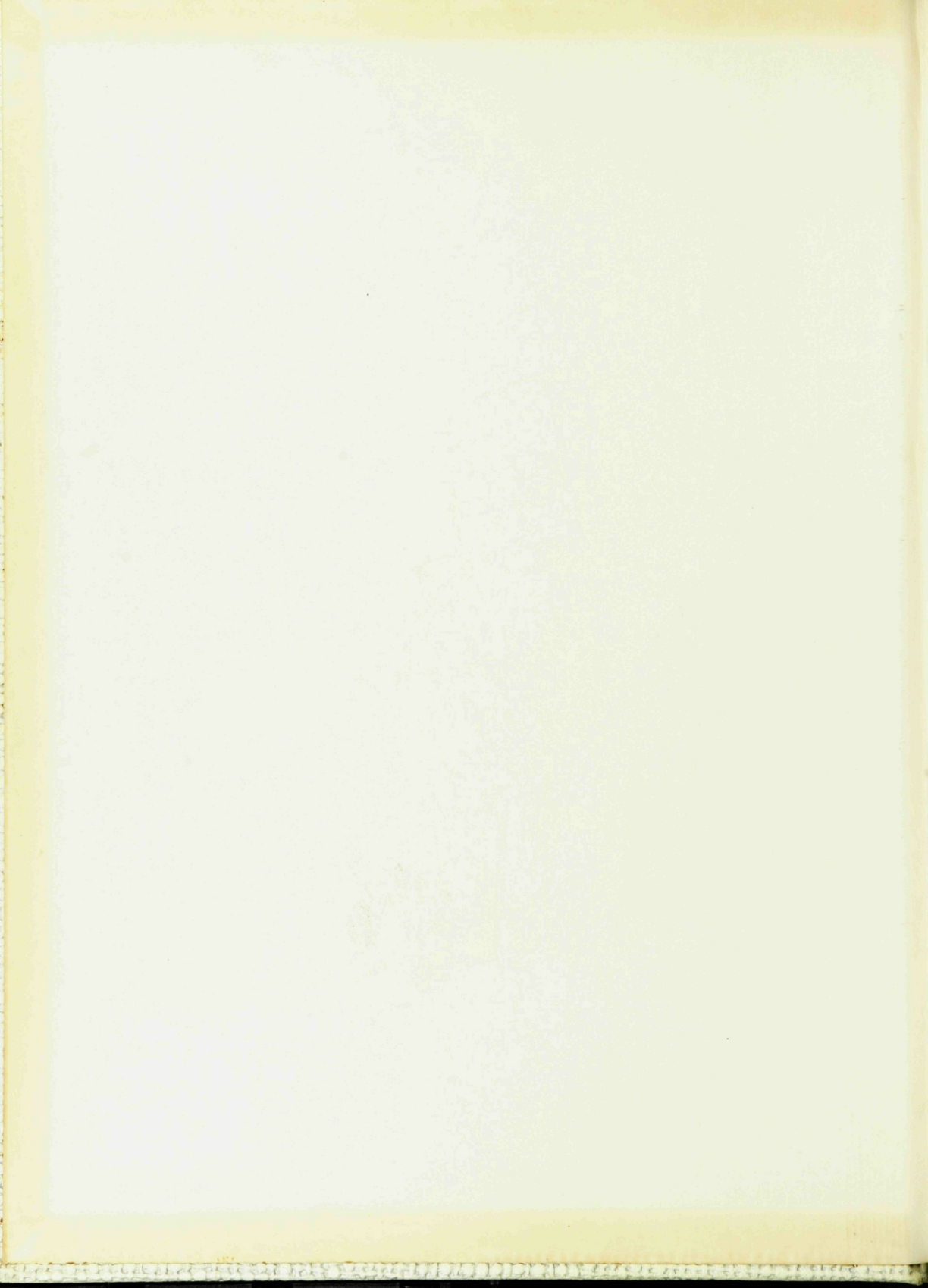
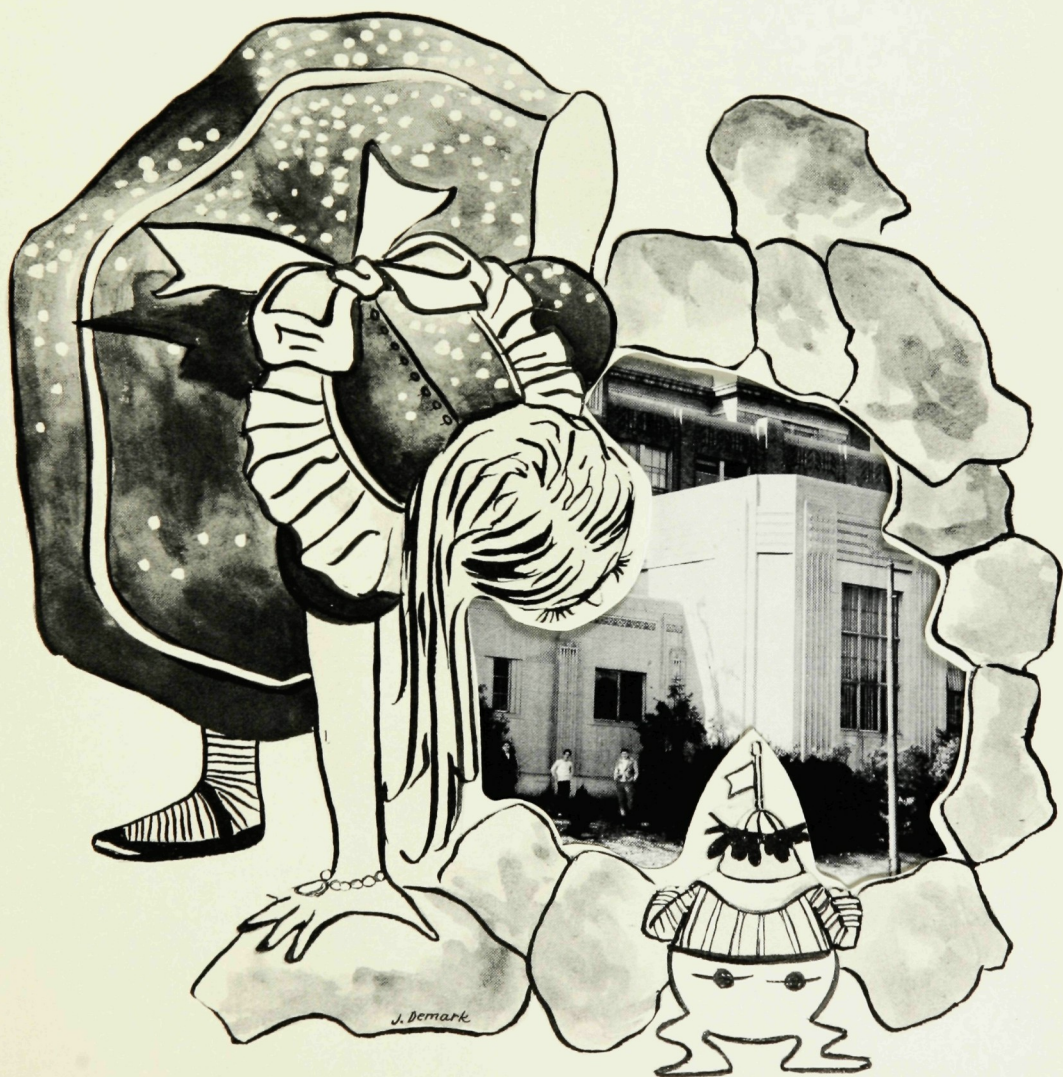




1955 MONAD





Thus grew the tale of Wonderland:
Thus slowly one by one,
Its quaint events were hammered out—
And now our tale is done.



The 1955 Monad



Belleville High



H School, Belleville, New Jersey

DEDICATION



MISS LINNEA ANDREE

Although you have never been a heroine of a literary classic, or the inspiration for a great masterpiece, or fallen down a rabbit hole one summer day, you have all the youth, vitality, and energy of Lewis Carroll's famous Alice. Years ago that well-known mathematics instructor wrote two lines which could apply to you, one of our most beloved teachers:

"The Good, the True, the Beautiful,—
Those are the things that pay!"

And these are the qualities, Miss Andree, that make us respect and love you.

We, the Class of 1955, in gratitude for the contributions you have made to our four years at Belleville High, dedicate our **Monad** to you, Miss Linnea Andree.

It is well known that Texas claims almost everything that is worthwhile, so it is not unnatural to learn that our teacher was born in San Antonio. After graduating from Palmyra High, Wilson College, and the Philadelphia Trade School, she obtained her Master's Degree at New York University.

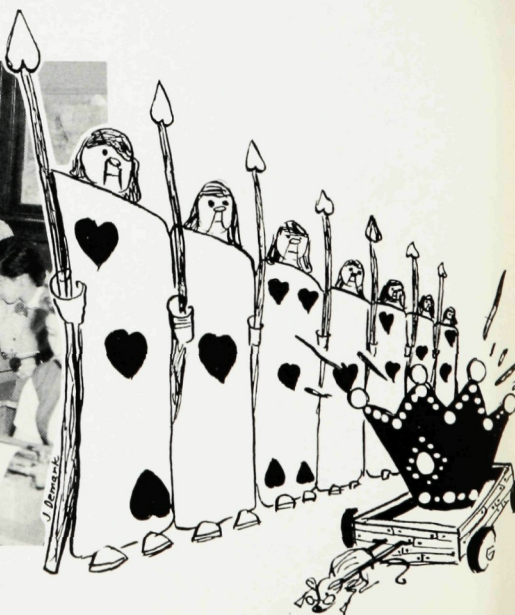
She is living with her mother. They both enjoy traveling and taking care of their pets: Timmy, a canary, and Bobby, a parakeet. Miss Andree spends her spare time participating in her church and district Wilson College Alumnae Association of which she is a past president.

Because of your radiating personality and your untiring help to us as Junior Red Cross advisor and in so many other ways in and out of school, we wish to show our appreciation by dedicating our **Monad** of 1955 to you.

Queen of Hearts

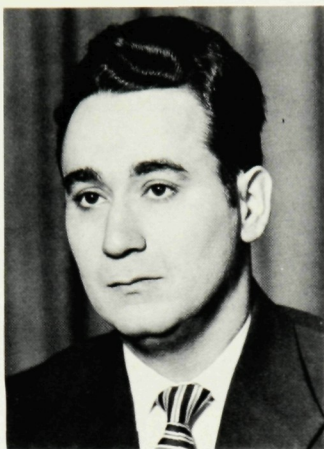


Here we see Miss Andree in one of her typing classes in Room 311.





MRS. VIOLET ROCHAU
President



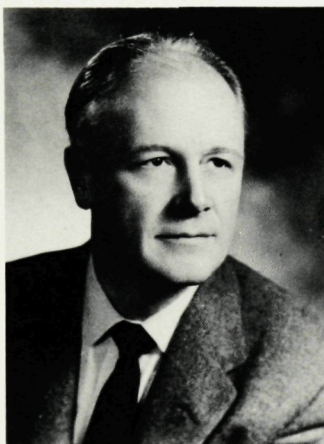
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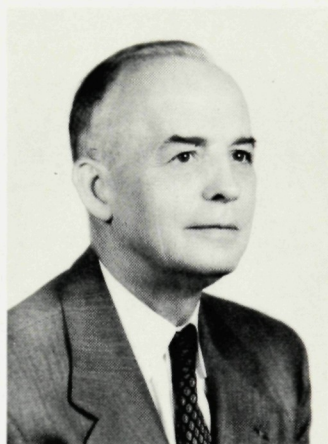
MR. EUGENE KELLY



MR. WALTER LOESNER



MR. WILLIAM A. BOYD



MR. RUEL E. DANIELS
Business Manager and District Clerk

The royal court



Our journey through Wonderland would never have been complete without the direction of Mr. Evan H. Thomas, superintendent of schools. The Class of '55 deeply appreciates the work he has done for our school. His friendly chuckle and understanding ways will linger with us for many years.



Their Majesties

DR. FRANK M. DURKEE
General Supervisor

Dr. Durkee, like the March Hare, seems to be everywhere at one time. Often we have met our general supervisor in the halls and classrooms. He may also be found in any of the nine grammar schools or at workshop gatherings. Dr. Durkee has spent many hours bringing modern educational methods to Belleville High School.



MR. HUGH D. KITTLE
Principal

Our Wonderland could not have been quite as successful without our principal, Mr. Kittle.

He has patiently guided us through our many problems. That extra, special grin of his has encouraged us in our many activities, and his leadership and patience have made our journey easier. We may not know about the big fish he caught, or the dog called Sammy, or those prize rose bushes, but we do know how enthusiastically he can back Belleville High at our games and in any condemnation of our school.

Before we leave, we, the Class of 1955, would like to say an extra special "thank you" to Mr. Kittle, who has made our high school years truly eventful.



MR. CARL HENSINGER
Vice-Principal

We have all in one way or another come in contact with Mr. Hensinger. Those of us who have been lucky enough to meet and know him in an English class have gained valuable knowledge; and those of us who have met him in Room 4—well, need we say more? Yet there are few of us who realize the long hours he spends in improving our English curriculum so that even our neighboring schools are beginning to recognize his ability as an organizer and department head.

His pleasant personality and smile have followed us down the devious paths of our Wonderland and helped us along our way. We have all appreciated his help and guidance in some way or another.



ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS

Guidance Director, Samuel Slifkin; Special Subjects, Samuel Peck; Physical Education, Herman Wische; Social Studies, Raymond Smith; Science, Nova Babb; Business Education, Charles Shultz; Mathematics, John Hefferman; Principal, Hugh D. Kittle; Language Arts and Vice-Principal, Carl Hensinger.

THE MAD HATTERS



MEDICAL STAFF

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

"Take a bone from a dog, what remains?"



GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Regina Degnin, M.A., Seton Hall University; Michael T. Rosamilia, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Raymond Smith, M.A., New York University; Gregoria M. Condon, M.Ed., Rutgers University; Samuel Slifkin, Guidance Director, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Mrs. Helena McWalters, Secretary.



BUSINESS EDUCATION

Harold Dufford, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Austin J. MacArthur, B.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Louis Zuckerman, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Charles Shultz, M.A., New York University; Anne Snedeker, M.A., New York University; Alma Gray, M.A., New York University; H. Linnea Andrée, M.A., New York University; Muriel B. Cerami, B.S., Boston University.

"I can read words of one letter."



SPECIAL SUBJECTS

P. Webster Diehl, M. Ed., Pennsylvania State University; John J. Hyde, B.S., Newark State Teachers College; Ted S. Gabry, M. Ed., Rutgers University; Sheldon Henry, M. Ed., Rutgers University; Emily Seitz, M.A., Columbia University; Samuel W. Peck, D.Ed., Columbia University; Mary T. Weber, M.A., Columbia University; Herbert Mattick, M.A., New York University, absent when picture was taken.

THE MAD HATTERS



LANGUAGES

Hector Gialanella, M.A., Seton Hall University; James Chiara, M.A., Columbia University; Mary Dye, M.A., Columbia University; Carl F. Hensinger, M.A., Lehigh University; Otis Brown, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; John Adams, M.A., New York University; Albert Kupferer, B.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Blanche McDonald, M.A., Columbia University; Seymour Grossman, M.A., Columbia University; Ethel Mulcahy, M.A., Columbia University; Gregoria M. Condon, M.Ed., Rutgers University; Myrle Allen Emick, Ph.B., University of Wisconsin; Thelma Weidman, M.A., New York University; Regina Degnin, M.A., Seton Hall University; Helen F. Hollberg, M.A., New York University; Dorothy Roche, M.A., Marywood College; Faith Willis, B.A., Chestnut Hill College.



PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Wilho Winika, M.A., New York University; Betty Forgeron, B.S., Panzer College; Herman Wische, B.S., Upsala College; Ida Thompson, B.S., Panzer College; Herman D. Knuppel, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College.



SOCIAL STUDIES

Raymond Smith, M.A., New York University; Henry L. Miller, M.A., Seton Hall University; Olga Nelson, M.A., Columbia University; Michael T. Rosamilia, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Elsie Sandford, M. Ed., Rutgers University; M. Dorothy Maffeo, M.A., New York University.

THE MAD HATTERS



MATHEMATICS

Lucille Pinelli, B.A., Montclair State Teachers College; John K. Hefferman, M.A., University of Pittsburgh; Esther Hutchinson, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Mario Di Maggio, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Christine Testa, B.A., Montclair State Teachers College.



SCIENCE

George Lees, M.A., Montclair State Teachers College; Murray Wilcox, M.A., Cornell University; Nova V. Babb, M.A., New York University; Pauline Lochner, B.A., Montclair State Teachers College; W. Ralph Correll, B.S., Roanoke College; Mary Lou Berardinelli, B.A., Montclair State Teachers College.

"What is French for Fiddle-dee-dee?"



ROBERT WESLEY SCHNEEGAS
Attendance Officer



CAFETERIA STAFF

Mrs. Alice Mayes, Dietitian; Mrs. Harriet Tunis; Mrs. Lillian Ohlsen;
Mrs. Ethel Banks; Mrs. Hannah Allen; Mrs. Hazel Copestake; Mrs.
Huberta Rowe.

"Can you answer useful questions?"

THE MAD HATTERS

BUILDING CUSTODIANS

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



OFFICE STAFF

Miss Rose Marie Gervasio, Miss Dorothy Voelter,
and Mrs. May Turner.





Seniors

Are you animal . . . vegetable . . . or mineral?"



GRACE ABBOT

11 Celia Terrace

Giggling Gracie was an excellent twirler during the last two years . . . active in Freshman and Sophomore Senates, Student Council, French Club, intramural sports, Officials' Club, Leaders' Club, **Monad Staff**, and **Spotlight** . . . member of the Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . likes to drive and to have those college weekends . . . future plans include college.

JUDITH ABROMSON

45 Lloyd Place

Judie is known for having those exciting parties . . . Youth Council's secretary and member of Junior Achievement, French Club, **Spotlight Staff**, Leaders' Club and intramural sports' group . . . her pastimes include gossiping, cruising around, and writing letters . . . pet peeve is fattening foods . . . future sees Judie at college.

HARRIET CLARE ACKERMAN

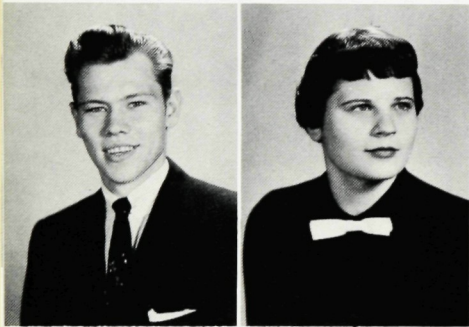
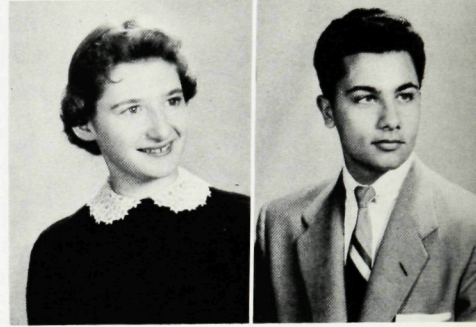
43 Lloyd Place

Brains plus, that's "Hack" . . . member of French Club, **Spotlight Staff**, National Honor Society, Student Council, and Assembly Committee . . . active in Youth Council and Junior Achievement . . . knitting, reading, taking long rides, and writing letters are "Hack's" pastimes . . . her pet peeve is hypocrites . . . future includes college where she will major in sociology.

CYRUS J. AMATO

4 Arthur Street

"Cy" is that likeable fellow from Room 302 . . . his favorite pastime is the playing of his guitar . . . pet peeve is teachers who expect him to know everything before he gets into their classes . . . plans to attend college after graduation.



ALLAN V. ANDERSON

33 Berkeley Avenue

"Al" is that likeable Swede from 302 who is seen with Walt at Marten's . . . Past Master Councilor of Friendship Chapter of the Order of De Molay in Bloomfield . . . attended W. F. Conferences at Blair Academy . . . favorite pastimes are swimming and bowling . . . has plans for college.

EMILIA ANGELINI

173 Smallwood Avenue

Big-eyed Amy from 302 has been president of the Italian Club for three years . . . interests lie in dancing, sleigh-riding, swimming, and being in Mr. Di Maggio's classes . . . plans to work, eventually get married, and raise a large family.

MARIA M. ANGELINI

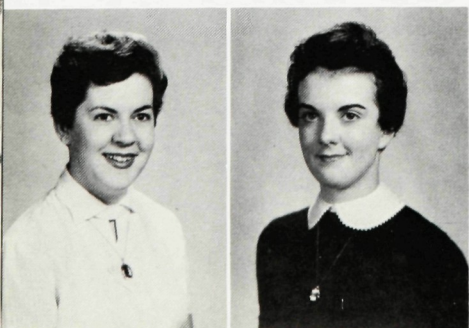
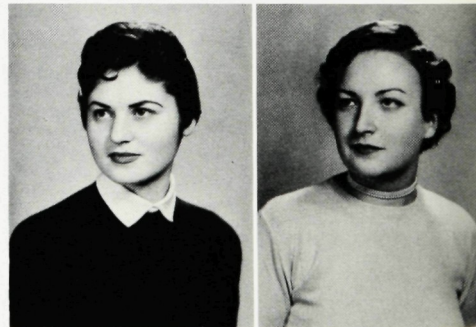
173 Smallwood Avenue

Marie was a member of the Dancing Club and Homeroom 302 . . . she is an avid Giant fan . . . likes Eddie Fisher's recordings and pretty clothes . . . after graduation her plans are to work in a certain dress shop until a special guy "pops" the question.

NANCY E. ARTHUR

11 Smallwood Avenue

Nancy is the smiling girl from Room 302 . . . active in Montgomery Presbyterian Fellowship, Sunday school, Choir, and Blair Summer Conferences . . . likes bowling, swimming, fishing, reading, and spending weekends in Netcong . . . is a member of the Charm Club and participates in intramural sports . . . future includes office work and marriage.



VIRGINIA R. BANGEMAN

55 Tiona Avenue

Ginny was a member of the Charm Club, Junior Red Cross, and girls' intramural sports . . . enjoys jam sessions, drive-ins with a certain someone, Caroline, and Johnny . . . likes bowling, skating, dancing, and hearing cowboy and mambo records . . . dreads waiting for telephone calls . . . plans to work at Bell Telephone Company, then marriage.

GLORIA BARNETT

29 Montgomery Place

"Glor," noted for her big blue eyes and long lashes, is that cute twirler from 302 . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . likes listening to Tony Bennett and going to P. J. parties . . . dislikes conceited girls . . . usually seen with "Vinnie" . . . future plans include marriage but first secretarial work.

ROBERT L. BARTLETT

694 Joralemon Street

Bob, who is known to us all, makes up the other half of the Bartlett set . . . was manager of the Varsity Crew . . . in his sophomore year, he was active on the senate . . . outside interests include De Molay, bowling, and girls from Nutley . . . future plans include college.

MICHAEL V. BENECHCHI

60 Smith Street

Mike is always ready for anything . . . played B. H. S. soccer for two years, J. V. baseball as a sophomore, and collected points for the Bowling Team . . . active in C.Y.O. . . likes swimming and fishing . . . will remember Dr. Peck's first-period choir . . . future plans include carpentry or cabinet making.

**RONALD BENEDETTI**

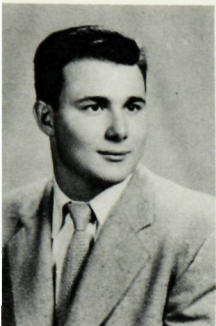
260 Forest Street

Personable and well-liked "Bennie" . . . likes Fords and a certain senior girl but dislikes all types of homework . . . enjoys working on cars . . . was a Student Council representative as a freshman . . . played football . . . future is undecided.

BARBARA BENNETT

280 De Witt Avenue

"Barb" was our volleyball manager and was very active in girls' basketball . . . swimming, playing softball, going to the movies, eating pizza pies, and admiring crew cuts rate high with "Barb" . . . likes the navy, and oh, those "nice freshmen" . . . her future may include secretarial work.

**RONALD BERGAMINI**

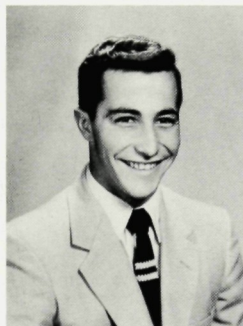
42 Columbus Avenue

"Berg" is that friendly guy from 302 . . . frosh, J.V., and varsity football and basketball player . . . intramural sports, Bowling Club, and an athletic club . . . likes sports, popular music and telling jokes to Kay and Grace in homeroom . . . quiet study halls are his pet peeve . . . future—construction business.

CAROL IRENE BOLDT

42 Hornblower Avenue

"Stretch" is a girl with unusual ideas . . . member of D. R. Y. O. . . performed in Talent Show as well as on a volleyball team . . . likes animals, ice skating, and the piano but doesn't enjoy her nickname . . . exciting life plans start with a cruise to India and wind up in the Canadian Northwest.

**KATHLEEN ALICE BOTSFORD**

53 Fairview Place

"Make mine music" should be Kathy's motto . . . school organist for two years, accompanist for Choir and Baker's Dozen, and also a member of the Monad Staff . . . active in Rainbow girls and Montgomery Presbyterian Church and Young People's . . . enjoys going to Blair conferences, bowling, and hiking . . . wants to be a traveling comptometer operator.

LORRAINE BOTTI

100 Chestnut Street

"Lorrie" is that attractive brunette from 302 . . . participated in the Dramatic Club, Glee Club, and the Service Club . . . has been a member of C.Y.O. . . enjoys riding around with the girls and that certain someone . . . likes eating pizza pies and dancing . . . "Lorrie" plans a career as a dancing teacher.

**HELEN C. BOYD**

16 Essex Street

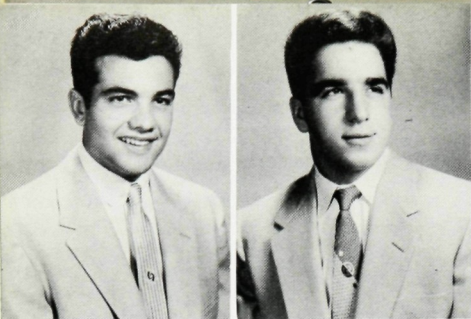
Helen is that vivacious girl from 302 who is an active member of the Student Council and the Spotlight Staff . . . worthy advisor of Rainbow Girls . . . attends Civil Air Patrol meetings . . . likes driving the Nash, dancing, and swimming . . . future plans are undecided.

JAMES BRADY

25 Linden Avenue

Our "Diamond Jim" played freshman basketball and J.V. baseball . . . interested in cars and all sports . . . enjoys Miss Andree's homeroom and all of Mr. Adams' classes . . . pet peeve is working in study halls when he would rather spend the time sleeping . . . future undecided.





ARTHUR BRIZZI

70 Cedar Hill Avenue

Art has an easy manner, good looks, and a wonderful personality . . . member of Bowling Team and after-school basketball . . . pet peeve is receiving so many of those late slips . . . enjoys the long summer vacations and girls . . . Art's future plans are undecided.

JOHN P. BUCCIARELLI

64 Columbus Avenue

Likeable "Butch" . . . played J.V. and varsity football . . . Bowling Team and Crew during sophomore year . . . likes include talking in home-room to annoy Miss Sandford, swimming with the gang, and being with his junior homeroom teacher . . . pet peeve is pushing the car to school . . . hopes to attend college.

ALAN BUDD

29 Clinton Street

Quiet and friendly, Al is an active member of St. Peter's C.Y.O. and played basketball in that organization . . . main interests are swimming and fishing . . . likes sports . . . pet peeve is report card day . . . plans to attend college after graduation from Belleville High School.

PEGGY BURKE

617 Washington Avenue

Peg's that cute twirler from 302 . . . was an active member of the Junior and Senior Senates and secretary of Leaders' Club . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . main interest is Mr. Mac's fourth period economic geography class . . . pet peeve is not being able to "touch" Joe's car . . . future includes secretarial work, then marriage.



JOAN CALDWELL

152 Mill Street

Joan has that friendly look of a real American girl . . . activities include Monad Staff, Future Nurses Club, Spanish Club, and after-school volleyball and basketball . . . active in Saint Peter's C.Y.O. . . . enjoys tennis, art, "rug-cutting," and Jeff Chandler movies . . . will remember Mr. Soldavini's algebra class and Friday nights . . . will make a wonderful lady in white.

ANTHONY CALEDA

219 Garden Avenue

Tony is that fun-loving fellow who hails from Homeroom 302 . . . likes driving a car in after-school hours and seeing a certain girl . . . swimming and fishing rank high in his opinion . . . future is undecided, but we know he'll go far in any job he undertakes.



BEVERLY CAMPBELL

55 Van Houten Place

Three years on the twirling squad and now our lovely majorette . . . "Bev" has been a member of the Student Council Executive Committee for three years . . . secretary of Student Council in junior year . . . Leaders' Club; intramural sports; and manager of intramural basketball, junior year . . . likes vacations and letters from Florida . . . future plans include work or college.

ROSE MARIE CANDILORO

181 Adelaide Street

Our cheerful "Ro-Ro" is a member of F.T.A. and the French Club . . . participated in girls' basketball and volleyball . . . very active in St. Peter's C.Y.O. and J.A. . . . this girl, with the winning smile for everyone, is sure to succeed in the future . . . hopes to attend college and then teach after graduation.



THERESA CAPALDO

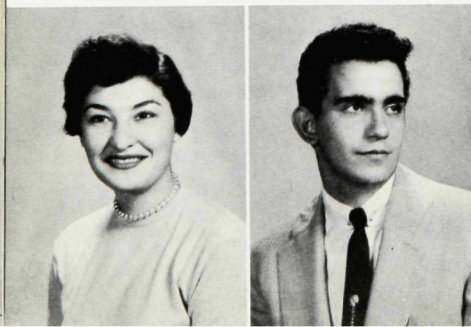
189 Heckel Street

"Terri" was president of one of the Charm Clubs . . . member of St. Anthony's C.Y.O. . . . likes eating Italian food, swimming, skating, dancing, riding with the crowd, and listening to Perry Como . . . pet peeve is waiting for Loretta and being stared at . . . undecided about plans after graduations.

MICHAEL CAPOZZI

45 Heckel Street

Easy-going Mike is everybody's friend . . . played two years of football . . . member of Freshman Senate . . . active in the Drama Club . . . attends all B. H. S.'s activities . . . strongly attracted to the opposite sex . . . best known for talking his way out of anything . . . future plans uncertain.

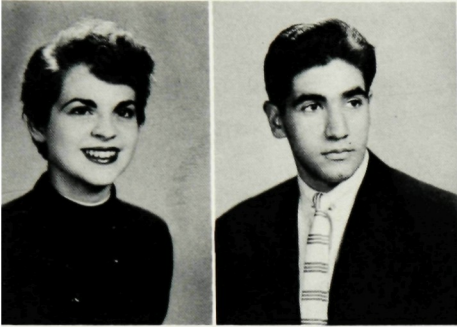
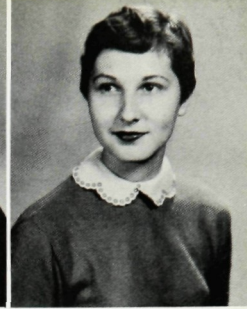


MARY-ANN CARLUCCI**262 North Belmont Avenue**

Mary hails from Silver Lake . . . likes dancing, wearing big earrings, roller skating, and bowling . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball and active in the Talent Show . . . member of St. Anthony's C.Y.O. . . . her future plans include beauty culture school where she is sure to be a success.

KAY ANN CARROLL**612 Washington Avenue**

Kay, known to her friends as "the absent-minded professor," is that attractive twirler from 302 . . . a member of Junior Red Cross, Officials' Club, and Leaders' Club . . . likes spending her time eating pizza and going to P. J. parties . . . being referred to as "Kay Annie" rates high among her pet peeves . . . plans to be a secretary.

**PAULA CARUSO****468 Washington Avenue**

A really great pal with a pleasing personality sums up Paula . . . spends most of her time on the telephone . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . likes Mr. Mac's economic geography class and P. J. parties . . . thinks her summers in California are fabulous . . . hopes to be a beautician.

THOMAS CARUSO**78 Belmont Avenue**

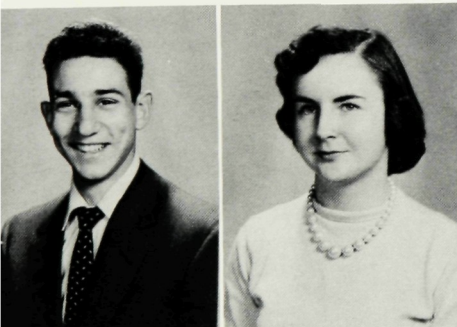
Tom is that tall six-footer from 302 who likes those wild parties . . . can always be seen driving his '52 Olds or working in a nearby drug store . . . active in after-school basketball . . . member of National Guard . . . belongs to several clubs and likes all sports . . . future plans uncertain.

RUTH M. CASSIDY**282 Cortlandt Street**

Friendly Ruthie was secretary of the Freshman Senate and has participated in intramural basketball . . . likes outdoor sports, especially water skiing and swimming . . . enjoys summers in Sussex . . . interested in Frankie Lane and Marlon Brando . . . likes Italian food . . . after high school, plans to work and to get married.

JEAN A. CHOWN**539 Joralemon Street**

Jeannie is the friendly girl seen every day in the library . . . active in Red Cross, Future Nurses and Debating Club . . . attends Montgomery Young People's and teaches Sunday school . . . likes being with people, bowling, and hiking . . . in years to come, Jean will be seen working in a hospital . . . we know she will make a good nurse.

**STEPHEN GORDON COHEN****11 Tremont Avenue**

Steve was a member of Track, Cross Country and Tennis Teams . . . participated on the Senior Senate and Spotlight Staff . . . works in Bayonne and often goes to "Stash's" crazy parties . . . enjoys swimming, running, and dating . . . likes watching all sports, dancing, and not going to school . . . future includes medical school.

DOLORES CONDON**129 Cedar Hill Avenue**

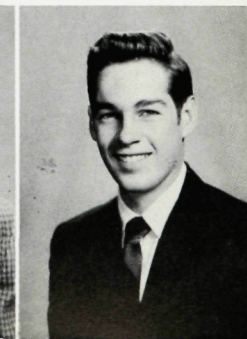
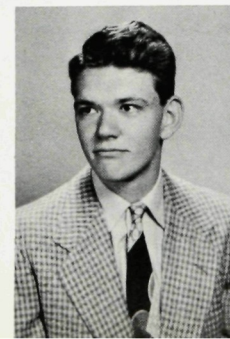
Attractive "Dee" is a member of the Charm Club and St. Peter's C.Y.O. . . . worked in the high school office for two years . . . is an Eddie Fisher fan . . . enjoys swimming and picnicking with the gang . . . likes french fries and pizza pies . . . wedding bells are ringing in Dolores' not too remote future.

MALCOLM CONDON**120 Rutgers Street**

Good-looking Malcolm is a Track and Cross Country star . . . active on Spotlight . . . participates in C.Y.O., baseball and basketball . . . Malcolm's main interests are in bowling, fishing, and driving cars . . . pet peeve is office detention . . . likes vacation and money, money, money . . . plans to attend college after Belleville High.

JOHN F. CONNOLLY**128 Carpenter Street**

Jack has been a member of the Crew for four years . . . active in the Camera Club, in C.Y.O., and Belleville Junior Rifle Club . . . enjoys snow skiing, water skiing, swimming, horseback riding, and driving cars . . . pet peeve is being called John . . . plans to go to the University of Pennsylvania.





RALPH M. CONTE

67 Watessing Avenue

Our friendly Ralph plays that guitar of his in his own dance band . . . his group is often heard in assemblies or at school dances . . . a member of the Student Council . . . quarterback on the high school team . . . attends C.Y.O. where he plays baseball . . . likes art . . . future includes college

FRANK J. COOK

55 Baldwin Place

Frank is the strong, silent type . . . played a year of J. V. and freshman football . . . works in the hardware store after school . . . enjoys listening to cowboy recordings and following all athletics . . . pet peeve is that daily chore called school . . . future undecided as yet.

ANGELINA ANN COPPOLA

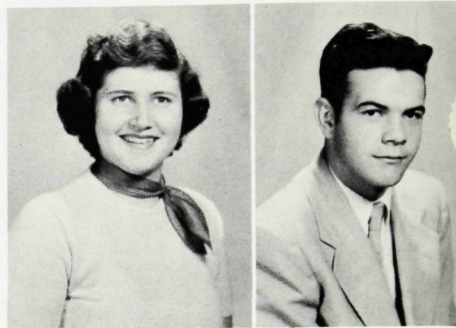
293 Stephens Street

Talented Angie is an enthusiastic pianist . . . played for the Christmas concert and in the Griffith Building . . . active as office and library assistant, as **Monad** salesgirl, and in Italian Club . . . likes swimming and fishing . . . intends to become a clerk-typist and a piano teacher.

JOHN JOSEPH COPPOLA

206 Belleville Avenue

Johnny is that good-looking boy from 302 . . . has been a member of the Bowling Club for three years . . . favorite pastime is working on old cars . . . bowling and football are his favorite sports . . . a job in some phase of the business world is his future plan.



JEAN A. CORBETT

47 Adelaide Street

Jean is that cute blonde with a vivacious personality and a winning smile . . . member of the **Monad** Staff, chairman of the Handbook Committee, and member of girls' basketball and volleyball teams . . . very active in C.Y.O. and Junior Achievement . . . very interested in "green eyes" . . . abhors her many nicknames . . . college is in her future.

PETER A. COSTA

235 William Street

Fun-loving and full of pranks, that is Pete . . . member of the Band for three years and also was a member of the Soccer Team . . . enjoys playing and watching games of all kinds, singing, and seeing a girl from Jersey City . . . future includes college.

CONCHETTA COSTANZO

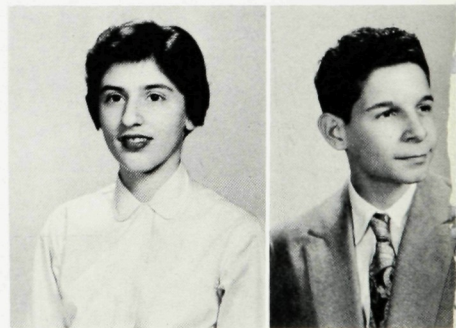
210 Heckel Street

Happy-go-lucky and always smiling is "Peanuts" . . . was Leaders' Club member, **Monad** salesgirl, and participated in intramural sports . . . interests include movies, talking, playing sports, and singing during homeroom period . . . dislikes homework of any kind . . . future will find Connie doing secretarial work.

VINCENT COZZARELLI

341 Washington Avenue

"Vin" was active in the Junior Red Cross for two years . . . belonged to Audio-Visual Aids Club . . . active in the Boy Scouts of America . . . likes watching all sports and playing football . . . future includes the study of medicine at some college.



FRANK CZASZAR

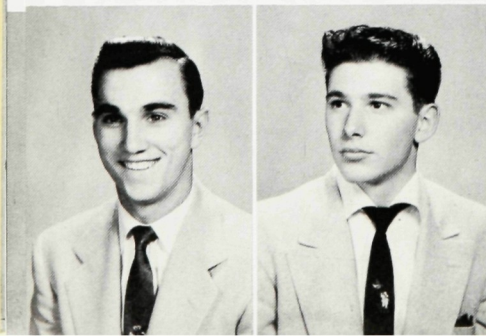
19 Essex Street

Frank is a sports-minded fellow . . . played on the Tennis Team and J.V. basketball squad . . . co-captain of the Soccer Team and made the second all-state team . . . vice-president of freshman class . . . enjoys all kinds of sports . . . interested in a certain senior girl . . . dislikes those women drivers . . . future plans include college to study engineering.

MICHAEL VINCENT DAL BON

79 De Witt Avenue

Tall, good-looking Mike is a member of Student Council, Debating Club, and Track Team . . . Mike also played freshman basketball, J.V. and varsity football . . . belongs to C.Y.O. . . . enjoys hunting and driving that '53 Mercury . . . future plans after graduation include further schooling or Uncle Sam.



SARAH ANNE DANIELS

59 Prospect Street

Sue is that likeable cheerleader with a contagious laugh . . . was a member of the Student Council and vice-president of the sophomore class . . . a member of the Assembly Committee . . . belongs to the Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . enjoys swimming and weekends at Lake Mohawk with Nancy . . . future plans include Mary Washington College.

**PAULA D'AVANZO**

131 Linden Avenue

Paula is that cute gal with personality plus . . . likes listening to the Crew-Cuts, writing letters, eating pizza, and going riding with the girls . . . active in intramural sports . . . a **Monad** salesgirl . . . enjoys swimming and having vacations . . . future plans include office work.

**BEVERLY DE BENEDETTO**

167 Brighton Avenue

Amiable "Bev" hopes in the future to be a nurse . . . likes to bowl and drive . . . a favorite pastime is listening to Eddie Fisher's records . . . interested in homeroom and in hearing "Debbie's" problems . . . belongs to Methodist Youth Fellowship and church choir . . . thinks Miss Mulcahy's Latin IV class is crazy . . . nursing school is next.

DEBORAH DELANEY

180 Tappan Avenue

Full of fun is the best way to describe "Debbie" . . . took part in girls' basketball and volleyball . . . her main interest is going to basketball games . . . spends her homeroom periods listening to "Bev's" problems . . . likes summers at Paulinskill Lake . . . looks forward to Berkeley Secretarial School.

CARMELA DELLA VALLE

132 Greylock Avenue

"Carm" enjoys skating, dancing, talking on the phone, and listening to Glen Miller's records . . . member of C.Y.O. and intramural sports . . . tells her friends how to get in and out of trouble . . . dislikes Marge talking about a certain boy . . . future includes beauty culture school.

JEAN DEMARK

75 Little Street

Jean is a tall, attractive blonde with a flair for art . . . won a regional Scholastic Art Award . . . participated on the **Monad** Staff and in girls sports . . . member of Rainbow Girls and Montgomery Young People's . . . enjoys painting, sewing, and dancing . . . pet peeve is the Dior look . . . plans to enter college and study art or teaching.

**JOSEPH DENTE**

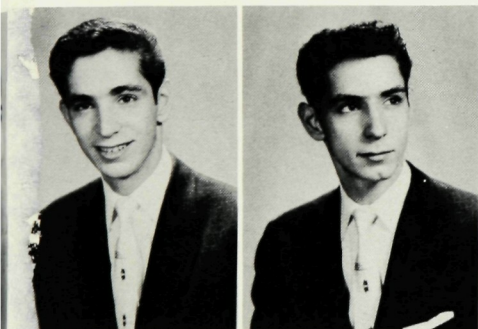
76 Preston Street

"Dent" is our Student Council president . . . his accomplishments include president of freshman and sophomore classes, vice-president of the Student Council, and varsity basketball manager . . . sports, Joni James, and Jack's Corner are among his interests . . . future includes college and later armed service.

VINCENT DENTE

76 Preston Street

The other half of a twin combination is "Vin" . . . member of Junior Senate, Executive Committee of the Student Council, and President's Cabinet . . . "Vin" is also a member of C.Y.O. . . . interests include Gloria, Jack's Corner, and Joni James' recordings . . . plans to become an electrical engineer.

**FRANK DERBYSHIRE**

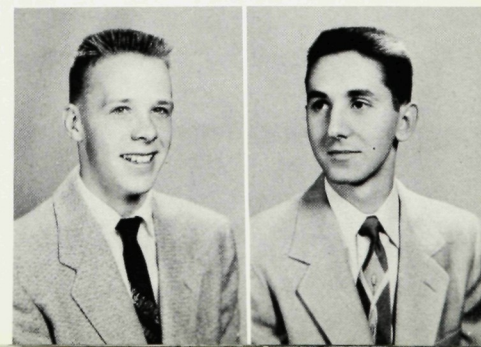
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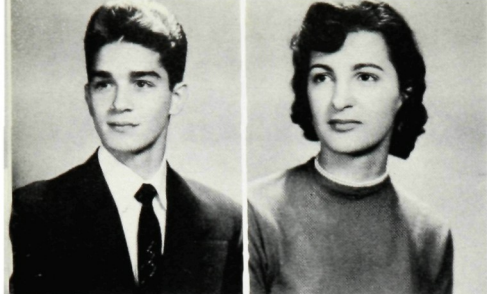
Good-natured "Derby" is active in C.Y.O. and interested in judo . . . pastime is "doing anything" . . . likes dogs of all types . . . pet peeves are school, homework, and report card days . . . Frank plans to be a line-man for the telephone company after graduation.

STANLEY DE TROLIO

366 Belleville Avenue

"Stash" is the famous driver from 303 . . . was a member of the baseball team sophomore year and also the Skillet Club . . . likes baseball and cars . . . well known for his sporty yellow convertible . . . Uncle Sam's Air Force is in his crystal ball for the future.





RICHARD DE VONA

13 Naples Avenue

Richie is known for his musical talents . . . a member of a dance band . . . likes music and art . . . pet peeves are fixing old and worn Buicks and the planning and carrying out of the magazine campaign. . . plans include college, the armed service, and music.

MARY DI BENEDETTO

14 Frederick Street

"Smokey" is our cute senior from Silver Lake . . . likes dancing, roller skating, and going to motion pictures . . . enjoys eating sundaes and ravioli, listening to cowboy music, and driving "Lefty's" Cadillac . . . pet peeve is Bermuda shorts . . . an office job awaits Mary after graduation.

ANGELA DI RUGGIERO

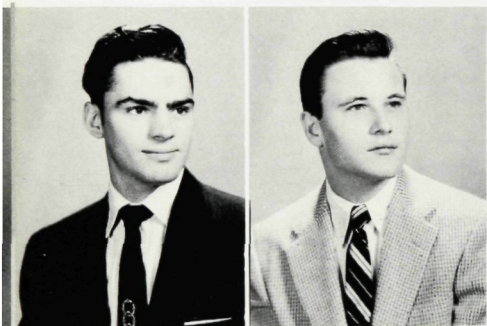
324 Joralemon Street

Quiet Angie always has a friendly word for everyone . . . has been a twirler for two years . . . takes part in basketball and volleyball and is a member of the Leaders' Club . . . a **Monad** salesgirl . . . has a talent for making her own clothes . . . main interest centers around Frank . . . intends to become a secretary.

THOMAS M. DOLAN

673 Belleville Avenue

Tommy is that good-looking, redhead from 303 . . . played varsity and J.V. football . . . member of the Crew . . . on Student Council and Student Council Executive Committee . . . vice-president of the senior class . . . other interests include playing basketball, driving to Bertlin's, and dating . . . pet peeve, Coach Wische . . . future includes college.



ROBERT DRAKE

251 De Witt Avenue

Bob is an avid music lover . . . he was a member of the All-State Band and our own Band and Dance Band . . . he was active in the Junior Red Cross and Junior Achievement . . . art and sports are also among Bob's interests . . . his future plans include college.

LAWRENCE DUCLAUX

254 Joralemon Street

Larry is that good-natured fellow who was active in the Freshman Crew and football teams . . . likes playing football and baseball, swimming, and hunting . . . seen at Budd's with the boys . . . pet peeve is listening to long lectures by teachers . . . future includes service and college.

ARLENE DUNN

28 Moore Place

Pretty blue-eyed Arlene was a **Monad** salesgirl when a senior, library assistant, and guidance office worker . . . likes roller skating at the Twin City Arena whenever she can get there . . . pet peeve is Marlon Brando . . . she will make some lucky boss a fine secretary.

FRANK DURKEE

45 Van Houten Place

Frank is that quiet guy from 302 . . . member of the Physics Club, Junior Varsity Basketball Team, Junior Red Cross, and Track Team . . . likes driving the "Bug", his purple puddle-jumper . . . pet peeve—Brooklyn Dodgers . . . future plans include the army and then college.



ANNA MARGARET EDWARDS

136 Stephen Street

Ann is a girl with a friendly personality . . . member of the Band and the Band Advisory Council . . . really plays that clarinet . . . active in after-school sports and is a Senior Girl Scout . . . pet peeve, being mistaken for a freshman . . . after B. H. S., the nursing profession.

ARTHUR EDWARDS

297 Stephen Street

An interested member of the Junior Red Cross . . . Art also is interested in audio-visual aids work . . . his weakness is eating banana splits after school . . . hopes to live out in Colorado or Wyoming if the U.S. Naval Reserve does not get him first.

JANE MARIE ENCKE

116 Continental Avenue

Pretty and sweet, that's Janie . . . active in Leaders' Club, Officials' Club, intramural sports, French Club, magazine campaign, and concession at football games . . . former treasurer of Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . St. Peter's C.Y.O. . . . likes reading with the girls and that '40 Ford . . . future includes college.

LENORA ARDELL FERGUSON

7 Terrace Place

Cute "Le" from 303 has been active in the French Club and talent shows . . . likes to dance, play the piano, and go horseback riding . . . enjoys hearing Sammy Davis, Jr., singing and talking French with Helen . . . plans to be a telephone operator and hopes to tour Europe.

**GAIL FOBERT**

406 De Witt Avenue

Gail is that pert and peppy cheerleader who's full of fun . . . her accomplishments include intramural sports, Student Council, Sophomore and Senior Senates, and **Monad** salesgirl . . . member of Rainbow Girls . . . driving, swimming, spending summer at Lavalette, and talking to Angie in homeroom are among her interests . . . future—college and merchandising.

CONNIE FRANCONERO

182 Forest Street

Talented Connie hailed from Arts High in her junior year . . . active in Baker's Dozen and **Spotlight** . . . has taken social and modern dancing lessons . . . likes singing, dancing, playing the accordion, composing music, roller skating, and being on TV programs Saturdays . . . dislikes calories . . . future includes studying script-writing and television.

MARY TERESA FREDERICK

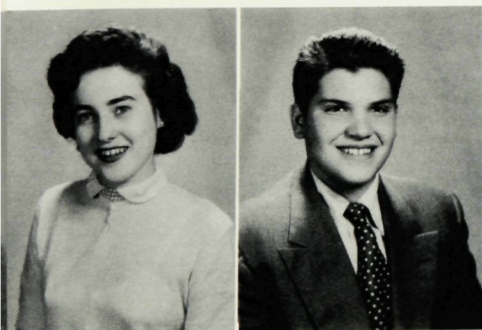
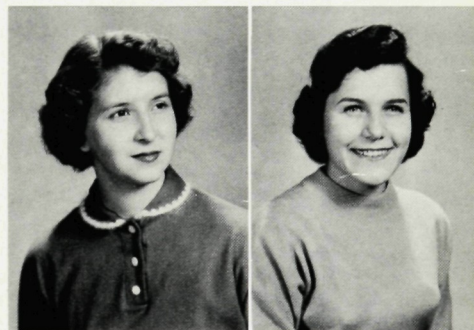
169 De Witt Avenue

Cute, full of fun, and dependable—that is Mary . . . she is a member of the **Monad** Staff and sells football programs in the fall . . . active in the Skillet Club . . . enjoys all sports, especially sailing . . . Cape Cod is the "greatest" . . . the business world will probably be her next stop.

ANGELA FUSARO

24 Greylock Avenue

"Little Ange," the hit of any party, was a member of Leaders' Club, Junior Senate, Student Council, Twirling Squad, National Honor Society and **Monad** Staff . . . it's a wonder she has time to flirt . . . likes everything because she hasn't got time to dislike anything . . . future plans include college.

**MARY GALANOT**

257 Valley Street

Quiet Mary enjoys skating, collecting records, listening to cowboy songs and dating boys . . . has played intramural basketball and volleyball . . . member of C.Y.O. . . . dislikes long television commercials and conceited boys . . . plans to attend advertising school and eventually marry.

SHERMAN GALLAY

60 Perry Street

"Sherm" is that bushy-haired fellow with a quiet manner . . . participated on the Crew for two years . . . a member of the "Y" . . . likes all sports, especially motor boating . . . found spending summers at Lake Hopatcong . . . plans to attend college.

EMILY KATHLEEN GARNER

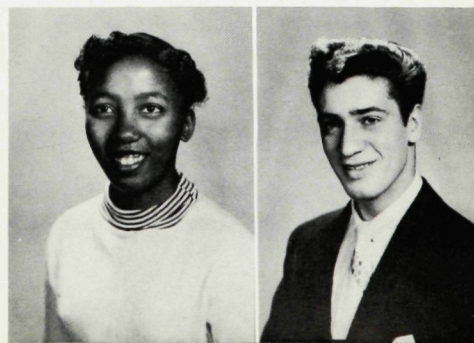
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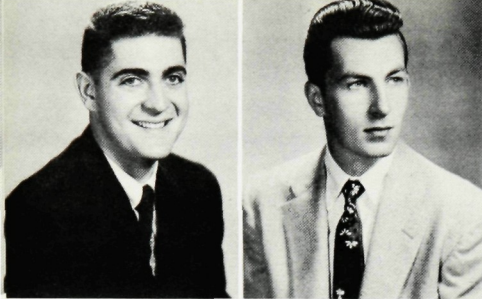
This cute little miss is sometimes called "Emily Post" . . . she has been in the Band and enjoys listening to rhythm and blues . . . she likes eating and talking to Arlene but does not like being called "a pain" . . . would like to be a musician.

FELIX M. GARRUTO

19 King Street

Fun-loving Felix has played some football and basketball and was a freshman Student Council and General Assembly representative . . . enjoys skating, going to North Arlington, and driving when he gets the car . . . dislikes record cards . . . hopes to attend college.





ARNOLD GARSON

304 Greylock Parkway

"Arnie" is that jovial fellow who has been on Student Council, Junior Senate, **Spotlight**, and the **Monad** . . . a member of the B. H. S. Crew and Band . . . participates in intramural and recreation basketball . . . enjoys Stan's parties . . . spends summers at Bradley Beach . . . future plans include college, then pharmacy.

DONALD GARTLAN

170 Delevan Avenue

Don was a member of the Cross Country Team . . . likes all sports and especially good-looking girls . . . found loafing at the W. and W. Sweet Shop after school . . . pet peeve is going to his history class . . . future plans most likely include Uncle Sam, then maybe college.

MARY GRACE GELUSO

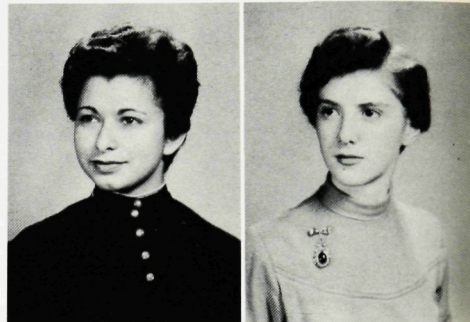
171 Franklin Street

This attractive miss hails from 303 . . . **Monad** salesgirl, **Spotlight** typist and guidance office helper . . . member of C.Y.O. and a dance club . . . likes watching baseball games, listening to Kay Starr, and having double dates . . . particular interests are ice skating and horseback riding . . . future, medical secretary.

ARLENE GENERAZIO

617 Belleville Avenue

Friendly and smiling "Red" . . . noted for her activeness . . . member of the Assembly Committee and Leaders' Club . . . treasurer of the Student Council and captain of intramural sports . . . writes a column for the **Belleville Times** . . . enjoys dancing to the music of Glen Miller . . . hates not being able to drive the family car . . . future—an elementary teacher.



LILLIAN GETTLER

35 Perry Street

'Personality plus describes our Lil . . . was on the **Spotlight** Staff and played basketball and volleyball . . . she belongs to the Dramatic Club, the Methodist Youth Fellowship and was in the Band . . . Lil likes watching basketball and riding with a certain guy in his green car . . . her future includes secretarial work.

LORETTA GIANGRASSO

149 Passaic Avenue

An Eddie Fisher admirer is attractive Lee . . . member of the Art Club . . . likes to eat, especially tomato pie and ice cream . . . enjoys driving with the girls, dancing, bowling, and playing tennis . . . dislikes people who stare . . . future is undecided.

CAROLYN GIBBONS

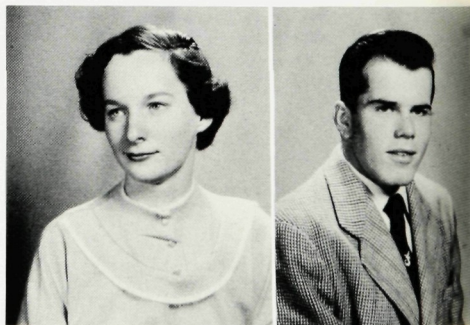
61 Carmer Avenue

"Gibb" is an active girl who enjoys bowling and playing tennis . . . participated in girls' intramural basketball and volleyball, Red Cross, and F.N.A. . . . favorite pastimes—watching Notre Dame football games and listening to Emilia's crazy jokes . . . future plans include nursing school.

GERALD FRANCIS GILROY

108 William Street

Jerry is that pleasant boy from 304 . . . member of J.V. Crew, International Relations Club, and C.Y.O. . . . likes golf and basketball . . . getting up for school on Mondays has been his pet peeve . . . in his future is the armed service.



MARY LOUISE GILROY

108 William Street

Mary's that petite gal from 203 . . . member of Twirling Squad two years, participant in intramural sports, and member of Dramatic Club . . . enjoys playing sports, going to the movies with a certain someone, and eating Italian food . . . dislikes staying home at nights and playing cards . . . plans to be a secretary.

MARY CATHERINE GINTELLA

49 Lake Street

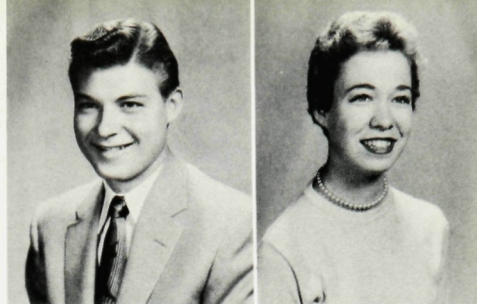
Pretty Mary is a member of the F.T.A. and has played girls' basketball . . . a member of C.Y.O. and sings in her church choir . . . interested in painting . . . likes listening to records and eating pizza . . . dislikes homework and conceited people . . . after Belleville High, Mary plans to attend college.

GARY A. GLASS**30 Mt. Prospect Avenue**

Gary is the handsome crooner from 304 . . . sang in all the talent shows . . . active in Student Council and Red Cross . . . member of the Play-Writing Committee . . . member of Saint Peter's C.Y.O. . . . participated in the school plays . . . future includes a singing career.

ANITA LOUISE GODFREY**269 Hornblower Avenue**

"Nita" can always be heard quoting lines from Jackie Gleason's latest TV broadcast . . . she's been on the Twirling Squad for two years and has played basketball and volleyball . . . was a member of the Charm Club and belongs to the Catholic Youth Organization . . . plans to become a private secretary.

**JOAN GODLESKI****32 Tremont Avenue**

Our cute "Joanie G" is a member of the Future Teachers of America . . . active in after-school sports and in C.Y.O. . . . likes driving in that old Packard and playing the piano. . . enjoys Eddie Fisher records . . . pet peeves—crinolines that won't stay up . . . teachers' college is ahead.

ROBERT GODLESKI**41 Hornblower Avenue**

Seen working the P.A. system each morning is happy-go-lucky Bob . . . member of Visual Aids Band, and Belleville Rifle Club . . . enjoys "Larken Barkin'", target shooting, and driving his car . . . hopes to see Navy beat Army . . . dislikes writing "billy dos" to Mrs. Emick . . . future undecided.

**ANN MARIE GOI****80 Little Street**

Ann is a very serious-minded girl but don't overlook that mischievous twinkle in her eyes . . . a member of F.T.A., Red Cross, **Spotlight**, office staff, Freshman Senate, intramural sports, and **Monad** . . . likes include blue eyes and a good laugh . . . dislikes driving . . . future plans include college.

MANUEL GONZALEZ**8 Carpenter Terrace**

"Mickey" is the guy with many interests . . . manager of the Freshman Football Team in '51 . . . Science, Chess, and Physics Clubs . . . likes Italian food, smart clothes, girls, and sports cars . . . pet peeve—silly cheers by "swell" cheerleaders . . . will specialize in some type of technology.

**DOLORES GRANESE****109 Newark Avenue**

"Dee" is that dark-haired girl from 304 . . . enjoys a good laugh . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . enjoys being with the girls; dislikes the nickname of "Greece" . . . after graduation "Dee" will attend a comptometer school.

ROBERT GREENE**64 Mt. Prospect Avenue**

Popular and serious-minded is Bart . . . was active in Crew, Cross Country, and the Physics Club . . . interested in photography, archery, and model building . . . finds it difficult to keep enough gas in his car . . . likes Mr. Kupferer and a certain junior . . . engineering is high-lighted in his future.

TANYA GREULICH**311 Stephens Street**

Tanya is our vivacious cheerleading captain with personality plus . . . member of Student Council, Leaders' Club, **Monad** Staff, Officials' Club, Charm Club, and is in girls' intramural sports . . . Tanya has been president of junior and senior classes . . . interests include all sports . . . future plans include college.

DONALD GREWCOCK**56 De Witt Avenue**

Always smiling, Don is a faithful follower of the "great American pastime," especially the Giants . . . known as "Tex" or "Red" . . . was baseball manager for two years . . . spends his spare time with the boys at Katz's . . . likes country and Western music . . . future will be all tied up with baseball in some way.





JEANNE T. GUALTIERI

32 Charles Street

Jeanne is that gay miss who was in the Charm Club . . . belongs to a music club outside of school and plays the piano . . . likes driving, Marlon Brando, and Jackie Gleason . . . mambo records and letter writing rate high with her . . . plans to be a private secretary.

HOWARD HARDWICK

68 Salter Place

Our good-looking "Howie" was active in Crew for four years . . . Senior Senate, Handbook Committee, and president of last year's Mathematics Club . . . interested in hot-rods, books, sports, and dancing . . . dislikes girls who talk too much or not enough . . . future—college or the armed forces.

EDWARD D. HASSAN

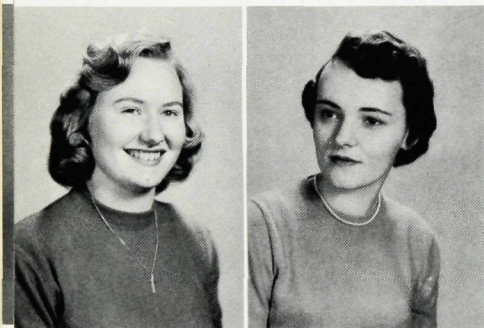
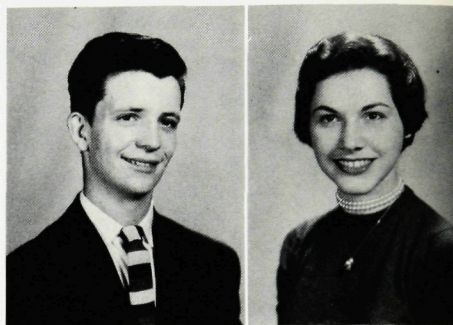
237 William Street

Ed is a member of the Stamp Club and Drivers' Club in school . . . belongs to Y.M.C.A., Rifle Club, and Air National Guard . . . likes fishing and hunting . . . spends spare time with cars . . . goes for Dixieland jive . . . pet peeve is women drivers . . . future includes air force and college.

JOANNE C. HASTER

90 Melwex Street

"Jo" is our vivacious co-captain of the Twirling Squad . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . a member of Student Council . . . enjoys going to parties at Glen Wild Lake and being with Bob . . . dislikes kids who insist on throwing things at twirlers . . . is going to make a competent secretary.



BARBARA JEAN HEALY

48 Columbus Avenue

"Barb" always has a good word for everyone . . . was in the Bowling and Charm Clubs and played basketball and volleyball . . . belongs to the Methodist Youth Fellowship and the Girl Scouts . . . Italian food, Frankie Lane's records and Jimmie are tops with "Barb" . . . plans to work for awhile and then make a certain guy happy.

ELIZABETH JANE HENRY

40 De Witt Avenue

Liz is that gal from 304 with a friendly smile and a good word for everyone . . . was active in the Future Nurses, Bowling and Charm Clubs . . . president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and a member of the Rainbow Girls . . . likes roller skating and visiting the Malone Shoppe with "Candy" . . . future includes nursing.

MICHAEL JAMES HIGGINS

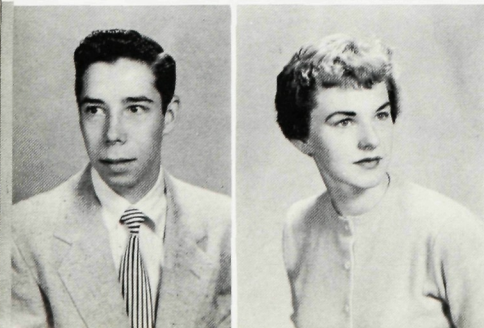
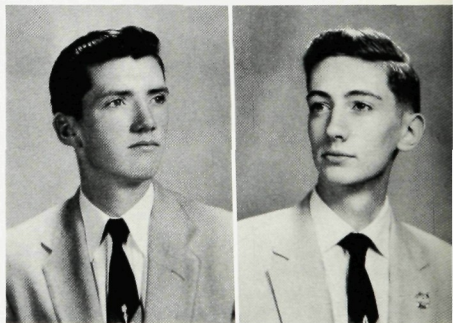
59 Union Avenue

Mike has favored our Bowling Team for three years . . . member of the Sports Club . . . really sports minded . . . was treasurer of Junior Red Cross in sophomore year . . . secretary of St. Peter's C.Y.O. . . . frequents the Pantry . . . crazy about pizza . . . plans to be an I.B.M. trainee.

JAMES HITCHNER

4 Elmwood Avenue

Jim was an officer in Junior Red Cross and the Science Club . . . also in Track and Cross Country . . . out of school activities include Y.M.C.A. and Coast Guard Reserve . . . likes hunting, fishing, boating, and being with women . . . plans to join the coast guard after graduation.



GENE HOPPER

130 Bell Street

Gene has a well-known voice on Passaic River as he coxswained the B. H. S. Crew for three years . . . member of the Red Cross . . . participates in P.A.L., C.Y.O., and intramural basketball . . . interested in most sports . . . likes Marlon Brando . . . plans include junior college.

EILEEN HOUSTON

61 Cortlandt Street

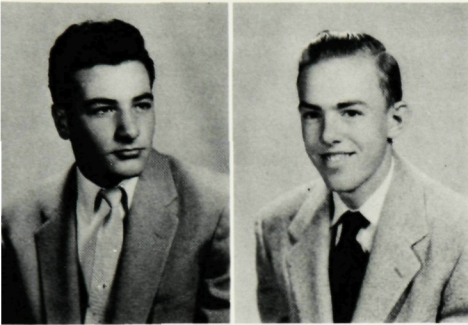
Cute and happy-go-lucky describes "Ei" . . . president of Drama Club . . . office assistant . . . participated in talent shows . . . interests include the "Hillbillies" and all tall boys who are good looking . . . always the life of the party with her wonderful sense of humor . . . future career—show business.

JUDITH HUNT

Judy played after-school volleyball and basketball . . . worked in the high school guidance office . . . member of Saint Anthony's C.Y.O. . . . likes skating at Olympic Park, bowling, and swimming . . . pet peeve is being teased by a certain guy . . . has the makings of an expert comptometer operator.

JAMES HUSSMANN**379 Lake Street**

Jim has been one of the **Spotlight's** able photographers . . . a member of De Molay . . . really likes taking pictures and enjoys working on his car but dislikes those rattles that can't be found . . . likes those awful-awfuls at Bond's . . . the navy appears in this boy's future.

**143 Crest Drive****PASQUALE INTINDOLA****21 Mary Street**

Pat is that quiet boy with the contagious smile who played freshman football and intramural basketball after school hours . . . member of C.Y.O. . . . can be found repairing his '39 Plymouth coupe . . . likes Italian food and Spanish girls . . . future includes the army after graduation.

ANTON IPPISCH**167 Fairway Avenue**

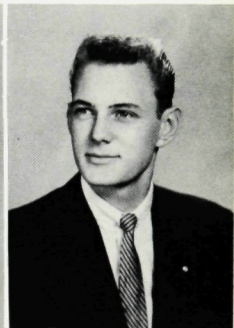
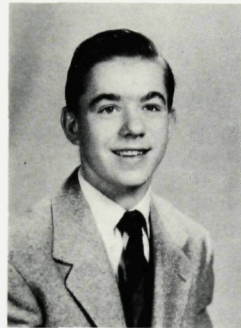
Andy has been in the Drivers' Club here in school for two years . . . a member of the Belleville Junior Rifle Club . . . interested in playing golf, watching football games, and swimming . . . greatest ambition is to break eighty on the links . . . after graduation this half of the blond twins will be seen working as an apprentice in carpentry.

ERNEST IPPISCH**167 Fairway Avenue**

Ernie, the second of this amiable pair, has been on the Golf Team and in the Drivers' Club for two years . . . a Rifle Club and Y.M.C.A. member besides being interested in all sports . . . spends a lot of time fixing his car and trying to get twenty miles on a gallon . . . future sees him working in a Westinghouse research plant.

HOWARD IRVING**22 Belmohr Street**

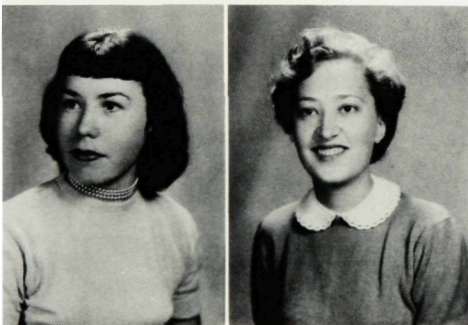
"Irv" is that popular guy who was emcee for our Talent Show . . . Crew, magazine campaign chairman, Student Council, Senate, and freshman treasurer . . . likes working on his car, eating pizza, and attending B-Hives . . . pet peeve is running out of gas . . . future includes a stethoscope for "Irv", who is taking pre-med at Cornell.

**EDNA JENNINGS****169 Franklin Avenue**

"Suzie" just likes those drive-ins and pizza . . . active in Montgomery Sunday School and intramural sports . . . dancing and cowboy songs rank high in her opinion . . . pet peeve is any Buick regardless of age or color . . . she will make a good secretary for some lucky person in the near future.

ELIZABETH ANN JOLLY**14 Reservoir Place**

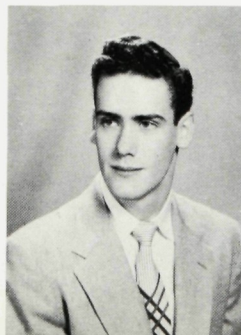
Friendly Betty played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . likes bowling . . . member of Charm Club and Rainbow Girls . . . enjoys reading, listening to records, and going to West Orange football games . . . likes driving with the gang and going to the lake with the girls . . . pet peeves include homework and working in New York . . . hopes to be a teacher or financial librarian.

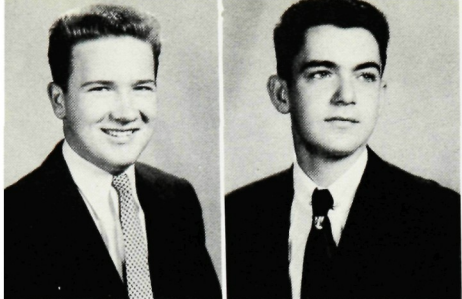
**ROBERT JORDAN****51 Walnut Street**

Bob is another full-fledged sportsman . . . activities in high school include Crew, Sports Club, and Fencing Club . . . outside of the halls of learning he is a member of the Weight Lifting Club and Saint Peter's C.Y.O. . . . enjoys swimming . . . in his future lies work and then maybe college.

RONALD KABOT**279 De Witt Avenue**

"Ron" is that all-around fellow . . . was on the **Spotlight** Staff, vice-president of the National Honor Society, Band member and New Jersey All-State Orchestra basoonist . . . played on the basketball team . . . member of Student Council and Senior Senate . . . seen at Budd's with the boys . . . can be found spending summers at Bradley Beach . . . plans to attend college.





HAROLD KAMMERER

168 Joralemon Street

Harold has been a member of the basketball squad and the rowing group . . . belongs to Suburban De Molay . . . likes all sports and all holidays . . . pet peeve is weekend homework . . . future is either in the armed forces or at some college.

JOHN KELLER

107 Crest Drive

Jack was on the Magazine Campaign Committee . . . was four years on the Crew Team . . . belonged to the Sports and Physics Clubs . . . found working on the "Green Hornet" to keep it from rattling . . . pet peeve is being broke . . . likes all sports . . . future plans include two years of college, then air force.

FRANK KENNELLY

202 Union Avenue

Tall, friendly, and good-looking . . . Frank played intramural basketball after school . . . outside interests include C.Y.O. and Air National Guard . . . enjoys skating when he can find time . . . likes sports and arguing with Mrs. Emick . . . future plans include a "stretch" with Uncle Sam.

NORMAN A. KESNER

279 De Witt Avenue

"Norm" is a member of the business department of the Monad Staff . . . played on freshman football squad . . . likes the Giants . . . seen at Budd's with the boys . . . likes to watch all sports . . . favorite pastimes include being with girls, dancing, and eating good food . . . plans to attend college.



BARBARA KIRK

196 Washington Avenue

This pleasant and cute blonde has been a member of the Basketball and Volleyball Clubs, Officials' Club, Leaders' Club, and Sophomore Senate . . . three-year member of Junior Achievement . . . driving and writing to a serviceman are her main pastimes . . . dislikes being called Carol . . . The Latin American Institute is the college of her choice.

CAROL KIRK

196 Washington Avenue

Carol is that sweet little blonde who has participated in girls' basketball and volleyball and the Officials' Club . . . three year-member of Junior Achievement . . . enjoys roller skating, bowling, and riding in a certain '49 Hudson . . . despises cowboy music . . . office work until marriage are her future plans.

EDWARD KOSINSKI

25 Davidson Street

Ed is that good-looking guy with the crew cut . . . member of the senate for four years, Student Council for three years, and class treasurer in junior and senior year . . . played football and was a member of the Crew . . . interests include all sports and cars . . . future includes college or the marines.

JEAN KRUPSKI

39 Florence Avenue

Pretty and sweet describes Jeanie . . . helped in guidance office and took part in girls' basketball and volleyball . . . member of the C.Y.O. . . . enjoys skating at Olympic Park, bowling, and riding in Joe's red and yellow convertible . . . future includes being a comptometer operator or going to business school.



JOAN DIANE KUSZONY

62 Melwex Street

Vivacious, fun-loving Joanie . . . member of Spotlight Staff and Charm Club . . . played intramural volleyball and basketball . . . also Monad Sales-girl . . . enjoys riding around in "Mad's" car and watching the Brooklyn Dodgers . . . dislikes crazy drivers and waiting for phone calls . . . comptometer school is next.

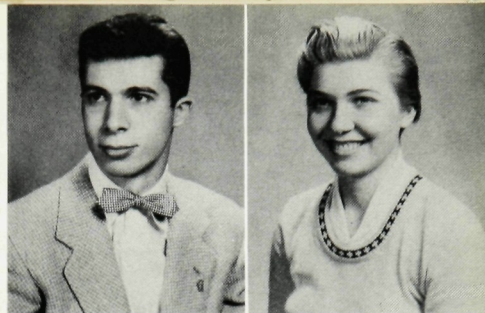
CAROL LEE LA MURA

75 Division Avenue

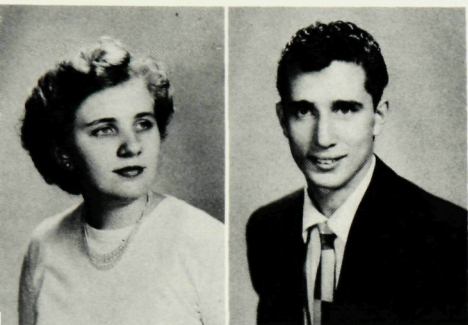
Laughing "Lolly" was active in intramural sports, the Junior Red Cross, and the French Club . . . member of the Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . spends her time writing to "Corky" or riding with Dot and Leona . . . eating and wearing snappy clothes rate high . . . dislikes being called "Little One" . . . future plans include merchandising school.

NICHOLAS LA PARA**82 Melwex Street**

Popular, comical Sam is editor of the **Spotlight** and president of National Honor Society . . . active in Student Council and track for four years, Debating Club, and Junior Achievement . . . known for his weird tastes—pizza and blintzes . . . interested in science, sports, and women . . . will be a successful engineer.

**MARY ANN LANG****142 Garden Avenue**

Mary Ann has been active in the Junior Red Cross . . . worked in the guidance office and was a **Monad** salesgirl . . . enjoys driving, seeing movies, reading, and listening to "pop" records . . . can't stand sitting home with her television set . . . plans to become a comptometer operator or typist.

**ELSA LEIGHTON****99 Malone Avenue**

Elsa was in our Band for three years . . . has played on girls' volleyball and basketball teams and has been active in the Personality and Future Nurses Clubs . . . her outside interests include Junior Achievement . . . Elsa likes reading, bowling, and attending fifth period chemistry class . . . her future plans include nursing.

PATSY LIBERTELL**219 North Belmont Avenue**

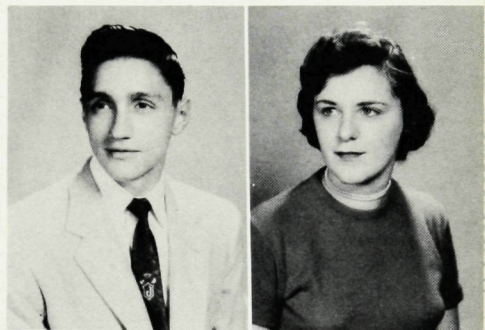
Pat is a good-looking lad with lots of black wavy hair . . . says his chief reason for being in school is to take up space . . . can be found at Lillian's with the boys . . . enjoys eating, sleeping, and driving . . . likes girls as a sideline . . . the air force is next on the agenda.

GERALD LILORE**140 Crest Drive**

Jerry played in varsity football and baseball and on the Freshman Basketball Team . . . member of the Sports, Physics, and Italian Clubs, Y.M.C.A., and C.Y.O. . . . interested in all sports and working . . . pet peeve is homework . . . future plan is college.

ESTHER LINDSAY**15 Arthur Street**

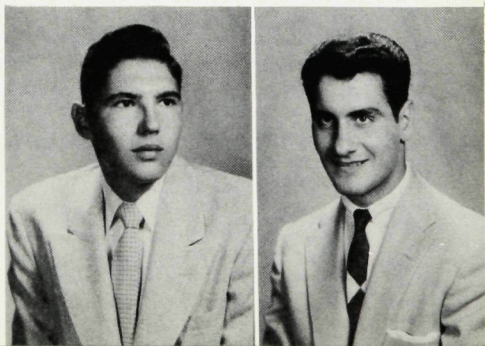
Always seen with "Bunny", Peggy, and Ruth . . . likes to skate, read, and play miniature golf . . . was a **Monad** salesgirl and Community Chest collector in her senior year . . . belonged to the Personality Club . . . likes to eat pizza pie . . . future plans include work until wedding bells ring.

**SALVATORE LOMBARDO****17 Watchung Avenue**

Wavy hair, dark eyes, and a pleasant smile . . . popular Sal was a member of the Band for two years . . . played varsity baseball . . . interests include sports and working on his Ford . . . likes standing in the hall near 209 with a certain gal . . . in the future Sal plans to get a job in printing.

ANTHONY LUONGO**455 Union Avenue**

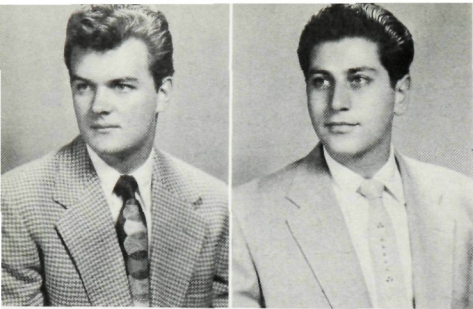
Slow-moving, witty Tony . . . participated in intramural basketball . . . when he isn't engrossed in sports, he can usually be found at Jack's . . . enjoys all sports, especially baseball . . . also fond of teasing girls . . . after graduation hopes to go to college but not definite about his career.

**WILLIAM LUZZI****10 Ogden Road**

A really "live wire" is our young Bill . . . enjoys watching any kind of sports whether he can participate or not . . . active in Wednesday nights' intramural basketball league . . . pet peeve is that sixth period gym class . . . future plans include some college.

RICHARD MACALUSO**7 Hilton Street**

Tall, dark, and handsome "Rickie" played football for four years . . . Dance Club, Junior Senate, and Track also kept him busy . . . girls, parties, and sports take up most of "Richie's" spare time . . . can always be seen in Nutley's famed Charlie's . . . plans to attend the University of Miami.



RODERICK MacPHERSON

76 Fairview Place

Mac can be seen driving his car about town or caddying on the golf course . . . active in intramural basketball and Drivers' Club . . . member of Y.M.C.A. . . . enjoys swimming, tinkering with mechanical things, and fixing that car of his . . . future includes some field in electronics.

RICHARD MAHMARIAN

29 Lincoln Terrace

Richie has been the football manager for four years, member of the Crew for three years, and a member of the Freshman Senate . . . enjoys the seashore, girls, spear-fishing, cars, and Yankees . . . dislikes the Dodgers . . . Richie is going to try for a career as a pilot in the air force.

JUDY MATUS

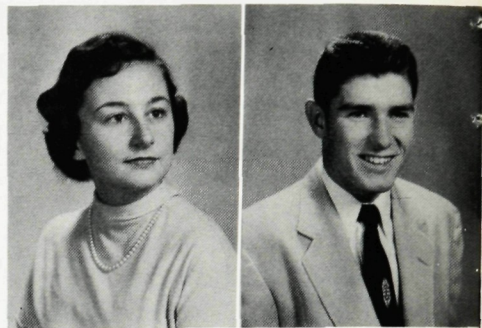
137 Birchwood Drive

Cute and full of fun . . . this Marlon Brando fan is a member of Leaders' Club, the Future Teachers' Club, and is the exchange editor on the **Spotlight** Staff . . . likes riding around with Helen and Betty . . . is an active Brownie troop leader . . . future plans include a teachers' college.

JOHN M. McCABE

59 Rossmore Place

Jack is our good-looking co-captain of the football team . . . member of Executive Committee of the Student Council and four-year member of Belleville High's baseball team . . . belongs to C.Y.O. . . . interests include playing all kinds of sports and the drums . . . future is undecided.



ROBERT McCLOSKEY

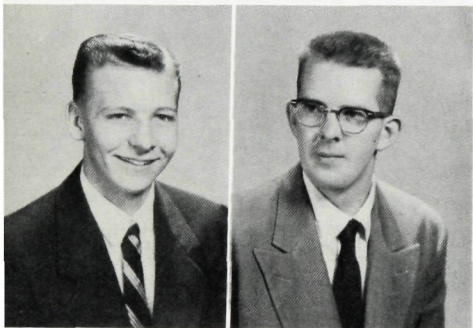
247 Ralph Street

Bob is a boy everyone would enjoy knowing . . . likes listening to Glen Miller's records and playing sports . . . interests include cars and basketball . . . member of the Dance Club and C.Y.O. . . . in the future, Bob plans to continue his education or join the navy . . . we're sure he'll prove a big success.

PETER Mc DERMOTT

133 William Street

Pete's our good-natured redhead . . . is a sports enthusiast and is a member of C.Y.O., Y.M.C.A., and Belleville basketball leagues . . . enjoys girls that talk a lot . . . pet peeve is that ever-present homework . . . after Belleville High School, he intends to join the army



KATHRYN Mc KENNA

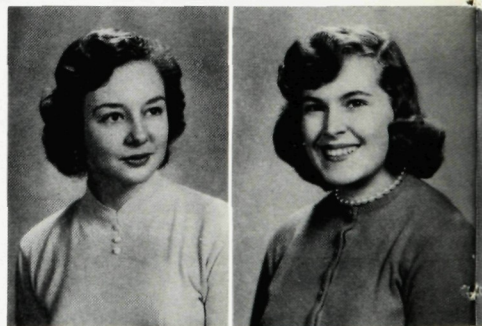
466 Cortlandt Street

A gleam in her eye and a contagious laugh, that's "Bunny" . . . activities include Junior Red Cross, Charm Club, and **Monad** salesmanship . . . favorite pastime is going to the Malone Shoppe . . . enjoys skating but dislikes staying home at night . . . will be a good secretary or stenographer after graduation.

JOYCE Mc SHANE

57 Tiona Avenue

"Joy" is one of those "terrific" seniors who like reading, dancing, bowling, and having the car . . . was worthy advisor of the Rainbow Girls, president of the Future Nurses Club, and a member of the **Spotlight** Staff . . . chief interest is a certain fellow . . . future is to attend secretarial school.



BARBARA Mc WALTERS

438 De Witt Avenue

"Bambi" is characterized by the words **busy** and **cheerful** . . . among her many activities are Junior Red Cross, National Honor Society, **Monad** photography editor, Student Council, **Spotlight**, and a local church group . . . likes to play the piano, work at Hahne's, write letters, and drive . . . college boys are a big part of her life . . . future plans include college.

RUTH MEAKIM

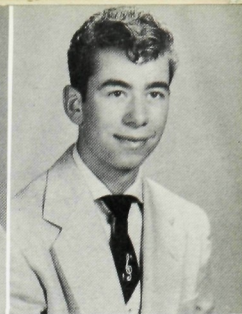
587 Belleville Avenue

Ruth is a lively girl with an infectious giggle . . . often found with "Bunny", Esther, and Peggy . . . likes to skate, write, and listen to Eddie Fisher sing . . . played intramural volleyball and basketball . . . belonged to Junior Red Cross and the Charm Club . . . pizza pie is a favorite food . . . wants to be a beautician in future.

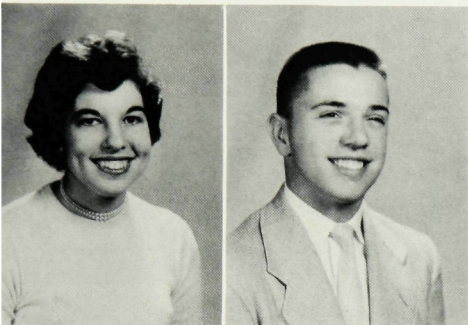


JACQUELINE MELILLO**79 Rutgers Street**

Friendly and fun to know . . . Jackie's been in Freshman Senate, been secretary for Dramatics Club, played intramural basketball, and is a **Monad** salesgirl . . . likes all sports . . . popular music and trim clothes rate high with her . . . plans include secretarial school.

**FELIX C. MELLENO****48 Columbus Avenue**

Always-on-the-spot Phil was a member of the Drivers' Club . . . likes to play basketball and football after school . . . for something to do, he chases pretty women . . . in the next few years he plans to be a pilot of planes in the United States Air Force.

**BARBARA ANN METCALFE****186 Overlook Avenue**

Barbara is that well-known gal who is active in Junior Red Cross, Future Teachers' Club, and has worked in the guidance office for two years . . . member of Fewsmith Fellowship and Rainbow Girls . . . likes eating pizza, swimming, and bowling . . . pet peeve—knitting argyles . . . future includes college.

JOSEPH MIGNON**20 May Street**

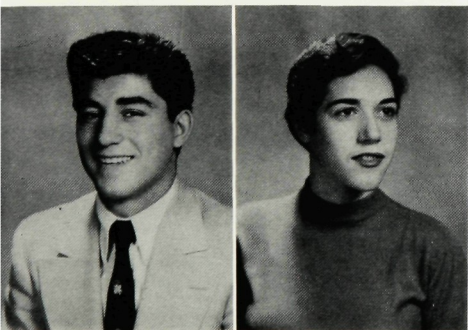
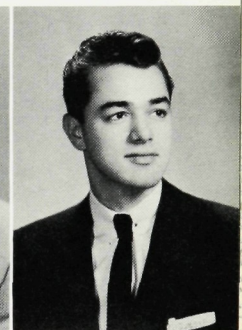
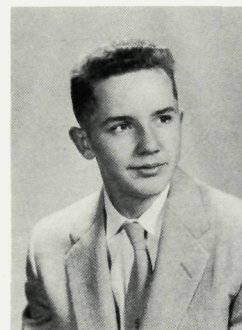
"Minnie" is our fleet-footed track star who won honors . . . a football player of note, too . . . captain of the Track Team . . . interests are centered around hunting with the boys, swimming, and ice skating . . . dislikes girls who spread rumors and women drivers . . . future plans include college.

PHILIP MILLER**85 Fairway Avenue**

Blond Phil has been a member of the Belleville's Crew, Golf Team, and Student Council . . . active in the Y.M.C.A. . . is interested in driving cars and playing golf . . . likes watching the Yankees and eating tomato pies . . . his future holds a career in college or the navy.

JOHN MINEO**126 Belmont Avenue**

Johnny is that well-dressed fellow from 307 . . . played intramural basketball three years . . . activities include secretary-treasurer of Sophomore Senate, Boys' Chorus, **Monad**, and Play-Writing Staff . . . member of National Reserves and Jazz Club . . . pastimes are dancing and swimming . . . Miami University is the next stop.

**FRANK MOBILIO****86 Heckel Street**

"Gabby" is known for his outstanding softball pitching . . . won several championships for his clubs at the Newark City Stadium . . . attending St. Anthony's C.Y.O., participating in sports, swimming, and arguing take up most of "Gabby's" spare time . . . the army is the next stop.

JANET MOLINARO**60 Naples Avenue**

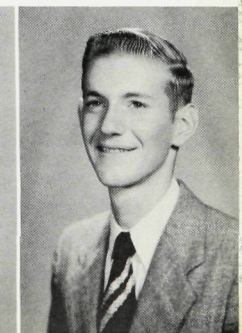
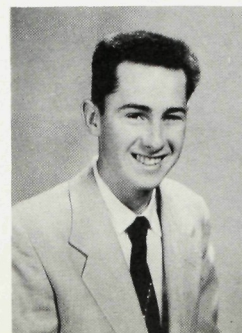
"Jan" is that tall, attractive brunette who likes nice clothes, Charlton Heston, and a Buick convertible . . . member of **Monad** Staff, Leaders' Club, and C.Y.O. . . . played intramural sports four years . . . sings in St. Anthony's Choir . . . future plans include Johnny and marriage.

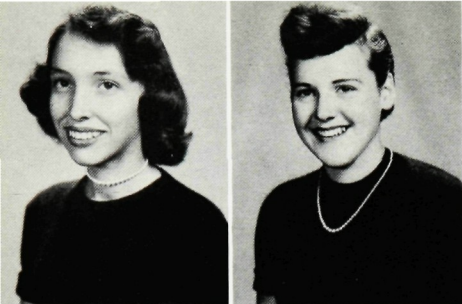
LEON MORRELL**269 Ralph Street**

Dark-haired and sports-minded . . . Leon is usually seen in Correll's Corral . . . interested in basketball, football, baseball, and swimming . . . enjoys seeing a movie at drive-ins . . . spends spare time working on a certain '41 Mercury . . . plans for the future include the navy.

ROBERT K. MORSE**19 Tiona Avenue**

Busy, popular Bob is always doing something . . . Dance Band, **Spotlight** Staff, Track Team, Student Council, Talent Show, and president of the Chess Club in school . . . outside time is devoted to Y.M.C.A., Junior Achievement, and many church activities . . . other interests include piano, trombone, women, and boxing . . . future is in medicine.





DOROTHY MULLIGAN

140 Academy Street

Dancing, painting, and listening to Glen Miller's records appeal to this sweet miss . . . member of Freshman and Sophomore Senates . . . enjoys talking on the phone, eating Chinese food, and spending those summers at the shore . . . future undecided for Dot.

BARBARA JANE MURREN

142 Linden Avenue

Babs is the peppy miss with red hair . . . played intramural basketball and volleyball . . . pastimes are listening to hillbilly music and arguing with "the little Irishman" . . . likes to meet interesting people . . . after graduation she plans to be a legal secretary.

CAROL DOROTHY NAGY

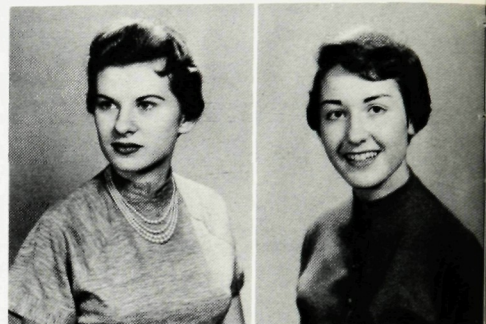
20 Lincoln Terrace

Quiet "Candy" is often found in the Malone Shop with Liz . . . active in French Club, Rainbow Girls, Chancel Choir, M.Y.F., and the Nutley Little Theatre . . . enjoys working in the Belleville Public Library . . . the long days between weekends are her pet peeve . . . likes roller skating . . . Katherine Gibbs is next.

VIOLET NAPOLIELLO

252 Linden Avenue

"Vickie" is one of our efficient **Monad** salesgirls . . . takes part in intramural sports . . . was a member of the Charm Club . . . outside interests include club meetings . . . enjoys dancing and listening to records . . . likes to ice skate and to be with boys who act juvenile . . . plans to work in an office.



ROSEMARY NAPPI

320 William Street

"Roe" has played girls' basketball and volleyball and was a **Monad** salesgirl . . . a member of C.Y.O. . . . likes swimming, listening to music, and eating Chinese food . . . hates to be teased about the way she pronounces words . . . enjoys summers at the shore . . . future sees this pretty miss doing secretarial work.

JEAN NELSON

37 New Street

Our always smiling Jeanie is active in the Junior Red Cross . . . one of our **Monad** salesgirls who enjoys playing sports and dancing . . . Perry Como rates "tops" . . . backs the football team and coach all the way . . . plans include secretarial or office work of some kind.



BARBARA NEWSCHWANDER

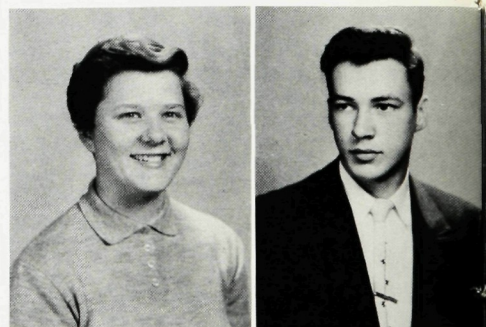
127 Delevan Avenue

"Newsh" is an energetic, sports-minded girl who enjoys anything as long as it is athletics . . . participated in all girls' intramural sports and Leaders' Club . . . president of the F.T.A. . . . played softball and basketball for the Mutual Benefit, the P.A.L., and the Recreation Department . . . future—teaching physical education.

EDWARD NICHOLLS

93 New Street

The boy with a winning smile describes our Ted . . . played junior varsity baseball for two years . . . has been a member of various basketball clubs . . . pastimes include watching the Yankees and learning more about baseball . . . likes eating tomato pie with Richie and Mike . . . future—undecided.



BERNICE NICOLETTI

42 Mitchell Street

Nicky, also known as "Bern", was vice-president of the Dramatics Club . . . Student Council delegate as a freshman . . . enjoys tomato pie and Chinese food . . . spends time driving around with her friends in Eileen's car . . . dislikes waiting for people . . . future indefinite.

BARBARA ANN OCHSE

20 Smith Street

Barb, our cute gal from Homeroom 307, enjoys listening to Tony Bennett's records, seeing movies, swimming, and eating tomato pies . . . was a member of intramural sports for four years and active in C.Y.O. activities . . . likes to go driving . . . future plans are secretarial work.



CARL DAVID OLPHIN**84 Heckel Street**

Dave is that tall, good-looking football and track star we see rolling up scores for Belleville High . . . likes all sports but is especially fond of skating . . . girls rate high with him at all times . . . plans to work as a laboratory technician.

JOSEPH ORLANDO**47 Union Avenue**

Sonny is often seen playing varsity basketball and baseball . . . is liked by all members of Saint Peter's C. Y. O. and Freddy Farmer's Softball Team . . . often seen playing shuffleboard with the boys after supper . . . Joe hopes to own his own business after graduation.

**GRACE G. ORTH****16 Nolton Street**

Pretty and talented Grace is a member of the Future Nurses of America, Senior Senate, Baker's Dozen, and **Spotlight** and **Monad** Staffs . . . moderator of Fewsmith Young People's . . . pastimes are knitting argyles, bowling, and eating Italian and Chinese food . . . Mountainside Hospital is the lucky school.

DELORES PANZER**644 Belleville Avenue**

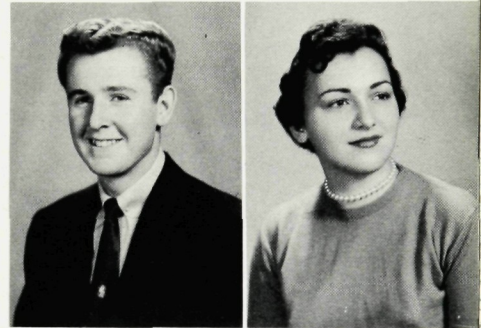
"Dee," a great girl with a ready laugh, was a peppy and enthusiastic cheerleader during her senior year . . . played intramural sports . . . member of Student Council three years . . . interests include P.J. parties at Highland Lakes . . . pet peeves include homework and cowboy movies . . . hopes to attend secretarial school.

**WILLIAM PENKETHMAN****11 Adelaide Street**

"Penk" was a member of the senate and **Spotlight** Staff and worked on the magazine campaign organization . . . participated on the Crew Team and was active at the Y.M.C.A. . . . enjoys working on cars . . . dislikes that solid geometry homework . . . future finds Bill going to college, then dental school.

OLYMPIA PENNETTI**119 Heckel Street**

"Libby" is that friendly girl from 307 . . . was a **Monad** salesgirl . . . likes listening to Tony Bennett's records, eating tomato pies, and wearing beautiful clothes . . . "Libby" dislikes "big deals" . . . after attending business school, she will become somebody's efficient secretary.

**SALVATOR PETOIA****50 Columbus Avenue**

Bob, as he is more commonly called by his classmates, has participated in such school activities as the Science Club, Student Council, Band, and the **Spotlight** . . . likes playing with an outside dance band and reading . . . interested in aviation . . . dislikes freshman band members . . . future plans include engineering and music.

JOAN POSTLETHWAITE**172 Cedar Hill Avenue**

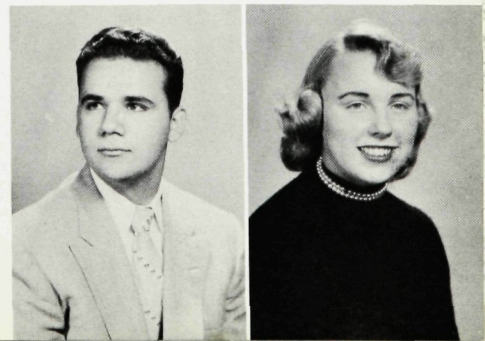
Joan, our attractive brunette, likes the Yankees, club pajama parties, Harry Belafonte, ice cream, and those summers at Highland Lakes . . . served on Student Council and senate, one year each . . . played intramural sports and was **Monad** salesgirl . . . member of Rainbow Girls . . . plans to be a teacher.

**GEORGE PREZIOSO****49 Franklin Street**

"Compari" likes being a member of the car patrol . . . his interests and pastimes include playing the accordion, playing in bands, and fixing hot-rods . . . the draft board is a pet peeve . . . enjoys working in a meat shop so much that in the future he plans to be a butcher.

PATRICIA PRICE**189 Adelaide Street**

Blonde, blue-eyed "Patti" was a member of Student Council and intramural sports . . . listening to Harry Belafonte, spending summers at Highland Lakes, going out with a certain boy, and attending pajama parties are "tops" . . . likes eating ice cream at Bond's and watching the Yankees . . . future plans include secretarial work.





MARIE QUARESIMO

24 Heckel Street

Marie was one of our **Monad** salesgirls who has a wonderful personality . . . enjoyed being on Red Cross and in the Italian Club for two years . . . member of St. Anthony's C.Y.O. . . . can always be seen cruising in Nettie's '54 Cadillac . . . only dislike is being called "Babe" . . . future plans—designing or secretarial school.

NANCY LEIGH RANDALL

259 Adelaide Street

Nancy is that cute girl who usually can be found with that certain someone from 306 . . . is active in Leaders' Club, Senior Senate, Sub-Women's Club, and Rainbow Girls . . . likes eating pizza, spending weekends at Lake Mohawk with Sarah and driving in the old Dodge . . . future includes nursing.

ROBERT REED

50 Mt. Prospect Avenue

We can always count on our care-free "Knobby" for a happy smile . . . played freshman and junior varsity football and in his spare time can be found on almost any football field . . . among his interests are hot-rods and that special girl in Kearny . . . plans to join the air force.

RONALD REILLY

68 Mt. Prospect Avenue

Musical Ronny, while in high school, has been active in the Music Club, Band, Orchestra, and Jazz Club . . . enjoys music, music . . . despises getting up to attend early morning rehearsals . . . Ronny's future lies in attending some school of music.



HARRY REYNOLDS

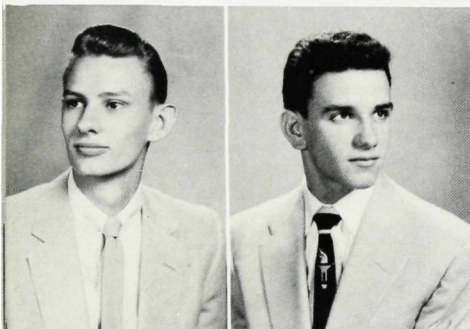
10 Continental Avenue

Harry played freshman football and was on the Crew Team for four years . . . participated in the Dancing Club . . . interested in cars, mechanical drawing, and art . . . pet peeve is women drivers but likes to drive with a certain gal . . . future plans include college to study engineering.

MARK RICCA

86 Lavergne Street

A recent addition to B.H.S., "Ric" is an avid sportsman . . . in school he is interested in track . . . outside he follows baseball, football, swimming, and last, but not least, girls . . . likes sporting loud vests . . . no pet peeves has this boy . . . after graduation off to work at the Bell Telephone Company.



SAUNDRA RICCIO

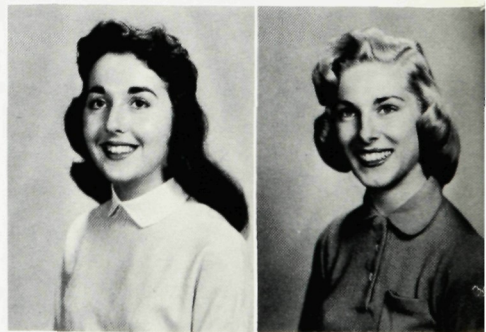
11 Hickory Court

Sandy is that cute miss from Homeroom 307 . . . enjoys participating in after-school intramural basketball and volleyball . . . **Monad** salesgirl . . . likes dancing, eating tomato pie, listening to Gordon McRae, and going to the movies . . . future will include secretarial work.

ANNETTE RIEFOLE

59 Carner Avenue

Annette is the girl with the pretty blonde hair and blue eyes . . . former member of Twirling Squad . . . participated in high-school basketball and volleyball for the past four years . . . member of Freshman Senate . . . would like beautiful clothes and more of those interesting weekends . . . a secretary soon.



JOHN RIORDAN

85 Bridge Street

A truly active boy is John, who in school has participated in Band, Student Council for two years, senate, and Junior Red Cross . . . also interested in Red Cross outside school . . . enjoys reading, listening to music, and being with the gang . . . pet peeve is loquacious teachers . . . Montclair State Teachers College for John.

VINCENZA RISOLI

37 Naples Avenue

"Vickie" is that bright-eyed girl from 307 . . . has been active in intramural sports for four years . . . a member of St. Anthony's C.Y.O. and choir . . . likes dancing, listening to the Hilltoppers, watching the Dodgers play, looking at Scott Brady's movies, and enjoying those weekends . . . future includes laboratory work.



BARBARA ANN ROBINSON**24 Bremond Street**

Barbara is that cute miss from 307 . . . member of the **Spotlight** Staff, president of the Future Nurses' Club, and officiator in girls' sports . . . belongs to Rainbow Girls and Fewsmith Fellowship . . . pastimes include writing to Bob, knitting, and eating pizza . . . secretarial work and marriage later.

**MARGARET ROEMER****18 Beech Street**

A charming miss . . . Peggy is often seen in 117 during lunch with certain girls . . . **Monad** salesgirl . . . took part in intramural sports . . . belonged to the Personality Club . . . active in C.Y.O. . . . interests and pastimes center around dancing, bowling, and listening to music . . . likes boys who can dance . . . future includes office work.

**RICHARD ROGERS****22 Washington Street**

Red is the true outdoor type whose interests include hunting, skiing, fishing, and boating . . . hopes to beat his boss at speed-boat racing some day . . . says he can't understand why people call him Red . . . after high school it is the United States Air National Guard and then full-time work in a laundry.

NANCY LORRAINE ROSSI**147 Heckel Street**

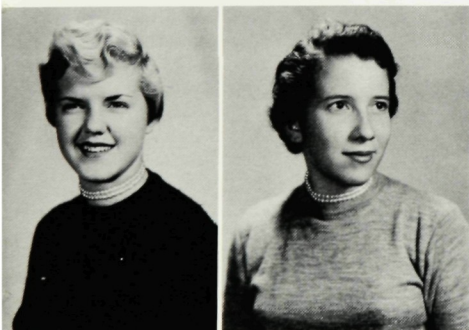
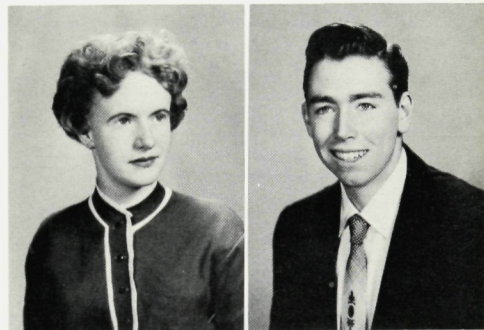
Nancy's our cute vivacious twirler who hails from the famed 307 . . . served on Student Council, Red Cross, and made a very efficient **Monad** salesgirl . . . interests include listening to Dean Martin, meeting with the crowd at Nutley's popular Charlie's, and being with Lou . . . future plans . . . secretarial school.

CHARLOTTE ROUSHINKO**404 Cortlandt Street**

Charlotte was a member of the Personality Club of Belleville High School . . . likes dancing and roller skating . . . dislikes doing that bothersome homework and giving those reports before her classmates in her classes . . . Charlotte's future includes a secretarial job.

GARY ROWE**77 Bremond Street**

Always active and on the move is Gary, whose main interests include hunting, fishing, boating, water skiing and swimming . . . likes driving his car . . . Uncle Sam beckons to Gary upon graduation . . . afterwards he will follow the printing trade.

**BARBARA RUSS****41 Little Street**

Blonde hair and green eyes describe "Bobbie", who is known for her infectious giggle . . . a really lively personality . . . played after-school basketball and volleyball . . . likes spending summers at Ocean Beach and going out with one of the boys . . . dislikes learning how to drive and her baby teeth . . . hopes to be a receptionist.

RITA RUSSONELLA**61 Parkside Drive**

Jolly "Bubbles" has been active in intramural basketball and volleyball and C.Y.O. . . . this **Monad** salesgirl likes driving, listening to hillbilly songs, and being in Mr. Grossman's fifth period English class . . . dislikes being kidded about Pat being a mortician . . . plans include a secretarial school and then an office.

LEONA C. SALANDRA**12 Celia Terrace**

Lee has been our vivacious cheerleader for the last two years and a striking twirler during her first two . . . active in Freshman Senate, Student Council, Leaders' Club, Officials' Club, and intramural sports . . . **Monad** and **Spotlight** Staffs . . . Spanish Club veep and Sub-Junior Women's Club president . . . future—college.

ANGELA SANTIAGO**16 Crescent Terrace**

Angie, the girl with the vivacious personality, likes to mambo and go to Bob's and "Bunny's" for banana splits . . . member of Music Club, Dancing Club, and Jazz Club . . . participated in intramural sports and Belleville's Community Chest Drive . . . does not like to be criticized about driving . . . future—office work.





JOSEPH SANTIGLIA

450 Belleville Avenue

Joe, who is always good-natured, was active in the Freshman Senate . . . member of Spanish Club . . . outside of school belongs to Clifton Gunning Club . . . interests include hunting, fishing, and especially swimming . . . likes pizza and hillbilly music . . . after graduation he is bound for engineering college.



MAUREEN SAYRE

40 Linden Avenue

Always clowning around, that's "Sissie" . . . member of Leaders' Club, Student Council, intramural sports and Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . **Monad** salesgirl . . . likes tomato pie and her mother's pepper sandwiches . . . listening to Marlene's, Nancy's, and Phyllis' boy troubles is her pet peeve . . . future includes a business school.

ANGELA SCARPELLI

157 Passaic Avenue

Angie is a friendly girl with a pleasant personality . . . enjoys listening to cowboy music, doing the mambo, and eating Chinese food . . . assistant to president of the Charm Club . . . pet peeve—missing the late 37 bus . . . in the future may go to college or to work.

CAROL SCHEUERMAN

155 Academy Street

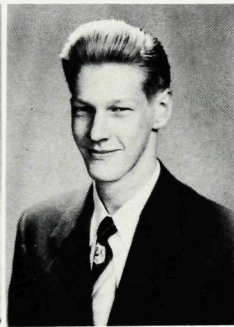
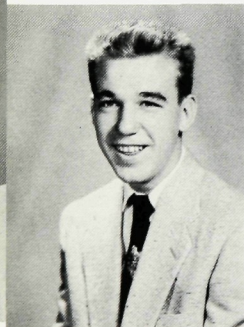
Always pleasant, that's our Carol . . . works in both school and public library . . . is active in the Junior Red Cross . . . a Latin fan . . . favorite pastimes include watching television, driving, and reading . . . member of St. Peter's C. Y. O. . . plans to be a teacher in the future.



WALTER SCHICKRAM

18 Smith Street

This sandy haired senior says his future is still undecided at this time . . . has been active in sports . . . a Sports Club member and last year a Skillet Club participant . . . a Junior Varsity Crew member with two years of experience . . . active in all St. Peter's C. Y. O. activities.



ROBERT SCHLALINE

161 Tappan Avenue

"Fink" is the guy always running around with his candid camera . . . member of the **Spotlight** Staff . . . can be found at Budd's or pushing cars to Rutt's Hut . . . likes hillbilly music . . . plans to travel and to see the world with the navy after graduation.

JOAN SCHNEIDER

76 Salter Place

Joan is our brunette from 308 . . . member of the Future Teachers of America . . . out of school she belongs to the Youth Council and Junior Achievement . . . likes listening to records and eating pizza . . . pet peeve—driver-education classes . . . plans to attend college and major in personnel management.

ROSE SCHREIBER

182 Malone Avenue

Rosie is that fun-loving girl who played after-school basketball and volleyball for four years . . . member of C. Y. O. and Leaders' Club . . . **Monad** salesgirl . . . likes all kinds of music . . . would like to swim like Esther Williams . . . future plans include secretarial work.



PATRICIA SCOTT

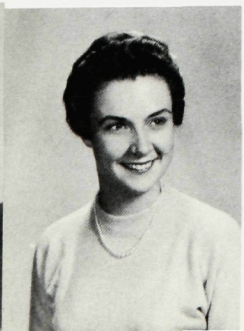
166 Tappan Avenue

Laughing Scottie is that snappy twirler from 308 . . . active in Sophomore Senate, Leaders' Club and intramural sports . . . pastime is sleeping . . . likes clothes, a month in Florida in the winter, and summers in Seaside . . . member of Sub-Junior Women's Club and St. Peter's C. Y. O. . . future sees Scottie at college.

JOHN SEASHOLTZ

20 Campbell Avenue

Red-headed "Sea" has been on Belleville's Crew, in cross-country running, and in freshman football . . . member of the German Club . . . in the National Guard and member of Y. M. C. A . . . interested in hunting, fishing, and swimming . . . spends a lot of time working on his car . . . college and a career in engineering are in John's future.

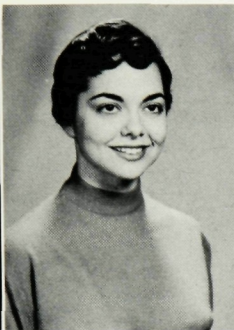
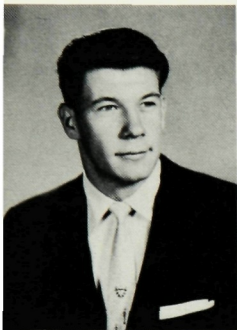


EUGENE SERPENTELLI**23 Mt. Pleasant Avenue**

Quiet but active describes Gene, who served on the Senior Senate and Student Council . . . also a member of the **Spotlight Staff** . . . outside he writes for the **Belleville Times** and announces the Belleville football games . . . enjoys watching sports and dancing . . . hates bad pizza . . . studying radio and television at college are Gene's plans.

EUGENE G. SHARKEY**515 Union Avenue**

Serious and energetic is Gene who served on the **Spotlight Staff** for three years, in the Red Cross, in the Science Club, and as a member of this year's **Monad Staff** . . . outside he belongs to his church's Senior Westminster Fellowship as well as their basketball team . . . likes model building and archery . . . hopes to study business administration at Rutgers.

**GERALD SHIMANSKY****9 Continental Avenue**

"Jer" is that tall, good-looking fellow with a pleasant personality from 309 . . . participated in Wednesday night league games and cross-country running . . . belongs to an athletic club and the Y.M.C.A. . . favorite pastimes are a certain girl and a fast car . . . future—a good job with plenty of pay or the armed forces.

ANTOINETTE SILVESTRI**42 Eugene Place**

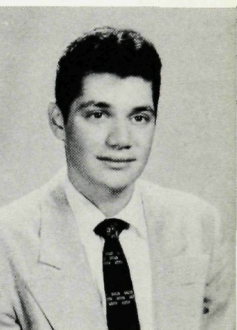
Lively Toni has been very active . . . basketball and volleyball, Red Cross, **Monad** salesgirl, and president of the Charm Club . . . is a reporter for Belleville High on the **Belleville Times**, a member of C.Y.O. and a choir . . . likes wearing pretty clothes and listening to Eddie Fisher . . . plans secretarial work in the future.

PHYLLIS SINOPOLI**22 Florence Avenue**

Attractive Phil was a **Monad** salesgirl and participated in after-school sports, Student Council, and Dance Club . . . C.Y.O. member . . . favorite interests are going out with Patsy and listening to popular songs . . . favorite pastime is settling "Sissie's" love problems . . . plans to be a secretary.

ROCCO SINOPOLI**22 Florence Avenue**

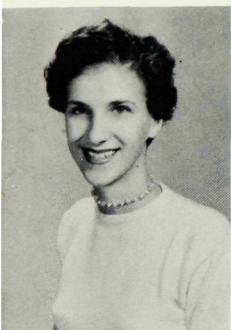
An interesting guy . . . Rocco belongs to the Italian Club and Saint Anthony's C.Y.O., Basketball Team . . . has fun riding around in his '52 Pontiac, dating girls, dancing, swimming, and rooting for the Yankees . . . this boy seems to have his future all cut out for him: first, business college and then his own shoe store.

**DOLORES SKAKUM****70 Division Avenue**

A tall, brown-eyed miss . . . "Cookie" has been seen in the high school Band for three years . . . pastimes include C.Y.O. and B-Hives . . . interested in sports, movies, and television . . . pet peeve is changing for that gym class . . . likes summer vacations . . . seen in the future in a comptometer school.

THOMAS W. SMILLIE**98 Dow Street**

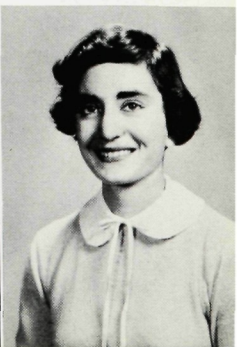
Tom is friendly, quiet, and sports-minded . . . played freshman basketball . . . was on the Bowling Team and in a basketball league . . . belongs to Y.M.C.A. outside B.H.S. . . likes sports and a certain '47 Studebaker . . . after high school, an apprenticeship in the printing trade.

**ANTONNETTE SPAGNOLETTI****76 Magnolia Street**

Antonnette's that bright, cheery gal from 309 . . . she was in Leaders', the Officials', the French Clubs, and the Junior Senate . . . has played volleyball and basketball after school and is a member of the Catholic Youth Organization . . . enjoys reading, sewing, and listening to good music . . . plans to attend Rutgers.

ROSEMARIE SPAGNOLETTI**118 Smallwood Avenue**

This likeable and sincere girl has participated in the Library Club, F.T.A., Italian Club, Spanish Club, and Junior Red Cross . . . is on the **Spotlight Staff** . . . member of C.Y.O. . . enjoys reading and watching TV programs . . . likes to keep busy . . . library work or teaching will be Rosemarie's future.





NANCY JANE SPRAGUE

84 Division Avenue

Nance, our lovely blonde from 308, was active in intramural sports for four years and Personality Club . . . member of Rainbow Girls, Sub-Junior Women's Club, and M.Y.F. . . . likes wearing good-looking clothes and cruising with the girls and boys . . . pet peeve is "those customers at Haffner's" . . . nursing is this girl's chosen career.

RICHARD STEFANCZYK

32 Garden Avenue

A swell fellow is "Rit", who was a member of the school Crew for three years . . . outside he belongs to the Weight Lifting Club and is interested in driving cars, fishing, and swimming . . . pet peeve is having Mr. Grossman "rib" him about his girl friend . . . service in the U.S.M.C. and then to be a mechanic.

THERESA STEFANELLI

673 Belleville Avenue

A cute brown-eyed miss . . . Terry took part in after-school girls' basketball and volleyball . . . a member of the Italian Club and treasurer of the Charm Club . . . enjoys summers down at Lavallette . . . enjoys watching football and basketball games . . . hopes to become a medical secretary after school.

JOSEPH SURDI

210 Holmes Street

Good-looking Joe played freshman basketball . . . was a Crew and cross-country participant . . . Senior Senate representative . . . interests include cars and hot-rods . . . likes driving the '47 Plymouth convertible . . . Joe's future plans include carpentry work.



JANE EDYTHE SWARTZ

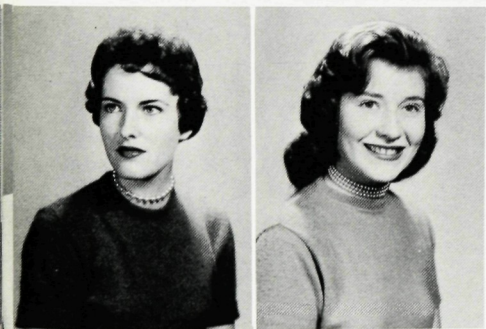
106 Cedar Hill Avenue

Beautiful blue eyes and a friendly smile, that's Jane . . . member of Twirling Squad, French Club, Student Council Executive Committee, and Rainbow Girls . . . enjoys attending club pajama parties, listening to records, watching baseball, hearing about the state of Minnesota, and having plenty of money . . . college and teaching are this gal's future plans.

MARLENE SWINARSKI

364 Franklin Avenue

"Mar" is that gal with the pretty long hair . . . member of Junior Red Cross, Charm Club, girls' volleyball and Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . **Monad** salesgirl . . . likes cruising with the girls, listening to cowboy music and eating pizza . . . "Mar" hates to wait for people . . . would like to go to business school.



HOWARD TAUBIN

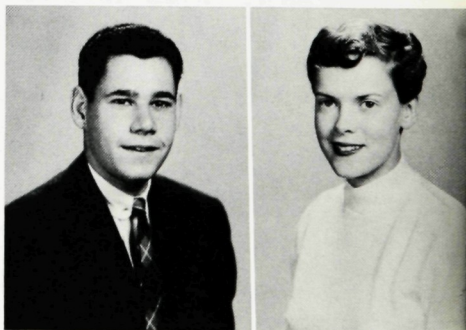
125 Washington Avenue

"Tiber" is that crazy mambo dancer . . . played basketball and soccer . . . on the B.H.S. Crew, participated in the Freshman and Sophomore Senates and Student Council . . . on **Spotlight** Staff and business staff of **Monad** . . . spends most of his spare time working at Tiber Hardware . . . likes parties at "Stash's" . . . pet peeve is Norm . . . future—college, then medical school.

AUDREY JOAN TAYLOR

277 Greylock Parkway

Fun-loving and cute, that's "Aud" . . . member of Student Council in freshman and sophomore years . . . participated in intramural basketball and volleyball . . . **Monad** salesgirl . . . likes eating Italian food, dancing, listening to Eddie Fisher, and being with Sammy . . . future includes office work.



MARY TERRERI

273 Forest Street

Mary's that popular little girl that is full of fun and has a great sense of humor . . . member of Charm Club and intramural sports for four years . . . belongs to C.Y.O. . . . enjoys listening to Eddie Fisher's records and bowling with the crowd . . . future plans include office work.

BERNARD THALER

82 Rossmore Place

Happy-go-lucky Bernie is business manager of the **Monad** . . . has been an active member of the **Spotlight** for two years . . . favorite pastime is working on his car . . . likes to sell anything . . . being at Bradley Beach and fishing rate high with him . . . plans to attend college after graduation.

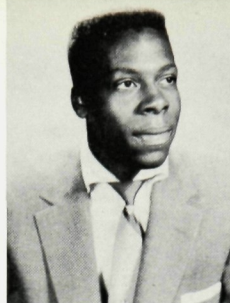


GEORGE THOMAS**10 Roosevelt Avenue**

Tall and friendly but full of mischief, that's Lester . . . member of Freshman and Junior Varsity Basketball Teams . . . main interests include playing basketball for the Wildcats, dancing, listening to "cool tunes," and being with girls . . . future finds George traveling around the world.

SANDRA TRANSUE**136 Cedar Hill Avenue**

Sandy is that girl so active in the Student Council, on the Spotlight Staff, in Leaders' Club, Band, French Club, intramural basketball and volleyball, and on the **Monad** Staff . . . is a member of the Sub-Junior Women's Club, M.Y.F., and Rainbow Girls . . . likes Scranton, Pennsylvania . . . future plans include going to Katherine Gibbs.

**CAROL ANNE TRAVERS****17 Oak Street**

Carol has been that outstanding school twirler for four years . . . active in French Club, senate, Student Council, Baker's Dozen, and intramural sports . . . C.Y.O. basketball and Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . interests include wearing attractive clothes, dancing, and being with men . . . likes to giggle with Wally . . . would like to become a diplomatic executive secretary.

LOUIS VAN PELT**9 Forest Street**

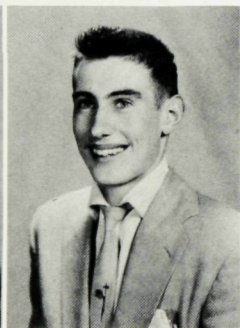
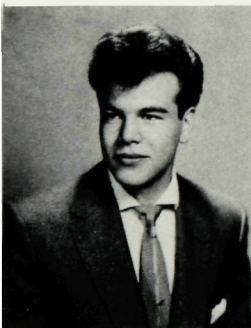
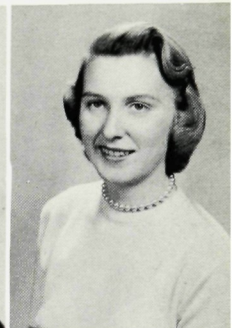
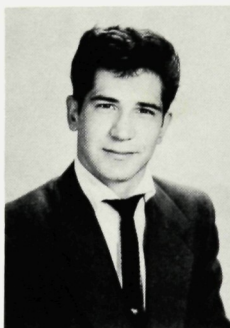
Lou is interested in all the sports . . . worked on football scoreboard . . . one of the boys from Budd's . . . likes pinball machines and Manasquan . . . good food and good music rate high with him . . . pet peeve is old beaten-up cars . . . plans to get a job which will permit him to travel.

NICHOLAS VARA**27 Grove Street**

"Chipmonk" is that fun-loving guy who enjoys wild parties . . . played football for three years . . . active in Cabinet, Executive Committee, and Physics Club . . . "Chipmonk" also displayed his talents as the "Hero" in the Thanksgiving Play . . . favorite pastimes include swimming, playing, and reading . . . future includes the army.

ANN E. VAUGHN**205 Main Street**

B.H.S.'s popular actress . . . Annie has starred in talent shows, plays, and Drama Club . . . also finds time for playing basketball, selling **Monads**, and swimming with the Aquamaids . . . active in the Newark and Nutley Community Playhouses . . . pet peeve is short assemblies . . . likes Marlon Brando . . . comptometer school or the theater will be her future.

**DOMENICK VAZZANO****42 Naples Avenue**

Dick or "Switch" is that good-looking guy who likes a good time . . . participated in the Dance Club and the Band . . . belongs to the Friendly House Basketball League and C.Y.O. . . . enjoys learning to mambo, listening to the "Bruce," and weight lifting . . . future—United States Air Force.

RICHARD VEITH**100 Roosevelt Avenue**

Quiet Richie led the Belleville High School basketball team for two years . . . played on the Baseball Team . . . known as "Killer" . . . belonged to the De Rosa and Lon's Wildcats . . . likes the Giants . . . future plans include either going to college or playing for a professional team.

ARLENE VENEZIANO**88 Sanford Avenue**

Arlene is a quiet, attractive girl from 309 . . . belonged to the Personality Club . . . participated in the girls' after-school basketball games . . . her interests include swimming and dancing . . . likes to listen to the Make Believe Ballroom program . . . her future plans include secretarial work.

JOYCE VERDON**368 De Witt Avenue**

Joyce has been active in intramural sports . . . the Science Club treasurer for two years . . . works in the guidance office and is a **Monad** salesgirl . . . enjoys bowling, dancing, skating, swimming, and playing tennis . . . football games and Jerry Marshall's Music Hall are "tops" . . . pet peeve is difficulty in getting the family car . . . hopes to go to college.



**CONCETTA VIGLIANTI****12 Pleasant Avenue**

Personality, brains, and an easy manner number among "Cookie's" assets . . . member of French Club and Charm Club . . . outside interests include attending Dance Club and seeing Sammy . . . best known for her famous parties . . . can always be seen in Nutley's famed Charlie's . . . future plans—Latin American Institute.

RONALD VOLK**65 Wilber Street**

Ron is that bright-eyed young man seen in the halls . . . belongs to the Spanish Club and attends C.Y.O. . . . enjoys skating at Riviera Park . . . his pet peeves include guys who swipe chairs during lunch . . . plans to enter college and then go on to higher achievements.

JOAN VON DER HEYDT**49 Continental Avenue**

A tall, sparkling, blue-eyed blonde . . . participated in Freshman Senate, on **Monad** Staff, and on **Spotlight** . . . is vice-president and treasurer of Montgomery Presbyterian Young People's group and teaches Sunday school there also . . . enjoys Blair conferences and ice skating . . . the future holds for her a career in teaching.

JO ANN H. VUONO**186 Passaic Avenue**

Jo is that likeable girl from 309 with a pleasant personality . . . school activities include **Monad** salesgirl, Charm Club, and Italian Club . . . enjoys going ice skating, swimming, and bowling . . . likes snappy sport clothes . . . irked by crew cuts and knee socks . . . future—business school or college.

**MARJORIE WALKER****12 Beech Street**

Margie is that sweet gal seen at Junior Red Cross meetings . . . belongs to the Methodist Youth Fellowship . . . interests are in skating, bowling, sewing, and cooking . . . enjoys listening to Glen Miller's records and trying her hand at art . . . future plans include modeling and being seen with a certain guy.

CAROL GLYN WALLACE**264 New Street**

"Toujours gaie"—that's "Wally" . . . school activities included Senior Senate, French Club, volleyball and basketball . . . likes speaking French, noting current fashions, and telling her troubles to the other Carol . . . Sunday school teaching and Rainbow Girls' activities display her serious side . . . cliques and two-faced people irritate her . . . college will be the starting point for an eventful life.

SUSAN ANNE WALSH**7 Branch Brook Drive**

Gay, lively Sue enjoys doing things for others . . . edits the C.Y.O. paper, writes a column in the **Belleville Telegram**, is a member of the **Monad** Staff, is in the National Honor Society, was co-chairman of the Hand Book Committee, and has won a Scholastic Art Award . . . "Sudorific" is fascinated by crew cuts, horn-rimmed glasses, and rubber bands . . . college is her next stop.

JOHN WALZ**86 Perry Street**

John always seems to be on the go . . . can usually be found at Budd's with the boys . . . cars are a favorite pastime but finds it hard to keep enough gas in his own . . . likes to take those special rides about town . . . future, at this point, is still undecided.

**MARGARET M. WATTERS****299 Franklin Avenue**

Always on the move . . . lively Peggy has been a member of the Charm Club and the C.Y.O. . . . is a **Monad** salesgirl and has played after-school basketball . . . hates being called "Midget" and "Inch and a Half" . . . likes skating, swimming, and seeing a boy from N.C.E. . . . future plans include secretarial work.

CAROL WENDEL**174 Malone Avenue**

Called "Bunny" by her friends . . . is a member of the Charm Club . . . belongs to Rainbow Girls and Fewsmith Young People's organization . . . likes eating pizza pie, visiting Spring Lake, driving, and swimming . . . after graduation she plans to attend secretarial school.



NANCY J. WETTER**429 Cortlandt Street**

Blue eyes and pretty red hair . . . **Monad** salesgirl and member of the Personality Club . . . principal interest is a certain boy . . . enjoys skating . . . pet peeves include wearing knee socks, seeing white bucks on boys, and staying in at night . . . is usually at the Malone Shoppe or Bab's and "Bunny's" . . . future—office work.

ARLENE WYCHELL**54 Cleveland Street**

"Ar" is the kind of girl who's everybody's friend . . . her great sportsmanship helped her become president of Leaders' Club and member of Officials' Club . . . plays intramural sports, is a member of Future Nurses' Club, and **Spotlight** Staff . . . played C. Y. O. basketball for four years . . . "Wyche" likes Nat King Cole . . . future plans include nursing

**PATRICIA WITTEK****93 Belmoor Street**

Tall and blonde, that's Pat . . . member of Leaders' Club, intramural sports, **Spotlight** Staff, Rainbow Girls, Sub-Junior Women's Club and Westminster Fellowship . . . likes swimming, driving the Ford, and going to basketball games . . . pet peeve is the air force R.O.T.C. . . . plans to attend college

LOIS ANN WOODMAN**27 Hunkele Street**

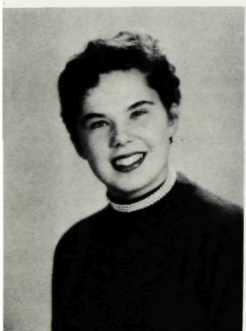
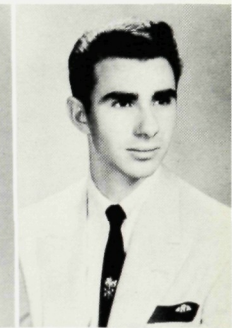
There's never a dull moment when our **Monad** editor is around . . . National Honor Society, Junior Red Cross, cafeteria work, Girls' State representation, and Montgomery Young People's . . . "Penny" will always remember Fridays with the girls, Blair, and the city across the river . . . the bane of her life is empty mailboxes . . . plans include teaching with lots of travel and excitement thrown in.

MARTHA WORTHINGTON**41 Van Reyper Place**

Sweet and friendly describes our twirling co-captain . . . secretary-treasurer of National Honor Society, member of Student Council, **Monad** Staff, and Sophomore and Junior Senates . . . played after-school sports . . . Sunday school teacher and member of Rainbows . . . likes knitting socks, reading, and sewing . . . hates being known as "Worky's" sister . . . future—college.

RALPH YANNECE**34 Columbus Avenue**

Ralph's our famous drummer who displayed his talents in the Dance Band, school's band, and in the school's Orchestra . . . working in local bands, attending jazz concerts, and taking out a certain girl take up most of Ralph's time . . . future includes traveling with a big-name band.

**CAROL ANN YOCUM****94 Forest Street**

Bright and cheery, Carol is better known in most circles as "Yo" . . . she's been on the **Spotlight** Staff and in our talent shows and this year made a very pretty twirling squad leader . . . favorite pastimes are driving that Pontiac and doing crazy antics with "Lil," Anita, and Sandy . . . plans to study advertising.

LOIS ZADIKOFF**6 Behmoor Street**

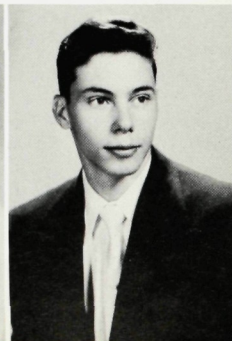
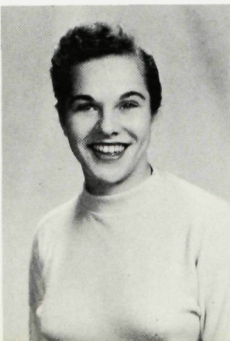
Lois is that vivacious twirler who's been seen many times performing on the field . . . a member of Leaders' Club and Junior Red Cross . . . has participated in intramural sports . . . belongs to Junior Achievement and is editor of the Youth Council Newspaper . . . enjoys music, journalism, art, and driving the new 98 Olds . . . future—college.

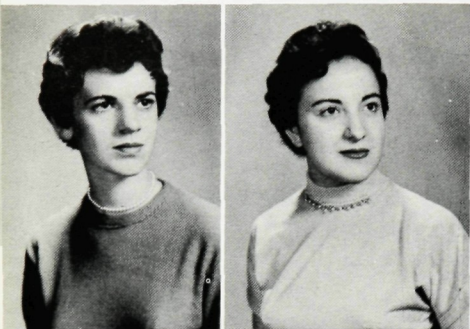
DOROTHY ZBOROWSKI**20 Nolton Street**

Popular Dottie was active in the Student Council for three years, the President's Cabinet, Assembly Committee, Leaders' Club, the **Spotlight**, and intramural sports . . . made an excellent cheerleader . . . member of the Sub-Junior Women's Club . . . likes riding with the girls but dislikes two-faced people . . . future includes office work or bookkeeping.

RICHARD ZEGARELLI**157 Union Avenue**

Our Richie is a real sportsman . . . spends his time riding horses and tossing footballs and baseballs . . . what else does he like? . . . girls, girls and more girls . . . in the years to come, we shall perhaps find Richie working as a car salesman.





JOAN ZIEGLER

19 Sunset Avenue

Fun-loving Joan from 309 played volleyball and basketball for two years . . . member of Personality Club and worked as **Monad** salesgirl . . . enjoys spending summers at Lavallette, listening to "Hold My Hand," and bowling . . . seen everywhere with Barbara . . . dislikes Bermuda shorts . . . future plans are business school.

ADALYN ZINNA

56 Cedar Hill Avenue

"Addie" is a bundle of cuteness, vim, and vitality . . . president of Personality Club, **Monad** salesgirl, dancer in the talent shows and on the stage in New York . . . likes popular music, dancing, and swimming . . . we all wish this girl success in her dancing career.

In Memoriam
Joan Evans
1937-1952

In Memoriam
Harold Powell
1937-1953

Memoirs

Through the Looking-Glass

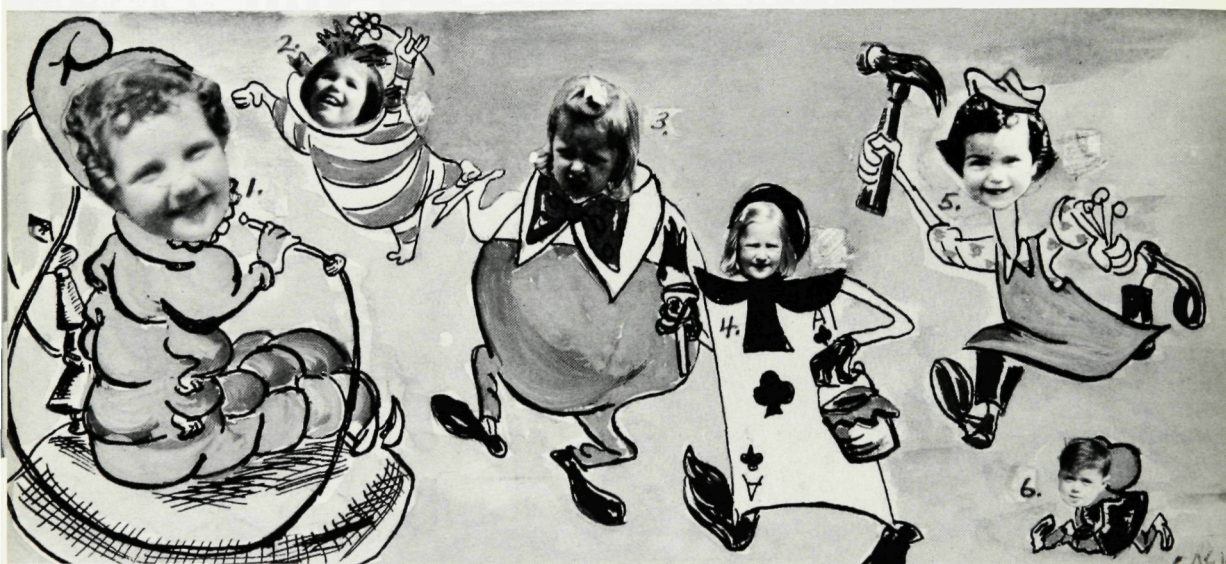


CLASS HISTORY

One bright September morning in 1951, a crowd of wide-eyed freshmen stepped through the looking glass into the Wonderland of Belleville High School. Not having Lewis Carroll to direct our adventures, we elected class officers in the persons of Joe Dente, president; Frank Cszaszar, vice-president;

happened the night of our Christmas Dance.

Led by Joe Dente, president; Sarah Daniels, vice-president; and John Mineo, secretary-treasurer we stepped into the next square on the checker-board of life at B.H.S. Even with Mr. Grossman trying to help us win the magazine campaign prize,



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Howie Irving, secretary; and Ruth Cassidy, treasurer. Just as in Alice's Wonderland, events happened quickly and seemingly all at once. We were rich freshmen after the magazine campaign had ended, amazed freshmen after Twirp Week, and just a little annoyed at the "slithy" snowstorm that

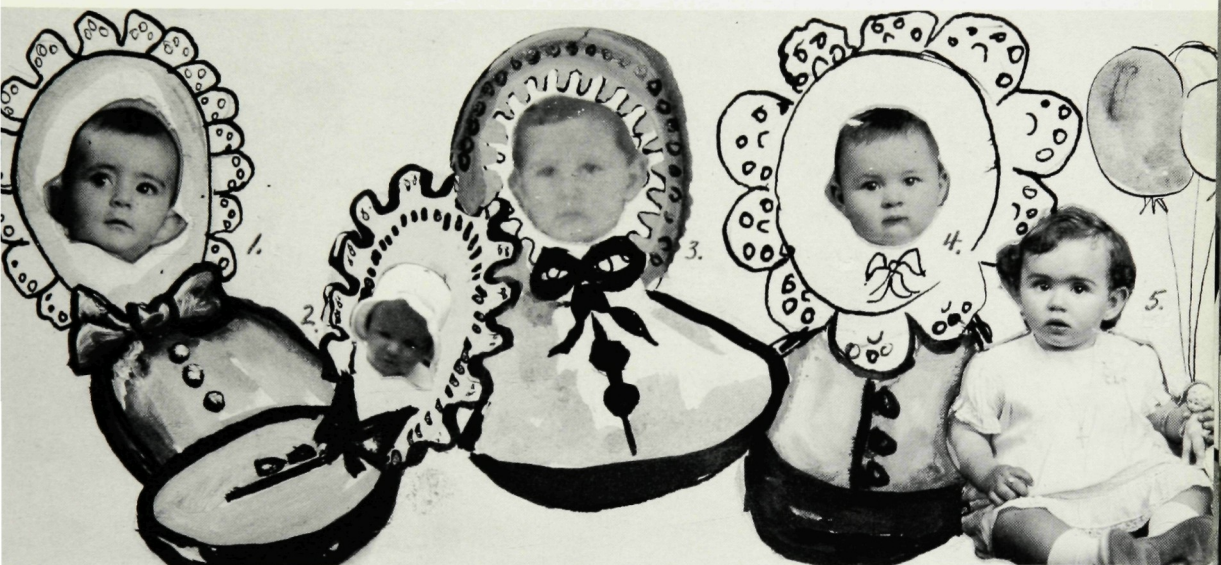
we needed the Sophomore Hop to provide us with the funds to continue our adventures. Mr. Grossman and Mr. Zuckerman were like Tweedledee and Tweedledum the way they battled for the possession of The Panda. As the "upper-lower classmen," we were noticed by representatives in sports, clubs and other activities around the school.

"The time has come," the walrus said, "To talk of many things."

Upperclassmen at last, we had members of our class in leading places: Bev Campbell was Student Council secretary, Joe Dente was the vice-president, and Nicholas La Para was assistant editor of the **Spotlight**. This was the year of mid-exams and finals, and we had to study hard to pass prob-

handling the renting of the Meadowbrook and the hiring of entertainment and a band. They also took care of our Winter Wonderland Dance.

In September, 1954, we sailed at last on the final voyage on the Wonderland Seas. We had "to run very fast to stay where we were" for



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lems that were harder than $365 \text{ minus } 1 \text{ equals } 364$. Our "brillig" Junior Prom was handled capably by the Junior Senate, and our class officers were President Tanya Greulich, Vice-president Vin Dente, Secretary Martha Worthington, and Treasurer Ed Kosinski. They were in charge of the new way of

activities came thick and fast. In September Joe Dente and Arlene Generazio took their places in Student Council as president and treasurer respectively. Class elections were held for the last time with the results that Tanya Greulich was president; Tom Dolan, vice-president; and Ed Kosinski, secretary-treasurer.

For the first time during the magazine campaign the senior class made an excellent showing being spurred on by the active 308 homeroom. However, we had a few red-faced seniors who missed out on the daily ten-dollar drawing.

During the football season Joe Mignon and Jack McCabe captained the football team, Tanya led the cheerleaders, Bev Campbell was a drum majorette, and Martha Worthington and Joanne Haster as captains put the twirlers through their fascinating routines while the senior members of the Band played lustily.

In January the Evaluation Committee fell down the rabbit hole and passed judgment on our school. The seniors disregarded tradition and presented a very successful Valentine Ball as a college style dance, receiving line and all. Around this time our fine basketball team was chasing the Essex

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County Tournament trophy. Although unseeded, we ended up as a "Cinderella team" playing in the semi-finals at Seton Hall.

A new girl commanded attention when **Dear Ruth** was presented. Members of the cast were Susan Walsh, Leona Salandra, Mary Frederick, Mary Geluso, Carol Travers, Nick La Para, Robert Drake, Mark Ricca, Richard Macaluso, and John Mineo.

April rolled around with showers and all. Our Junior Prom was held at the Military Park Hotel in Newark. May brought the tapping ceremony followed by congratulations and tears. Finally June arrived. All too soon those last few weeks flew by with the Rye Beach Trip, the Senior Dinner Dance, and Commencement.

Now, as we pursue the white rabbit through life, we shall have to wait to see what new Wonderlands lie ahead.

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CLASS WILL

One spring day
Near a rabbit's hole

Dear Class of 1955:

I have been told by the Red Queen, who is a very important person, that the only proper way to remember a thing is to make a memorandum of it. This is my memorandum of the friends I have made at Belleville High:

The boys and girls of our school are very friendly. For example, when I came to B.H.S., the very first thing I did was to get lost up on the third floor. All of a sudden I found myself floating right smack in the middle of Bob Drake's pool of Johnny Ray's tears! I would have drowned if

So I ran with them as fast as I could, which was not very fast because I kept stumbling over the crinolines of Joan Godleski and Judy Abromson. We took refuge in the music room and, after barricading the door, tried to figure out some way of escaping from the clutches of the cunning attackers.

"These Momeraths," explained Arlene Generazio, "are a band of savage drinking fountains who have been terrorizing our school for years."

Three minutes of thoughtful silence was declared, and at the end of that time Barbara McWalters had an idea. "I've heard that music soothes the savage beasts—and we have some terrific music makers in this school!"



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Steve Cohen had not come along in his banana wagon and stopped to fish me out. Once I was back on dry corridor again, I found myself staring at a huge sign swinging from the door of the chem lab which warned: "Beware of the Momeraths."

"Momeraths?"

"Yes, momeraths!" yelled Frank Durkee as he zoomed 'round the corner in his Renault. "Look out—here they come!"

As I turned 'round, a horde of screaming teenagers rushed down the hall toward me with Nick La Para in the lead. "Run for the roundhouse, Alice! They can't corner you there!"

"The organ makes the most noise — but it's flipped a tube," moaned Kathy Botsford, who had too vivid memories of the evaluation assembly program.

After Cy Amato's offer to sing had been declined, we decided that some red hot drum beats might do the trick, and Ralph Yannece got to work. Goodness those hep-cats! Johnny Mineo and Connie Francanero mamboed up the walls and across the ceiling. I was just about to follow them when our lookout, Bev Campbell, blew her whistle for silence; and being such old-fashioned fellows, they just couldn't stand the beat!

"Three cheers for Yannece!" yelled Tanya, Leona, Gail, Dolores, Barbara, Sarah, Sally, and Pat, cartwheeling out the door.

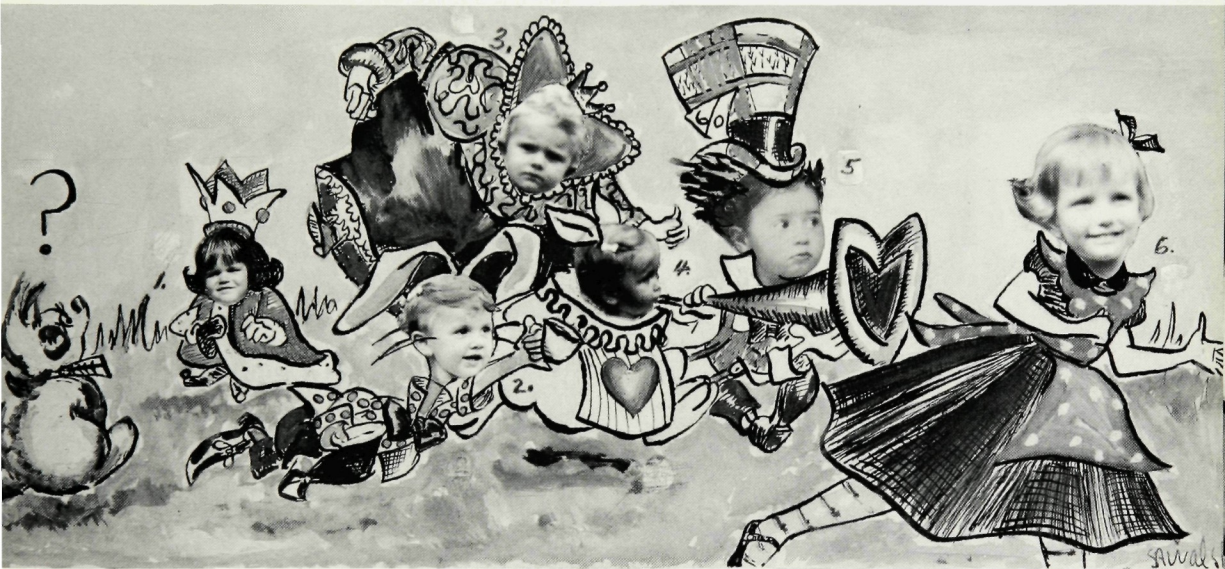
The king took an enormous memorandum-book . . . and began writing.

The bell for first period rang and I was on my way again—this time to Miss Andree's typing class.

I stopped for a while to watch Jean Demark painting the wallflowers blue and gold. This delay was sure to make me late, so I asked Jack Connolly for the shortest way to Room 311. "By my trusty slide rule left to me by Mr. Soldavini, I calculate the distance to be fifteen feet, three inches, and nine-tenths centimeters straight up," he said, handing me a diagram of the way all neatly folded up into the shape of an Oscar.

I wasn't late. Learning to type was a lot of fun. "Just be careful not to make any green I's,"

I wasn't sure what sort of a souvenir to leave, so I asked some of the fellows and girls for advice. Tom Dolan told me he's leaving his copy of **How to Win Friends and Influence People**, and Barbara Newschwander is leaving her choice seat in Miss Maffeo's history class. Mary Frederick is giving her honored post in the Skillet Club to some "Madchen." Richie Veith is leaving a whole string of worn-out basketballs just as Jerry Lilore leaves second base. Grace Orth is glad to get rid of her talent show jitters, but Dick Vazzano is keeping that ready grin of his. Connie Costanza considerably leaves a miniature desk; but Vin Dente is taking everything, including his brother, Joe.



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warned Jean Corbett. "Nor lose any rubber bands," added Susan Walsh. These remarks puzzled me for a while until something much more important happened. I was introduced to B.H.S.'s own King and Queen of Hearts, Mike Capozzi and Midge Sloan. After their majesties had wished me luck, my days at Belleville High became a long series of good times.

In fact I've enjoyed myself so much that I'm not sure I want to leave. When I told my problems to the Red Queen, she had a solution as usual: "Leave a souvenir! As the French say, 'Ich liebe Dich,' and in years to come you will discover the truth of that statement, my child."

Oh, and there were so many more suggestions: Ron Kabot's bassoon, Esther's sparkling ring, Howie Irving's white bucks, Joanne Haster's and Martha Worthington's captains' uniforms, Mike Del-Bon's football, Lois Woodman's headaches, Rosie Schreiber's basketball and smile, Mark Ricca's STAR role in the senior play, Joe Mignon's track shoes . . .

But I didn't have any of those souvenirs to leave so I've decided to give you this memorandum so that you may remember your friends from Belleville High, too.

Love,
ALICE

A long tale SENIOR PLAY



Hats off to the entire Senior Play cast. Here are Mark Ricco, Nick La Para, Susan Walsh, Robert Drake, John Mineo, Mary Fredericks, Mary Geluso, Leona Salandra, Carol Travers, and Richard Macaluso.

Credit should go to our directing department. Without assistant directors, Jane Encke and Ann Vaughn; and director, Bert Kupferer, *DEAR RUTH* could never have been such a success.

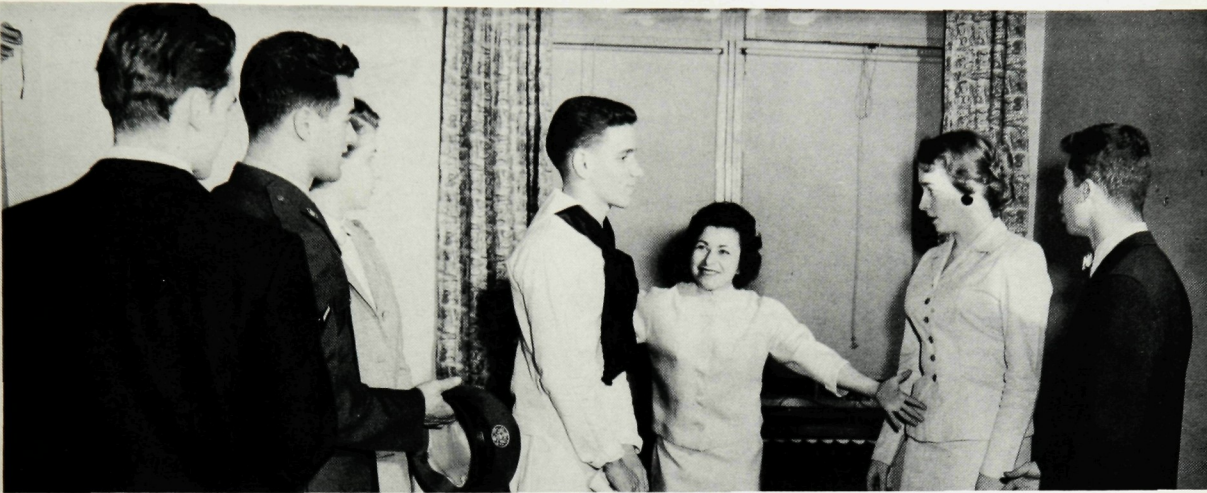
Alice may have thought she had trouble in Wonderland, but it was nothing compared to the painstaking job Mr. Kupferer had in picking his cast for *Dear Ruth*, especially when there was such a large turnout and such a small cast to choose. He was very much surprised to see the senior class so talented; therefore, the job was quite tedious and difficult. What a cast! Crazy? Yes. Mixed up? Indeed! Talented? Of course! We were all comedians who had Mr. Kupferer pulling his hair at every rehearsal. Leona Salandra, Richie Macaluso, Carol Travers, Nick La Para, John Mineo, Bob Drake, Mary Geluso, Mary Frederick, Susan Walsh, Mark Ricca, and student directors Ann Vaughn and Jane Encke made every rehearsal seem more like a comedy hour. How can we ever forget those long hours every day after school and those fabulous Saturday ones when we had lunch-breaks at the Sugar Bowl. We can still hear Mr. K's coaching from below the apron with, "More expression!" or "Keep in character." Remember those Saturdays when Mr. Kupferer's twin brother Bruce refused to join the role of co-director, or the two-hour late arrivals of John Mineo a trifle sleepy-eyed, or Susan Walsh with her giggles throwing everyone off character, or those sentimental kissing scenes?

Yes, *Dear Ruth* was quite a play; the cast was quite a cast; but most of all, there was our director, whose patience and aid made him seem more like a brother and classmate rather than a teacher.

We wish to thank any student and faculty member who participated in any way in making our production a success.



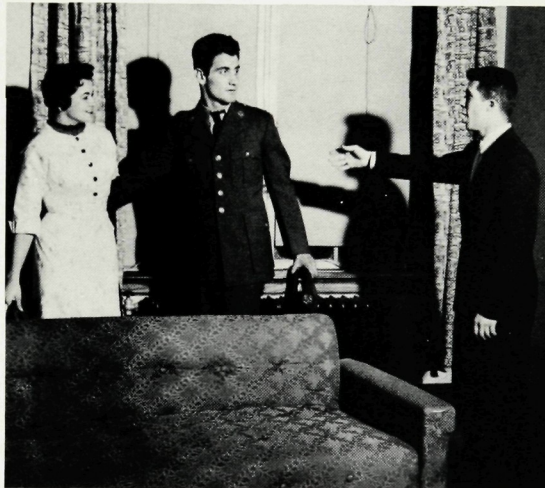
"Harold! Harold Klobbermeyer! Oh, no, not another one!" It seems Miriam has written to more than one serviceman.



"... there are two hundred boxes!" Bill, not knowing the truth about the letters, continues to send Ruth gifts—every hour on the hour.

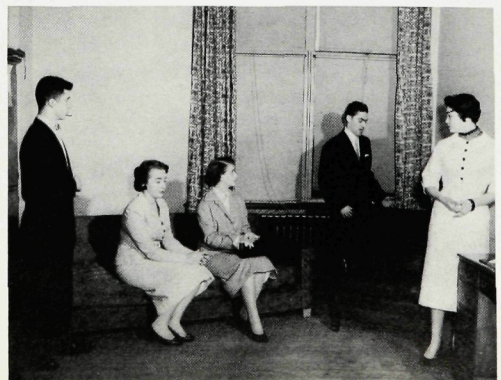


"What was in those letters? You don't mind telling me." Ruth has just discovered that sister Miriam has written sixty love letters to a lonely air force man, signing Ruth's name.



"I now pronounce you man and wife." Ruth and Bill leave for Florida after one of the fastest marriages on record.

"... on the other hand, Bill may have arranged it all by himself." Albert, Ruth's real fiancé, is fearful that Bill may have gone ahead and planned a surprise wedding.





Pool of tears . . . THE MONAD STAFF

Editor-in-chief Lois Woodman looks on while advisors Miss Thelma Weidman and Mrs. Faith Willis go over pictures and material for the MONAD.

Lewis Carroll might have originated a "pool of tears," but nobody but the **Monad Staff** knows what it is like to swim out of one before the deadline. We started off with a bang and then gradually gave way to such activities as basketball tournaments and the Senior Play so that the advisor, Miss Weidman, was often desperate about getting her material in on time.

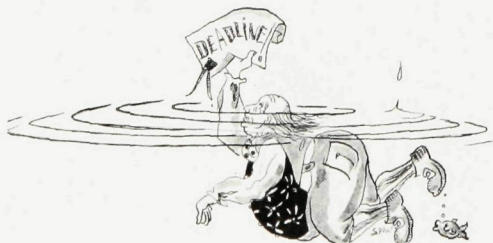
We hope you like our theme. For weeks we discussed several but none of them seemed to lend itself to a flexible program. Finally we arrived at Alice and her Wonderland. It sounded as if it would work; but when we finally got down to the real thing, we found that it was more difficult than we had anticipated. We have tried to carry it throughout the book as much as possible.

We wish to thank Mr. Rae, our printer; Miss Green of Apedia Studios for her photography; and Mr. Kondreck of Belleville, who has been kind enough to let us use some of the photographs he took for the **Spotlight**. Some of the candids for the basketball pages came from the **Newark Evening News**. Without their help, our yearbook would not be such a success.



Our Photography Editor Barbara McWalters and Miss Green from Apedia did a splendid job with our MONAD pictures. They were always on the go catching many smiling faces.

Our Art Staff under Mr. Diehl's direction did a superb job. They were deeply engrossed in a magic world of rabbits, bunnies, Alice and the Wonderland.





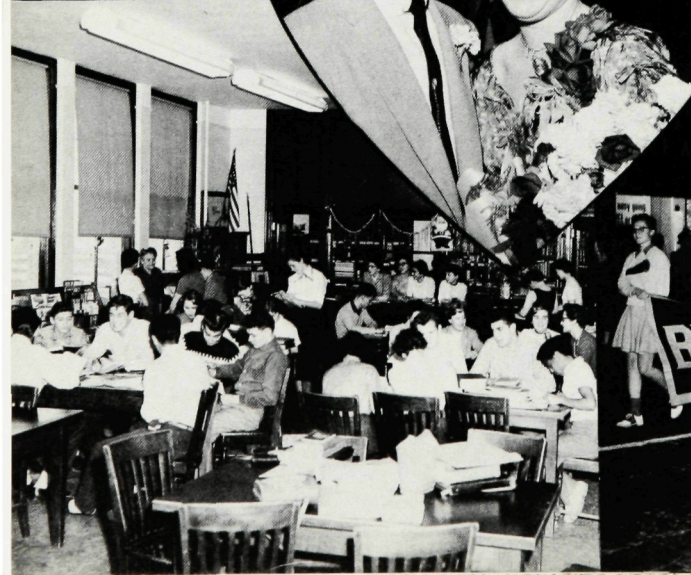
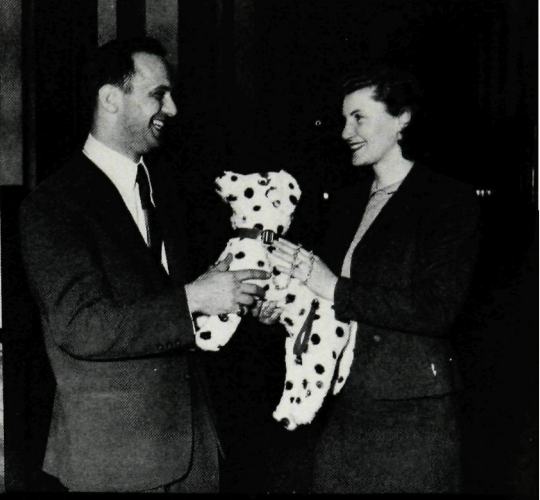
Our Business Staff was under Mr. Schultz's direction. Bernard Thaler captained the group, who worked industriously soliciting from our neighborhood businesses.

Mr. Kondreck, a local photographer, snapped this picture of our very efficient Monad Staff. They held meetings every Wednesday after school in Room 113.



Mr. Schultz advised this group of Monad Salesgirls who collected money for the yearbook during homeroom periods. They deserve praise for their work.







Activities . . .

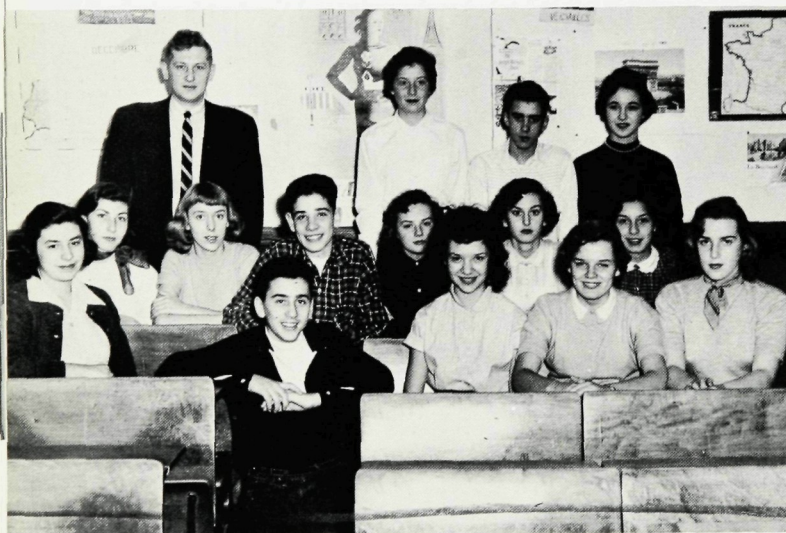
The mad tea party

CORBETT



JUNIOR SENATE

President Joe Prieto led the Junior Senate along with Vice-president Bill Perelli and Secretary-Treasurer Sandy Shaw. This group sponsored the Snow Shuffle Dance during one of the winter months and the biggest social event of the year, the Junior Prom. Both were successful, which shows the good work the senate did under the advisordship of Mr. Di Maggio and Miss Pinelli.



SOPHOMORE SENATE

The Sophomore Senate officers are President Evelyn Mantone, Vice-president William Ellis, and Secretary-Treasurer Louise Cairol. The officers, along with the other members of the senate, worked hard to plan their annual event of the year, the Sophomore Hop. It was a hit where a good time was had by all. The advisor, Mr. Chiara, is pictured above with the senate.



FRESHMAN SENATE

Pat McCabe led the Freshman Senate as president in a successful start in this group's Belleville High School career by planning the Christmas Dance, a gala occasion just before the holidays. It was enjoyed by all the classes as well as the freshmen. The other officers are Vice-president Dolores Wilson, Secretary Marie Volk, and Treasurer Gerry Ippolito. Along with the aid of their advisor, Mr. George Lees, the Freshman Senate has had a very successful year.

their heads!

SENIOR SENATE OFFICERS

These three student officers have worked hard this year directing the plans instigated by the Senior Senate. They are Tanya Greulich, president; Ed Kosinski, secretary-treasurer; and Tom Dolan, vice-president.



SENIOR ADVISORS

The teachers gathered here are the principal advisors for the senior activities. They are W. Ralph Correll, Murray Wilcox, Henry Miller, Michael Rosamilia, Alma Gray, Elsie Sandford, and Harold Dufford. Raymond Smith, Anne Snedeker, and Albert Kupferer were absent.



SENIOR SENATE

This is the group of students who have been seen working busily around B.H.S. Throughout the year the Senate has planned and run all the senior dances, a Christmas card sales program, the Senior Play, the Rye Beach Trip, the Senior Dinner Dance, graduation and many activities sponsored by the Class of 1955.



STUDENT COUNCIL . . .

One of our improvements on Alice's Wonderland is our Student Council. As a ruling body it is far better than the disagreeable queen who shouted "Off with their heads!" at every opportunity. Self-supporting through the magazine campaigns, the Council uses the money to subsidize the **Spotlight**, pay for our public address system, cheerleader outfits, and other good causes. The annual elections are taken seriously by the whole school which is careful to elect worthy officers. Led by its able faculty advisors, Belleville High is truly benefited by the achievements of the council.



Pictured here are Howie Irving, Jane Swartz, Jack Keller, Bill Penkethman and Mr. Correll selling SPOT-LIGHTS.

Jabberwocky

Posing formally with their officers are the members of the Executive Council.



Snapped by the photographer are the hard-working members of the General Assembly



Pictured here with the Student Council advisors, Mr. Grossman and Mr. Correll, are this year's officers. They are Joe Dente, president; Arlene Generazio, treasurer; Carol Vuono, secretary; and Norman Fost, vice-president.



Editor Nick La Para and Advisor Seymour Grossman reading "Heard in the Halls" column in an issue of **SPOTLIGHT**.



Editor Nick La Para and assistant editors Connie Franconero and Norman Fost looking over an issue of the **SPOTLIGHT**.

SPOTLIGHT

If Alice had been able to have an informative publication like the **Spotlight** to read, perhaps she would not have been so bewildered at the strange happenings in Wonderland.

The Mad Hatter, who lived through an eternal tea-party could have written the "Heard in the Halls," the gardeners could have given advice on how to paint roses red, and the Queen of

It's my own invention . . .

Hearts could have edited the sports page with tips on how to play croquet.

But Alice did not have a paper, and we have Nick La Para, Connie Franconero, and Norman Fost to supervise the excellent issues of **Spotlight**. Mr. Grossman is the faculty advisor, and Mr. Correll is the man we hear urging us to subscribe one hundred percent on publication day.



Connie Franconero and Nick La Para, editors, are giving assignments to this year's capable staff in Room 110.





DANCE BAND

During club periods this year, you could hear the Dance Band rehearsing the latest hit tunes. Under the guidance of Mr. Herbert Mattick, the friend of all B.H.S.'s Wonderland, the boys played for some of the B-Hives and assemblies.



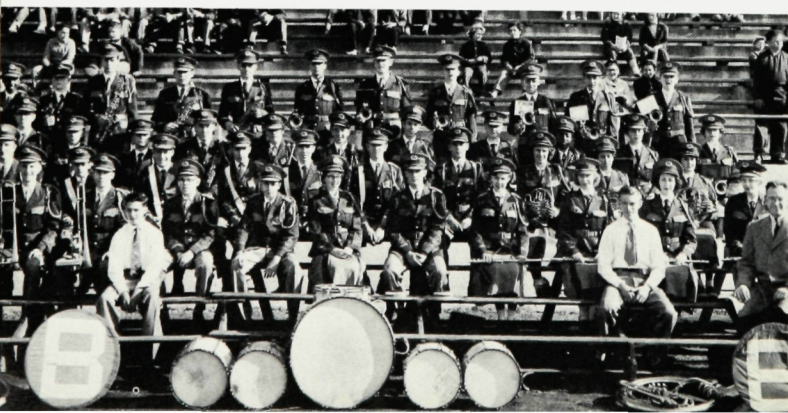
If that doesn't drum them out of town,



We wonder what the Twirling and Band director, Mr. Herbert Mattick, is saying to Mr. Correll to give him that angelic expression. Mr. Mattick can charm the faculty with that enthusiastic vitality of his, but he can also make the student body love him with his boyish smile. We will never forget the student-planned, surprise assembly honoring our own Mr. Mattick.

TWIRLERS and MAJORETTES

Our poised and good-looking Twirlers give us a smile at our stadium before one of our home football games. This group of talented girls have performed excellently throughout the year. The squad leaders are Kay Carroll, Carol Travers, Carol Yocum and Lois Zadikoff.



BAND

This is our B.H.S. Band—a hard-working group which has done a good job throughout the year. Here we find them in front of the stands before a home football game.



CHOIR

If Alice ever chanced to be near Room 202 during first period, she would have heard the Choir, under the leadership of Dr. Samuel W. Peck, singing a variety of songs. The group sang at the Christmas, Easter, and Spring concerts.

nothing ever will.

Grouped here are Kathleen Botsford and Dr. Samuel Peck. Kathleen is the accompanist for all choral groups and plays the organ during assemblies. Dr. Peck is the director of the music department.



BAKER'S DOZEN

If you enter Belleville High's Wonderland at 8:15 and hear music, it is not the Borogones from the Wonderland Band but our own Baker's Dozen. These thirteen girls with their director, Dr. Peck, and accompanist, Kathie Botsford, travel to the grammar schools and the choral festival at Trenton State Teachers College to sing each year. Mr. Kondreck photographed them one morning before rehearsal.





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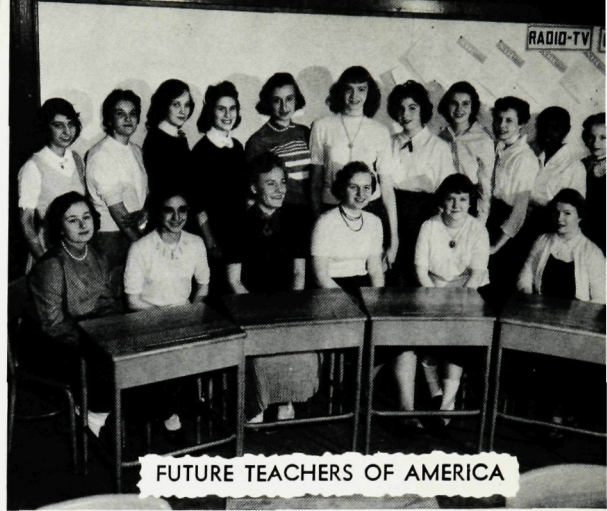
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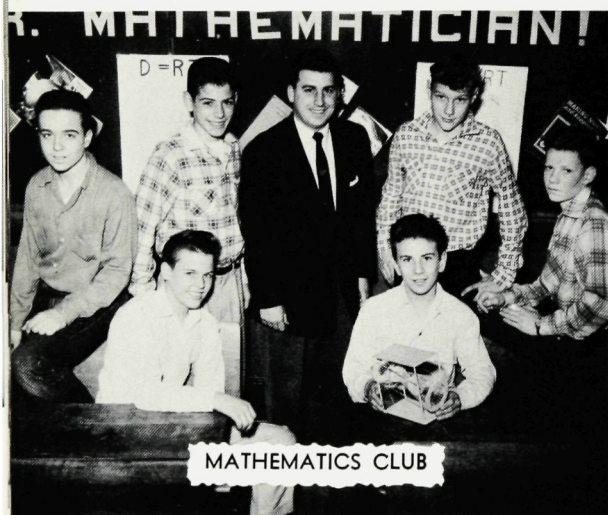
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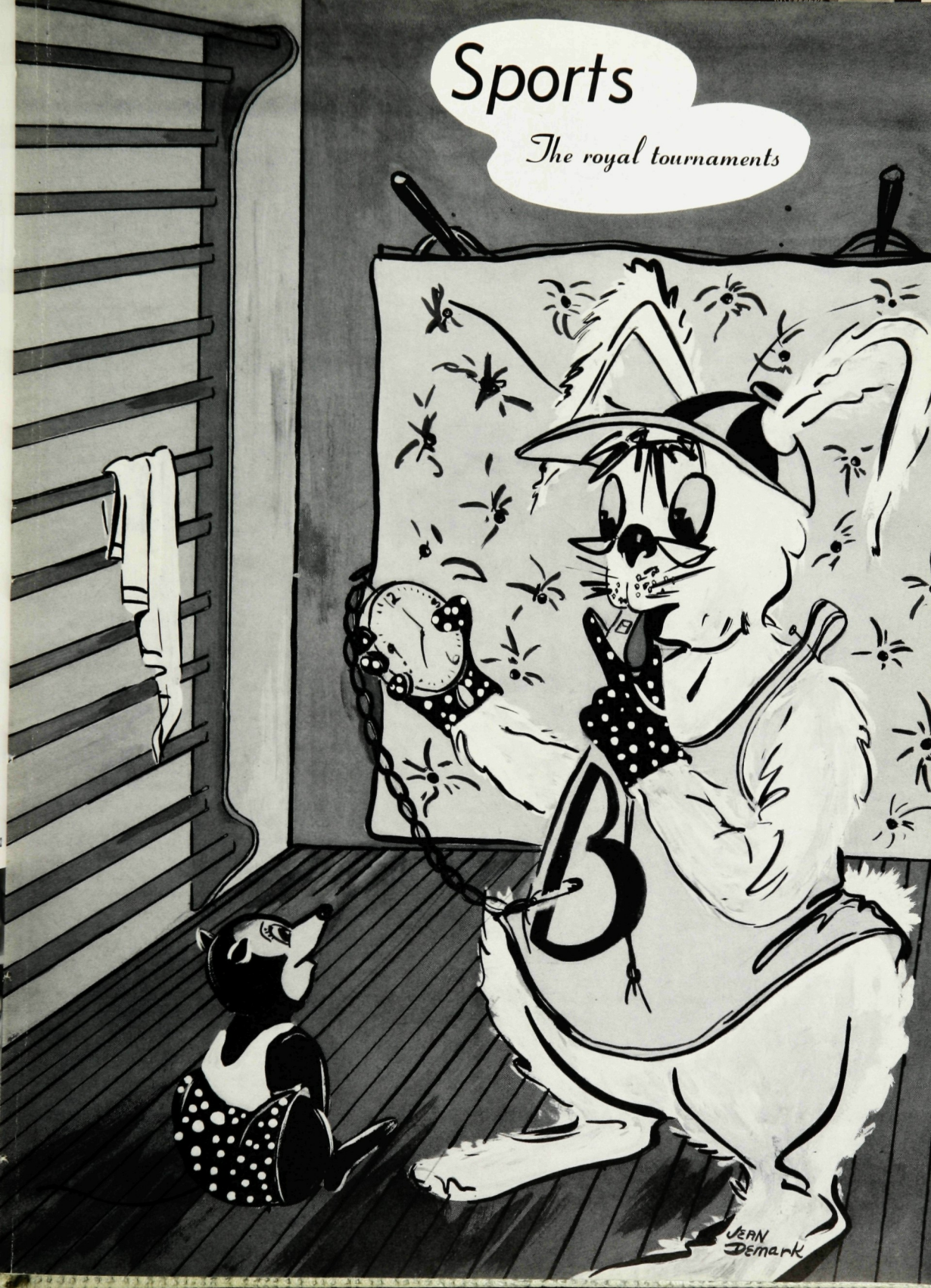


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Sports

The royal tournaments

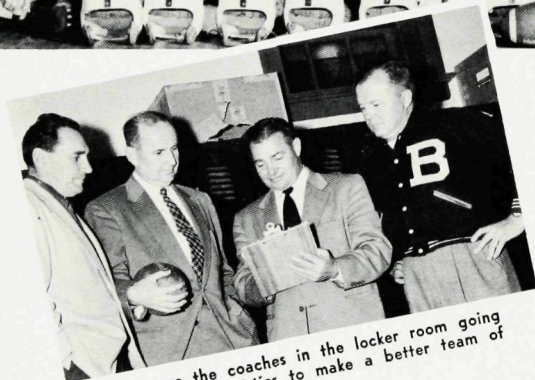


FOOTBALL



VARSITY

The Varsity Team of 1954-55 in a formal pose. They went through the season in spite of mud and rain to bring us a score of three wins, five losses, and one tie.



Here are the coaches in the locker room going over a few statistics to make a better team of Belleville's players.



Here one of our boys is making a single-handed tackle of the opposition near the goal.

Our dynamic Bellboys went through the season with enthusiasm and spirit with a record of 3 wins, 5 losses and 1 tie. Although East Orange beat us in the opener 18-0, Belleville showed teamwork and good possibilities. Bloomfield handed us our second loss with also an 18-0 score. A powerful Nutley eleven bumped Belleville off with an expected 26-0 loss. Prospects started looking better when we tied West Side 12-12 and displayed great teamwork hitting Irvington and Hillside hard for two consecutive wins. Kearny and West Orange handed us our next two unexpected losses. The Bellboys came onto the field Thanksgiving Day and

With sobs and tears he sorted out those of the largest size



FRESHMEN

Here is the Freshman Team coached by Wilho Winika. These boys worked hard this year and have plenty of size and potential possibilities to give Belleville the top-notch varsity we want in 1959.

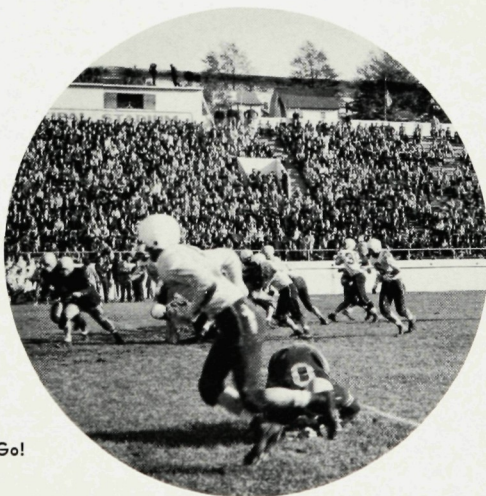


Pictured above are the managers and equipment director. They keep things running smoothly. They are Bob Fredericks, Billy Ellis, Jerry Rhodes, and Richie Mahmarian.

put the damper on Orange 19-6, which was enhanced by a tremendous 85-yard run by quarterback Frank Puleo.

Next year's team will miss such players as Dolan, Olphin, McCabe, Mignon, Dal Bon, Lilore, Bergamini, Benedetti, and Macaluso. Richard Macaluso was named by the **Newark News** and the **Newark Star Ledger** as a member of the all-county team.

We would like to thank "Jitty" Wische, Ray Smith, Ed Berlinski, and Wilho Winika for all the hard work they did as coaches. Much credit should be given to the avid fans who, despite the losses, followed the team from game to game.



The kickoff at the Kearny game. Go! Man! Go!

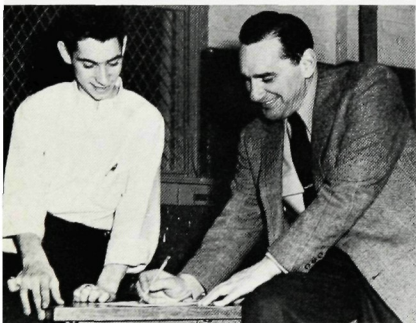


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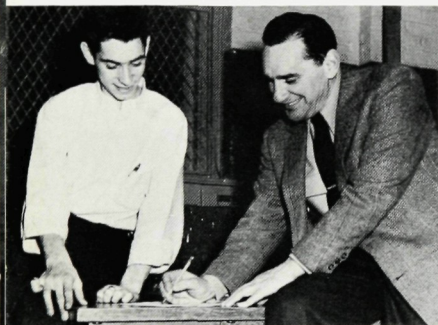


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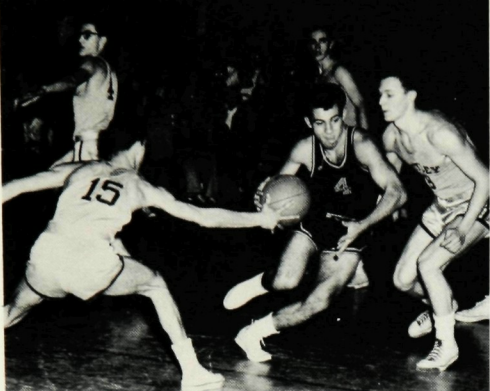
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Joe Long driving around Nutley's defense for an easy lay-up. Picture was loaned to us through the courtesy of the NEWARK NEWS.

An action shot taken at Belleville during the Junior Varsity Tournament. Belleville lost to Orange, 65-61.

The great wonder is that there is anyone left alive.

JUNIOR VARSITY

The Junior Varsity team, under the training of Coach Ray Smith, had a successful season with 8 wins and 7 losses.



FRESHMEN

Coach Herman Knuppel was the director of this impressive Freshman Basketball Team.





A formal shot of the Varsity Eight, Varsity Four, and subs at the dock on the Passaic River.



Coaches Bill Bennett and Ray Smith viewing the boys from the dock of the boat house on the Passaic River.



"Ready, all row!" This picture was taken as the Bellboys were working out on the river.

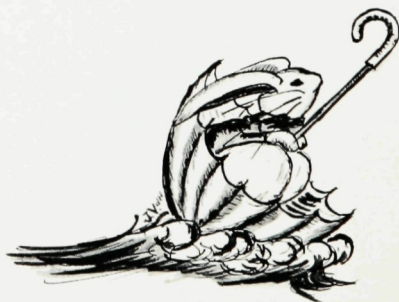


The 1955 Crew, although lighter than the crews of the past few years, has the power to win. The varsity eight with coaches and manager travels all along the Eastern seacoast from Massachusetts to Philadelphia as well as remaining on the Passaic for races.

Having as its home dock the Nereid Boat Club, the Crew practices daily on the Passaic River. The club is the place where the Belleville and Nutley crews keep the shells and equipment.

This year Bob Bartlett is managing the boys and Bill Bennett and Ray Smith are coaching our team of Howie Irving, bow; Harry Glass, 2; Jack Connolly, 3; Harry Reynolds, 4; Bob Lane, 5; Tom Dolan, 6; Howie Taubin, 7; Bob Greene, stroke; and Gene Hopper, coxswain.

The Crew has raced against college freshmen and other high schools. Among them were M.I.T., Kent, Rutgers and Columbia, as well as La Salle, Nutley, Arlington, Roosevelt, and Poughkeepsie high schools. The high-light of the season was the National Schoolboy Championship race on the Schuylkill River in Philadelphia.



The varsity four shell crew with bowman, Gerry Gilroy; Harold Hollister; Johnny Seasholtz; stroke, Walter Schickram; and coxswain, Bob Assantes.

"Get to your places . . . and the game began."

BASEBALL

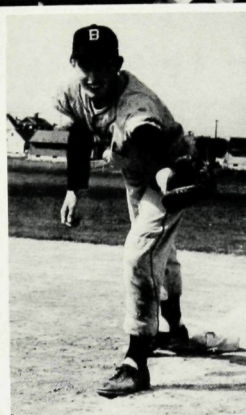
The 1955 Varsity Baseball Team posed by Kondreck Studio. Pitcher John Bartell, second from right in the first row, made baseball history by pitching a no-hitter against Columbia.



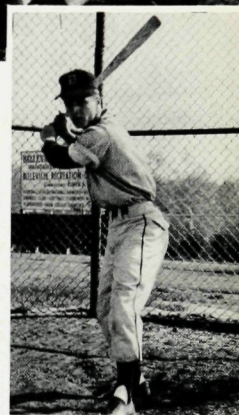
The Belleville High Baseball Team of 1955 put in many hours of practice at the stadium in preparation for those grueling games with neighboring schools. The season began auspiciously when we won the opening game against Columbia on April 20.

Led by Captain Joe Orlando, the team consisted of first base, Richard Veith; second base, Ted Nichols; third base, Joe Prieto; shortstop, Joe Long; left field, "Happy" Menarguez; center field, Joe Orlando; right field, Jim Apple; catcher, James Landon; and pitchers, Joe Tortorella and John Bartell.

The boys played enthusiastically and left a good record for their season, thanks to the coaching of Mr. Berlinski during the 18 games.



Richie Veith, our All-State basketball star, also does a fine job on the baseball team.



What a swing! Joe Orlando belts out a long hit.

Mr. Kondreck took this formal picture of the Junior Varsity Baseball Team. Coach MacArthur uses a line-up of seven sophomores and two freshmen. Many of these boys are eventually on the Varsity Team, having gained valuable experience against rugged opposing teams.



Belleville High will miss the experience of these players next year. The seniors on the team are Ted Nichols, Joe Orlando, Don Grucok, Richie Veith, and Roger Guglicelli.





TRACK

The Belleville High Track Team does more than "trot." Among the usual events that take place during a meet are the broad jump, high jump, shot put, discus throw and relay events as well as the runs and dashes. The 1955 team represented by all four classes had 35 boys, 7 of whom were seniors. One senior, Joe Mignon, has really put Belleville on the track map with his point-winning dashes for the past four years.

During the season they met nine times with teams from surrounding schools. Having begun their season right after Easter vacation under Mr. Winika's coaching, they were in meets all through May and climaxed the year with the State Championship Meet in New Brunswick during June.

We brought them out so far and made them trot so quick.



GOLF

These few boys under the direction of Mr. Wische practice at Hendricks Field Golf Course in preparation for the matches with other schools in New Jersey. This season, nine matches were scheduled with such schools as Bloomfield, Nutley, Montclair, Saint Benedict's, and Blair Academy as well as the State Tournament.

Although golf is a minor sport with a scant following, these boys are enthusiastic and carry the responsibility of representing Belleville High throughout the state.

From left to right: Coach Wische, Tom Jennings, Ernest Ippisch, Rod MacPherson, Donald Morano, and Anthony Gaeta.



BOWLING

Belleville High School's Bowling Team is coached by Mr. George Lees. This hard-working group meets every Friday afternoon at the Branch Brook Lanes Bowling Alleys. The team has participated in the North Jersey Interscholastic Bowling League. After playing ten matches, Belleville had six wins and four defeats, which placed them second behind Bloomfield during the regular campaign.

In the League's handicap tournament Belleville walked off with first-place honors.

The members of the team and their averages are Ron Bergamini, 174; Mike Higgins, 167; Carmen Fortunato, 158; Art Brizzi, 155; Mike Benecchi, 153; and John Coppola, 134.

We wish to thank Mr. Kondreck of Belleville for the above picture.



Arthur Brizzi, John Coppola, and Ron Bergamini look on as Mike Higgins presents Mr. Lees with a gift in appreciation for his help as coach during the successful season of the team.

Arthur Brizzi and John Coppola watch as Ron Bergamini is presented with a statue by Mr. Kittle which represents the team having taken second place in the league.



CHEERLEADERS

*What a noise they make
when they tumble*



The individual pictures are those of the seniors who are graduating. Above is Captain Tanya Greulich.



Dolores Panzer is caught in a formal pose.



Here is that pleasant cheerleader, Leona Salandra.



The cheerleaders' many hours of practice were supervised by Betty Forgeron and Ida Thomson pictured here with Captain Tanya Greulich.



Gail Fobert is caught just before the game at our stadium.



Sarah Daniels caught in a serious mood.

Here are the members of the 1954-1955 cheering squad. They are Pat Paganelli; Leona Salandra; Tanya Greulich, captain; Dolores Panzer; Sarah Daniels; Gail Fobert; Barbara Wische; and Sally Kelly.

How often Alice must have wished for someone to cheer her on in the dark moments of loneliness in Wonderland! Our lucky Bellboys had these lovely young ladies to lead the cheers that helped to give us winning points in football and basketball. Noted for their capability, good looks, and personality, these girls cheered themselves hoarse to keep up the morale of the team.



GIRLS' SPORTS

Pictured here by a local photographer, Mr. Kondreck, are the winners of the Freshman-Sophomore Basketball League, the Res-Ames and their team mascot, Bill Ellis.



Here we go round the mulberry bush

The Big-Ten was the senior team winner of the Junior-Senior Basketball League. These girls really deserve credit for the efforts they put out to win over their competitors. This picture was taken by Mr. Kondreck.



LEADERS' CLUB

These are the girls of the white gym suits—members of the Leaders' Club, which is supervised by Miss Thomson and Miss Forgeron. The officers are Arlene Whyche, president; Tanya Greulich, vice-president; Kay Carroll, secretary; and Peggy Burke, treasurer. These girls are chosen for their outstanding achievements in athletics and their efforts in all sports and school work.

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