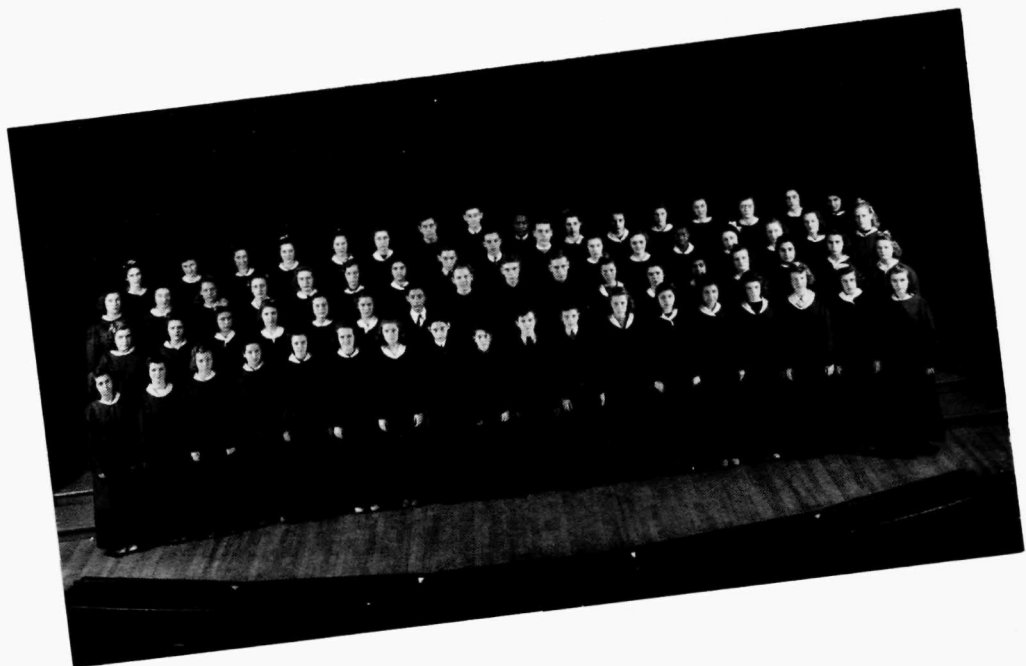
Donald Peterson

Good Luck on
Best Wishes to
a good
James Fraser



Lots of
Luck
& Success
Betsy
Luper

Best wishes
To a swell girl
Hagley's
Best wishes
Hagley's



GLEE CLUB

IF you really stop to think about it, you will realize that the Glee Club is one of the most important organizations in our high school. And rightly so, too. Can we ever forget the part the Glee Club played in the assembly programs throughout the year?

This year the Glee Club boasted a membership of one hundred and ten voices. Throughout the year the club presented many chorus programs but the outstanding performance was at the May Concert.

1940 saw Belleville well represented at the Essex County High School Chorus Concert at the Mosque Theatre with twenty excellent voices. Our high school also had eight representatives in the All-State Chorus.

The Glee Club was featured in the May Concert this year, in which our alumni were the guest stars.





Best
Wishes
to a
Public
Speaking
classmate
Jan
Prover

BANKING

EVERY Tuesday morning when we enter our classroom, an enormous orange sign with "BANK DAY" written on it in large black letters stares us in the face. In a few minutes one of the bankers usually sings out, "Say, has everyone banked? If not, what's holding you up; we haven't all morning, you know."

The bankers urge their classes to bank so that they can have a perfect banking record. For their efforts each class is presented with a one-hundred-percent blue and bold banner. Nearly every class has had a banner at some time or other, and once they get it, they usually keep it for a long time.

This business of banking has given the students of B. H. S. a sense of responsibility. The student bankers, two elected to represent each homeroom, record the deposits made, being absolutely sure that there are no mistakes on the books or the envelopes. The bankers send the money and a record to Mr. Blair, the supervisor of banking, who, in turn, sends the deposit from the entire school to the First National Bank.

Mr. Blair has made our banking campaign successful this year. By his stressing the spirit of competition, the students do their very best to get their class on top.





*My best
friend makes
chess
clanmate.
Annette*



CHESS CLUB

WITH each ensuing year, the formation of a Chess Club comes about. This year, as a member of the North Jersey Chess League, the club has enjoyed a highly successful season. Monday and Thursday afternoons are devoted to this intellectual pastime. Harry Nielson served as the club president, assisted by George Kistner as secretary and Donald Hartley as treasurer. Under the guidance of Mr. Norman Cotter, many enthusiastic students have come to learn the finer points of the game when they assemble for their meetings.

HOME ECKERS CLUB

UNDER the guidance of Miss Huff and Miss Carrell, this club has been learning how to do the correct and necessary little things around a home and to apply this knowledge. This organization sent delegates to the Annual Rally of the Home Economics Clubs of New Jersey at New Jersey State College for Women. Among other activities, they assisted the Welfare Committee by donating several baskets at Thanksgiving. Their officers were Florence Price, president; Jean Mertz, vice-president; Madeline Keating, secretary, and Kathryn Demas, treasurer.



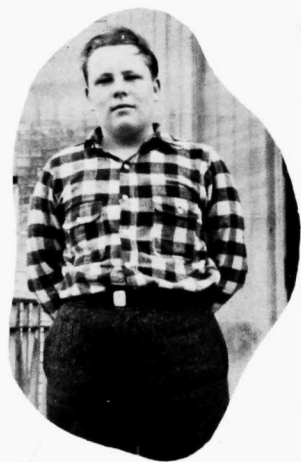


GOLF CLUB

THE Golf Club, under the direction of Mr. McBride, athletic adviser, is the first club of its kind in Belleville High School in several years. Designed to improve the technique of its members, this club has a six-man team lead by Pompey Molinaro, captain. Their activities include an eight-game schedule in which they oppose many prominent high schools of New Jersey. A state tournament in the early part of June decides the champion team.

THE WRONG FONT CLUB

IN Belleville High School we have a club called The Wrong Font, which is a chapter of the National Student Graphic Arts Society. The members of this club have striven to meet the requirement of their local and national organizations. They have reached the first step and can call themselves the "Printer's Devils." The purpose of this club is to promote and maintain the high standards of craftsmanship well established by their society. This club abides by a well-regulated platform. Among the ideals which they attempt to follow are neatness, accuracy, originality, and recognition.





LE CERCLE FRANÇAIS

Put it back!
Ida

THE conversation carried on in Room 203 on certain Monday afternoons may have made you stop and wonder many times. Only, by a small trick of the imagination, these students have transferred themselves a couple of thousand miles away to France. The meetings of "Le Cercle Francais" are carried on strictly "en français." Under the careful guidance of Mrs. Penelope Allen, the members find speaking French and learning French folk songs and customs a real pleasure.

The purpose of the club is to acquaint the students with the customs and people of the land whose mother tongue they are studying. The officers elected this year were Darrell Zink, president; Jane Stanton, vice-president; and Jacqueline Snedeker, secretary.

Often a few of the more ambitious members learn folk dances which accompany well-known French songs. They give them before the other members of the club, who are usually anxious to learn the dances themselves. Sometimes, plays or impromptu skits are presented. These patriotic "francais" always close their meetings with the singing of the French national anthem, "La Marseillaise."



SODALITAS LATINA

THE primary aim of the Sodalitas Latina is to gain a better knowledge and understanding of the Romans through a study of their lives and customs, their dress and their manners.

Under the guidance of Mrs. Kapp, the Sodalitas Latina has succeeded in achieving this object. Latin games, played by all members at the meetings, not only are enjoyable but are also helpful in understanding how the Roman children amused themselves. Plays and skits, representing certain parts of Roman life, are performed by small groups at the meetings. Roman marriages, funerals, religious rites and festivals are all dramatized and presented to an eager audience. How the Romans dressed was once shown by several members who dressed dolls for the purpose.

William Trier and Darrell Zink are two very capable consuls, Hugh Kittle is a faithful and honest quaestor, Marion Butler is a busy scribe while Jean De Nike and Betty Gray serve as tribuni.



DER DEUTSCHE VEREIN

IT is Wednesday afternoon, which means there is a meeting of Der Deutsche Verein. In case you haven't figured that out yet, the translation is "The German Club." Let's take a trip up to Miss Hollberg's room and see what is going on.

Edith Frey, the president, calls the members to order and the meeting is opened with a German song. Now Betty Jane Fisher, the secretary, is called upon to read the minutes of the previous meeting. The program usually includes talks on German customs, sports and scientists. These are followed by songs and games which are enjoyed by many young people in Germany.

The minutes also tell about a Christmas party enjoyed by the club, with Christmas songs and stories followed by regular German refreshments, the traditional Pfeffernusse and Springerli. The Easter meeting revealed many interesting festive customs.

Songs and stories follow the minutes and occasionally a new folk dance is practiced. We mustn't forget to mention Bill Trier, the vice-president, and the helpful advice presented from the back of the room by Miss Hollberg.





*Lots of luck,
everything a
best of every
with Dave*

Harold Green



W. H. H. C. H. H.

INTERNATIONAL ARTISTS SOCIETY

EACH year the outstanding students in music, drama, and art are given the privilege of membership in the world-wide organization known as the International High School Artists' Society, provided they are in the upper third of their class scholastically. These scholars must also be of junior or senior standing. During his junior year the student is on probation. If he fails to continue in his chosen field during the next year, he immediately forfeits the right of membership.



NUCLEUS SCIENCE CLUB

THE Nucleus Science Club, under the direction of Mr. Norman Cotter, is designed to give the students, who desire to study the sciences outside the classroom, an opportunity to extend their learning.

The most interesting of all their activities are the trips they have taken. The main experiment of the year has been soilless gardening, a method of growing plants without dirt.

The officers are Eleanor Harker, president; Marion Butler, vice-president; Cecilie Baker, secretary; and Virginia Gowie, treasurer.

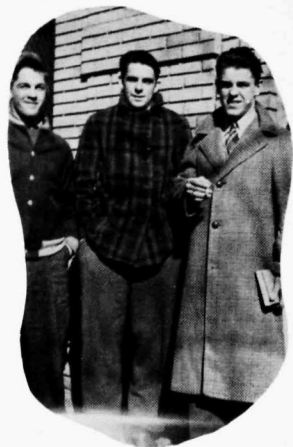


DEBATING CLUB

RESOLVED: the Federal Government should own and operate railroads." With this proposition the Debate squad battled throughout the whole season. There were eleven members in this group. Out of these, Charlotte Barber, Rita Clark, Mollie Leitzes, and Lyda Mosior were chosen to represent Belleville in the state tournament. This year, Belleville debated with Emerson, Hillside, Dover, Passaic, Jamesburg, and Kearny High Schools. They also debated in a Round Robin at Rutherford with Rutherford, Passaic, and the Dwight Morrow High School from Englewood.

THE BACHELORS CLUB

THIS club has been functioning for two years and is still going strong. It was started on request by Miss Huff. Thomas Leonard holds the office of president with George McNally as vice-president. The new officers this year are George Fitzsimmons, treasurer and Charles Butler, secretary. These fellows can manufacture anything from fried eggs to white icing for a chocolate cake. We wish you could taste some of their delicacies. How about some samples, boys? Here's wishing you the best of luck and continued success in your work.





GIRLS BOWLING CLUB

SEVENTY girls wanted to form the Bowling Club but the long walk to North Newark and numerous other activities on Friday afternoons prevented some from attending the practice session. However, each week from fifteen to thirty girls met at the alleys and played two or three games under the guidance and instruction of Mr. Paul Jones and Miss Margaret Leahy. A number of girls have shown a remarkable proficiency at the game above their first awkwardness after only a few months of practice. The high scores for the season so far were made by Ida Tulino with 166 and Mary Simeone with 157. Every week several girls average between 100 and 140. Some of the girls, however, seem to go bowling just for the exercise and fun to be derived out of it, not for high scores. They laugh and have a wonderful time, though, especially if scores are good and strikes are frequent.



RIDING CLUB

GALLOPING across the plains with wind in their hair and dust in their eyes—that's the life for these lovers of the great outdoors. This is the fourth year that Miss Margaret Leahy has rounded up a band of enthusiastic girls and taught them to ride or helped them to become more expert riders. Each Tuesday afternoon a group of them are welcomed at Mitton's Academy in Brookdale, where they ride in the comfortable cool of the fall and spring afternoons. Their officers for this year were: Ruth Dettelbach, president; Connie Hamilton, vice-president; Natalie Goodwin, treasurer; and Elaine Wood, secretary.

In February the girls very appropriately gave a Leap Year Tea Dance which was greatly enjoyed by all who attended (especially the boys who found out what it feels like to be a drag for a change) and which was also highly profitable. The proceeds, along with dues which are collected at weekly meetings, are to help pay for a long picnic ride to be taken by the entire club at the end of the spring season.



*Lead of
Luck Co
a very
Sundays
Bobby*

BOYS BOWLING CLUB

ABOUT thirty-five boys reported for the Bowling Club to Room 303 at the first meeting right after the new year. The first month was devoted to the building up of averages in order to pick the team. Interest ran high until the six men were chosen to represent the school: "Chick" McCullough, the outstanding member of the team, finished the season with an average of 180 in interscholastic competition.

The team played a limited schedule, devoting more time to practice and constructive criticism. Competing with East Side, Newark, Belleville's team won one game and lost five, while in the Asbury Park contest our team won five and lost four games.

At the North Newark Bowling Alleys on April 11, the faculty team took the measure of the boys' bowling teams in five exciting games. The boys defeated the faculty's second team in two games of their match, which were extremely exciting.





*Lots of luck
a swell year
worth it*

THE FORENSIC LEAGUE

THE Forensic League is an organization consisting of those honored students who have been able to beat down competition. Most of these students have studied either dramatics or public speaking and, under the guidance of Miss Eleanor Rush and Mr. Howard Fox, have trained themselves especially in these fields. Among the participants in Forensic League contests this year have been: Rita Clark, Oratorical Contest; Randall Holden, Extemporaneous Speech Contest; Harvey Fort, Dramatic Interpretation; and Mollie Leitzes and Harvey Fort, Forum Discussion at Rutgers University.

CAMERA CLUB

SNAP! Crackle! Pop! Not a cereal advertisement but shutters clicking and flash bulbs firing as the Camera Club goes into action. A capable adviser and a group of eager shutterbugs have made a good start for next year. Among this year's achievements were the construction of a darkroom, the purchase of needed supplies, and the production of many of the candid shots in this yearbook. Activities were supervised by Mr. L. Howard Fox, adviser; Richard Stimson, president; Thomas Whittemore, vice-president; Edward Doherty, secretary; and Ward Whitehorne, treasurer.



Good luck
to an old girlfriend
Dottie



THE A CAPPELLA CHOIR

THE A Cappella Choir is composed of a group of eighteen selected voices, chosen from the Glee Club. The choir sings without accompaniment and strives for tonal quality, correct technical and emotional interpretation, fine phrasing and enunciation.

Two performances were given in Newark by this group. All eighteen students sing in the Essex County Chorus of three hundred voices in an annual concert at the Mosque Theatre. Five members are chosen to sing in the State Chorus which gives three concerts—in Atlantic City, Newark and New York City.

THE SECRETARIAL CLUB

THE Secretarial Club, with Mrs. Snedeker as faculty adviser, was organized to acquaint its members with the customs of the business world. With the assistance of Norma Hope, president; Jane Horvath, vice-president; Edwin Kowalski, secretary; and Abe Haber, treasurer, the Secretarial Club has given dances, presented plays and purchased pins for the benefit of its members. The qualifications for membership is that each member must win at least one Gregg award for shorthand and make an average grade of B in shorthand. It is one of the most beneficial clubs in the high school.





*Gifts of Luck
To a Fellow
Classmate of 202-211
"Jack"*

FOOT

THE football season this year started off with one of the lightest teams Belleville has ever had. In spite of this handicap, the spirit was there, and the boys gave their opponents more trouble than they bargained for.

The co-captains, "Dutch" Tietze and Dan Stellatella, kept the team fighting throughout the whole season. "Dutch" was shifted from his usual position at end to the backfield. In this berth he shone as the ablest ball carrier on the squad and gained a great deal of territory for Belleville.

In most of the games the story was the same. Belleville ran up and down the field with the ball, at will, but just couldn't reach pay-dirt. The scores usually came out with our opponents having one or two more points than we did.

The best game of the season was over at Kearny. We met a much-favored Kearny



Remember:
Jim "Frenchy" White
22

BALL



eleven and trampled them on their own turf. The game ended a scoreless tie with Belleville a foot from Kearny's goal line.

The next Saturday we met Clifton and gave them a thorough beating. The fans were so overjoyed that one of our own goal-posts went down before order could be restored.

South Side was our Turkey Day opponent and the game ended in a 6-6 tie. The last game was with West Orange. Belleville got revenge for last year and beat them 7-6.

The Bell-Boys were coached by Frank Smith, with Herman Wische and Wilho Winika assisting.

Sweaters were given to George Tietze, Dan Stelatella, Joe Sullivan, Dick Matt, Harry Weiss, John Jocher, Bob Engel, Bill Naylor, Tommy Lepre, Fred Weinberger, Saverio Noto, Ed Gorman, Joe Cifrodella, George Miller, Ed Hollweg, Roy Costello, Duncan Langlands, Fred Faas, and the manager, John Ciallella. Twelve of them also received gold footballs.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Opponent	Opponent	Belleville
Barringer	7	2
Bloomfield	6	0
West Side	14	12
Irvington	26	0
Hillside	7	6
Kearny	0	0
Clifton	0	20
South Side	6	6
West Orange	6	7





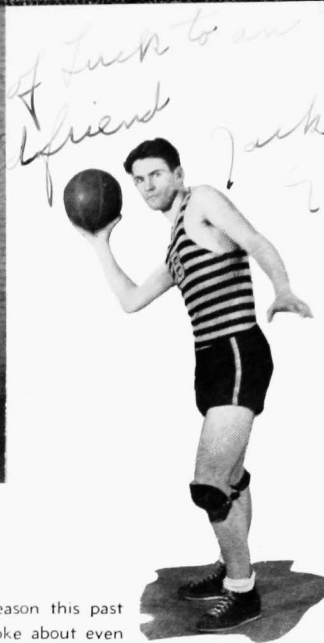
BASKETBALL VARSITY TEAM

WITH the tenseness that always precedes a game, the Belleville High School basketball squad takes the court. Coach McBride gives those last important instructions and then—the fellows are on their own. "Casey" McNally, mainstay and high scorer, streaks down the floor, eluding his persistent opponent. The familiar cry rings out, "Casey in the corner!" Setting the pace, "Luke" Plenge and "Red" Handley handle the ball with the skill of veterans. Johnny Calicchio pops up unexpectedly, and the ball soars through the mesh.

Lightning, fast action, and a loyal following typified the 1940 basketball season. Aided and abetted by Jack Malcolm, Mike Marotti, Russ McDermott, Jack O'Grady, Joe Sullivan, and John Walker, and ably managed by "Red" Smith, Coach McBride turned out a co-operative and sportsmanlike squad of which we are duly proud.

*Best Wishes
for Future Success!
"Casey"*





FRESHMAN BASKETBALL

THE freshman basketball team of Belleville High School had an excellent season this past year, winning all eight games they played. The second freshman team broke about even in their games.

Mr. Blair did very well with his team this year, and is to be congratulated on his good work. Serving as managers were Donald Connelly and assistant Russell Matthews.

Many Belleville students had the impression that the boys would not be very successful at either Bloomfield or Rutherford. Belleville played each team twice, once on the home court and once away. They won all four games.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

DURING the months of March and April, all attention was focused on the intramural basketball games. Homerooms buzzed with activity and preparation for the contests. Room 303, the junior-senior champions and Room 105, the winners in the freshman-sophomore tilt played the final game on April 11th. The sophomore room was given a twelve-point handicap as compensation for the difference in size. Both teams turned in fine performances and an extra period was necessary. The final score was 29-27 in favor of the senior group. 303 proudly basks in the sunlight of success.





*Lot of luck
Just
Buckshot*

BASEBALL

*"Love & kisses to
you Miss Long."
Regillon Wheeler*

THE call for candidates for the Baseball Team in March brought out many new faces. The job of developing his fresh material and building some semblance of a successful team around last year's four veterans rested with Coach Smith, who started his fifth and last year as mentor of the Bellboys. And this he did!

He showed up with a whole new infield and outfield with Captain Joe Sullivan, a two-year veteran, backing them up behind the plate and two other veterans, "Red" Handley and Jack Avazier. Handley had a two-fold job of pitching and holding down the initial sack, while Avazier and Russ McDermott shared the hurling roles. There were three newcomers on first: Costello, Flynn and Racioppi; and likewise on second: Miller, Schleckser, and Volpe; and on third: Fredericks and Cafone. Bill Smith was an able replacement behind the mask, and Burns, Litts, and Calicchio gathered up the long ones in the field.

Good clean fun on the field and in the locker room, cooperation, determined spirit, and quick thinking all helped make the 1940 season a success.



Frank B. Smith

*to meet my son to
play in white 1941 me.
no less & white*



TRACK TEAM

THIS year sees a new system used in teaching the track candidates the proper form and technique of running. Motion picture books are employed to illustrate various points such as the start and the stride.

There are many new prospects this year but there are still several of last year's team left to guide the newcomers. Many on the team look promising according to Mr. Taggart and Mr. Winika but Edward Hollweg shows the greatest possibilities.



*No rest of wishes to
a nice girl - Love
Eleanor
1941*



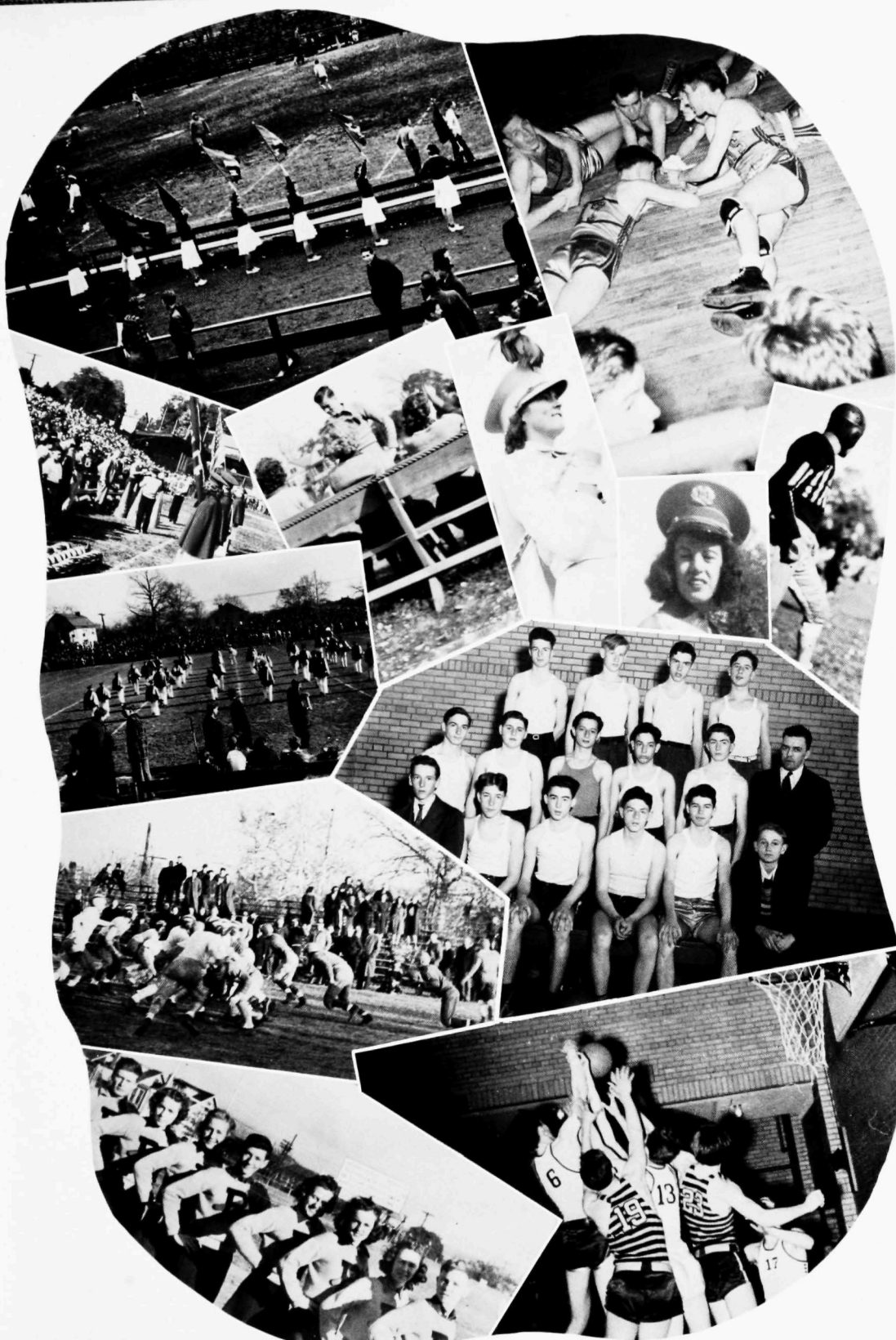
CHEERLEADERS

"COME on now, lots of noise but no stamping in the balcony." With this familiar cry the very first pep assembly went into action. All the cheerleaders including—but we are getting ahead of our story.

On a brisk autumn day last September, the call went out for those lusty-voiced youths who wished to take on the job of cheerleading the team on to victory. With so many ambitious boys and girls, Mr. Jones had a tough time but he finally reduced the number to eight peppy, vivacious cheerleaders. Overcoming the stiff competition, our remaining "oldsters", Margo Hyde and Edward Soleau, returned. Also winning out were a group of new pepsters that included Mildred Garland, Eleanor Beatty, Robert Kimble, Gwendolyn Schultz, Gloria Eleder and our little freshman, Roy Wagner, who surprised every one the day of the tryouts with his pep and ginger, disproving the fact that small people do not make much noise.

On the opening day the cheerleaders were already to start the proceedings with a welcoming cheer. This got young and old alike into the spirit of the occasion and every one had a marvelous time. Cold or hot, fair or not, these loyal leaders roused the enthusiasm of every one at every game, and it just gave you an indescribable thrill to see them carrying that huge banner down the field with Belleville boldly printed on the front.

Not only on the field were these girls and boys peppy and full of fun but also in their school work as well. Little Margo Hyde had the honor of even being queen of the Senior Mid-Winter Frolic while Eddie Soleau was the leading actor in our play. He did a very good job, too. Robert Kimble very nicely had himself elected president of the Sophomore class. Yes, this group has done very well for itself and we are unanimously glad that they were picked to lead us in our cheers this year, for they certainly have done a job that should make them proud of themselves.



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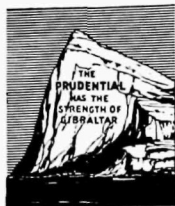


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