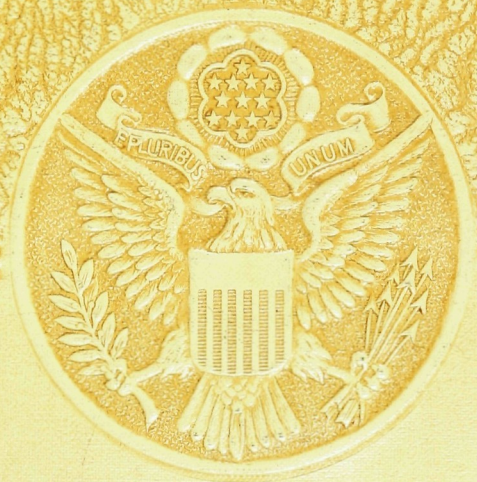


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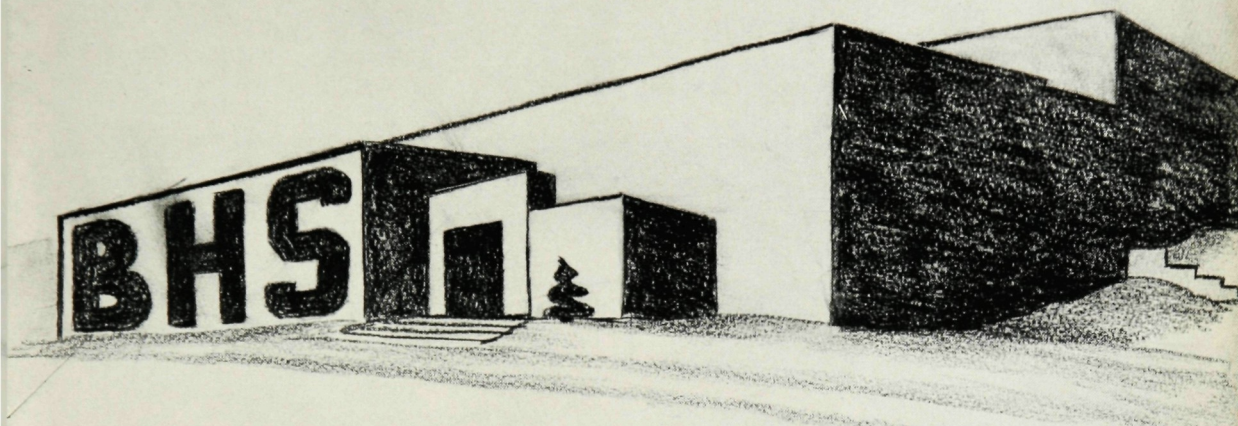
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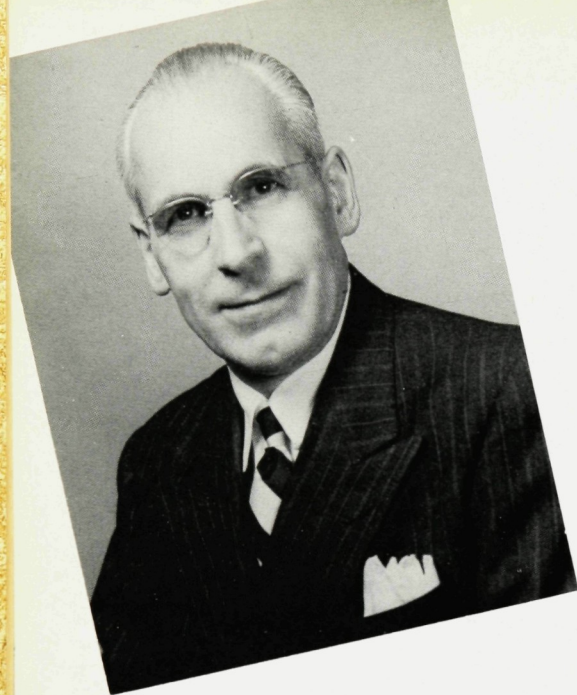
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OUR PENTAGON

BELLEVILLE, N. J.





Bob Woodman from last year's graduation class catches our Rye Beach Trip advisor sunning himself on the boat.

Our Medal of Honor to MR. MURRAY HUNT WILCOX

Above and beyond the call of duty . . .

This, in the military or anywhere, is a phrase of honor. It is to the man who has followed this idea throughout his life that we, the Class of 1954, dedicate our MONAD. To the man who, in everything he does, is thinking first of us, the students. To the man who, in doing every deed, has our welfare as his reason for doing it. To the man who dedicates his every deed to us, do we now dedicate our yearbook. The Class of 1954 presents its Medal of Honor to Mr. Murray Hunt Wilcox.

Mr. Wilcox posing beside his traditional blinking tree during the Christmas week at Belleville High. Even Mr. MacArthur took his economic geography class on a field trip to view the spectacle.



Service above and beyond the call of duty . . .

Ever since Mr. Wilcox came to Belleville High School in 1929, he has served it willingly. As an advisor to the Senior Class, his planning made the annual Rye Beach trip always a success. Wherever he has been he has left a record of service. Mr. Wilcox participated in football and track for Rochester and Cornell Universities, where he got his B.A. and M.A. degrees respectively. After this he coached successfully, baseball, basketball, and football for Celeron, New York, where he taught before coming to Belleville. Even back in his boyhood days on a farm near Delhi, New York, while winning county fair prizes, Mr. Wilcox was showing the service which he has continued to this day.

Spirit above and beyond the call of duty . . .

Every student in Belleville High has had contact with Mr. Wilcox's enthusiasm. Each Belleville High football game finds him out rooting all the way. Besides being an ardent Yankee baseball and Army football fan, summers find Mr. Wilcox pursuing an exciting hobby of mountain climbing.

Above and beyond the call of duty . . .

Mr. Murray Wilcox has become a tradition in B.H.S.—one of the people who make it rich; who make it Belleville High School. In appreciation for all he does for us, we, the students, express our thanks here and now, with a sincere wish that his is one tradition that will continue for a long time to come.

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President of the Board of Education and
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MR. CHARLES H. YOCUM

Vice-President and Chairman of Finance
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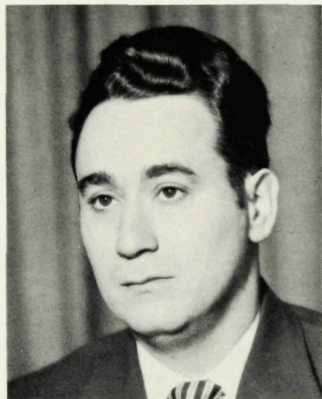


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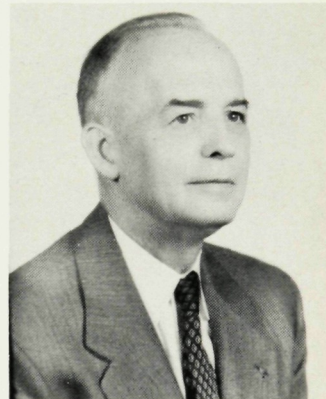
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The newest member of the Board of
Education and Chairman of Health
Committee.



MR. RUEL DANIELS

District Clerk and Business Manager
of the Board of Education.

Top Brass

EVAN H. THOMAS

Superintendent

The Class of 1954 salutes Superin-
tendent Evan H. Thomas, who has done
such a fine job in the Belleville school
system. A student photographer finds
Mr. Thomas as his desk in School Number
Eight one afternoon.



Field Commanders



DR. FRANK M. DURKEE
General Supervisor

A salute to Dr. Durkee and his hours of patient endeavors in leading the faculty toward a better understanding of Belleville's needs for a modern education. He is frequently seen visiting classes and attending after-school meetings and workshop gatherings.



MR. HUGH KITTLE
Five Star General



MR. CARL HENSINGER
Little Colonel

As the Class of 1954 prepares to leave Belleville High in search of newer and more varied experiences, we want to thank those who have so patiently and understandingly guided us through the past four years.

We, the Class of 1954, want to thank you, Mr. Kittle, most of all, for the guidance and leadership you have shown us and the help you have given us to fill our years at Belleville High with memories we will always cherish. We will never forget your "public address" voice, your hovering presence during the assemblies, your cheerful grin at our silly antics, and your encouraging manner in all our class activities.

It is fitting that before we leave, we pay tribute to Belleville High's assistant to the principal, Mr. Hensinger. Through the years we have come to know him for his pleasing personality and dry sense of humor. To those of you who were lucky enough to be among the students in his English classes, we know the knowledge you have gained will follow you in the years to come. To those of you who were unfortunate enough to be a visitor to Room 4, we know that you will never forget that feeling you got when you sat before him.

Mr. Hensinger, the Class of 1954 wishes you happiness and continued success in your new work.

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS

Guidance Department, Samuel Slifkin; Social Studies Department, Raymond Smith; Physical Education Department, Herman Wische; Business Education Department, Charles Schultz; Science Department, Nova Babb; Special Subjects Department, Samuel Peck; Mathematics Department, John Heffernan; Principal, Hugh D. Kittle; Language Arts Department, and Assistant to Principal, Carl Hensinger.



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Mrs. Maude Cory; Donald S. Brown, M.D., Philadelphia School of Osteopathy; Alice McKenzie, R.N., Jersey City Medical Center.

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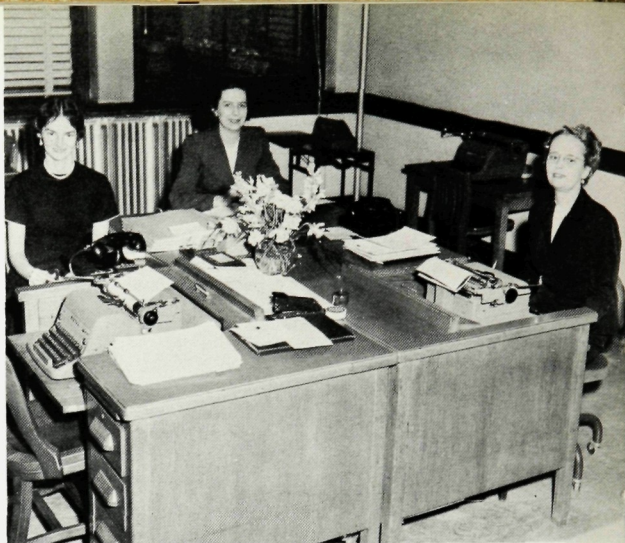
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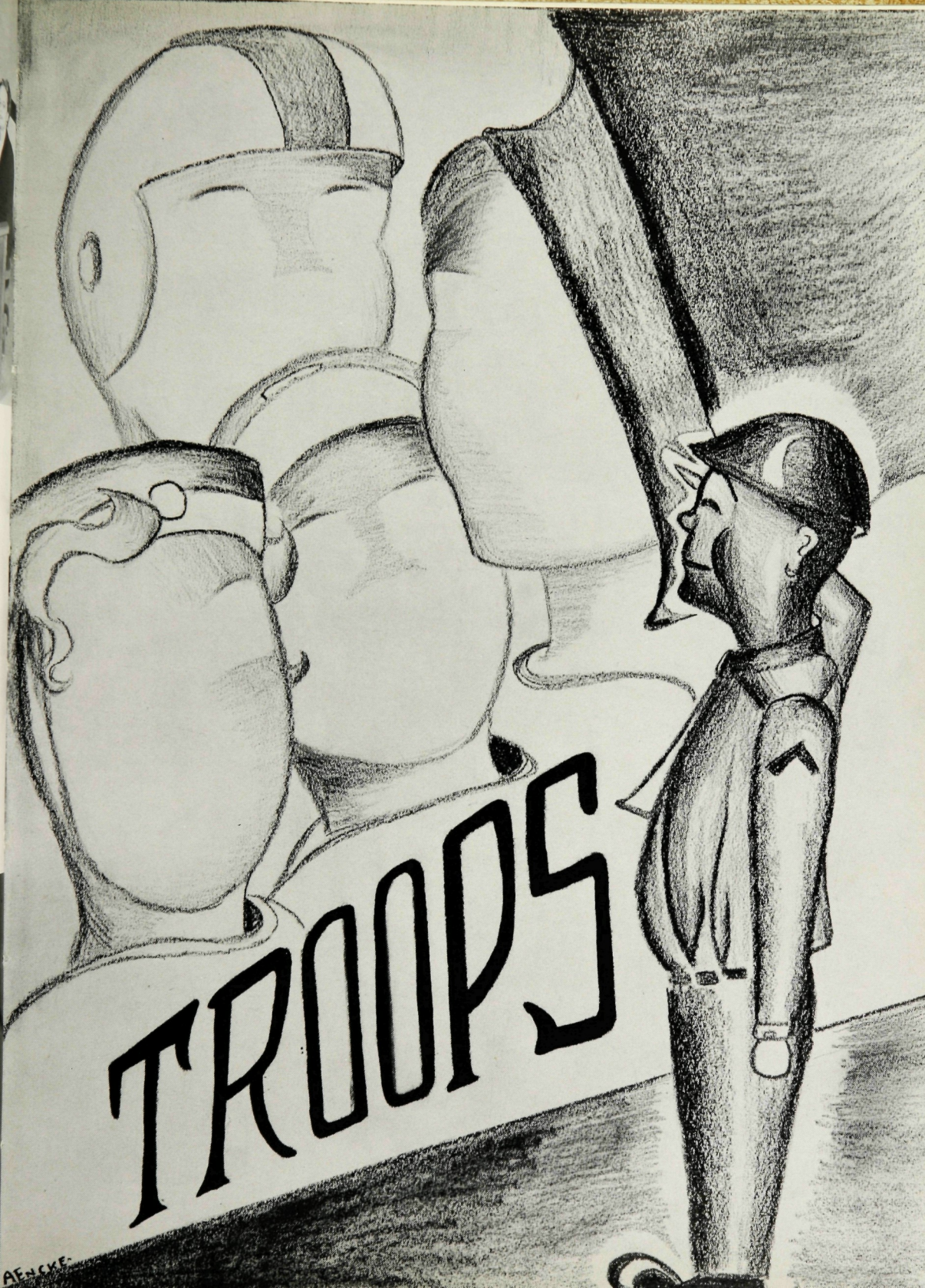
Mrs. Alice Mayes, Dietitian; Mrs. Harriet Tunis, Mrs. Lillian Ohlsen, Mrs. Huberta Rowe, Mrs. Ethel Banks, and, not in picture, Mrs. Hannah Allen.

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BUILDING CUSTODIANS

Frank Reardon, Elmer Evans, William Martin, Martin O'Brien, Mrs. Anna McKnight, Edward McDowell, Gordon Kennedy.





TROOPS



ELLEN A. ANDERSON

34 Division Avenue

"El" is that popular Amici with the pleasing smile . . . likes to sing . . . member of Student Council, **Spotlight** staff and Baker's Dozen . . . played in after-school sports . . . likes to be with a certain guy . . . admires Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis . . . looks ahead to nursing.

BARBARA AUGUST

136 Division Avenue

Friendly and pleasant . . . favorite pastimes are cooking and eating in Lindy's in New York . . . interested in baseball . . . likes the Yankees, especially Mickey Mantle . . . enjoys tomato pie and Rock Hudson . . . plans on a career as a secretary.



ROBERT AUTEN

169 Hornblower Avenue

Bob is our good-looking varsity crew and football member from Home-Room 302 . . . a member of Freshman Senate and Executive Committee of Student Council . . . particularly likes going out with a certain junior girl . . . future plans include entering college in the fall.

ROSE ANN BARBONE

16 Ligham Street

Rose is the owner of a perpetual smile . . . interested in ice skating and swimming . . . likes making her own clothes and riding with the girls . . . dislikes knee socks with skirts . . . King Cole rates high . . . Rose will make a perfect secretary.

JOAN BARNES

191 Forest Street

Live-wire personality, best describes Joan . . . Red Cross, C.Y.O., and sports occupy a lot of her time . . . likes relaxing at the Sugar Bowl, dancing, skating, and going to parties . . . future includes a typing career at the Prudential Life Insurance Company, then marriage.

ROBERT A. BARONE

19 Elmwood Avenue

A well-liked, friendly Dodger fan from 302 who enjoys all kinds of sports . . . played basketball in school and for St. Mary's C.Y.O. . . . member of Student Council and Red Cross . . . likes those visits to Nutley town . . . college is his future.

RALPH E. BARTLETT

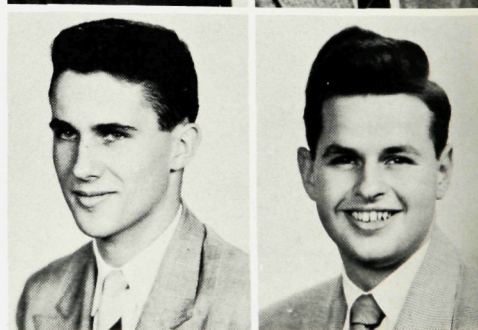
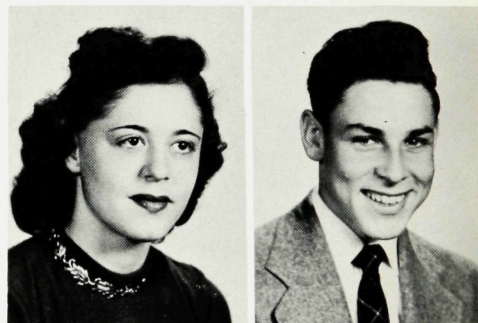
694 Joralemon Street

Ralph is a guy who is liked by everyone . . . enjoys rowing and playing the trumpet . . . belonged to the Band and Crew . . . member of the Nereid Boat Club and De Molay . . . Purdue University and mechanical engineering are his hopes for the future.

LAURENCE BAUREIS, JR.

410 DeWitt Avenue

Friendly "Skip" is always full of fun . . . played football in his freshman year and was a member of the Rifle Club . . . now in Naval Reserve . . . enjoys bowling and going to stock-car races . . . likes his '49 Mercs . . . plans to study engineering.



JULIA BENEDETTO

60 Emmet Street

Julie is a very friendly gal . . . likes bowling and dancing . . . is a member of the Calumets . . . did some fancy steps in the Talent Show . . . dislikes snobbish people . . . after graduation Julie will be doing secretarial work for some lucky boss.

ELSE B. BERGERSEN

189 Garden Avenue

Popular Else was a co-captain of the Twirling Squad, is a member of the Student Council, is vice-president of the Leaders' Club, and is active on Girls' intramural sports . . . interests include making Norwegian snacks for the Kelmars . . . Paterson State Teachers College is included in her future.



ALLEN BESSEMER**149 Fairway Avenue**

Al played on the Crew, Football, and Track Teams some time during his four years at Belleville High School . . . outside activities are being in the Naval Reserves and seeing Jane Russell movies . . . doesn't care for homework . . . future sees Al at some school.

LOIS BLOEMEKE**8 Celia Terrace**

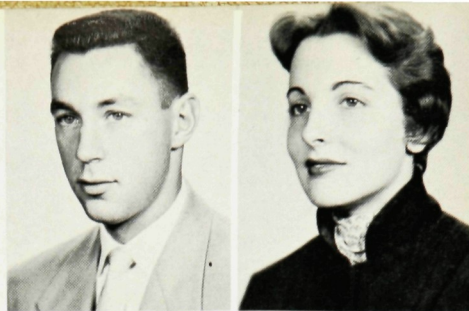
This cute Twirler has been a member of Monad staff, Freshman Senate, Student Council, Bowling Club, and after-school sports . . . a member of the Amici's and Sub-junior Women's Club . . . columnist for the Belleville Times . . . active in Junior Club of Lake Mohawk . . . future includes college and merchandising.

PATRICIA K. BOLLMAN**275 Cortlandt Street**

Personality plus, that's Pat . . . secretary of the senior class and president of the Leaders' Club . . . was secretary of Sophomore Class and a junior senator . . . outside interests include knitting argyle socks and summers at Ortley Beach . . . future plans include merchandising.

RICHARD BOTTICELLI**11 Maple Avenue**

Dick is a popular senior with a great "gift of gab" . . . likes playing golf enough to participate on the Golf Team in school . . . member of the Barbell Club . . . often found at Branch Brook Park after school . . . future plan—to enter college in the fall.

**BARBARA BROWN****2 Cortlandt Street**

Our "Barb" is a sports-minded girl from 302 . . . enjoys records by Billy Eckstine . . . played several after-school sports . . . likes good-looking boys as well as having dates . . . will make a good secretary after graduation.

DOROTHY H. BROWN**56 Belleville Avenue**

Dot is the girl with the ready, friendly smile . . . in Leaders' Club and Talent Show . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . spends time listening to Nat King Cole's records . . . also likes sports, boys and roller skating . . . plans to spend future being a good secretary.

**SHIRLEY A. BROWNLEE****84 Malone Avenue**

Friendly "Shirl" . . . member of girls' intramural sports and the Officials' Club . . . outside interests include girls' basketball leagues and the Kelmar's . . . likes to cruise around with the gang . . . plans to attend Berkeley Secretarial School.

EDMUND D. BUCCIARELLI**64 Columbus Avenue**

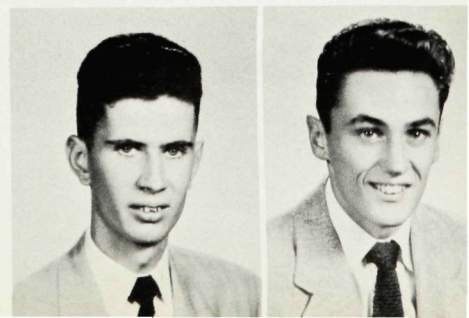
Likable "Butch" is our varsity football player who enjoys eating, listening to music, and watching the Yankees . . . his favorite pastime was trying to get out of homeroom without Miss Sandford knowing . . . future plans are to go into business.

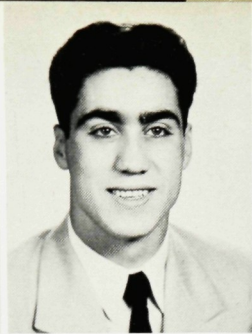
JOHN EDWARD BURKE**258 Hornblower Avenue**

John was an active student at Belleville . . . belonged to the Senior Senate, Student Council, and J.V. Basketball Team . . . likes fishing, the Dodgers, and, of course, despises the Yankees . . . member of C.Y.O. . . . intends to enter college in the fall.

GARY BURMAN**188 Beech Street**

Pleasant and quiet . . . that's Gary . . . major interest is basketball . . . played on the Freshman, J.V., and Varsity Basketball Teams . . . played J.V. baseball . . . member of Student Council during junior year . . . pet peeve is getting up early for school . . . likes Ernie Beck's jump shot . . . future is undecided.

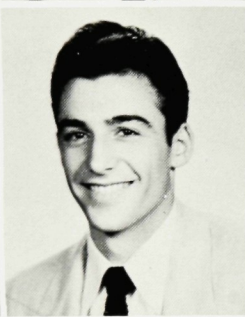
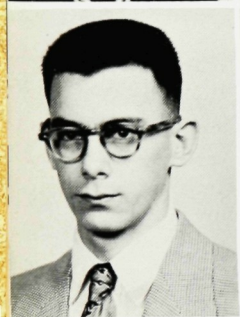


**BETTY CAFONE****123 Garden Avenue**

"Boop" is that cute little miss from 302 . . . was freshman and sophomore senator and Junior Red Cross member . . . also belongs to C.Y.O. . . . likes tomato pie and Perry Como's voice . . . the future holds an office job and marriage for this gal.

ROCCO F. CAFONE**9 King Street**

"Rocky" was our sensational co-captain of the Football Team and member of the Varsity Basketball Team . . . sports in general are his main interest . . . can be seen driving that black Mercury . . . enjoys attending parties but dislikes their after effects . . . future plan includes college.

**THOMAS P. CAHILL****147 Belleville Avenue**

Tom was interested in aviation during his years at Belleville High School . . . went out for the Crew in his second year . . . likes week-ends and vacations . . . found it hard to get up at seven o'clock and go to school . . . intends to continue with aviation in the air force.

GEORGE CALEDA**219 Garden Avenue**

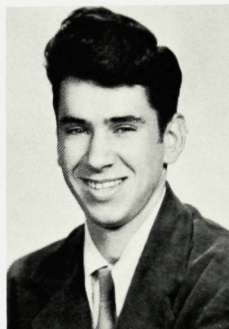
George, known as "Twinkle Toes", played on the J.V. Basketball Team in his junior year . . . often seen with a certain senior girl about school . . . also likes to eat homemade pizza when he can get them . . . plans to enter the printing industry after graduation if all goes well.

DAVID A. CARLE**439 Cortlandt Street**

Dave is a very sports-minded fellow . . . likes to watch the New York Knickerbockers and the Brooklyn Dodgers play . . . participated in baseball and basketball outside of school . . . after graduation from high school, he intends to go to college to study to be an accountant.

JOHN CARON**242 Belleville Avenue**

Tall, slick and witty—that's John . . . hails from Seton Hall Prep . . . participated in Aviation Club, C.Y.O., and Indian A.C. . . . likes sports in general with accent on bowling and swimming . . . dislikes mid-year and final exams . . . future plans are the air force or college.

**MARILYN CARUSO****398 Franklin Avenue**

"Mar," that snappy little twirler from 302 . . . a smile for everyone . . . Comet's protégé . . . member of **Monad** and **Spotlight** staffs . . . enjoys Dean Martin and being with good-looking boys . . . likes all sports, especially swimming at Lavalette . . . hopes to enter college after graduation.

GRACE MARIE CASALE**11 Emmet Street**

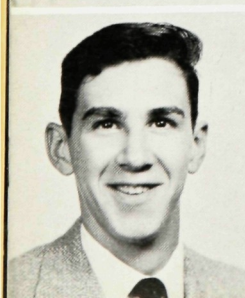
Gracie, a Yankee fan, always has a new joke . . . a Student Council member for three years, a Red Cross and Leaders' Club member . . . this twirler can usually be found playing basketball for the Hotshots or C.Y.O. . . . her future plans include college.

**ROBERT CATENACCI****40 May Street**

That guy Bob, with the crazy wagon, was a member of the Crew during his first two years . . . Track Team for his last two years . . . member of Montclair Y.M.C.A. . . . enjoys water-skiing, swimming, and playing basketball . . . future includes an engineering college.

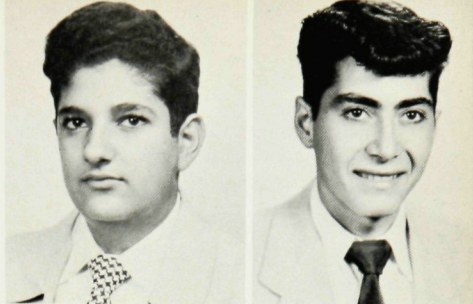
MARLENE M. CELI**26 Garden Avenue**

Marlene is that gal from 302 . . . likes Falcone's pizza pies . . . likes to read good books, enjoys dancing, and listening to Tony Bennett . . . a very nice person to know . . . hopes to become a secretary upon graduation.

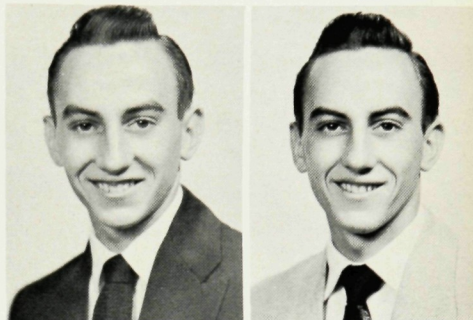


ANTHONY CERAMI**563 Franklin Avenue**

Happy-go-lucky "Cow" . . . on the Crew for two years . . . member of the Montclair Y.M.C.A. . . . enjoys football, basketball, and swimming . . . likes to tinker with all kinds of old or new automobiles . . . plans to go to Rutgers University after graduation.

**JOHN CETRULO****32 Montgomery Place**

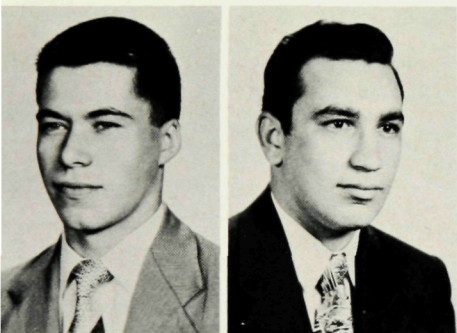
Sports-minded Johnny from 311 . . . a great guy . . . member of Wrights Club in Bloomfield . . . played in intramural basketball leagues . . . a real Marilyn Monroe fan . . . likes that Soho school bus . . . future plans are uncertain.

**JOSEPH C. CETTI****71 Cortlandt Street**

Joe is a friendly guy with a winning way . . . played four years on the high school Soccer Team . . . has played soccer for West New York League . . . member of PAL . . . avid Yankee fan . . . also a pro-Jane Russell . . . plans to enter the Navy.

PETER J. CETTI, JR.**71 Cortlandt Street**

The other half of a brother combination is Pete, who has been a member of the Soccer Team for four years . . . he also plays for the West New York League . . . played baseball for PAL . . . interested in all sports . . . Brooklyn-Dodger fan . . . enjoys having a good time . . . plans to be a mechanic or a cabinet maker.

**WILLIAM ALAN CHAPMAN****125 Bell Street**

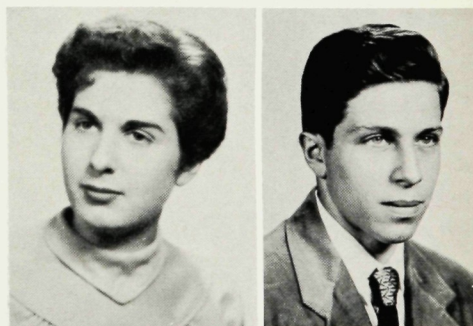
Pleasant and friendly with a gleam in his eye—that's Bill . . . active in football, crew, Student Council, and **Monad** . . . member of National Honor Society, the De Molay, Nereid Boat Club, and Trinity Fellowship . . . likes seeing the Dodgers, looking at pretty girls, and designing homes . . . future includes Rutgers and civil engineering.

NICK COCCO**13 North Eighth Street**

A really good guy, our Nick . . . has been a member of the Football Team for four years and Track Team for two years . . . likes to travel . . . favorite teams are the Yankees and Detroit Lions . . . enjoys bowling . . . plans to attend an engineering college.

BERNICE JUNE COHEN**11 Tremont Avenue**

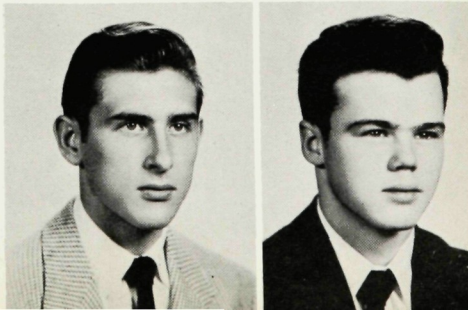
Judy, the gal with the magnetic personality . . . co-editor of the **Monad** and **Spotlight** assistant editor in junior year . . . in Talent Show during freshman year . . . member of the Debs . . . likes the Yankees, music, writing, and a certain green car and the driver . . . future—college.

**CLIFFORD COLE****302 Washington Avenue**

Clifford is a serious-minded boy . . . member of the Rifle Club for one year . . . interests lie in electronics and cars . . . he likes movies and, of course, doesn't like homework . . . isn't sure what the future holds for him but intends to start out by working.

CARL COLUCCI**31 Wilber Street**

"Luch" is our fun-loving end of the Varsity Football Team . . . member of the Junior Senate, Track, and Baseball Teams . . . interested in sports in general . . . likes girls and parties . . . dislikes after-effects of them . . . college and business are in his future plans.

**EUGENE CONNOLLY****104 Malone Avenue**

Curly-haired Gene spends most of his spare time taking cars apart and putting them together again . . . especially interested in fast automobiles . . . sports, bowling and archery rate high with him . . . future plans are still uncertain.



ROBERT COOK

227 Little Street

Bob's main interests are keeping his '37 Buick in good running order and watching and playing all sports in general . . . likes going to Marilyn Monroe's pictures and Mr. Brown's speech class here in Belleville High School . . . future includes mechanical drafting somewhere after graduation.

EDWARD R. CORINO

32 King Street

Ed's the black-haired guy from Homeroom 302 . . . enjoys swimming, participating in sports, dancing, and eating Italian food . . . member of President's Cabinet in the Student Council . . . future plans include a college to study engineering or a notice to go into the air force.



FRANK CORSI

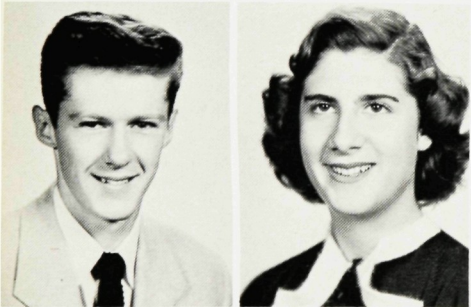
9 Watchung Avenue

That black-haired, good-looking senior from Silver Lake . . . interested in football . . . likes holidays and summer vacations . . . on an outside football team . . . enjoys playing billiards with his pals . . . future undecided but may go into the armed forces and serve Uncle Sam before settling down.

JOHN H. COSTELLO

168 Garden Avenue

John, a tall, well-groomed senior, is interested in many outside activities . . . member of the De Molay . . . likes swimming and dancing . . . fond of roller skating at Twin City . . . after school, John intends to enter the United States Navy and finish schooling there.



ROBERT CROWNING

376 Division Avenue

A fine guy with a friendly grin, that's Bob . . . member of Track Team . . . has joined the Naval Reserve . . . was on Student Council during sophomore year . . . belongs to De Molay . . . likes sixth-period English class . . . is going to enter navy upon graduation.

GENEVIEVE D'ANGELO

16 Elmwood Avenue

Personality plus, that's our "Gen" . . . a member of the Monad sales girl group, of the Baker's Dozen, and of her church choir . . . president of that little group known as the ardent Billy Mays' fans . . . enjoys watching those Yankees . . . will make a great X-ray technician in the near future.

WILLIAM DARROCH, JR.

232 Stephen Street

Bill was a member of the B.H.S. Soccer Team . . . interest lies in swimming and driving his Chevrolet . . . member of Methodist Youth Fellowship and the Boy Scouts of America . . . plans to go to night school after graduation to study to be an architect.

SHIRLEYANN DAUBERT

52 Smith Street

Better known as "Shirl" . . . member of Junior Red Cross for two years . . . helps in the office . . . interested in watching Arthur Godfrey on TV and listening to Julius La Rosa's records . . . likes swimming, roller skating . . . seen with the Ramblers . . . plans to be a secretary.

EDWARD C. DECEPOLI

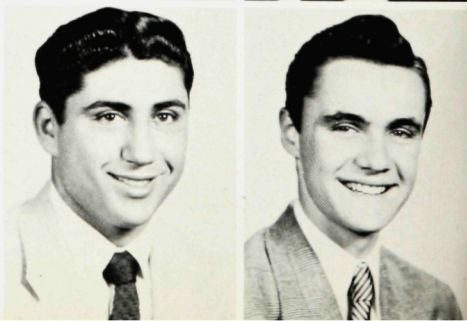
115 Heckel Street

Eddie played on the Freshman and J.V. Football Teams . . . belonged to Y.M.C.A. and plays the accordion . . . likes weight lifting and eating . . . Eddie is known for his witty remarks and his pet-peeve—homework . . . he is looking forward to a career in the marines.

KENNETH W. DECKER

339 Little Street

Ken is a tall, good-looking senior who is active in church organizations . . . likes driving a certain 1948 Kaiser . . . Ken is an ambitious boy who works after school at part-time jobs . . . his future plans aren't definite, but they may include college.



ANGELA MARIE DeCOSTANZA**26 Branch Brook Drive**

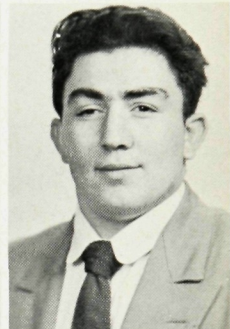
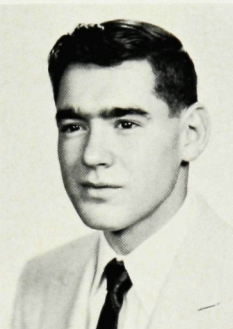
Cute and clever . . . Angie is interested in clothes . . . likes Italian food and the Yankees . . . in school, a **Monad** member and a librarian assistant . . . a Bowling Club and Talent Show participant . . . outside activities include the Junior Achievement . . . member of Calumets . . . future points to Fairleigh Dickenson College.

**ELIZABETH DEENY****32 Bremond Street**

"Bets" is an adorable senior with big blue eyes . . . she enjoyed after-school basketball, volleyball, and bowling . . . belongs to the C.Y.O. . . . driving with the girls and swimming are among her interests . . . the Four Aces rate high with this gal . . . hopes to attend nursing school.

GERALD De LAURENTIS**171 Stephen Street**

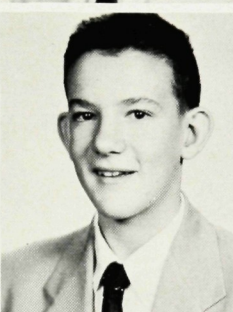
A fine guy from 303 . . . Jerry's main interest is hunting in New York State and fishing in New Jersey's streams . . . member of Lower Valley Rod and Gun Club . . . enjoys cruising in his new car . . . plans to enter the trucking business after he leaves B.H.S.

**GEORGE Del MARMO, JR.****691 Mill Street**

Tall with curly brown hair and a hearty laugh . . . participated in the Audio-Visual Aids Department and bowling . . . member of Sacred Heart Eagles Football Team . . . enjoys swimming and bowling . . . plans on attending a Southern university and on having a career as a metallurgist.

JAMES DEMGARD**137 Linden Avenue**

Good ol' Jim from 303 likes all sports, especially being on the Crew for four years . . . member of Nereid Boat Club . . . member of Rifle Club . . . loyal Giant fan and an ardent rooter for football . . . dislikes third-period English class . . . future is in architecture.

**MILDRERD De NICOLA****603 Main Street**

Millie is that charming girl from 302 . . . was a member of the Bowling Club and now is in the Italian Club . . . belongs to Saint Peter's C.Y.O. . . . main interests are seeing a certain boy and listening to the Hilltoppers . . . in the future hopes to do office work and to get married.

**VIRGINIA De NUNZIO****35 Arthur Street**

"Virgie" is that adorable little miss from 302 . . . active in girls' intramural basketball and bowling . . . worked in the guidance office . . . member of C.Y.O. and Calumets . . . enjoys french fries and sea food . . . likes to be with people . . . looks to the future in an office job.

CARL E. DENZLER**7 Belmohr Street**

Tall with a pleasant personality . . . played soccer for two years . . . member of the **Monad** . . . participates in Junior Achievement . . . likes driving his '47 Chevrolet . . . interested in antique guns . . . enjoys bowling with the Fewsmith Fellowship and teasing girls . . . future includes college and engineering.

PALMA DIGLIO**89 Heckel Street**

"Pam" is that petite, striking miss from 302 . . . she has taken part on the after-school basketball and volleyball teams . . . enjoys swimming, dancing, participating in sports of all kinds, and spending week-ends at Ortley . . . next year she will be in Berkeley Secretarial School.

**DOROTHY DILLON****22 Bremond Street**

This attractive and charming girl from Room 303 hopes to be a secretary in the future . . . one of those who enjoys listening to the Four Aces and being a member of the Amici's . . . a sports-minded gal, this Dottie, with intramural basketball and volleyball records in B.H.S. and C.Y.O.



BETTY JEAN Di MEO

61 Heckel Street

Good-looking girl called "Honey" by her friends . . . on Girls' Basketball and Volleyball Teams . . . active member of Red Cross . . . member of Saint Anthony's C.Y.O., likes doing secretarial work and going out on double dates . . . is an ardent Yankee fan . . . intends to be a secretary in the future.

JOAN DIXON

51 Prospect Place

Dark and glamorous, our Joanie . . . participated on Junior Red Cross and worked on **Spotlight** staff . . . active in Y.W.C.A. . . enjoys writing and modeling . . . favorite pastimes include horseback riding, swimming, and seeing a certain boy . . . future plans are either journalism or a modeling career after college.

BETSY DOMENICK

621 Belleville Avenue

A member of the Twirling Squad for three years and a peppy cheerleader in her senior year . . . versatile Betsy was vice-president of the Junior Class, a member of the Student Council, and a member of Officials' Club . . . belongs to the Kelmars . . . plans to attend college.

LUCILLE DOMENICK

12 Naples Avenue

"Lu" is that adorable, dark-haired senior who hails from 303 . . . she played girls' after-school volleyball and basketball . . . enjoys swimming, good music, dancing, and week-ends at Ortley . . . next year she'll attend secretarial school.

AGNES DOMIEN

282 Ralph Street

This fun-loving blonde has been seen on the Twirling Squad since her freshman year . . . has participated in intramural sports and is an active member of the Leaders' Club . . . a Kelmar who enjoys driving with the girls and having week-ends at Ortley . . . future undecided.

LAWRENCE D'ONOFRIO

99 Mt. Prospect Avenue

Larry has been very active in our class affairs . . . he was our sophomore president and vice-president of the Student Council . . . one of our football heroes and member of the basketball and baseball teams . . . he enjoys all sports . . . future is undecided.

ROBERT DOYLE

14 Heckel Street

Bob is our popular Student Council president . . . played football four years, basketball one year, and C.Y.O. baseball . . . M.C. of Talent Shows . . . president of Saint Anthony's C.Y.O. . . likes to imitate Red Skelton . . . after graduation Bob would like to go to college.

CELIA ANN DUCA

28 Greylock Avenue

Sweet and friendly, that's "Ceil" . . . member of the Student Council in freshman and sophomore years . . . also sports-minded enough to be on Officials' Club . . . likes swimming, dancing, and listening to Perry Como . . . plans on secretarial work as a follow-up to high school.



MICHAEL DUCLAUX

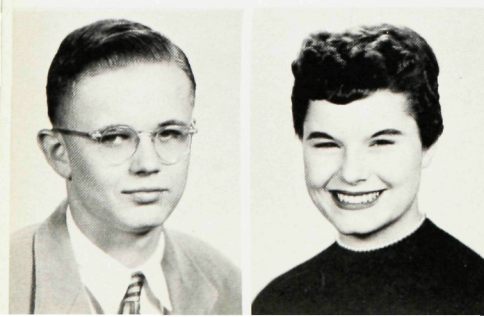
254 Joralemon Street

Mike, a guy with a shy but winning way . . . played on Freshman Basketball and Soccer Teams . . . member of PAL . . . would like to see "Cincy" Reds win a World Series . . . hopes to travel when he is graduated from college . . . will study political science or forestry at college.

JEAN DUFFORD

328 Franklin Avenue

Port and vivacious cheerleading captain . . . Jean's many accomplishments include Amici's, Leaders' Club, secretary and then treasurer of Student Council, girls' intramural sports, and president of Sub-junior Women's Club . . . talking, swimming, driving, and participating in sports of all kinds are among her interests . . . future—gym teacher.



JOAN R. DURKEE**45 Van Houten Place**

A smiling, bright-eyed import from Somerville . . . member of Student Council, Senior Senate, and **Monad** staff . . . co-chairman of Student Handbook Committee . . . belongs to Fewsmith Youth Fellowship . . . is usually seen with the Devis . . . likes dancing, bowling, reading, and playing sports . . . future plans include college.

**TED DUVA****50 Wallace Street**

Fun-loving Ted was a member of the J.V. Football Team . . . likes to eat pizza pies . . . enjoys all sports . . . loyal Yankee fan . . . goes for Jane Russell in a big way . . . wants to have his own car someday . . . his future is undecided.

TOM DYMOND**16 Howard Place**

The kid from Pennsylvania . . . member of Track Team . . . loyal Dodger fan who likes Pee Wee Reese . . . dislikes doing homework and getting up early . . . interests are swimming and fixing cars . . . a Marilyn Monroe fan . . . future includes the air force.

**BARBARA ANN EDWARDS****52 Academy Street**

A contagious laugh and dynamic personality . . . plays after-school basketball and volleyball . . . enjoys talking about boys with Helen and Amy . . . a loyal Dodger fan . . . likes dancing, singing, and playing sports . . . hopes to work at Re Geigman's after graduation.

**JOSEPH R. EFFENBERGER****392 Cortlandt Street**

"Joe Eff" is a handsome fellow who is always amusing someone with his fabulous stories . . . a member of the J.V. Baseball and Sub-varsity Basketball Teams . . . is hunting or fishing when not hanging out at Budd's with the boys . . . will join the armed forces.

ALICE ENCKE**116 Continental Avenue**

Witty Alice was a member of the Student Council, **Monad** staff, Assembly Committee, and Officials' Club . . . vice-president of Freshman Class . . . outside interests include Amici's and Sub-junior Women's Club . . . likes crazy clothes, crew cuts, and week-ends at Ortley . . . future—college and merchandising.

**MARILYN ENGLISH****188 Branch Brook Drive**

A gleam in her eyes and a smile on her face, that's Lynn . . . member of the Baker's Dozen and **Monad** sales girl group . . . typist for **Spotlight** . . . seen wearing Comet's jacket . . . "solid" on dancing, singing, and listening to Eddie Fisher . . . future includes being a telephone operator and getting married.

ALLAN EVANS**56 Frederick Street**

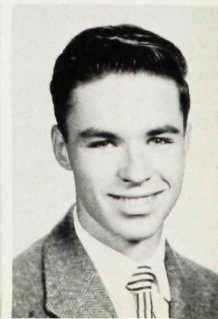
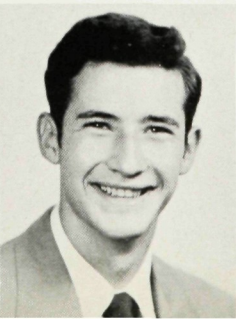
Al's a member of the Junior Red Cross and a winner in a national and state writing contest . . . outside activities include president of Youth Fellowship . . . enjoys Florida vacations . . . dislikes French homework on week-ends . . . Al plans to do a hitch in the navy.

LES EYERKUUS**76 Cortlandt Street**

Tall, smiling Les . . . member of J.V. and Varsity Football Teams . . . member of the Lower Valley Rod and Gun Club . . . likes hunting, being with girls, driving cars, and playing the guitar . . . future includes the marines and being an auto mechanic.

GERALD FARLEY**418 Franklin Street**

Gerry's the "Continental" in the French Club this year . . . often found at the Forest Hill Country Club golfing or at the Orange Y.M.C.A. . . . interested in TV and Ava Gardner . . . next year's plans include taking a business administration course at Rutgers.



**MARY ANN FERRIGNO****348 Stephens Street**

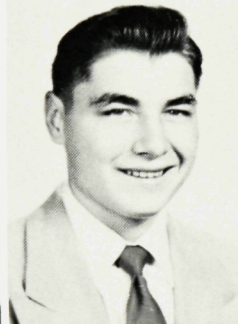
Active Mary Ann writes the gossip column for the **Spotlight**, is secretary of the Leaders' Club, and is squad leader of the Twirling Squad . . . member of the Senior Senate, **Monad** staff, and Officials' Club . . . enjoys driving and week-ends at Ortleigh with the Kelmars . . . future—college.

**PATRICIA E. FITZSIMMONS****5 Elmwood Avenue**

Pat is that charming, talented dancer with a big future on Broadway ahead of her . . . twirler three years, majorette, star of Talent Show, and Seton Hall basketball entertainment . . . ballet lessons in New York led to Paper Mill Play House . . . Milton Berle TV Show, General Motors "Moforama", and a tour of America in the "1954 Buick Glamorama".

**NANCY FORD****164 Hornblower Avenue**

Nancy is that girl with the pretty red hair . . . **Monad** sales girl . . . belonged to the Librarian Club and helped in the Guidance Office . . . member of M.Y.F. . . likes to dance and eat Italian food . . . has plans to be a private secretary.

**RUDOLPH J. FORTE****660 Belleville Avenue**

Cheerful Rudy is a member of the Junior Red Cross . . . played basketball for the Intermediate Basketball League for the Jets . . . likes cars and the Yankees . . . likes to bowl and to work . . . hopes to enter the field of interior decorating in the future.

ARTHUR F. FOST**264 Holmes Street**

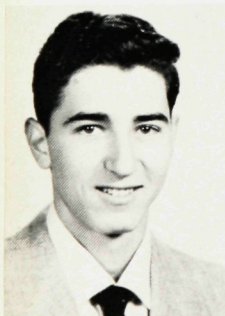
Art, that guy with the big smile . . . on the Student Council and the Junior Senate . . . member of the Crew and the Naturals A.C. . . . enjoys going horseback riding and playing basketball . . . can usually be found at Budd's . . . the future will find Art attending college.

HELEN FRITTS**298 Union Avenue**

Helen is that gal usually seen riding her motorcycle on Washington Avenue . . . in school she worked in the office . . . her hobby is leather craft . . . likes men teachers . . . after graduation she plans to work in the Bell Telephone Company.

**ANGELO J. FUSARO****47 King Street**

"Angelo Babe" is the well-liked guy from 304 with the wavy hair . . . member of the Bowling Club . . . a Red Cross representative . . . enjoys fishing and his art work . . . played in the intermediate basketball league . . . plans to attend Rutgers College of Pharmacy.

**HELEN GALANTE****204 Stephens Street**

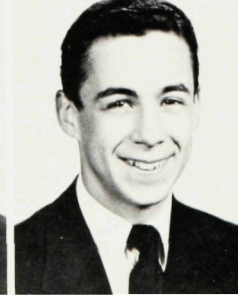
Always laughing . . . **Monad** sales girl . . . likes to sing along with those hill billy tunes . . . usually with Lenny . . . enjoys eating pizza . . . likes to dance and swim, but most of all she likes boys . . . hopes to be a private secretary and then to get married.

**SHEILA GALLAY****60 Perry Street**

"Sheil" is the peppy member of Debs . . . played after-school basketball . . . worked with the Future Teachers and the Junior Red Cross . . . likes making phone calls to Bayonne and going to Broadway hits . . . a real Yankee fan . . . enjoys summers at the lake . . . wants to go to college.

**JOSEPH GANTEAUME****256 De Witt Avenue**

Crew cut and good looks, that's our Joe . . . was a member of Student Council and Track Team . . . played in Intermediate Basketball League; therefore, as you see, sports rank high . . . seen driving that car . . . Seton Hall awaits Joe.



RONALD F. GENNELL**123 Bremond Street**

Our senior called "Our Paisan", who likes girls . . . great guy with a terrific personality . . . likes to swim and to drive that '31 Chevy . . . worked for his father . . . never without a smile . . . hopes to start a business of his own after graduation.

IRENE GILCHRIST**472 Washington Avenue**

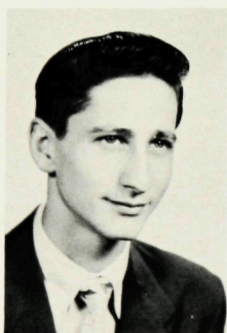
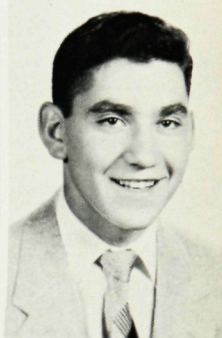
"Rene," a cute brunette with bright eyes . . . **Monad** sales girl, library assistant, office and guidance helper . . . active in intramural basketball . . . belongs to C.Y.O. . . . likes dancing, swimming, and seeing Bob . . . plans to remain at Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company after graduation.

RITA GIORDANO**21 Smith Street**

Sunny disposition and a big smile—that's our Rita . . . likes movies, music, and dancing . . . thinks riding in "Betsy" is lots of fun . . . swoons over Eddie Fisher . . . likes wearing her pretty clothes and drinking "awful awfuls" . . . plans on doing office work when June comes.

MARTIN GLASSMAN**139 Cedar Hill Avenue**

Nobody can tell when he's serious, but Marty gets things done . . . **Monad** and **Spotlight** staffs . . . elected to Sophomore and Senior Senates . . . active in Student Council . . . also on Crew . . . member of Naturals A.C. . . . future holds studying for medicine or dentistry in college.

**DOLORES FRANCES GOI****80 Little Street**

"Dee" played after-school sports . . . library assistant . . . likes to bowl and play tennis . . . likes to dance and listen to good music . . . Henry and office work rate "tops" with her . . . a secretary in the future.

WILLIAM GOIONE**35 Linden Avenue**

Popular "Fig" . . . played Freshman, J.V., and Varsity basketball . . . was a Student Council representative in his senior year . . . enjoys playing pool . . . can usually be found at the Sugar Bowl . . . in the future Bill plans to attend college.

ELAINE B. GORLEY**282 Cortlandt Street**

Elaine is that tall, blonde member of the Kelmars . . . was president of the Freshman Class and member of the Junior Senate . . . this member of the Leaders' Club enjoys playing intramural sports and listening to the Hilltoppers . . . future plans include secretarial work.

HARRY H. GOUGH**1 Crescent Terrace**

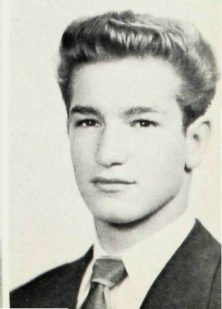
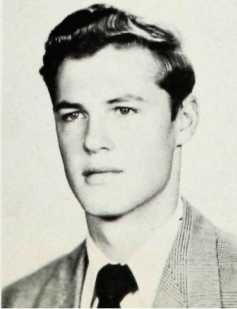
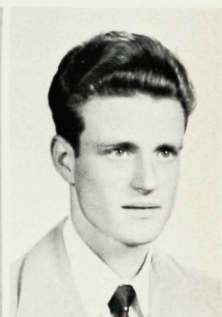
"Red" has quite a record in sports activities . . . played on the J.V. and Varsity Baseball Teams freshman year . . . found playing on Intermediate League evenings . . . other interests center around driving and tinkering with cars . . . hates them when they don't run . . . future—to work unless Uncle Sam calls him.

EDWARD GRAY**339 Stephens Street**

Ed, our good-looking co-captain of the Football Team . . . member of Crew for four years and Basketball Team for one . . . also member of Ne-reid Boat Club and Weight Lifting Club . . . interests include all sports . . . is usually seen with a certain girl . . . Rollins College is next stop.

RONALD G. GREULICH**311 Stephens Street**

A likeable guy with an art for getting into school late . . . member of Silver Kleats . . . interested in mechanics, girls, and just having fun . . . a three-year Crew member . . . Bob is fond of parties, sports, and good steaks . . . after B.H.S. he will study engineering.





PATSY GROSSO

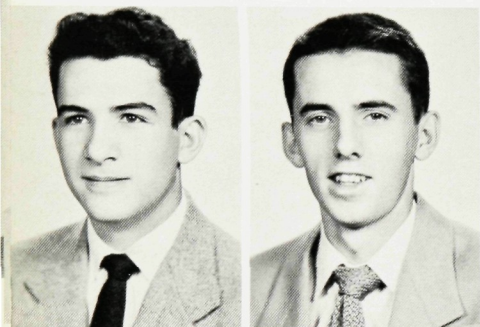
64 Franklin Street

"The Gros" . . . member of Freshman Football Team . . . four-year basketball man . . . good-looking Patsy likes girls with hazel eyes . . . belongs to Saint Anthony's C.Y.O. . . . enjoys all sports . . . has plans for college.

GLORIA ANN GUTCH

170 Washington Avenue

A gal with lots of personality . . . member of Sophomore Senate . . . active in many sports . . . enjoys swimming, bowling, and playing basketball . . . likes the Yankees . . . belongs to Maltans . . . worked with the **Monad** sales staff . . . is thinking of entering Berkeley Secretarial School.



JACK HAFT

55 Bremond Street

The boy with everything . . . Jack is editor-in-chief of **Spotlight** . . . active in Student Council, Red Cross, and Assembly Committee . . . participates in Crew and Band . . . plays first bass in All-State Orchestra . . . member of Junior Achievement and Naturals A.C. . . . likes music and photography . . . some day will come out of medical school a "sawbones."

WILLIAM HALL

177 Linden Avenue

Bill rowed Freshman, J.V., and Varsity Crew . . . is a member of Nereid Boat Club . . . pastimes include hunting and fishing . . . would like to own a 1954 Hudson Hornet . . . Bill's future plans are to seek employment at a well-paying job.



ANTOINETTE S. HARRIS

29 Belleville Avenue

"Toni" to everyone . . . a very fine and bright gal . . . belongs to Red Cross . . . played all girl's sports in B.H.S. . . . likes to bowl and roller skate . . . main interests are Ricky and Stan Kenton's records . . . a Yankee fan . . . college in the future.

JOHN HOAGLAND

227 Malone Avenue

Jack has many interests and pastimes including machinery, engines, cars, and fast motor boats . . . enjoys travel and "small-town" life . . . feels that women are a "necessary evil" . . . a future in college, then a well-paying job with little work.

SANDRA J. HOCH

32 Elmwood Avenue

Dark-haired "Sandy" . . . member of Players, USO, and Denaydes . . . assistant calypso dance instructor . . . likes to mambo, listen to crazy music, daydream, and night dream about a certain boy . . . likes Chinese food, Greenwich Village, millionaires, athletes, and show biz . . . future will be a ride on the clouds.

ARLENE HOFFMAN

156 Carpenter Street

That likeable girl from 304 . . . likes to write those letters to Bob . . . member of Cometés . . . a **Monad** sales girl and a member of the **Monad** staff . . . likes to drive that chevy . . . being a secretary is in her future, so she tells us.

NORMA HOOD

66 Fairview Place

"Norm" is an Eddie Fisher fan with a preference for boys from Nutley . . . Norma has been a **Monad** sales girl and a member of the **Spotlight** staff . . . belongs to the J.A. and Rainbow Girls . . . likes chemistry and seventh-period gym . . . future includes office work.

JEAN HOWES

84 Harrison Street

Tall Jean likes all sports . . . her main interest lies in football generally . . . she has a keen interest in television . . . enjoys listening to good records . . . plans to attend business school after graduation.

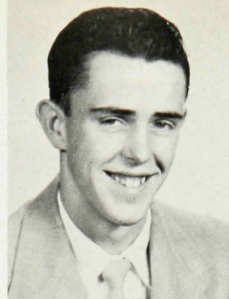


JOHN HUGHES**17 Prospect Place**

John's main interest is drafting . . . played on school's Soccer Team and is a member of PAL . . . usually seen playing sports, mainly baseball . . . future plans include finding work in a print shop in some nearby plant.

CAROL HUNDERTPFUND**31 Lincoln Terrace**

Carol is the girl with the pretty blonde hair . . . active on Senior Senate, Student Council, and **Monad** staff . . . enjoys Italian food and likes vacations, dancing, and being seen with a tall senior . . . dislikes short assemblies . . . hopes to be a secretary to a lawyer.

**THOMAS IANNICELLI****75 Mt. Prospect Avenue**

Tom has played basketball for B.H.S. for several years . . . enjoys playing all kinds of sports with accent on bowling . . . usually seen working week-ends on his car . . . after graduation, Tom plans to go to school to study to be an automobile mechanic.

KENNETH JACOBSEN**273 William Street**

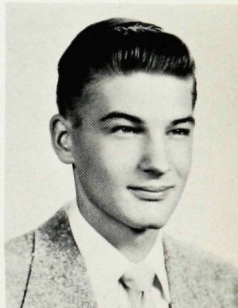
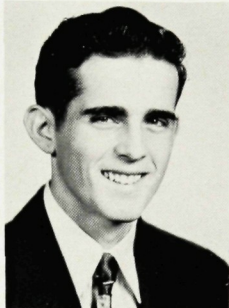
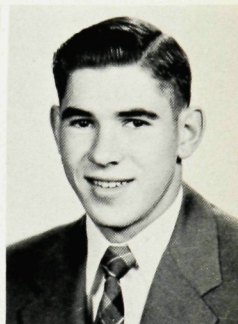
A good-natured boy in our high school who is well liked by all . . . he is our "Kenny" . . . played J.V. and Varsity football . . . interested in all sports and a certain girl . . . his future includes college and an engineering career.

ROBERT JACQUIN**324 Washington Avenue**

Easy-going "Jagwar" played freshman and J.V. football . . . member of Lower Valley Rod and Gun Club . . . main interests are hunting, fishing and collecting all types of guns and then fixing them . . . pastimes include driving and skeet shooting . . . future is uncertain.

CHARLES A. JERRY**64 Charles Street**

Tall, blond, and swanky—that's Charlie . . . outside activities include swimming, driving the family car, and fishing . . . Charlie usually spends his spare time playing the guitar and admiring girls . . . future includes entering the busines world.

**ALBERT JOHNSTON****16 Minker Place**

Al is the little guy with the crew cut . . . member of the Baseball Team . . . likes going with girls, dancing, and doing math . . . ardent Yankee fan . . . plays basketball for the Jets . . . hopes to enter an engineering college next year.

WARREN JONES**2 Baldwin Place**

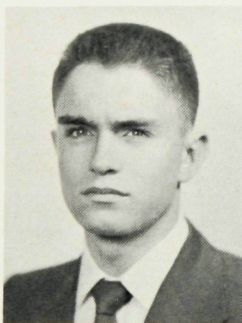
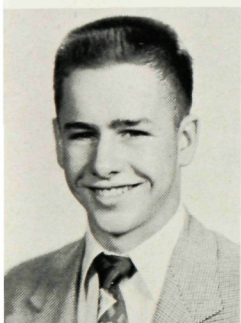
Fun-loving "Jonesy" is a fine trombone player . . . fixes cars and goes out with the boys . . . likes driving, swimming, playing sports, and seeing girls once in a while . . . hopes to study for ministry or work in an office.

ROBERT KADEN**97 Tappan Avenue**

"Moose" is the tall, dark-haired member of the Naturals A.C. . . . in Sophomore and Senior Senates . . . can usually be found wise-cracking with the gang at Budd's . . . enjoys sports but his favorite pastime is eating . . . looks forward to college next fall.

MARY LOU KARLSON**390 Stephens Street**

Curly, dark-haired Mary Lou . . . seen with Maltons . . . was a freshman senator and librarian . . . swimming at Montclair pool is her favorite pastime . . . likes bowling, listening to records, and watching the Yankees . . . secretarial work and marriage are her future plans.





MARY A. KIERNAN

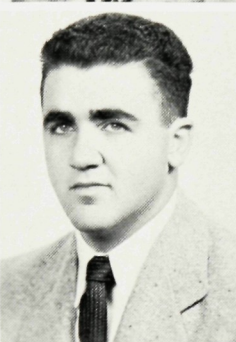
154 Mill Street

"Keenie" is a senior import from St. Vincent's . . . member of Red Cross . . . plays C.Y.O. basketball and softball . . . likes to dance, to listen to records, and to drive a car . . . doesn't like to translate French . . . would like to be an efficient secretary in the future.

PATRICK J. KIERNAN

272 Holmes Street

Friendly and fun to know . . . Pat's interest in sports center around football, swimming, and golf . . . pastimes include driving and working . . . enjoys cowboy and hillbilly music . . . spends spare time playing cards and chewing gum . . . future plans are in his father's business.



ELLEN KINTZING

395 Union Avenue

Tall and always cheerful . . . active in basketball and volleyball for four years . . . member of Red Cross and Rainbow Girls . . . usually found at Bond's with the girls . . . likes tall boys, gym class and Julius La Rosa's and Eddie Fisher's records . . . looks ahead to college.

ALVIN KIPNIS

36 Tiona Avenue

Al was an active Crew member . . . his favorite pastime is cruising around in his Buick . . . likes to play basketball and baseball . . . member of the Naturals A.C. . . he is an avid Yankee rooter . . . the future will probably find Al in the business world.

DIANE C. KIRBY

572 Washington Avenue

Quiet but friendly, "Di" . . . played basketball after school . . . likes dancing and roller skating . . . interests lie in listening to Eddie Fisher and eating Italian food . . . adores tall guys who dress nicely . . . perhaps office work after graduation.

HELEN KLEIN

65 Florence Avenue

A friendly gal . . . Red Cross representative in her sophomore year . . . worked in the library, played basketball, and was a member of the Bowling Club . . . enjoys listening to Joni James . . . favorite pastime—eating meat-ball sandwiches at Lillian's . . . future includes working for the telephone company.

JULIA KNODEL

380 Stephens Street

Julia has played volleyball and basketball . . . belongs to senior church choir . . . quiet, sweet, and small . . . swimming, bowling, and watching the Dodgers are her favorites . . . likes listening to Julius La Rosa sing . . . hates giving oral reports . . . is undecided about her future.

ROBERT J. KWIK

130 Academy Street

Bob is a quiet, likeable person . . . has a yen for the interesting aspects of life . . . Band manager and member of the Stage Crew and National Honor Society . . . participates in De Molay and Montgomery Young People's Society . . . enjoys fishing, hunting, photography . . . future—engineering.



RICHARD G. LAMBERT

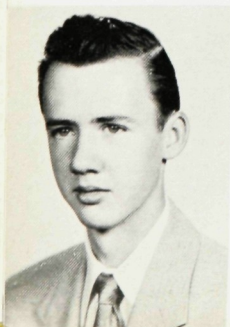
460 Franklin Avenue

Tall and pleasant "Richie" . . . interests lie in cars, boats, and girls . . . likes driving cars and playing football . . . his pet peeve is getting up in the morning . . . Dick plans to go South after graduation and then join the air force or navy.

VIRGINIA C. LAMBRECHT

189 New Street

Black hair and laughing brown eyes . . . better known as "Ginny" . . . played girls' basketball in her sophomore year . . . enjoys swimming and reading . . . likes doing trigonometry and being with Walt . . . seen with the Devis . . . plans on college in the future.



JOSEPH N. LANDOLFI**212 Forest Street**

Joe is that guy with a "snazzy" crew cut . . . a fun-loving fellow from the "Hill" . . . was a Student Council member for two years . . . enjoys playing sports, eating, and being with girls . . . hates homework . . . in the future this boy may be found at college.

FRED A. LEHNER**19 Myrtle Avenue**

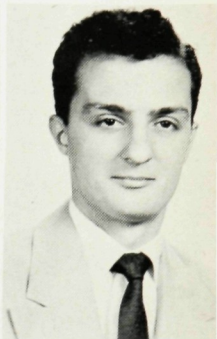
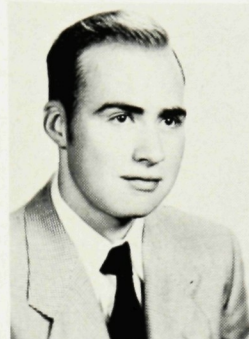
Al is a tall, friendly guy with a big smile . . . member of the Junior Red Cross, **Spotlight**, and Band . . . keen on the Dodgers and the clarinet . . . proud driver of a 1951 Kaiser . . . a career as a public accountant is a big part of Al's future.

JAMES LEWIS**42 Stephens Street**

Our tall, pleasant "J.L." played football for three years . . . member of the Clockers' Basketball Team and Lower Valley Rod and Gun Club . . . pastimes include hunting and fishing . . . interested in taxidermy and Marilyn Monroe . . . likes blues and hillbilly records . . . future in the army.

PATRICK LILOIA**194 Williams Street**

During track season Pat may be seen out there doing his best . . . enjoys all sports and especially likes to see the New York Yankees win . . . likes going out for pizza pies after the B-Hive dances . . . future is undecided.

**ALVINA LINDAUER****159 Nolton Street**

Al is that quiet hot-rod girl . . . was on the Freshman Senate . . . has played girls' basketball after school . . . member of Youth Fellowship . . . enjoys playing the guitar and the piano . . . collects coins and listens to Hilltoppers' records . . . dislikes sixth and seventh gym periods . . . future, college.

ELEANOR M. LONG**135 Union Avenue**

Blonde hair, vivacious personality, and a winning smile . . . member of National Honor Society, Student Council, **Monad** and **Spotlight** . . . likes being on TV . . . enjoys talking and reading and bowling . . . seen with the Devis . . . looks forward to college and the teaching profession.

JEAN LONGO**26 Hilton Street**

Mischievous eyes and a smile for everyone . . . was active in C.Y.O. and on **Monad** sales staff . . . always found with Mary and Betty . . . likes to get letters and to listen to Tony Bennett sing "Because of You" . . . will spend future keeping a certain sailor happy.

JOHN LOVE**154 Smallwood Avenue**

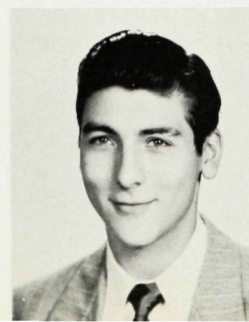
Johnny is likeable, friendly, sincere . . . Band manager and member of the National Honor Society and the Stage Crew . . . president of Young People's Society . . . enjoys swimming, boating, and taking pictures . . . likes to work on his car and build things . . . future includes college and mechanical engineering.

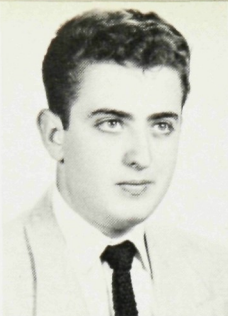
**PATSY LOVERDE****43 Baldwin Place**

Pat is a member of Student Council and Red Cross . . . good-looking Pat is very likeable . . . played in intramural basketball league . . . belongs to PAL and Weight Lifting Club . . . enjoys being with girls . . . likes to box and fish . . . plans for college.

MILDRED LUZZI**31 Greylock Place**

Millie is that cute little gal with the big brown eyes . . . usually seen with Shirley and Eileen . . . a certain boy named Joey rates high on her list . . . enjoys swimming, tomato pie, Perry Como, and talking . . . her future plans are undecided as of yet.



**KATHRYN MARAFINO****26 Columbus Avenue**

"Keep smiling" is Regina's motto . . . **Monad** sales girl and C.Y.O. member . . . keen on sports with accent on the Yankees . . . has played intramural basketball and volleyball . . . likes listening to Julius La Rosa and eating pizza . . . hates law class . . . will make any executive an ideal secretary.

GERALD MARRA**12 Brighton Avenue**

"Ger" is one of B.H.S.'s most-liked guys . . . has green eyes and curly hair . . . is musically inclined and played in Harry Valante's Combo with his "crazy" sax . . . member of the Executive Committee of Student Council . . . hopes to continue in the musical field.

**ERNEST MATERAZZI****278 Forest Street**

Dark, curly hair, laughing brown eyes, and a ready smile . . . Ernie is a member of Bruins . . . terrific on the accordion . . . smash hit in the Talent Show for three years . . . likes all sports . . . really appreciates his mother's cooking . . . hopes to land a job soon.

JOHN McALLISTER**200 Holmes Street**

Quiet Danny . . . works part time after school . . . enjoys all sports some of which are baseball, golf, and swimming . . . enjoys mealtime . . . favorite pastime is sleeping . . . member of C.Y.O. and Y.M.C.A. . . in his future can be seen the navy.

PATRICIA McDONOUGH**58 Malone Avenue**

Smiling Pat has belonged to the Junior Red Cross, Freshman Senate, and Basketball and Volleyball Clubs . . . member of C.Y.O. . . . interests include working at her art, dancing, driving, and skating . . . likes tall boys, pizza, and Eddie Fisher . . . perhaps a career in merchandising.

HERBERT W. McKINLEY**155 Cedar Hill Avenue**

Herb is a friendly guy with a perpetual smile . . . likes football, cars, and girls . . . also enjoys racing boats at Greenwood Lake . . . his plans for after graduation are to join the navy and then become a television and camera man.

**JOAN McMURRAY****96 Tappan Avenue**

"Mac" is that attractive, personable blonde . . . member of the Student Council, Red Cross . . . **Monad** sales girl . . . Rainbow Girls and Maltans help keep this girl busy . . . likes listening to those Tony Bennett records, dancing, and eating pizza . . . looks to a career in merchandising and a trip to England.

GARY F. MERCER**88 Baldwin Place**

Baseball is the main interest of this well-liked senior . . . pastimes include watching the New York Yankees and attending motion picture theaters . . . enjoys driving . . . as yet he is undecided in his future plans but maybe the air force will get the "nod."

THERESA D. MERCOGLIANO**383 North 10th Street**

Terry likes dates and bowling . . . belonged to Spanish Club . . . basketball is her favorite sport . . . older fellows, especially a certain one, are her delight . . . a trip to Spain and a secretarial job are in her future.

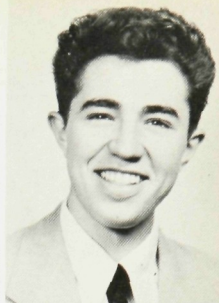
ARLENE KATHERINE MESMER**44 May Street**

"Mes" is usually seen with the Devis . . . has been a Junior Red Cross representative . . . played after-school basketball . . . likes good food and good times . . . enjoys playing the piano, dancing, and going places with the Devis . . . future will include secretarial school.



JOYCE MILLER**332 Franklin Avenue**

Friendly and easy-going Joyce is veeep of the Senior Class . . . was secretary-treasurer of the Junior Class . . . a member of the Student Council and intramural sports teams . . . this Amici enjoys week-ends at Sea Side regardless of what the weather may be . . . future plans include college.

**ROBERT MOONEY****60 Mt. Prospect Avenue**

For two years this senior has been a member of the Bowling Club . . . after school he works for the **Newark Evening News** . . . likes girls and sports . . . pastimes include baseball, basketball, and bowling . . . the future sees him in the journalistic field.

**JOSEPH MORANO****89 Magnolia Street**

Curly-haired Joe with personality plus . . . can be seen during baseball season playing with Saint Anthony's Baseball Team . . . second hobby is bowling after school . . . favorite pastime is listening to modern records . . . future plans are undecided at this time.

RAMON MARRONE**20 King Street**

Ray is that well-dressed fellow with the deep crooning voice . . . played football two years . . . interested in girls, dancing, and his car . . . member of C.Y.O., Big Tree A.C., and Silver Kleats . . . likes Marilyn Monroe and Perry Como . . . after graduation, he plans to join the navy.

**CAROL MUCCIGROSSO****22 Frederick Street**

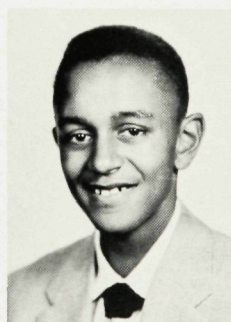
"Kelli", the peppy miss with the beautiful black hair . . . served two years on the Student Council . . . plays a good game of after-school basketball . . . main interest is Kelly . . . a good dancer who likes trying out new steps at noon-hour dancing . . . looks forward to secretarial school.

FRANCES MUGNO**10 Belmohr Street**

This tall, attractive Eddie Fisher fan has participated in girls' basketball and volleyball . . . has fun driving, likes roller skating, and enjoys watching basketball games . . . Fran likes all boys and takes trips to New York . . . keen dislike for oral reports . . . has plans for a future in clerical work.

STANLEY MUMFORD**51 Valley Street**

Smiling soccer veteran . . . member of the Clockers Basketball Team and Lower Valley Rod and Gun Club . . . enjoys hunting and fishing . . . favorite pastimes include working on cars and listening to blues and hill-billy records . . . future includes a good job or the army.

**DOLORES NAPOLIELLO****252 Linden Avenue**

Laughable, fun-loving "Dee" . . . played girls' intramural basketball . . . active in Italian Club . . . belongs to the Oh, Babes . . . enjoys music, art, and bowling . . . can always be seen with her twin, Jean . . . her future plans include working in an office.

JEAN MARIE NAPOLIELLO**252 Linden Avenue**

"Twin", as she is often called, is one half of a twosome . . . a really nice gal . . . intramural basketball and the Italian Club are part of her routine . . . seen with the Oh, Babes . . . likes dancing, art, and music . . . future holds office work for Jean.

**NORMA NAPOLIELLO****20 Fairway Avenue**

Always clowning around, that's our "Norm" . . . member of the Leaders' Club, Officials' Club, and Executive Committee of the Student Council . . . likes bowling, swimming, going to pajama parties with the Kelmars, and spending week-ends at Ortle . . . Trenton State Teachers College and gym teaching are in her future.



CONCETTA NARDIELLO

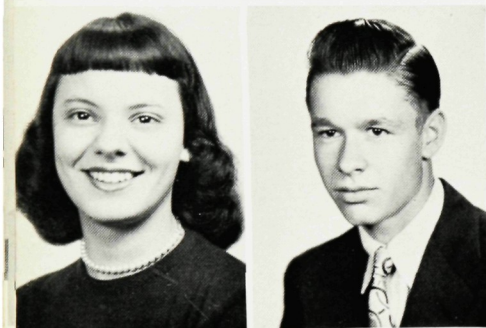
24 North 8th Street

Connie is a gal with a warm, friendly smile . . . goes for playing sports, going to the movies, bowling, and singing . . . member of the Spanish Club . . . interested in tall, dark boys . . . the future holds an office job and a trip to Spain for Connie.

KENNETH NASH

93 Dow Street

Ken is that quiet guy with a fine personality . . . active in C.Y.O. basketball and baseball . . . pastime is watching The Lakers . . . interested in girls . . . avid Dodger fan . . . future plans include college and then a position in the field of asbestos engineering.



JACQUELINE NATURALE

210 Forest Street

Jackie is that pretty girl from 307 with the long, black hair . . . a twirler for three years . . . this Mecca enjoys intramural basketball and volleyball . . . pet peeve is homework . . . after graduation this senior senator may be found doing secretarial work.

FRED NICHOLLS

430 Washington Avenue

Friendly and personable . . . a member of the high school Soccer Team as well as a player on the PAL Soccer Team . . . likes playing basketball and driving a '38 Buick . . . interested in all girls, so he says . . . plans to become a printer upon graduation.



CHARLES NISIVOC CIA

49 Belmont Avenue

Charlie is the senior with a lot of black hair . . . enjoys playing on the Ugato Softball Team . . . his favorite pastime is listening to good records and watching the New York Giants, his favorite team . . . his future is undecided.

MICHELA NISIVOC CIA

89 Heckel Street

Margie, the girl with the pretty hair . . . enjoys watching roller derbies . . . interests lie in going to Bond's, being at Toke's, and being with that certain person . . . Joni James is her favorite . . . wedding bells are ringing in this girl's future.

ARLAYNE M. NUGENT

318 Washington Avenue

"Ar" was a freshman senator . . . popular member of Cometés . . . played after-school basketball . . . she belongs to St. Peter's C.Y.O. . . . enjoys dancing with a senior . . . likes to drive that '46 Plymouth . . . among Arlayne's plans for the future is being a good housewife to some man.

FLORENCE ANN OAKES

161 Birchwood Drive

"Abbie" is blonde, dimpled, and cute . . . likes to dance and have a good time . . . member of Student Council, Junior Red Cross, and Library Club . . . typist for **Spotlight** and a **Monad** sales girl . . . "hepped" on Julius La Rosa and Cometés . . . plans on a good office job and a course in beauty culture.

MICHAEL ODAJEWSKI

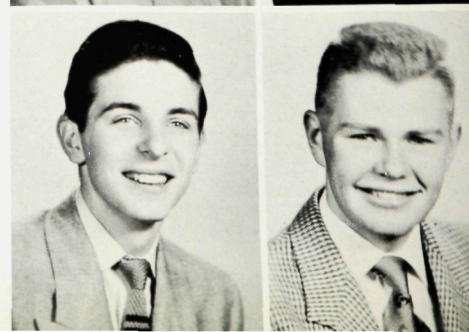
210 Stephens Street

Mickey is a friendly guy with a big smile . . . kept active playing soccer for West New York . . . active member of Bowling Team and Club . . . interested in woodworking and mechanics . . . likes to eat and go on his uncle's boat . . . future includes work, then navy.

ROBERT OLSON

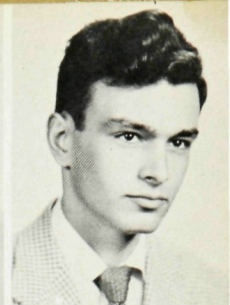
65 Hancox Avenue

Red-headed Bob is a member of the Senior Senate . . . active in local church activities . . . one of those Eagle Scouts who went to the National Jamboree . . . enjoys baseball, football, basketball, and hockey . . . plans to enter N.C.E. or Stevens in September.



WARREN PACELLI**275 Union Avenue**

Tall, lanky "Sid" was the man behind the plate on the J.V. Baseball Team . . . he is interested in all sports especially football and baseball . . . active in C.Y.O. . . can usually be found at Budd's . . . uncertain as far as future plans are concerned.

**PHILIP PANTE****511 Greylock Parkway**

This senior is dark-haired and always has a ready smile for his classmates . . . plays the saxophone in the school Band . . . enjoys music . . . interested in playing football, flying, and skating . . . likes consist of red-heads, brunettes, and blondes . . . hopes to enter college or the air force.

ROSALIND MARY PARLAPIANO**128 White Oak Terrace**

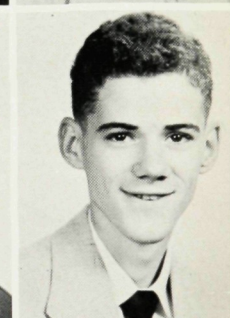
A grand gal just bubbling over with personality . . . beauty plus brains . . . formerly assistant editor of the **Spotlight** now co-editor of the **Monad** . . . member of Baker's Dozen . . . seems to have the "school daze" air about her . . . could be she plans to be a teacher.

**ROSLYN E. PAUL****492 Union Avenue**

That cute little girl who laughs and makes the world laugh with her—that's "Ros" . . . member of Bowling Club for three years . . . Junior Red Cross representative and library assistant for two years . . . president of Debs . . . likes watching the Dodgers, dancing, and getting letters . . . her future foretells college.

EILEEN PENDERGAST**70 Berkeley Avenue**

That cute and peppy miss with the big blue eyes . . . a member of the **Monad** and **Spotlight** staffs . . . an avid jazz fan and art enthusiast . . . usually found making mischief . . . hopes we'll remember her when she's rich and famous.

**RICHARD C. PENNYPACKER****72 Van Houten Place**

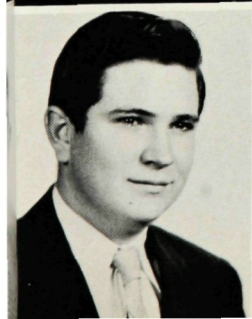
"Music, music, music" for curly-haired Dick . . . member of Band for four years . . . plays the trumpet . . . drives his own '47 Plymouth . . . his likes and dislikes are both women . . . future is undecided at present.

**CAMILLE LOIS PERRELLI****43 Tiona Avenue**

Camille is that attractive gal from 308 . . . after school she played on the Hot-Shots winning basketball team . . . likes boys, playing basketball, eating, and seeing Frank . . . can be found at Bertlin's . . . future includes secretarial work until marriage.

WILMA PERRELLI**328 Joralemon Street**

Full of fun and noted for her beautiful clothes . . . representative to Girls' State . . . active on Student Council and **Monad** staff . . . likes swimming, dancing, eating candy and indulging in pizza at Joe's . . . pet peeve is being called "Funnyface" . . . looks ahead to marrying and raising a large family.

**THOMAS A. PESLAK****259 Linden Avenue**

Tall, quiet "Pez" is really a fine fellow . . . doesn't go much for school activities or otherwise . . . his greatest interest lies in sports . . . is a great baseball fan . . . turns thumbs down on those Yankees . . . for "Pez", the future is rather indefinite.

FRANK PETRUCCI**31 Mertz Avenue**

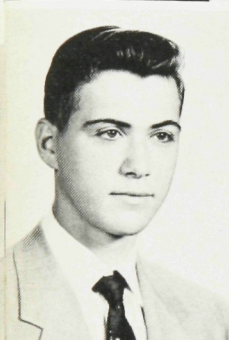
Husky and talented . . . plays trumpet and piano in many combos . . . president of Band and Band Advisory Council . . . "tickles the ivories" for the Down Beats . . . interested in Arlayne . . . dislikes when she takes the car . . . plans to enter the army, have a musical career, and get married.

**JUNE PHILLIPS****305 Stephens Street**

Laughing "Flips" likes basketball and bowling . . . **Monad** sales girl . . . has a yen for Julius La Rosa and Dean Martin . . . goes bowling and dancing . . . enjoys pizza . . . her big weakness is men in uniform . . . a secretarial job is in her future.

MATTHEW PICA**213 Brighton Avenue**

Matty is that good-looking guy from 308 . . . curly blond hair . . . quick with the wise-cracks . . . is well known for his crazy sax . . . leader of popular Down Beats . . . played in B.H.S. Band . . . member of Jazz Club . . . the army is next on his agenda.

**RAYMOND J. PIOTROWSKI****152 White Oak Terrace**

Always on the go . . . member of Audio-Visual Aids . . . called "Ray-mon" by his friends . . . interested in owning guns, boating, hunting, and spear fishing . . . intends to study to be a lawyer after Belleville High.

JEANIE PISCITELLI**145 Delevan Avenue**

Jeanie, pert and friendly . . . member of the **Spotlight** for three years, of the Student Council in sophomore year, and of Future Nurses' Club . . . seen with Cometés . . . likes dancing, Tuesday night Club meetings, and Tony Bennett . . . nursing career is ultimate goal.

EVON PLUMEAU**79 Bridge Street**

This blond-haired senior is always full of fun . . . an active member of the Bowling Club as well as active in C.Y.O. . . . interested in cars . . . enjoys going out with the boys . . . plans to enter the armed services after graduation.

DOMENICK POMPONIO**143 Newark Avenue**

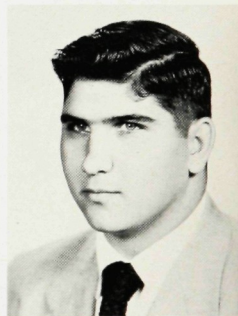
"Pomp" was one of our colorful football players with an outstanding record . . . makes a big joke of everything . . . a fine guy to know . . . likes to play pool and eat Italian food . . . "Pomp's" future is uncertain now.

ANTHONY PRATOLA**207 Holmes Street**

"Greek" is the "sharp" little dresser who can usually be seen in the Sugar Bowl or cruising around in Joe's convertible . . . enjoys watching the Dodgers, especially Carl Furillo . . . was captain of Cross Country Track Team . . . future plans include the air force.

GILDA C. RAIMONDI**49 Naples Avenue**

Friendly Gilda . . . Junior Red Cross representative in her senior year . . . **Spotlight** worker . . . enjoys volleyball and basketball . . . likes dancing and eating pizza . . . favorite sport is football . . . thinks Julius La Rosa and Perry Como are great . . . plans to do office work after graduation.

**JOHN RAMKOWSKY****291 Main Street**

Called "Bam" by his best friends . . . a really nice guy who enjoys all sports, especially football and basketball . . . school would be an ideal place if all classes were in the gym . . . plans to enter the navy and to become a printer in the future.

SHIRLEY ANN RANIERO**396 Cortlandt Street**

Both pretty and popular . . . a smile for everybody with a special one for "Vinnie" . . . likes to go on those tomato pie rampages at Rossi's . . . most time-taking pastime is getting herself and Eileen out of peculiar situations . . . looks forward to office work and then marriage.

DOROTHY RAYMOND**135 De Witt Avenue**

Dot hates to get up in the morning . . . active in Bowling, Volleyball, and Basketball Clubs . . . member of Devis . . . spends most of the time writing letters to Delhi . . . likes the Dodgers, the movies, a certain boy, and boat rides . . . hopes to do laboratory work.

RONALD D. RECORD**259 Little Street**

Personable Ronnie . . . member of Freshman Crew . . . active in the Freshman Senate . . . worked on **Spotlight** . . . enjoys football and basketball . . . cooks fancy Italian dishes . . . likes all the girls . . . hopes to enter the armed forces, to be an agriculturalist, or to own a restaurant.

JOHN REID**70 High Street**

Tall and friendly, that's John . . . belonged to Junior Senate . . . active in C.Y.O. and Junior Achievement . . . interested in watching all sports and fishing whenever he can find a choice spot . . . plans to go to college to study engineering.

BARBARA ANN RESCINITI**36 Clinton Street**

A sweet gal with a nice personality . . . Bobbie has worked as a typist on the **Spotlight** . . . played basketball and volleyball . . . seen with Reginas . . . likes Yankees, especially Yogi Berra . . . thinks Joni James and Tony Bennett are "the tops" . . . enjoys dancing and singing . . . future is undecided.

**JULIUS RIZZOLO****28 Columbus Avenue**

This red-head is known to some as James . . . active in Hilltoppers A.C. . . . likes football and bowling . . . interested in art . . . enjoys listening to hit tunes . . . future plans consist of being an architect or joining the United States Navy.

RAYMOND ROBERTELLO**50 Crescent Terrace**

This quiet chap has wavy black hair and mischievous eyes . . . an ardent fan of art and music . . . likes "wine, women and song" . . . has a dislike for homework . . . answers to the name of Rachael . . . future includes college.

**MARY D. ROSANIO****529 Franklin Avenue**

Dark-haired Mary . . . played after-school basketball one year . . . active in C.Y.O. . . . can always be found with Jean and Betty . . . likes eating barbecues, listening to Tony Bennett's "Because of You", writing letters, and talking with the girls . . . after school, work in an office and marriage are in her future.

GRACE ROSELLI**171 Garden Avenue**

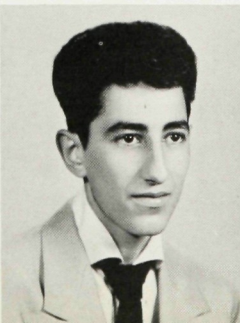
Little with lots of appeal and personality . . . Gracie likes writing to a certain someone, dancing, and going to Rambler Club meetings . . . guidance helper and office assistant . . . played after-school basketball . . . participated in Junior Red Cross . . . future is undecided.

THOMAS D. ROSELLI**32 Frederick Street**

A nice guy called Tom . . . enjoys baseball, basketball, football . . . likes to go out with "the boys" . . . plays with a dance band called The Templars from Kearny . . . looks ahead to college and the United States Air Force.

LORENE ROSS**300 Cortlandt Street**

"Rennie", our very talented comedienne, is interested in dancing and art . . . she was a hit in several Talent Shows and on the football field with her amusing performances . . . as far as the future is concerned, she would like to go into show business.



**CAMILLE ANN ROSSI****154 Belmont Avenue**

Camille is a very attractive senior who likes cowboy music . . . an active member of both the Student Council and Twirling Squad . . . can usually be found at Bertlin's when not at a Silver Kleats meeting . . . enjoys playing basketball and driving the car . . . future plans include marriage.

MARIE ROSSI**416 Belleville Avenue**

"Rie" was active in after-school basketball and volleyball . . . belongs to Saint Peter's C.Y.O. . . . Regina's protégé . . . likes tomato pie and Tony Bennett . . . enjoys all sports . . . hopes to be a teacher in the future.

**BARBARA ROTH****131 New Street**

Red Bank's popular import to B.H.S. . . . noted for her beautiful hair and eyes . . . belonged to Future Nurses' Club and C.Y.O. . . . likes to listen to popular music, to watch football, to swim, and to dance . . . never heard of the words **pet peeve** . . . will enter nurses' training at Monmouth Memorial Hospital.

WILLIAM ROTH**131 New Street**

That tall, good-looking guy who hails from Red Bank . . . pastimes include horseback riding and basketball . . . really can play a "mean" piano . . . interested in going with a certain blonde and finding someone to write lyrics for his songs . . . no definite plans for the near future.

MARY ANN ROWE**577 Washington Avenue**

This young lass is sure to do justice to the sparkling white uniform of a registered nurse . . . member of Future Nurses' Club . . . seen with the Azures . . . record bug who likes popular as well as classical music . . . likes Dodgers, Eddie Fisher, and fifth-period chemistry class.

AMELIA M. RUIZ**284 Franklin Avenue**

Fun-loving Amy can always be counted on for a smile . . . enjoys going on hay rides and driving with the girls . . . this Amici and Silver Kleat likes playing volleyball . . . Amy also likes playing basketball for the Hotshots . . . plans to attend college in the fall.

**MARGARITA RUIZ****392 Greylock Parkway**

"Mugsie" is that lively member of the Meccas . . . pert and pretty with lovely hair . . . belongs to Student Council . . . likes to swim, dance, and have long, long talks with the girls . . . avid Yankee fan . . . future holds a career as a Spanish interpreter.

IRENE RUSSONELLA**61 Parkside Drive**

Pretty Irene was active on **Spotlight** staff and Junior Red Cross . . . was a **Monad** sales girl and a member of C.Y.O. . . . a faithful Dodger fan . . . likes that certain young man . . . hopes to get married in the not too distant future.

**EILEEN RYAN****66 Greylock Avenue**

Eileen's beautiful complexion is the envy of many a girl . . . has played after-school basketball with the Hotshots . . . active in intramural volleyball . . . member of the Officials' Club . . . can be seen going with the Meccas or driving with Rita . . . next year she'll have an office job.

HOWARD RYER**42 Tappan Avenue**

Carrot-topped and full of fun . . . Howard can be found at the local bowling alleys after school hours . . . favorite pastime is standing on the corner in front of the Malone Coffee Shop . . . likes cars, girls, and the Giants when they win the World Series.

GERALDINE N. SABATINO**22 Mt. Pleasant Avenue**

"Jeri" is a new student to B.H.S. this year . . . a member of the Library Assistant Club, Y.W.C.A., and Swimming Club . . . likes dancing and listening to Johnny Ray's records . . . interests include a certain someone from Newark . . . plans to attend business college after graduation.

**ADELLA SALERNO****120 Continental Avenue**

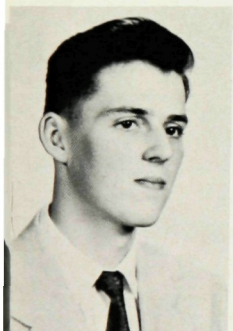
Don't let that coy, quiet, first impression that you get of this young lady fool you . . . is as active and makes as much noise as the rest of us . . . enjoys reading and saving clippings . . . is an ardent movie fan and just likes to feast on tomato pie.

JEAN M. SALISBURY**72 Cortlandt Street**

Petite and full of fun . . . this Martin and Lewis fan was active in Student Council, Freshman Senate, and Officials' Club . . . likes listening to music, dancing, and riding in that green Ford . . . often seen racing to school in "Ca's" Hudson . . . objects to sitting through seventh period . . . "Peanut" plans clerical work.

**CORRINE SALTERS****250 Stephen Street**

Called "Pookey" by her friends . . . likes to mambo and calypso . . . enjoys roller skating . . . sings in church chorus . . . crochets . . . hopes to be successful in nursing or as a professional singer . . . she is heard on the radio every Sunday over WHBI.

**GEORGE COOPER SANDS****18 Berkeley Avenue**

George is a quiet lad who likes swimming and playing baseball . . . animal lover, especially of dogs and horses . . . has a green thumb for gardening . . . dislikes book reports . . . enjoys seeing good movies . . . plans to get a job or to join one of Uncle Sam's services.

ANNA MARIE SANTANELLO**379 Lake Street**

Dark-haired and full of pep, Anna is an avid roller derby fan . . . was a school librarian for two years . . . likes driving her 1949 Mercury with all the Silver Lake girls . . . hopes to work four years then travel all over the United States.

FRANK SCARPELLI**151 Passaic Avenue**

"Scarpie" is the very popular young man who has lent his talents to the Varsity Football Team for three years . . . a joker who is lots of fun . . . likes to go out with the gang and to listen to jazz . . . the air force looms big in his immediate future.

JOAN SCHONER**105 Mt. Prospect Avenue**

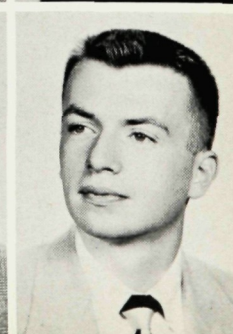
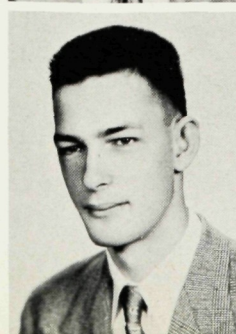
A dark-haired young lady . . . Joan was **Monad** sales girl . . . played after-school basketball . . . works in Belleville Public Library . . . is seen with the Devis . . . enjoys going to football games, attending B-Hives, and riding in "Leaping Lena" . . . will be a stenographer in the future.

**KARL SCHREIBER****182 Malone Avenue**

Varsity baseball manager for two years . . . Karl is well-known to all . . . interested in listening to music, dancing, and watching all kinds of sports . . . fond of good food and sleep . . . dislikes homework and report card day . . . spends his leisure time playing the guitar . . . undecided now about future plans.

WALTER D. SCHROEDER**5 Bremond Street**

Blond Wally . . . member of the Crew, Basketball Team and Student Council . . . also rows for Nereid Boat Club and plays basketball in the Recreation League . . . is usually seen with "Gin" . . . likes doing math and eating good food . . . college is next stop and then to engineering.

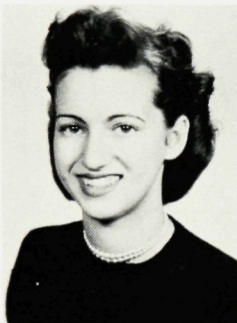


**MAUREEN SCHURR****109 Union Avenue**

Quiet but friendly . . . was a library assistant . . . participated in after-school basketball . . . enjoys Eddie Fisher records . . . pet peeve—losing the Kearny football game . . . seen with the Devis riding around in "Leaping Lena" . . . future plans include working at the Bell Telephone Company.

VERNA SCHWANKERT**132 Overlook Avenue**

"Vern" is that cute girl who can usually be found with Mary Lou, Gloria, and Joan . . . a **Monad** sales girl and a member of the Assembly Committee . . . likes watching the Yankees, bowling, and listening to Tony Bennett's records . . . future plans include secretarial work.

**ARTHUR SESSLER****63 Melwex Street**

Arthur is a fellow we don't hear from much; but never mind, people who talk little accomplish much . . . was seen in the Belleville High Band playing the drums . . . interested in electronics . . . after graduation he plans to don the uniform of one of the armed forces.

JEAN SHAOL**545 Union Avenue**

Jeanie is that petite miss from 307 . . . a member of the basketball and volleyball teams and a library assistant for two years . . . interests include going out with a certain fellow and having pizza with the Cometés . . . likes watching the Dodgers and listening to Vic Damone . . . future plan is secretarial work.

**RICHARD SHERMAN****114 Overlook Avenue**

Richie is one of the comedians of the Senior Class . . . this Yankee fan has many pastimes, two of which are hunting and fishing . . . was a member of the Rifle Club and Band . . . future plans after graduation include college and civil engineering.

ELAINE M. SILKI**30 Ralph Street**

Elaine, called "Silki" by her friends, was on the Junior Red Cross, Baker's Dozen in her junior year, and member of the All-State Choir . . . enjoys singing, skating, and swimming . . . dislikes having to do homework . . . her future is undecided.

BARBARA SIM**207 Greylock Parkway**

Barbara is that quiet brunette from 308 . . . was in the Student Council, on Junior Senate, in Future Nurses, and in Future Teachers of America . . . is a Dodger fan, likes driving, and enjoys all sports . . . dislikes homework . . . future plans include Newark State Teachers College.

BARBARA SLOAN**15 Washington Street**

Bobbie always has a smile for everyone . . . played girls' intramural basketball and volleyball and was in the Red Cross and on Bowling Club . . . belongs to M.Y.F., Senior Scouts, and the Ramblers . . . likes pizza pie, Yankees, and Sonny . . . plans to be a dental assistant.

PATRICIA ANN SMITH**38 Tappan Avenue**

Pat was our vivacious drum majorette who was a member of the Leaders' Club, Senior Senate, and Student Council . . . outside interests include the Kelmars and C.Y.O. basketball . . . likes driving and listening to cowboy music . . . can usually be found at Bertlin's . . . secretarial work and marriage later.

SANDRA SMITH**139 Fairway Avenue**

Ambitious Sandy was squad leader for the Twirling Squad, treasurer of the Leaders' Club, and a member of the Executive Committee of the Student Council . . . was a member of the Baker's Dozen, Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior Senates . . . this member of the Kelmars plans to attend nursing school.



MARION SPARKS

Marion, our happy-go-lucky cheerleader who came from Yonkers in her junior year . . . participated in after-school basketball . . . enjoys cruising with the girls . . . intends to go to college and enter into a merchandising career.

15 Elena Place**JOHN STEFFENSEN**

Well-liked and friendly with a contagious laugh . . . treasurer of Freshman Class . . . active in Student Council, **Monad**, and **Spotlight** . . . member of the Crew for four years . . . active in Nereid Boat Club and Youth Fellowship . . . interested in bowling, swimming, and collecting rocks . . . future includes Lehigh or M.I.T. and engineering.

64 Preston Street**BARRETTA STEVENSON**

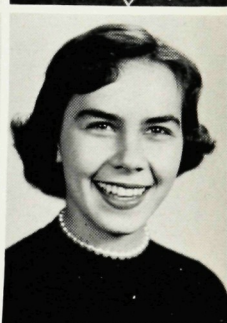
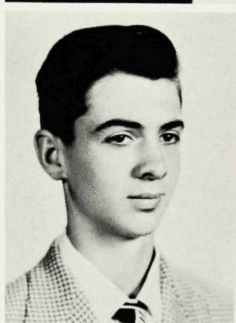
Barretta is that coy, quiet lass who likes to listen to Perry Como's records and read magazines . . . likes dancing, too . . . member of Girls' Basketball and Volleyball Teams for four years . . . dislikes homework . . . hopes to go into practical nursing after graduation.

302 North Belmont Avenue**ANITA STIVALI**

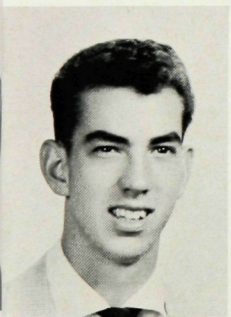
Owner of a pair of sparkling eyes . . . "Nee" has been a library assistant for three years and active in Red Cross . . . especially fond of dancing . . . her main interest is Frank . . . only dislike is homework in any form . . . will be a success in the secretarial field.

13 Frederick Street**MIAH SWEENEY**

Fun-loving and full of pranks . . . is called "Jerry" by his friends . . . is a member of the Bowling Club and Team . . . participates in Rifle Club . . . interested in baseball, swimming, bowling, and basketball . . . favorite pastime is hanging out at Sorrentino's . . . future plans may include college.

150 Holmes Street**JOAN SWETELL**

Has a winning smile with a personality to match . . . called "Peanuts" by her closest friends . . . Joan's been a member of the Officials' Club and has played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . an Amici who enjoys swimming, bowling, and driving with the girls . . . future, secretarial school.

417 Joralemon Street**ROBERT TAYLOR**

Tall, good-looking Bob is a member of Varsity Basketball and Crew . . . he has been a member of Student Council and Sophomore Senate . . . can be found hunting, fishing, or playing pool when not at Budd's . . . the navy is in his future plans.

398 Washington Avenue**NICHOLAS TENTARELLI**

Nick is 309's talented accordionist who plays in a church organization . . . was seen last year in the Belleville High School Talent Show . . . enjoys swimming and playing football . . . likes to travel . . . dislikes homework . . . hopes to enter the musical field after graduation.

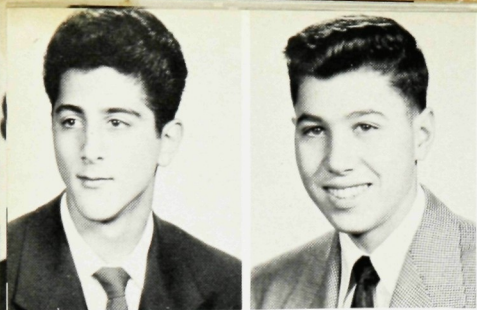
68 Magnolia Street**EVAN THOMAS, JR.**

Evan is our varsity football manager . . . member of Crew and Basketball and Football Teams . . . played in Band for two years . . . president of Fewsmith Young People's Fellowship . . . belongs to De Molay . . . likes bowling, hunting, swimming, and watching the New York Yankees . . . future plans are college and a dental career.

153 New Street**JOAN TOMASULO**

Joan is a cute brunette with a big smile . . . Basketball and Volleyball Teams . . . belongs to C.Y.O. . . . her interests are listening to music, dancing, and playing sports . . . she likes Jerry Lewis . . . after graduation Joan will attend business school.

227 Branch Brook Drive



GERALD TRIBUNA

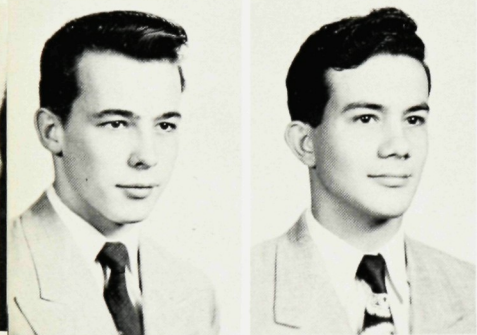
77 Sanford Avenue

Jerry is a fine guy with quite a sense of humor . . . played freshman and J.V. basketball and J.V. football . . . a track member . . . belongs to C.Y.O. and Silver Kleats . . . likes girls, tomato pies, and A's on his report card . . . plans to be a machinist or go into the armed services.

HARRY VALANTE

25 Overlook Avenue

Harry is our political musician . . . was veep of Sophomore Class . . . president of Junior and Senior Classes . . . member of Student Council, **Monad** and **Spotlight** staffs . . . this member of the Belleville Band and Dance Band plays a "cool" piano . . . our president of the National Honor Society plans to attend college.



DONALD R. VANDER WYDE

70 Academy Street

Don's that fine, well-mannered boy from 309 . . . member of International Relations Club and **Monad** staff . . . favorite pastime is swimming and driving . . . hopes to work for a while and then go to college, preferably New York University, to study accounting.

ALPHONSE VELTRI

175 Belleville Avenue

Curly-haired and happy-go-lucky Alphonse enjoys drawing and listening to records . . . favorite pastime is photography . . . likes going out with the fellows and riding around in Gordon's car . . . plans to go to work after graduation.

ROSEMARIE VENEZIANO

12 Harrison Street

"Ro" is that happy-go-lucky gal from 309 . . . a member of the Italian Club . . . played girls' intramural basketball . . . belongs to C.Y.O. Calumets, and basketball teams . . . likes dancing, swimming, and listening to "Mambo Number Five" . . . the future will find her working as a secretary.

ELAINE VIESPOLI

32 Elena Place

An attractive little miss from 309 . . . International Relations Club for two years . . . belonging to the Ramblers and Senior Scouts, being with George, and watching Cleveland win games from the Yanks are her outside interests . . . seen with Barb, Babs, and Liz . . . listens to Eddie Fisher's records . . . future, uncertain.

LYDIA ANN VIOLA

190 Heckel Street

Lydia and a beautiful smile go together . . . sophomore and senior senator and a **Monad** sales girl . . . belonged to the Red Cross and Bowling Clubs . . . likes to dance, to swim, and to dress well . . . she hopes to travel in the future.

WILLIAM WARGO

107 Linden Avenue

Bill is a newcomer to Belleville who hails from Irvington High . . . outside activities include membership in the Hillside Aeronauts and the common sports . . . interests and pastimes center around eating and sleeping . . . likes airplanes and good cars . . . future includes mechanical engineering.



MARGARET M. WASDYKE

8 Tremont Avenue

"Dykie" has a pleasant smile . . . member of Red Cross and after-school basketball . . . active member of the C.Y.O. . . . likes riding with the Devils in "Leaping Lena" and attending those crazy Devi meetings . . . favorite bus driver is Mr. Grossman . . . future will be Berkeley and then Bell Telephone.

GEORGE WATTERS

299 Franklin Avenue

You wouldn't think our little George could have such powerful muscles or be such an outstanding weight lifter . . . member of Rifle Club and Cross Country Team . . . enjoys fishing and making and fixing hot-rods . . . plans in the future to enter a chemical engineering school or to find a job.

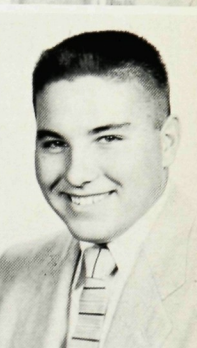


MARY LOUISE WELSH**71 Van Houten Place**

A laugh that's contagious and a vivacious personality . . . member of Junior Red Cross and **Monad** sales staff . . . a library assistant . . . plays basketball . . . enjoys riding in "Leaping Lena" . . . likes to eat, to dance, and to be interested in St. Benedict's Prep . . . seen with the Davis . . . future includes secretarial work.

**GORDON F. WIEGMANN****26 Fairview Place**

Gordon likes playing basketball, swimming, and going out with the boys for tomato pies . . . can be seen hanging around Hendrick's Field . . . on Golf Team four years . . . plays the accordion . . . the army will probably get him after graduation but he would like to work in an office.

**ELAINE WISCHE****62 Lloyd Place**

Versatile is the key word in describing Elaine . . . a member of the **Spotlight** staff, **Monad** staff, Honor Society, and Leaders' Club . . . co-captain of our Twirling Squad . . . other activities include Junior Achievement and writing a column for the **Belleville Times** . . . journalism is in her future.

JOSEPH WOMELSDORF**287 Union Avenue**

Friendly and nice looking . . . Joe is called "Wombi" by his friends . . . an active member of Belleville's Crew . . . he enjoys playing sports of all kinds, doing Spanish I, driving, and most of all, eating . . . his favorite pastime is hanging out at Budd's . . . future is undecided.

**MARGARET ANN WOODS****22 Bridge Street**

Marge is that cute miss from 309 . . . can be found with Angie and June going roller skating or bowling . . . a member of intramural basketball and volleyball teams . . . likes Allan Dale and a certain green Ford . . . future plans include clerical work and marriage to a certain someone.

MARILYN FRANCES WOODS**71 High Street**

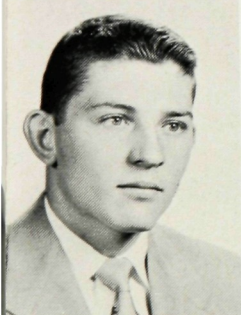
Curly hair and a pleasant smile . . . participated in basketball, volleyball, and bowling . . . member of Junior Red Cross and Rainbow Girls . . . is seen with the Davis . . . likes ice skating and swimming . . . good dancer . . . future plans include college.

ALBERT ZALEWSKI**19 Beech Street**

Al is a quiet fellow with an outstanding crew cut . . . played varsity football . . . likes all sports . . . is a member of Montclair Y.M.C.A. . . . his favorite pastime is carpentry work . . . he also enjoys building model airplanes . . . Al's future is, at present, uncertain.

ARLINE L. ZALEWSKI**26 Hornblower Avenue**

Arline is that attractive gal who is known for her blonde hair . . . on Student Council and Red Cross . . . also played girls' intramural basketball . . . member of C.Y.O. and Calumets . . . bowling, swimming, dancing, and eating pizza pie interest her . . . after graduation she wants to be a secretary or a typist.

**JOYCE ZARRA****619 Belleville Avenue**

Dancing eyes and a gay personality . . . member of C.Y.O. . . . played on a basketball team . . . enjoys all sports . . . likes dancing, eating pizza pie and being with dark-headed boys . . . was a **Monad** sales girl . . . hopes to go to college.

ELAINE ZICARO**71 Franklin Street**

This senior dislikes conceited girls but favors the males . . . collects Frankie Laine and Kay Starr records and enjoys cowboy music . . . office and guidance helper during school time and plays after-school basketball . . . in spare time writes letters to a marine . . . wants to be a secretary, typist, or housewife.





LOUIS ZICARO

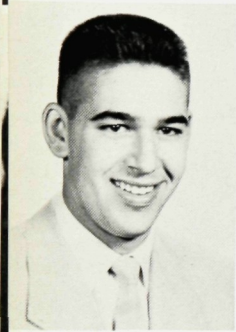
244 North Belmont Avenue

Practical joking and teasing Louie . . . played two years of football . . . member of C.Y.O. . . . always seen at the Sugar Bowl . . . likes to paint and to build model airplanes . . . enjoys food . . . future is uncertain.

RITA ZIMMER

69 Baldwin Place

This active senior has participated in after-school basketball and volleyball, Officials' Club and Bowling Club . . . helped to make a success of the magazine drive . . . an active member of the Amici's who enjoys swimming, bowling, and spending week-ends at Orlley . . . plans to become a secretary.



RICHARD J. ZIPP

206 Fairway Avenue

Richie is that well-built member of the Football Team and the Crew . . . outside interests include Nereid Boat Club and the De Molay . . . likes popular records . . . since he is a member of the Naval Reserve, his future plans include the navy.

EDWARD ZUCZEK

81 Gless Avenue

Tall and blond describes Ed perfectly . . . president of and outstanding player on the C.Y.O. Athletic Team . . . dislikes girls who gossip . . . Ed plans to go to college to study mechanical engineering or to join a branch of the armed services.

JEAN M. SMITH

383 Lake Street

Jean, our very sweet import from Jamesburg High School . . . was a very active secretary of the Senior Class there . . . was also financial manager of the yearbook . . . the piano and 4-H work rank high in this girl's life as well as prizes for work in this organization.



SHIRLEY RANIERO



HARRY VALANTE



ERNIE MATERAZZI



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MATTY PICA



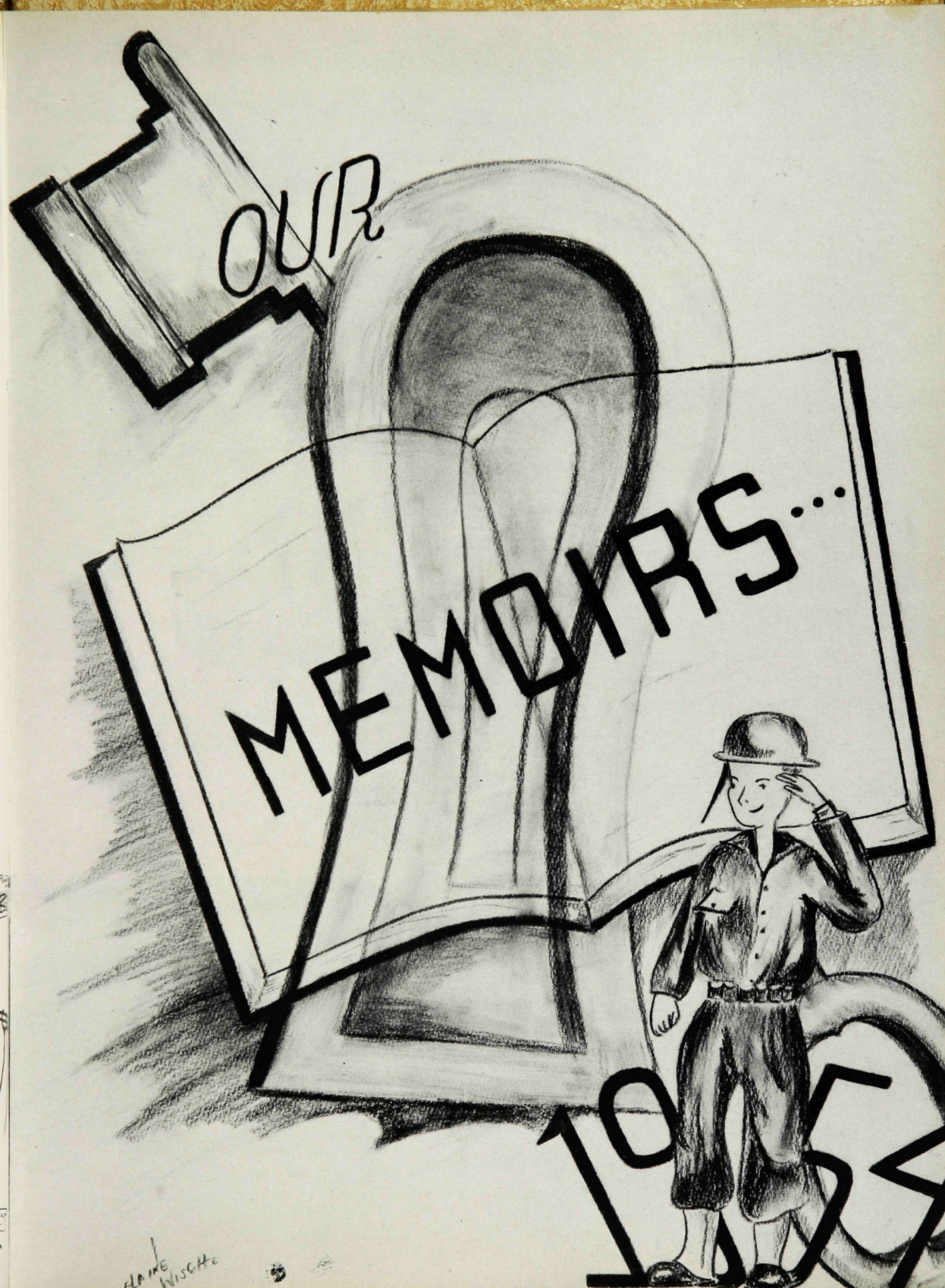
JACK HAFT



JEAN DUFFORD



"POMP"



CLARE WISCHKE



ROWE the boat in the WATERS
towards the SANDS.



DEMGARD those DYMonds.



The MILLER found her
LONG lost LOVE.

Four years ago, over three hundred shy draftees reported to Camp B.H.S., where they were to undergo all sorts of maneuvers and training. From all these buck privates a council was selected with Elaine Gorley, president; Alice Encke, vice-president; Bill Chapman, secretary; and John Steffensen, treasurer. The draftees needed money for uniforms and K-rations so they held the Freshman Christmas Dance which was very successful and added a bit to our treasury.

Since most of us made it through that first year at boot camp, we started to undertake our second year of training. Our officers for this year were Larry D'Onofrio, president; Harry Valante, vice-president; Pat Bollman, secretary; and Jackie Jenkins, treasurer. With the aid of these officers we were hosts at a very enjoyable Sophomore Hop. It was this year that our troops were really beginning to be noticed by all the big brass of the camp. In the annual Talent Show we could boast two really great stars, Pat Fitzsimmons and Harry Valante, who were destined for

greater things than our U.S.O. could offer. Private First Class Ed Gray, also a draftee from our battalion, rowed with the "big deals" of the camp to win the National Schoolboy Championship Race at Washington, D. C. Two other P.F.C.'s from this battalion, Larry D'Onofrio and Jean Dufford, were elected to join the camp's politicians.

After two months' summer leave was up, we all returned to camp. Before beginning maneuvers we elected Harry Valante, president; Betsy Domenick, vice-president; and Joyce Miller, secretary-treasurer. This group initiated the idea of selling soft, padded cushions to all troops to be taken along for resting devices on those long treks into nowhere. Because of our Junior Prom and the Snowman Dance we were all promoted to corporals. This promotion meant better seats at all camp shows, but it also meant more responsibilities such as Bob Doyle and Jean Dufford got when they were elected president and treasurer, respectively, of our Student Council for our last year at Camp B.H.S. We were all quite proud when seven of



COOK the COCCO with the double-
DECKER of TAYLOR ham.



MOONEY AUTEN shine over
the GRAY BARNES.



He KINTZING NATURALE
on the key of C.



The FORD is on the FRITTS.

ENCKE was spilled over
the HALL.



PAUL is in the PARLA
playing his PIANO.



Real KWIK I put on my HOOD
on my KNODEL.

Past Records

the troops from our battalion were tapped into the National Honor Society. Our camp publication, the SPOT-LIGHT, also had one of our men, Jack Haft, as editor-in-chief. It seemed our battalion was getting many medals of honor because of its good work.

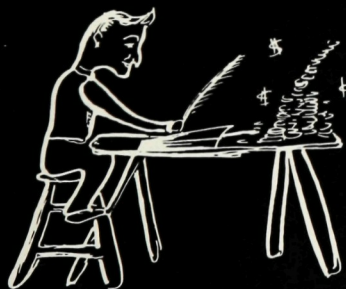
During our final year at Camp B.H.S. our commanding officers were Harry Valante, president; Joyce Miller, vice-president; and Pat Bollman, secretary-treasurer. The troops under the direction of our able senate earned some money selling Christmas cards and sponsoring dances such as the Senior Sock Dance. The co-editors of our MONAD, Rosalind Parlapiano and Judy Cohen, really worked hard with their staff to put out a publication so that all the troops of Camp B.H.S. would remember the wonderful days spent here.

Our campaigns on the football field were successful, and leading our boys into action during this year were Eddie Gray and Rocco Cafone. The morale of the troops was greatly improved by the twirlers led by Pat Smith, Else

Bergersen, and Elaine Wische and by the Cheerleaders captained by Jean Dufford. The political campaigns were not neglected. The Student Council, which was directed by Bob Doyle, had the most successful magazine drive ever. Some of the most dramatic-minded troops worked with Top-Sergeant Otis Brown and Student Directors Joan Durkee, Angie De Costanza, and Mary Lou Welsh to produce a fine senior play called THE CURSE OF AN ACHING HEART. Who will ever forget the excellent Talent Shows put on by our gifted troops this year?

Our last year almost flew by in the rush of cramming for mid-terms, reading MACBETH, signing MONAD, and doing the many other things we will all remember. At the end of our four-year training course at Camp B.H.S. we were honored by the Junior Class at the Junior Prom; and then, of course, the Rye Beach Trip and Dinner Dance left us with never-to-be-forgotten memories. As we walked past the honor guards to receive our honorable discharges we, the Troops of '54, left the happy halls of Camp 1954 with these memories deeply imbedded in our hearts.

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THE PENNY PACKER put the
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I don't HAFT to stay in the
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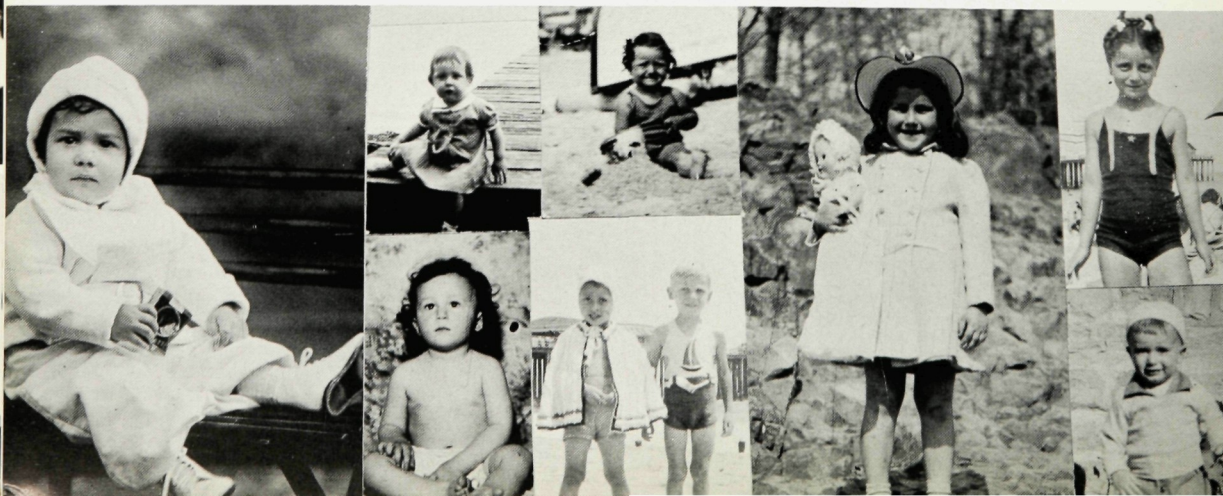


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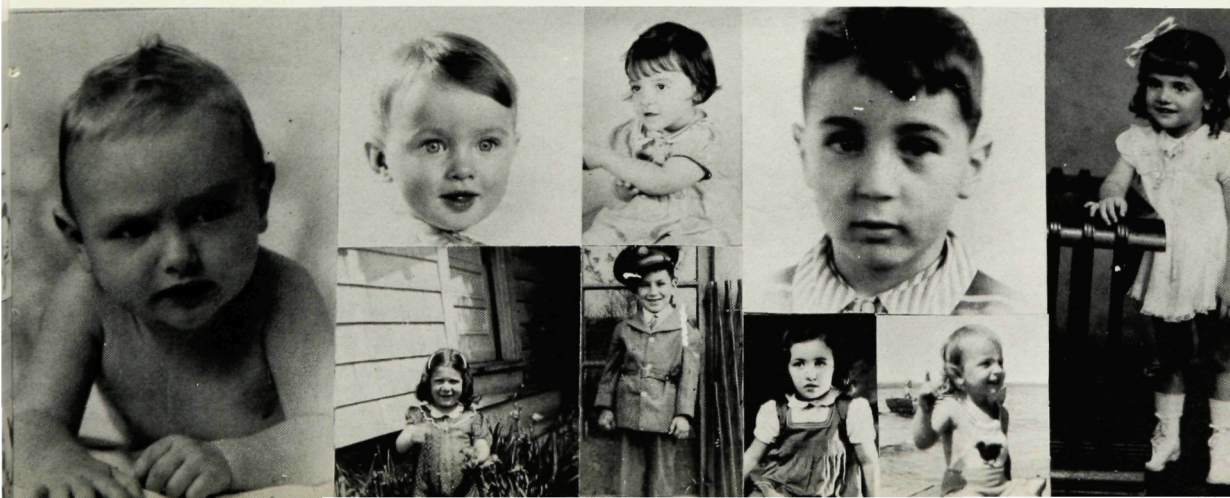


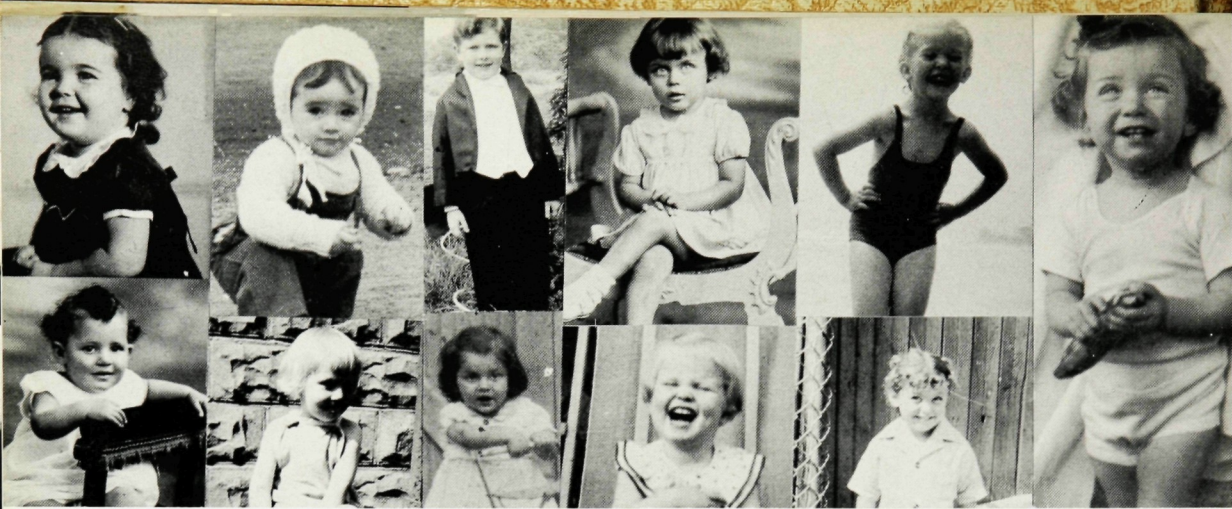
PUBLIC RELATIONS

NAME	PET PEEVES	BEQUESTS
Ellen Anderson	Conceited people	One case of Talent Show jitters
Barbara August	5-2 history class	A nervous Mr. Knuppel
Bob Auten	A 6'9" guard	The N.W. corner of the girls' gym
Rose Barbone	Knee socks with skirts	One used pin cushion
Joan Barnes	School	Leaves a door open
Bob Barone	Boasting Yankee fans	His name on 302's blackboard
Ralph Bartlett	First-period English	One twin
"Skip" Baureis	Radio commercials	An empty gas tank
Julie Benedetto	Snobs	Leaves quietly
Else Bergersen	Cracking gum	One partly knitted sock, size 13
Allen Bessemer	The tardy bell	A stack of pink slips
Lois Bloemeke	Five-o'clock shadows	Her knee socks
Pat Bollman	Early morning school	One deflated basketball
Richard Botticelli	Girls	A free bus ride
Barbara Brown	Walking to school	Footsteps
Dot Brown	Boring English classes	A flame on her fire baton
Shirley Brownlee	Homework	Her pill box to an ailing junior
Ed Bucciarelli	Home-room period	Ten free tuba lessons
John Burke	New York Yanks	A well-worn score pad
Gary Burman	Being angry	A few inches to a short freshman
Betty Cafone	Colds	First senior engagement
Rocco Cafone	After-effects of parties	One original football play
Tom Cahill	Getting up early	Leaves the back way
George Calenda	Rose's temper	Ten twinkling toes
David Carle	Math	One season pass to the Dodgers' games
John Caron	Mr. Grossman	The foam from a glass of beer at his father's bar
Grace Casale	Small desks	Her jokes
Bob Cafenacci	Senior girls	His "crazy" wagon
Anthony Cerami	The morning after the night before	One flat tire
John Cetrulo	Having to stay in H.R. for H.R. period	Leaves
Joseph Cetti	Being called Pete	One half of a double seat in 110
Pete Cetti	Being called Joe	The other half of the double seat
Bill Chapman	MONAD meetings	A broken oar
Nick Cocco	History homework	Leaves without Macbeth
Judy Cohen	Mustaches	The MONAD—finished
Clifford Cole	Miss Nelson	History 4 to an unlucky junior
Carl Colucci	Absentee excuses	A pile of unfinished English assignments
Eugene Connolly	Teachers	A stalled car in the middle of Holmes Street
Robert Cook	5-2 speech class	One chef's hat to the next "Cook"
Ed Corino	Short hair on girls	Leaves a cabinet meeting early
Genevieve D'Angelo	Dodgers	An opening in the Baker's Dozen
Shirley Daubert	Home-room period	Leaves school early
Ed Decepoli	Miss Nelson	Leaves his jacket in 5-1 English class
Ken Decker	Fourth-period English class	Green shoes with purple bows
Angie De Costanza	Crowds	Judging auditions to someone else
Betsy Deeny	Her long hair	Leaves five minutes late
Jim Demgard	Model airplane builders	A slightly rusted megaphone

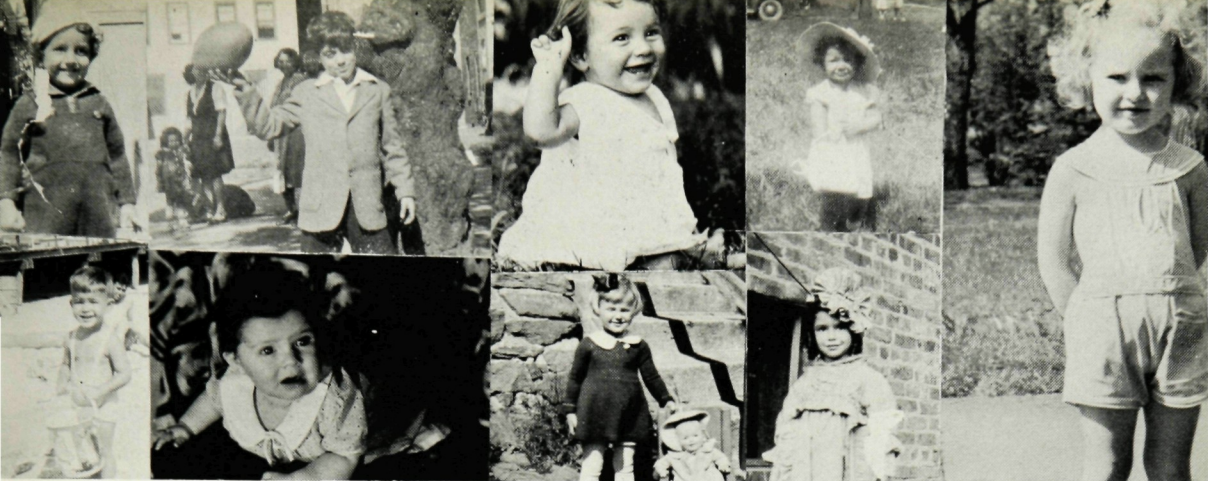


NAME	PET PEEVES	BEQUESTS
Millie De Nicola	Homework	A quick departure
"Virgie" De Nunzio	Mid-terms	Her hair twirling
Carl Denzler	People who want a ride	A used test tube
Palma Diglio	Gym exercises	Leaves without plane geometry
Dot Dillon	Club meetings	Leaves gym fully dressed (for once)
Betty Jean Di Meo	Tests	Leaves willingly
Joan Dixon	Anonymous phone calls	The senior play
Betsy Domenick	Operations	Her streaks of gray hair to any worried junior
Lucille Domenick	Catty girls	Her giggles to anyone who wants to get into trouble in Mr. Mac's room
Agnes Domien	Hoop earrings	Leaves with a part in her hair
Larry D'Onofrio	Everybody	A political race
Bob Doyle	Unappreciated jokes	A better Student Council
Celia Duca	Waiting for Eileen	A few pounds to some skinny junior
Mike Duclaux	Poker	One pair of gym socks
Jean Dufford	Crowded buses	One pair of worn out tights
Joan Durkee	Dungaree dances	A broken spring
Ted Duva	Hot-rod riders	His books
Joe Effenberger	An untalkative parakeet	The teachers in peace for once
Alice Encke	Being quiet	An unfinished picture in the art room
Marilyn English	Conceited people	One lesson on how to get up early for Baker's Dozen rehearsals
Allan Evans	French homework on weekends	Another trip to Florida
Les Eyerkuss	Waking up	His cowboy band
Mary Ann Ferrigno	Backing into parked cars	A swollen ear to anyone who is willing to write "Heard in the Halls."
Pat Fitzsimmons	A bad ankle	To some hopeful junior a future in dancing
Art Fost	Not enough homework?	Lots of fun to some "lucky" junior in German class
Helen Fritts	Women teachers	One well-used motorcycle
Angelo Fusaro	His kid brother	A well-used locker key
Sheila Gallay	Sixth and seventh math class	A harness for her pony tail
Joe Ganteaume	The Continentals	One dead car battery
Irene Gilchrist	5-2 law	Leaves altar bound
Dolores Goi	Homework	Her shadow
Bill Goione	French tests	Rumba lesson to an untalented junior
Elaine Gorley	Waiting for Pat	A box of pink stationery to any junior willing to stay home and write
Ed Gray	Doing homework	A well-used football uniform
Bob Greulich	Consequences of cutting two minutes of a class	A "good" time
Patsy Grosso	Careless drivers	One pair of extra large sneakers
Gloria Gutch	Ridiculous nicknames	Her seat in the Sugar Bowl
Jack Haft	Mr. Grossman's jokes	SPOTLIGHT worries
Sandra Hoch	Diets	Her long nails to a typing teacher
Arlene Hoffman	5-2 lunch	An empty seat in the cafeteria
Norma Hood	Trying to understand chemistry	A set of freckles





NAME	PET PEEVES	BEQUESTS
Jean Howes	Nosy people	Leaves hurriedly
John Hughes	The draft board	His vocabulary tests
Carol Hundertpfund	A certain '41 Olds	Another date
Albert Johnston	Fourth-period history	His presence at the B.H.S. dances
Bob Kaden	Homework	A pair of antlers
Helen Klein	A certain teacher	Her job in the library
Julie Knodel	Oral Reports	Leaves quietly
Robert Kwik	Long speeches	The school one less stage hand
Richard Lambert	Getting up in the morning	A new convertible
Joe Landolfi	Librarians	His glasses to any blind driver
Al Lehner	Teachers	A well-used back seat in his car
Alvina Lindauer	Fords	Mr. Wilcox's apparatus in one piece
Eleanor Long	The bells in third-period gym	Leaves chemistry class alive
John Love	Egotists	One bicycle pump
Patsy Loverde	Detention	One-half a share in his father's candy store
Pat McDonough	Conceited people	Leaves with a driver's license
Terry Mercogliano	Girl-shy fellows	Leaves in one piece
Joyce Miller	Not being able to find road maps	Her legs to some slow junior
Ray Morrone	Bossy girls	His Silver Cleat to those who don't make it
"Dee" Napoliello	The Army because it takes all the guys	Leaves with Jean
Jean Napoliello	The thought that she looks like "Dee"	Leaves with the other half
Norma Napoliello	Being called "feeble"	Her blue jersey to a well-dressed junior
Connie Nardiello	Conceited people	Mrs. Degnin's isolation seat to some other talker
Florence Oakes	Walking Midnight in the morning	One less headache to Mr. Correll
Warren Pacelli	Yankees	All his subjects
Philip Panté	Long reports	All his gyp sheets
Lynn Parlapiano	Warm cokes	MONAD headaches
Roslyn Paul	Yankee fans	The mail-box blues
Eileen Pendergast	Missing the "37" every morning	Her Lonely Heart Club to some lonely junior
Tom Peslak	School	Leaves gladly
Frank Petrucci	Waiting for "club" to break up	Leaves for a job with a band
Jeanie Piscitelli	Waiting for a certain phone call	Her work in the nurse's room
"Dom" Pomponio	The records from Doc's room	A complete sentence to one of the teachers
John Ramkawsky	Short lunch periods	His handwriting to Miss Kamp
Dot Raymond	Waiting for weekends	A pair of stockings in the chem lab
Ronald Record	Flirty girls	A few pounds for an undernourished freshman
Barbara Resciniti	People who know it all	One chip from her shoulder to a teacher
Ray Robertello	Homework	His parking space
Grace Roselli	Cliques	A slightly used pen for guidance office work
Tom Roselli	Chemistry marks	Leaves nothing because no one left him anything



NAME	PET PEEVES	BEQUESTS
Lorene Ross	Hair nets	Her pantaloons
Marie Rossi	Being called Maria	Maria to an unfortunate victim of Mrs. Degnin
Barbara Roth	A history class	All her note books to some poor junior
Bill Roth	Misspelled words on Mr. MacArthur's tests	His little English Ford
Mary Ann Rowe	Book reports	Her chemistry tests to an unsuspecting junior
Amy Ruiz	A horn	Her appendix to the biology class
Margarita Ruiz	Being president of the Spanish Club	Her nickname "Muggsie"
Irene Russonella	Listening to Elaine's love stories	All her hair nets to B.H.S.
Eileen Ryan	A holey gym suit to some freshman	A dog house in Room 6
Jerry Sabatino	Listening to June's love affairs	Her stale piece of gum to Mr. Brown
Adella Salerno	Smoking around the school	Her brains to someone who needs them
Jean Salisbury	Sitting through seventh period	The runs in her stocking
Anna Marie Santanello	Doing homework	Leaves because everybody else is leaving
Frank Scarpelli	Mr. Grossman's English class	Four years of misery
Joan Schoner	Pushing El's car	Her choice seat in Mr. Grossman's English class
Walter Schroeder	Latin tests	All his bad luck
Jean Shaul	Her boy friend working late	Her long nails in gym
Barbara Sim	Jazz	Her front seat in 308
Barbara Sloan	Mrs. Weber	Jeanne
Pat Smith	Having to stay home two nights in a row	Size 13 leaves a size 10 uniform to the next drum majorette
"Sandy" Smith	Waiting for buses	An interesting date
Marion Sparks	"Villains"	Her braces
John Steffenson	Second lunch	His father's car
Anita Stivali	Library fines	Her pocketbook
Joan Swetell	Nobody laughing at her jokes	Leaves the halls quieter
Bob Taylor	Detention in 309	His seat after 3:45
Joan Tomasulo	Bee hives	Her sister
Harry Valante	"Squares"	One beat-up piano
Lydia Viola	Never being ready	The back seat in the school bus
George Watters	Muscle-bound girls	A few more inches to some small fellow
Mary Lou Welsh	Mr. Schultz's noisy machines	Leaves without the curse of an aching heart
Elaine Wische	Missing the "98" by two minutes	One beat-up baton
Margaret Woods	Teddy	Barbara's driver's license
Marilyn Woods	Reading French	"Interesting" physics experiments
Arline Zalewski	Mr. Miller's tests	Mr. Mac's typing to someone who is willing to do it
Joyce Zarra	Crowded dance floors	A name near the end of the list
Elaine Zicaro	Practice teachers	H.R. 309
Rita Zimmer	Jean's antics	Three inches for any short junior
Richard Zipf	Washing kitchen floors	The title of admiral to another reservist
Ed Zuczek	Girls who gossip	Leaves last

OUR U.S.O. SHOW . .

When the troops put on a play, they know their business. For a change, the group chose a melodrama on the theme: Innocence versus the Villain or THE CURSE OF AN ACHING HEART.

This is Muriel Atkins' (Joan Dixon) way of greeting her husband, Windermere Hightower, after not having seen him for four weeks.



Windermere Hightower tells Aurelia Abernathy (Eleanor Long) that he will meet her tonight by the "Old Mill Stream."



"Where have you been keeping yourself?" asks Nellie Blythe (Sandra Hoch) of Sarah Abernathy (Ellen Anderson).



The villain, Windermere Hightower, finally gets caught when Battle Axe Annie (Lorene Ross), the local sheriff, finds the deed to the ranch on him while Lucius Goodenough holds the gun.

"The Curse of An Aching Heart"

Weeks of worry ensued for the entire cast, the student directors, and our faculty director, Mr. Otis Brown. We had our many interruptions and other drawbacks. A couple of members kept improvising what they considered "choice" lines for those not in the script. Then there were those Saturday mornings with pauses for coffee and cake which held up rehearsals. And, of course, who will ever forget those embarrassing moments when cues were forgotten and when stage fright predominated when March 23, 26, and 27 arrived? But out of all our efforts came a roaring success.

Thanks are due to Gary Mercer, our stage manager; Mr. Diehl, Mr. Henry, and the stage crew for the weeks of work put in on the scenery; and the Make-up, Properties, and Publicity Committees. Let us not forget the audience who backed our financial needs.

However, our biggest asset was having Mr. Brown to direct our play. Without him the production would not have been the huge success it was.



Red Wing (Lucille Domenick) searches Lucius Goodenough after he was accused of stealing two hundred dollars and the deed to the None Such Ranch.

"Melody, you are my long-lost daughter," says Aloysius Abernathy (Charles Jerry) to Melody Lane.

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"Don't call me a fool, you polecat. Take that!" cries Lucius Goodenough (Harry Valente) to Wendymer High-tower (Ray Marrone) while Melody Lane (Marion Sparks) looks on.



The student directors—Angela De Costanza, Mary Lou Welsh, and Joan Durkee—look at a diagram being shown them by Mr. Otis Brown, the coach of the Senior Play.

Investigating Committee

OUR MONAD STAFF



CO-EDITORS AND ADVISORS

Miss Weidman, our advisor, and her co-editors, Judy Cohen and Rosalind Parlapiano, put their heads together to plan a strategic move. Mrs. Willis, the other MONAD advisor, was at a meeting when this picture was taken.

ART STAFF

Mr. Diehl is making last-minute suggestions for changes to the art editors, Alice Encke, Eileen Pendergast, and Elaine Wische.

Long hours and hard work . . . a rough but unbeatable combination. When these two allies are applied to any task, sooner rather than later, the job is accomplished. As we look back over the last six months, we find ourselves comparing the diligent effort put forth by the staff with the twisting road of life. A rather far-fetched comparison, we must admit. However, the similarity arises in the fact that as man stumbles down the path of life, he is faced with the seemingly insurmountable every-day problems which life presents. As he meets these various obstacles, he somehow manages to find a solution for each and every one of them. With patience and faith as

FEATURE AND MAKE-UP STAFF

The bulwark of a nation—an informal shot of the staff looking over orders. This ambitious crew meets once a week in Room 113 with Miss Weidman and her co-editors, Judy Cohen and Rosalind Parlapiano.



his hallmarks, he is able to continue his journey. And so it has been with our staff, who have worked long and untiringly in a united effort to put forth a yearbook which will please all of you, for whom it was compiled.

With the help of our advisors, Miss Weidman and Mrs. Willis, who have been our constant guides, we have tried to enclose between these two covers, pages filled with happy memories of a beneficial high school career.

It is our most earnest wish that in years to come, all of you will at some time turn these pages and vaguely recall a step in life long since taken.

STUDENT PHOTOGRAPHERS

Our student camera men were out on the alert getting shots of important school events. They are Bob Densler, Rene Fournier, John Love, and Bob Kwik.



BUSINESS STAFF

These are the "go-getters" on the MONAD staff. Under the supervision of Mr. Schultz, advisor, and Donald Vanderwyde, business editor, these boys collected advertisements and patrons for the yearbook.



SALESGIRLS

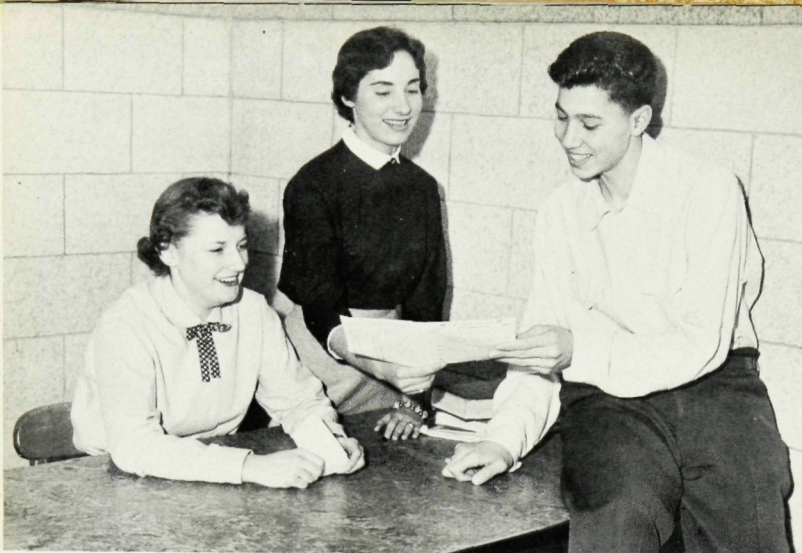
The MONAD'S rank and file—these recruits have worked diligently all year collecting money and subscriptions for our MONAD. Under the guidance of Mr. Schultz, these gals have helped to finance the yearbook.





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SENIOR SENATE OFFICERS

These three students have worked hard this year directing the plans instigated by the Senior Senate. They are Pat Bollman, secretary-treasurer; Joyce Miller, vice-president; and Harry Valante, president.

During the past year, the Senate has planned and has run all senior dances, a Christmas card sales program, the senior play, the Rye Beach trip, the Senior Dinner Dance, graduation, and many other activities sponsored by the Class of 1954.

Big Guns and . . .

THE SENIOR SENATE

This group of seniors meeting one afternoon in the Senior Senate are discussing ticket selling plans for the Senior Play which is to be presented in several weeks. This is just one of several class activities these students plan and put into action under a senior advisor, probably Mr. Schultz.

Here we find John Burke, Walter Schroeder, Martin Glassman, Jacqueline Naturele, Bob Kaden, Joan Durkee, Lydia Viola, Pat Smith, Mary Ann Ferrigno, Joyce Miller, Harry Valante, Pat Bollman. Bob Olson and Eleanor Lang were absent when this picture was taken.



SENIOR CLASS ADVISORS

The teachers gathered in Mr. Schultz's room are the principal advisors for the senior activities. They are Michael Rosamilia, Thelma Weidman, Murray Wilcox, W. Ralph Correll, Harold Dufford, Alma Gray, Raymond Smith, Anne Snedeker, Elsie Sandford, Henry Miller, Charles Schultz, and Otis Brown.

JUNIOR SENATE

The Junior Senate has done a fine job this year in everything that it has attempted to do. President Tanya Greulich, Vice-president Vicente Dente, Treasurer Ed Kosinski, and Secretary Martha Worthington have promoted such student activities as selling football pins during the fall and having their always popular Junior Winter Dance. The biggest social event of the year, the Junior Prom, was sponsored by this group. It goes without saying that it was a smash hit and that a good time was had by all. The advisor, who is also responsible for their success, is Ethel Mulcahy.



... Little Shots



SOPHOMORE SENATE

President Robert Paganelli led the Sophomore Senate with his earnest efforts to make it the organization that it was. He, with the other officers, Vice-president John Inquaggiato and Secretary Joseph Prieto, planned their annual event of the year, the Sophomore Hop. It was a success which showed that everyone worked and planned it well. The senate and their advisor, Mr. Chiara, are shown here at one of their after-school meetings.

FRESHMAN SENATE

Early this year the Freshman Senate organized themselves by electing as their president, Daisy Sibilia. They got off to a very good start in their school year by planning their Christmas Dance. As usual, it was enjoyed by all. The other hard-working officers are Vice-president Peter Duca, Treasurer Nick Landolfi, and Secretary Toni Melito. By the end of the year it was evident that the senate had done a good job in preparing the freshmen for their years in B.H.S. The senate feels that they owe a great deal to their advisor, Mr. George Lees.



Sound off

STUDENT COUNCIL

HEADQUARTERS

This year the Student Council was ably manned by President Bob Doyle seated at the telephone. Flanking him are Bev Campbell, secretary; Mr. Grossman, Council advisor; Jean Dufford, treasurer; Bob Doyle; Mr. Correll, advisor; and Joe Dente, vice-president. The Student Council for 1953-54 sponsored such activities as the Magazine Campaign, the Bee Hives, concessions at football games, and the March of Dimes Campaign. Their election in the spring of the year is really a big affair with speeches, rallies and demonstrations.



The Student Council Cabinet helps President Bob Doyle, who is seated in the center, in making decisions having to do with school functions.



The Executive Committee of the Student Council consists of six members from each of the four classes. They present ideas to the General Assembly and also assist in carrying them out.



The General Assembly of the Student Council is composed of two members from each homeroom. This group meets every Tuesday and Thursday in the auditorium under their advisors, Mr. Grossman and Mr. Correll.



The SPOTLIGHT editors, Jack Haft and Nick La Para, with faculty advisor, Mr. Grossman, look over a new copy of the paper.



Propagandists . . . THROUGH THE SPOTLIGHT

Here at Belleville High School our propaganda machine, the **Spotlight**, is always hard at work producing the next issue of our newspaper. The reporters delve into the mysteries of B.H.S. and throw light on them for us.

Each month assignments are given out, interviews begin, sports are covered, and the latest statistics are hunted up. The completed assignments are edited. The presses begin to roll and then nothing can stop them. Spotlight Day dawns and the dimes begin to roll in.

The group is to be complimented for their excellent school newspaper.

Our capable editor-in-chief, Jack Haft, gives us a big smile over an edition of the SPOTLIGHT. Often we find Jack scurrying up to the Rae Publishing Company to put the copy to bed.

This is the hard-working SPOTLIGHT staff. This group carries out assignments and reports and assimilates the news of B.H.S. Many hours after school and in the evenings are put into each month's edition. All in all this provides for a very successful student activity.





DIRECTOR

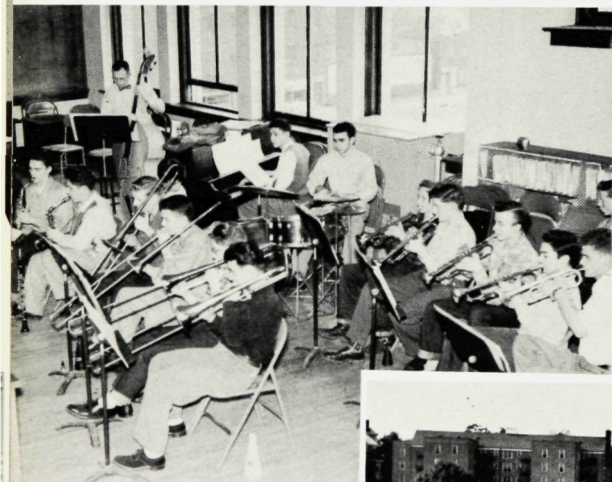
One of the MONAD student photographers catches Mr. Mattick at an off-moment at a football game in the Belleville High School Stadium.

MAJORETTES

Elaine Wische, Pat Smith, and Else Bergersen, our talented drum majorette and co-captains, posing before entertaining on the field during the half in a home game.



Dress Parade

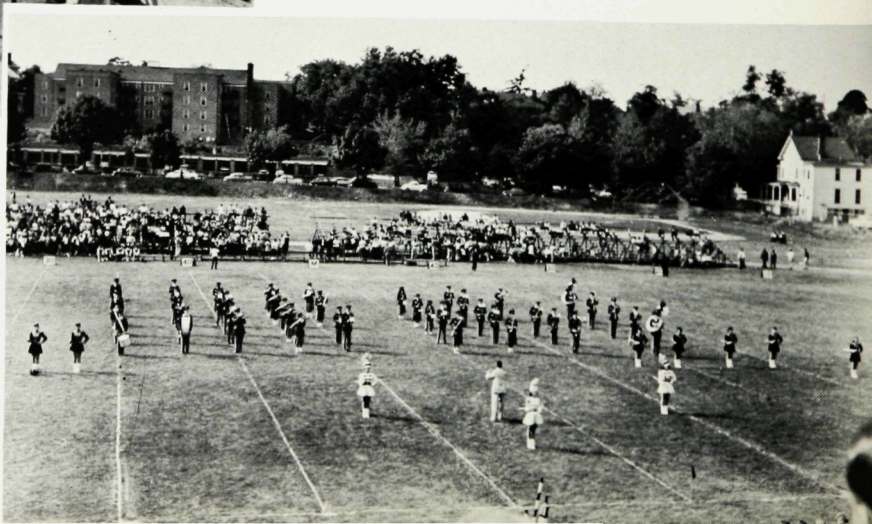


DANCE BAND

The school's Dance Band at a rehearsal one Wednesday in Room 202. Mr. Mattick in background is playing with the boys as well as directing the group.

BAND, TWIRLERS, AND MAJORETTES

The band, twirlers, and majorettes in full dress giving a demonstration of what they can do during the half of one of our football games.



Special Assignment

A rehearsal period with Dr. Sam Peck in Room 202.



DIRECTOR AND ACCOMPANIST

The MONAD photographer catches Dr. Sam Peck and his accompanist, Kathleen Bottsford, one morning at the organ in the auditorium.



BAKER'S DOZEN

This outstanding vocal group known as the Baker's Dozen is composed of thirteen regular singers and five alternates. They are directed by Dr. Peck and accompanied by Kathleen Bottsford. Each year they give outstanding performances in the high school and at various grade schools and local gatherings. To climax the year they gave a concert at the Veterans Hospital in the Oranges and at Trenton State Teachers College.



The combined choirs and glee clubs at their annual Christmas performance of sacred music in the high school auditorium. This same group plans and gives their Annual Spring Concert. They are to be complimented on their excellent work.





NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

A salute to the seniors who were inducted into the National Honor Society in their junior year and to Mrs. Emick, who is their advisor. The lucky seniors are William Chapman; Elaine Wische; Harry Valante, president; Jack Haft, vice-president; Eleanor Long, secretary-treasurer; John Love, and Robert Kwik. Outstanding qualities of leadership, character, scholarship, and service qualified these students for membership in the National Honor Society. At the time of this picture the annual spring tapping for 1954 had not taken place.

In May, the following people were tapped: Ellen Anderson, Barbara August, Else Bergerson, Gary Burman, Robert Catenacci, Edward Corino, Carl Denzler, Jean Dufford, Joan Durkee, Mary Ann Ferrigno, Irene Gilchrist, Martin Glassman, Carol Hundertpfund, Kenneth Jacobsen, Virginia Lambrecht, Robert Olson, Rosalind Parlapiano, Wilma Perrelli, John Reid, Walter Schroeder, Joan Schroner, John Steffensen, Mary Lou Welsh, Marilyn Woods, Donald Vander Wyde, Harriet Ackerman, Angela Fusaro, Ronald Kabot, Nicholas La Para, Barbara McWalters, John Riordan, Susan Walsh, Lois Woodman, and Martha Worthington.



FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

This organization is under the direction of Mr. Samuel Slifkin and Mrs. Regina Degnin. It is composed of about twenty-five active members, the potential teachers of tomorrow. This group, following parliamentary procedure, has elected Barbara Newschwander as president. The girls enjoy visiting various schools and listening to speakers who are well versed in this profession. Hats off, girls, and lots of luck in the future.



JUNIOR RED CROSS

The Junior Red Cross has had a very active year. Composed of two representatives from each homeroom, the organization is at the present time completing three scrap books of jokes for the Veterans Hospital. With the co-operation of the cooking classes, the Junior Red Cross also distributed cookies to the veterans and to the aged people in the wards at Soho Hospital.

The officers for this year are president, Barbara MacWalters; vice-president, James Hitchner; treasurer, Violet Smith; and secretary, Lois Woodman. Miss Linnea Andr  e is the advisor for this group.

AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS CREW

The Audio-Visual Aids Crew is composed of volunteer students who are interested in working with movie projectors and cameras, among other things. These students uncomplainingly give up their free time to accomplish their work. They have charge of the spotlight for the assembly programs and the movie equipment which is used in the various classes. This very active group is an essential part of Belleville High's make-up.



CAFETERIA WORKERS

These industrious students devote part of their lunch hour every day of the school week to work in the cafeteria. With the able assistance of Mrs. Copestake, the head cashier, they keep things running like clockwork. Good service has come to be the hallmark of these students.

LIBRARY CLUB

The Library Club, under the direction and supervision of Mrs. Roche, is composed of approximately thirty-two members. These girls check books in and out, help students with reference work, and help keep the library running in good order. They meet frequently to discuss their problems or to plan ways of improving the facilities of the library. These girls are to be congratulated on their splendid work and willingness to relinquish their study periods.



Off Duty ACTIVITIES

The following additional activities have been recently incorporated into the co-curricular program, thus making 26 groups meeting at the same time.

Debating Club
Chess and Checkers
Dramatic Club
Eight Charm Clubs
French Club
Personality Club
Two Math Clubs

Four Social Dancing Clubs
Two Model Builders Clubs
Spanish Club
German Club
Arts and Crafts
Drivers' Club
Music Club
International Relations Club

Business Club
Skillet Club
Stamp Club
Checkers Club
Needlework and Homecrafts
Chess Club
Sports Club



ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

The Assembly Committee is a teacher-student committee that plans all assemblies. Mr. Zuckerman, chairman; Esther Hutchinson; Myra Kamp; W. Ralph Correll; and Herbert Mattick are faculty advisors. This group is made up of a student from each class and four from the Student Council.

Among the many entertaining programs are those presented by a department; for example, the Christmas program; those put forth through student participation, such as the Talent Show; or those programs which present professional personalities such as John Henry Faulk.



FUTURE NURSES OF AMERICA

The Future Nurses of America is a group composed of those girls who are interested in a nursing career. Under the supervision of Miss Alice McKenzie, the group visits hospitals and witnesses the actual nurses' training. These members are those of the original club which was organized before the activities period was started. Joyce McShane is the president of this club and Grace Orth acts as vice-president. Barbara Robinson is secretary while Elaine Plosa serves as corresponding secretary.



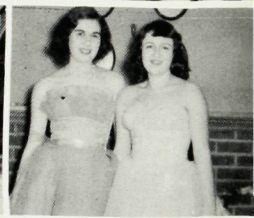
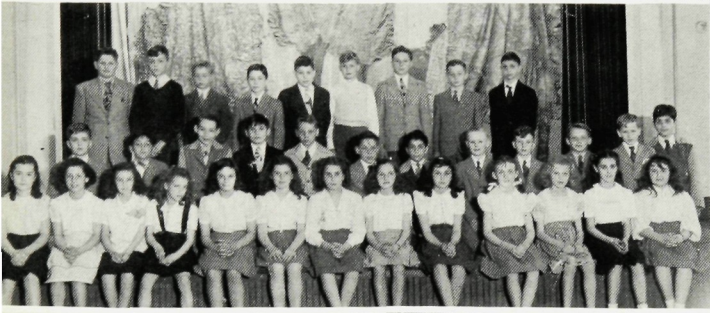
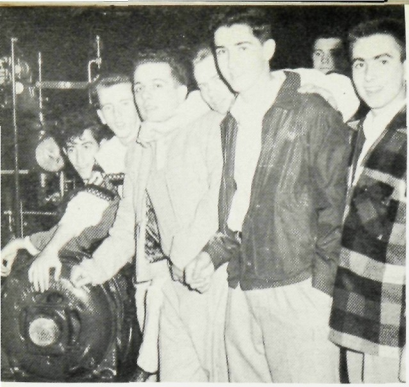
ITALIAN CLUB

This small but enthusiastic group, which is under the direction of Miss Berardinelli, is the Italian Club. They have been studying Italian customs, language, culture, and native dances. Their two big projects of the year were to visit New York and to plan and cook an Italian dinner.

GUIDANCE AND OFFICE WORKERS

The guidance workers are under the supervision of Mr. Samuel Slifkin and Miss Gervasio, and the office workers are under the direction of Miss Biafore. These girls sacrifice their free time to help with filing, typing, checking attendance, and doing other odd jobs. They certainly are to be complimented on the time and the effort they devote to their assignments.







**INTO
ACTION**



Rocco Cafone and Ed Gray were the 1953 co-captains. Rocco was honored by being placed on the All-Essex County Team. He is one of the most outstanding quarterbacks in Belleville's history. Ed was the leader of the Bellboys' hard-charging line and on some occasions the opponents were forced to put two men on him. He received honorable mention for the All-Essex County Team.

This Varsity and J.V. Team are the powerful Belleville stars who turned in a fine season with five wins and three losses. The boys won over such rivals as Bloomfield, Nutley, and Irvington while losing to two power-laden elevens in Orange and East Orange.

FOOTBALL . . .



With the help of blockers up front, Joe Mignon picks up valuable yardage in the Irvington game. Belleville came from behind to win this one 12 to 7.

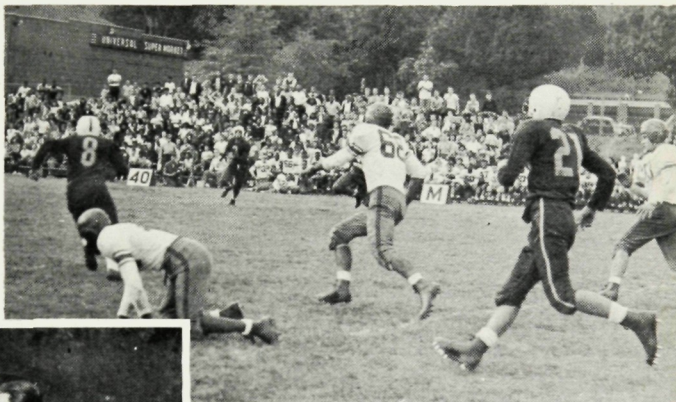


Up-and-coming sophomore, Jim Apple, aided by a well-timed block, skirts left end in the West Side game.



This is the hard-working freshman team, who in a few years will comprise the Belleville Varsity.

.. Front Line Action



Larry Gahr breaks away for a long gain in an exciting part of the second quarter of the East Orange game.



The Strategy Board meets. Head Coach Mr. Ed Berlinski has his assistants gather round as he looks over some of his touchdown plays. Left to right they are Mr. Wilho Winika, Mr. Raymond Smith, and line coach, Mr. Herman "Jitty" Wische.



Meet the Shoe-string Team. But all kidding aside these are the hustling managers of the football team. Senior manager, Evan Thomas; assistants, Richie Mahmarian and Stan Orlinsky.



The '54 Varsity Basketball squad lines up for the camera. They are Pat Grosso, Bob Taylor, Gary Burman, Howie Taubin, Richie Veith, Andy Leyble, Rocco Cafone, Joe Prieto, Frank Puleo, John Bartell, Ronald Kabot, and Joe Long.



The camera catches Bob Taylor one afternoon practicing in the gym.

The 1954 Belleville High Basketball Platoon finished the season with a very impressive 11 and 5 record. Contrary to the opinions of the experts, Belleville proved to be one of Essex County's top quintets. Led by high scorers, Pat Grosso and Andy Leyble, the team marched to victories over such rivals as Bloomfield, Nutley, and West Orange. This year's backboard's strength was provided by 6'2½" Bob Taylor, who turned out to be a fine guard; and Gary Burman, 6'1½" forward. Rocco Cafone held the team together and came through with many fine shots.

Belleville's County Tournament hopes were snuffed out by a heart-breaking loss to Orange. The game was tied up at the end of regular play, but in the overtime the opposition proved too stiff for B.H.S. The highlight of the game, a two and one-half minute freeze, will not be forgotten by Belleville students for a long time to come.



Gary Burman, another one of the first six men of the year's basketball team, jumps for a basket in routine drill one afternoon.

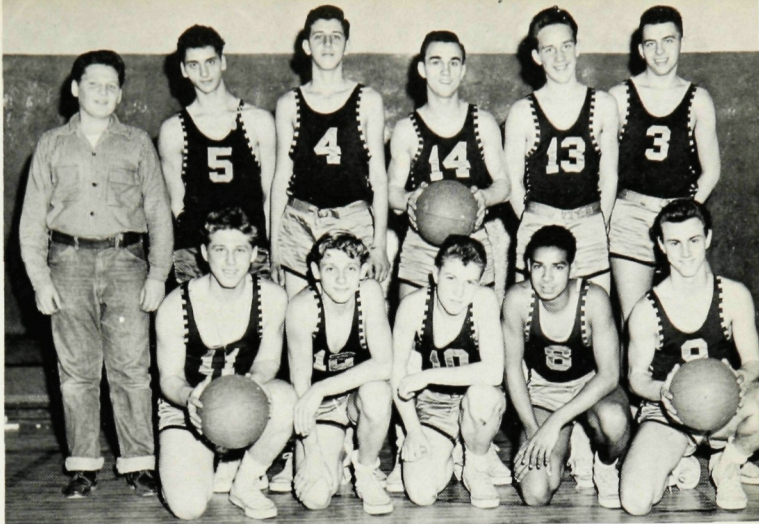


At the South Side game Richie Veith reaches for the ball while the crowd looks on.



Rocco Cafone practicing one night after school while Coach Wische looks on.

Coach Ray Smith certainly did a fine job in training this Junior Varsity Team. They ended the season with an impressive record of 12-3.



Sharp Shooters . . . BASKETBALL



Andy Leyble goes for a fast one in the Hillside game, which Belleville won.



Pat Grosso tries to make a basket and points for Belleville during the Clifton game in our home gym.



Coach Herman "Jitty" Wische goes over the score book with Varsity managers Vincent and Joe Dente.



The Freshman Basketball Team with Coach Herman Knuppel put up a fine show in the '54 season, winning 5 and losing 5.



The Belleville Varsity Oarsmen of 1954. Left to right, they are bow, Bill Chapman; 2, Bob Paganelli; 3, Bob Auten; 4, Harry Glass; 5, Howard Taubin; 6, Bob Taylor; 7, Ed Gray; stroke, Richard Zipf; and coxswain, Don Caroselli. During the Columbia race, Bob Auten suffered a shoulder ailment and Bob Paganelli also encountered misfortune. As a result positions two and three have been well-filled by various boys. Some of the boys who had a turn at these positions are Jack Connolly, Harry Reynolds, John Steffensen, Walter Shroeder, Ed Kosinski, and Tom Dolan.

Anchors Away

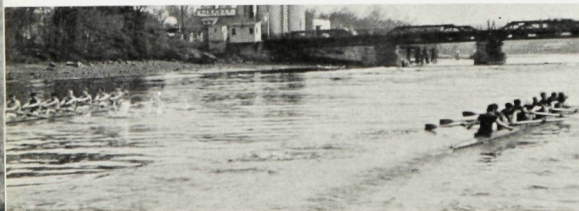
IT'S CREW TIME

Ready all—now! The Bellboys shove off for another day of hard practice with coxswain, Don Caroselli, at the rudder.

Crew is a sport which requires much training and concentration over a period of years. Coordination and conditioning play the most important roles in rowing.

Under the excellent coaching of Mr. William N. Bennett and his assistants, Mr. Smith and Mr. Lewis, the Belleville Crew is trained in the finer arts of rowing. In this 1954 season just before the Nationals, Belleville had a three and two season. The Bellboys beat Lower Merion of Ardmore, Pennsyl-

The closest finish of the 1954 season. The Bellboys made a strong bid and came from behind in this race to beat the La Salle High School of Philadelphia by two feet.



vania, by four lengths; Dartmouth lightweights by two lengths; and La Salle High School of Philadelphia by two feet.

The Varsity lost to Columbia University by a length after waiting an hour at the starting line, only to be chilled by a steady rain. The best time for the Bellboys this year was 4 minutes, 55 seconds in the mile, only to lose in this race to Kent, who won by 9 seconds.

On May 28 and 29 the Bellboys journeyed to Worcester, Massachusetts, to row in the National Schoolboy Championships.



The Varsity Eight leaving the dock for their daily workout. The Varsity oarsmen row an average of 6 miles a day throughout the season. Left to right they are bow, Bill Chapman; 2, Harry Reynolds; 3, Jack Connolly; 4, Harry Glass; 5, Howard Taubin; 6, Bob Taylor; 7, Ed Gray; stroke, Richard Zepf; and coxswain, Don Caroselli.



VARSITY TEAM

Mr. Berlinski's boys have had a tough season this year but have played with rugged enthusiasm and have done a good job. Up to date they have won four games and lost two in the Big-Ten Conference, which is one of the toughest leagues in the entire state.

The Bellboys in the second row are Roger Guglicelli, James Apple, Bill Dambola, Richard Vieth, Joe Orlando, Sal Lombardo, Jack McCabe and Ralph Conte; in the first row are Jerry Lilore, Jim Landan, Harry Gough, Joe Prieto, Al Johnston, Joe Tortorello, Joe Long, John Barell, and Charles Cerami.

BALL TEAM *Under Fire*

It's time out for the managers and coaches to get together. They are varsity coach, Mr. Berlinski; manager, Vincent Cozarelli; manager, Donald Grewcock; and assistant coach, Mr. MacArthur.

Albert Johnston tags pitcher Harry Gough out on a slide to second during a daily practice at the stadium.



JUNIOR VARSITY TEAM

Under the stiff coaching of Mr. MacArthur these future B.H.S. varsity stars play a tough schedule with neighboring schools during the season. Daily practice at the stadium prepares and trains them to take the places of graduating varsity players. This season these boys are proud of the fact that they have won one of their games, defeating Bloomfield High School.

The boys in the second row are Ronald Bergamini, Edward Noonan, Richard Arvidson, Thomas Cullen, John Mueller, Richard Balfour, Anthony Gaccione. In the first row are Ted Nicholls, Anthony Nigro, Daniel Letore, William Perrelli, James Apple, Richard Hangge, Bruce McCumber, Frank Miele, and Anthony Molinaro.





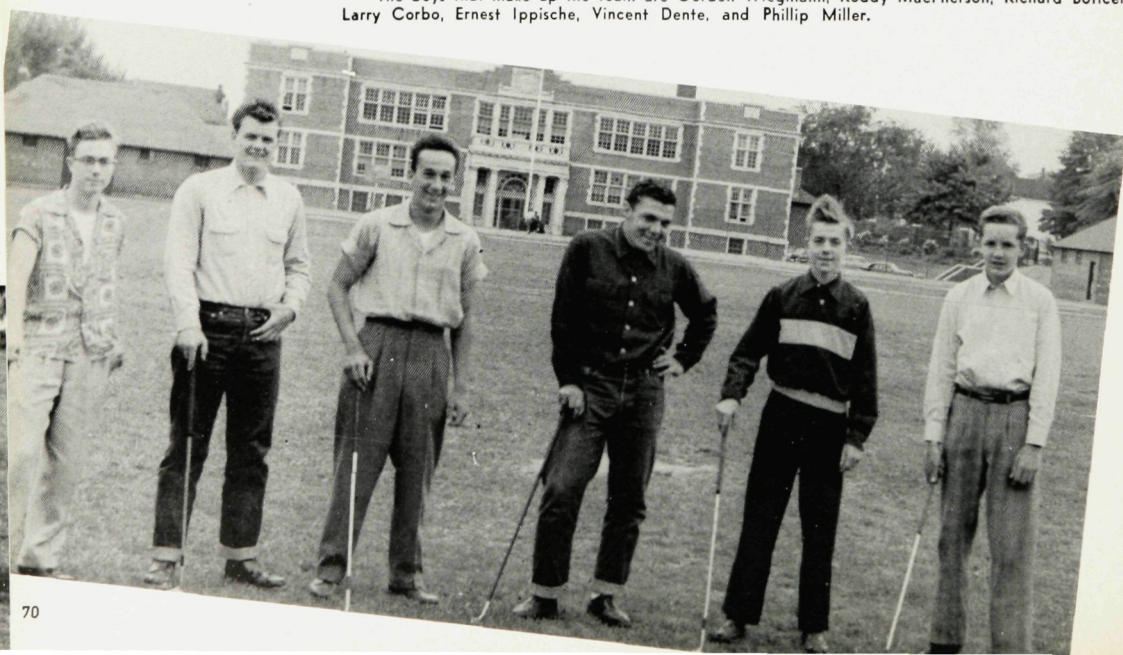
The Bowling Team under the guidance of Mr. George Lees meets every Friday afternoon at the Branch Brook Lanes Bowling Alleys. Throughout the year, this team has met with contending teams in the North Jersey Interscholastic Bowling League. After a total of ten matches, Belleville had nine wins and one loss, thus being tied with Bloomfield. In a match with Bloomfield, Belleville lost the closely-contested battle. In a handicap tournament, Belleville placed first with Mike Odajewski and Mike Higgins winning the doubles.

The members of the team and their averages follow: John Cappola, 144; Carmen Fortunato, 158; Mike Benecchi, 150; Mike Higgins, 157; and Mike Odajewski, 164.

BOWLING AND GOLF

Belleville High School can be proud of these boys who practice several days a week at Hendricks Field or play matches frequently at Forest Hill Country Club. Under Mr. Wische's coaching, these boys have defeated Bloomfield and Millburn so far this season. In the State Tournament with 28 schools competing, Belleville finished in third place. In the individual championship with 120 boys competing for the title, Belleville was successful in placing Roddy MacPherson and Gorden Wiegmann in second and third place respectively.

The boys that make up the team are Gorden Wiegmann, Roddy MacPherson, Richard Boticelli, Larry Corbo, Ernest Ippische, Vincent Dente, and Phillip Miller.





This enthusiastic group of boys are proud of their records they have been rolling up for our high school. Under the directorship of coach Winika and team captain Nick Cocco, these boys have defeated Irvington High School. Even though they lost four meets, they can boast of Joe Mignon, who has won the 100 and 220 yard dash. Joe also won the state championship for sprinting as well as tying in the county meet for the 100 yard dash. Frank Csaszar has done remarkably well in the broad jump, the quarter mile, and the 440 yard dash. Steady performers have been Joseph Brown, Steven Cohen, and Allen Bessemer.

TRACK AND SOCCER

The Soccer Team, coached by Mr. Ward, had a successful season although their record was but three wins and seven losses. The team, which was co-captained by Joe Cetti and John Hughes, played a rough schedule against experienced teams like Kearny and St. Cecelia. The highlights of the season, which was played in the fall, were the victories over Irvington, Rutherford, and Montclair. Many of the varsity members are graduating, but the prospects of a good team next year are promising.





THE CHEERLEADERS

Our peppy cheerleaders did a tremendous job helping our morale during the football and basketball seasons. How could the teams help being successful with this attractive squad cheering them on? We are proud of Marion Sparks; Leona Salandra; Betsy Domenick; Tanya Greulich; Dot Zborowski; Jean Dufford, captain; Sarah Daniels; and Sally Kelly.



Miss Ida Thomson and Mrs. Marie Glancy spent many mornings working out new cheers with Jean Dufford, our captain.

Reveille



Here the girls are caught in action at one of our home football games at the stadium.



A huddle is not uncommon among the cheerleaders. Something must have brought on that happy occasion.

LEADERS' CLUB

Here are the girls who run around the gym in those white suits. They are members of the Leaders' Club, which is directed by Miss Ida Thomson. The officers are Pat Bollman, president; Else Bergersen, vice-president; Sandy Smith, treasurer; and Mary Ann Ferrigno, secretary.

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Good refereeing is a requisite to any basketball game. In this department, Belleville High is well equipped with student referees who are qualified in this field.

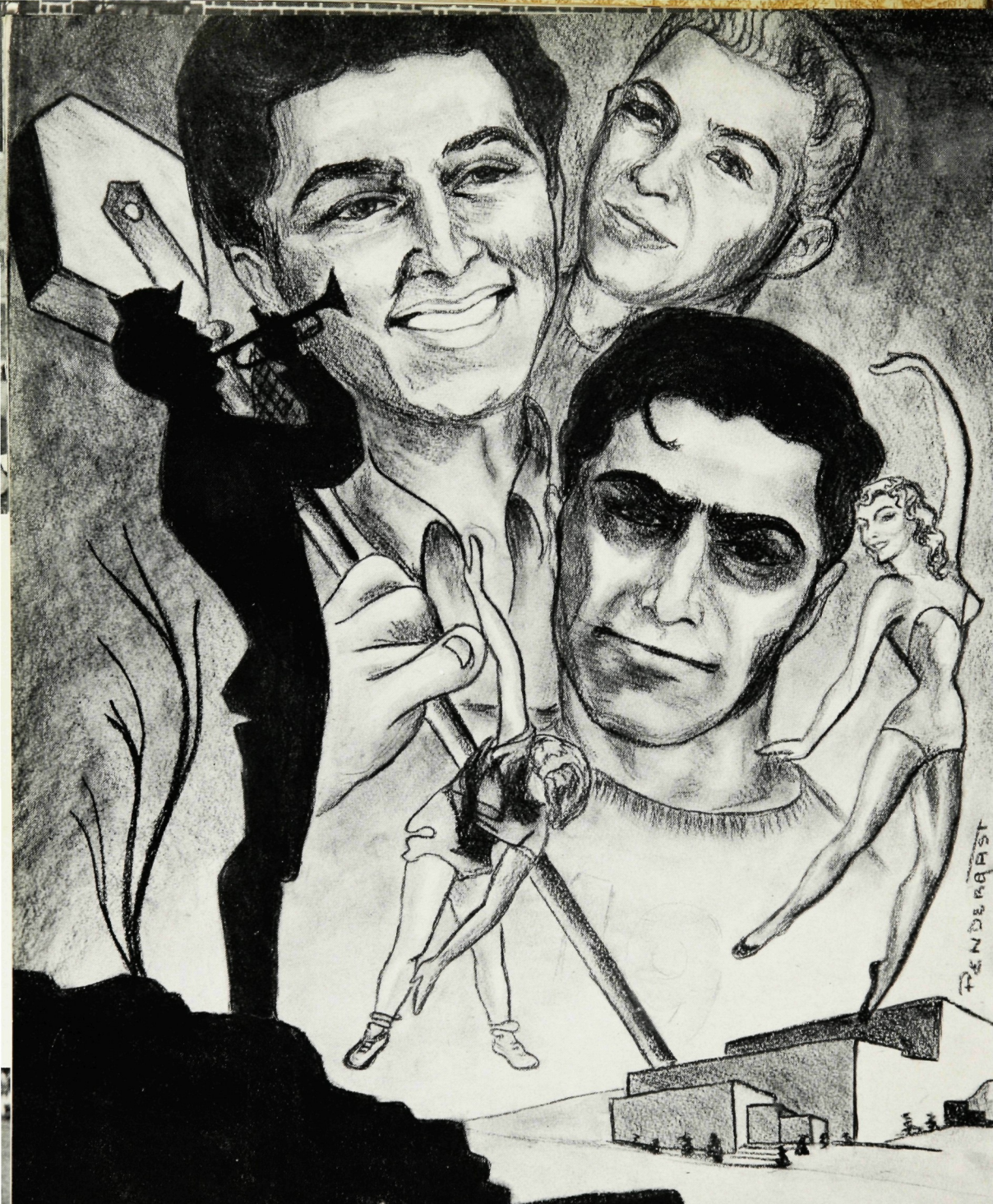


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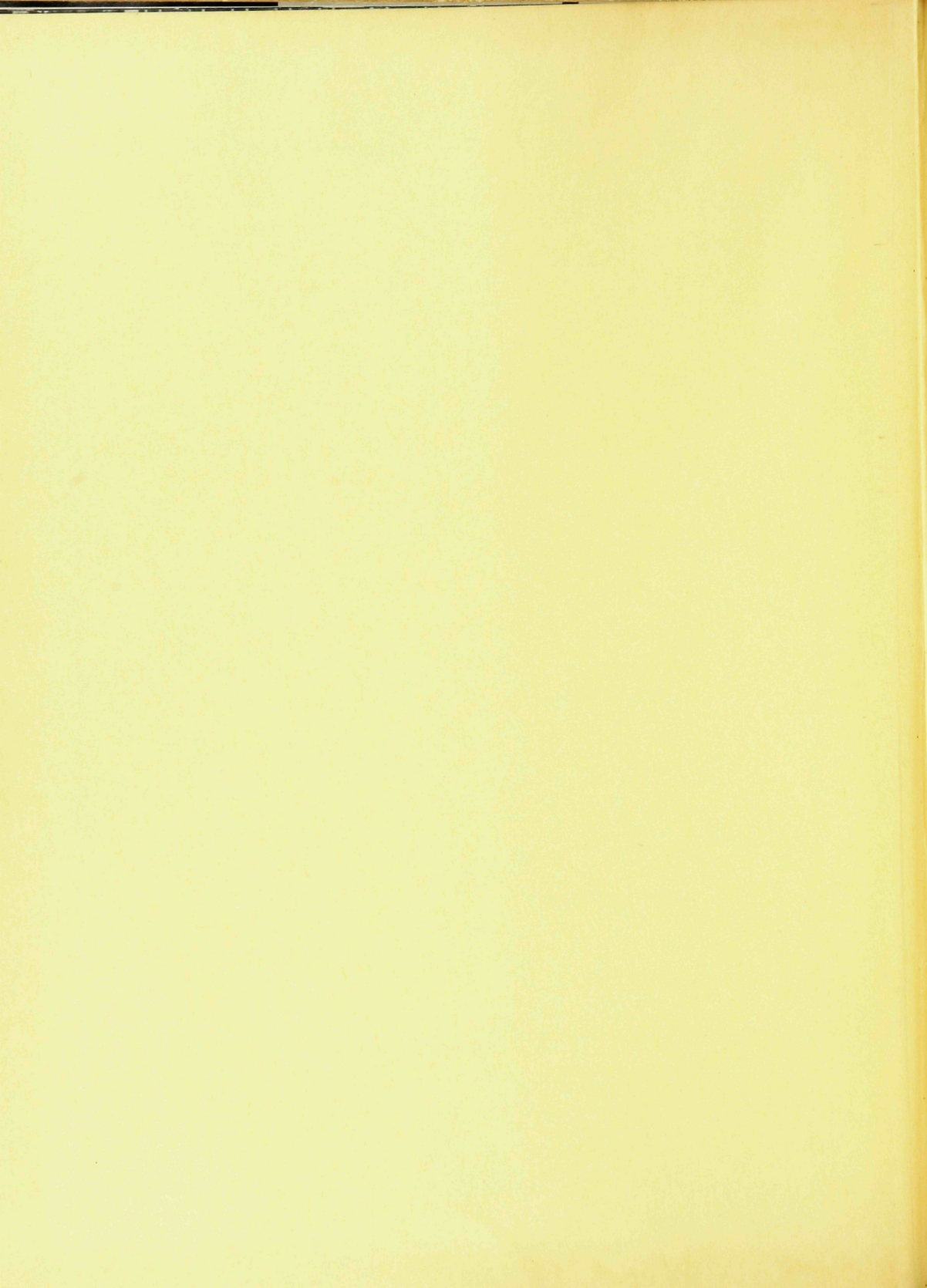
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