

RECORD BOOK

B. M. C. DURFEE HIGH SCHOOL

1946



The Class of 1946 has the distinction of being the first class in five years to go forth from school into a world at peace. Yet it goes not forth with ranks unbroken or with numbers intact, for 64 of its members are serving in the Armed Forces of our country.

The following comprise the Roll of Honor of the Class of 1946:

Aguiar, John V.

Allen, Oliver W.

Antaya, Raymond R.

Arnold, Everett S.

Bennett, Joseph E.

Bilsky, Earl

Chase, Bertram P.

Considine, James M.

Cordeiro, Manuel A.

Crovello, Ernest E.

Cunha, Tiberio V.

D'Adamo, Frederic A.

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Daley, William J.

Deane, Robert A.

Drzal, Joseph W.

Duprey, Wilfred

Finglas, James P.

Gagnon, Jules G.

Gagnon, Raymond

Gaudette, Merton E.

Geddis, George K.

Harrington, William H.

Higgins, William

Hill, James K.

Hoar, Gerald P.

Hodgson, Henry M.

Hughes, Donald C.

Kennedy, John J.

La Cava, Anthony J.

Lizotte, Henry B.

Maltezos, Steve H.

Manica, Edward V.

McMurray, Peter G.

Medeiros, Roland

Millerick, Daniel

Moore, James

Morley, Irving

Moy, George

Mulrooney, Gerald E.

Munro, J. George

Murgio, John

Murphy, Robert M.

Nasser, Francis E.

Nobrega, Henry V.

Pacheco, Peter Peterson, James R.

Phelen, Edward W.

Podesky, Edward S.

Quinn, John J.

Rachlin, Mortin I.

Raposa, John D. Ross, Norman K.

Coatt Dahart H

Scott, Robert H.

Shaker, Sali J.

Sharples, Robert S.

Shea, Edward F.

Shea, Roger M.

Silva, Manuel M.

Turgeon, Raymond H.

Walsh, Clinton H.

Wilmarth, Charles H.

Wise, Charles H.

Wong, Oliver

Wrobleski, Joseph M.

The Class of 1946 also claims among its members 15 Veterans of World War II, honorably discharged from the Armed Forces in time to resume their studies at Durfee and complete the requirements for a diploma.

Barselou, Robert H.

Brogan, Raymond W.

Charette, Thomas E.

Cleaves, Kevin J.

Cordeiro, Louis

Gendron, Norman H.

Ginsberg, Burton

Lynch, John J.

Maher, Bernard F.

McShane, Leo F.

Morgan, Robert L.

Oothout, Raymond B.

Robinson, Hazel

Rodrigues, Joseph

Victorine, Herman



WILLIAM S. LYNCH
Superintendent of Schools

At the beginning of its senior year, the Class of 1946 had the privilege of assisting in the welcome to Mr. William S. Lynch, Durfee alumnus and distinguished educator who had been called back to his native city to administer the affairs of its School Department. To him we wish continued success in the all-mportant field to which he is devoting his talents and energy.

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CHARLES V. CARROLL

Principal

Although our closest associates throughout our years at Durfee have been our classmates and our teachers, in all school activities we have been ever conscious of the guiding influence of our principal, Mr. Charles V. Carroll. We take this means of expressing to him our sincere appreciation of his interest in our welfare. We honor him for the qualities of leadership he manifests as Principal of B. M. C. Durfee High School.

Marles F. Janual



DEDICATION



To Miss Katherine L. Hogan, devoted teacher, kind friend, and wise counsellor of the Senior Class, we, the members of the Class of 1946, dedicate this book.



10 HIGHEST RANKING SENIORS

Louise A. Castonguay

Roger J. Boulay

Tung Yim Chin

Dimas Costa

Lillian Gardula

June E. Madowsky

Bernice A. Roszkowitz

Rosalyne E. Spindel

Nancy L. Sullivan

Sophie A. Swidzinski

CLASS OFFICERS

JAMES E. MULLINS, President

JOHN J. PETERSON, Vice-President

JULIET MORROW, Secretary

President of the Home Room Directors

ROBERT F. GARDELLA

President of the Students' Activities Association
ROGER J. BOULAY

Editor of The Hilltop
GLADYS T. COURY



THE STAFF OF



VIRGINIA A. KELLEY
Assistant Editor



SAL A. PETRILLO Editor



ANTHONY G. IMBRIGLIO
Assistant Editor



EVERETT S. ARNOLD
Assistant Editor



ROBERT D. MELLO Sports Editor

C/WE RECORD BOOK



MARION LINCOLN Asst. Business Manager



FLORENCE E. MELLOR Business Manager



JAMES A. THORPE Asst. Business Manager



LENA M. TONI
Typist



IRENE C. ALPHONSE

Artist

RECOGNITION



RUTH N. Dow

Uncle Lanie



Louis A. Allard



MARION E. KERNAN

This year marks the completion of 25 years of service for six members of the Durfee faculty. The Class of 1946, with sincere appreciation for their devotion, wishes them many happy years to come in their profession.



BLANCHE I. JOUETT

HARRY P. LYNCH



AMASA F. WILLISTON



OUR FACULTY

CHARLES V. CARROLL, PRINCIPAL HERBERT W. PICKUP, VICE-PRINCIPAL RALPH M. SMALL, VICE-PRINCIPAL MARY LEE, DEAN OF GIRLS

AMBROSE F. KEELEY, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

Louis A. Allard Myron T. Ashley Eugenie W. Bent Emily B. Campbell Joseph O. Carroll Mildred V. Carroll John A. Carvalho Winifred F. Chase William M. Cleare Lillian F. Cole James F. Conlin Mary B. Connors Berton E. Cook Mary F. Corcoran Angeline B. Crispo John T. Crowley Margaret G. Dailey Lewis P. Damon E. Christine Davis Edna U. Delahanty Mary A. Dolan Thomas F. Doran Ruth N. Dow Edward B. Downs Ernest J. Fantom Ralph J. Fletcher Carrie T. Foulkes Virginia W. Frost Elinor F. Gilbert Frederic J. Gottwald Almira R. Graham

Mary C. T. Grandfield Marjorie Gray Samuel A. Hall rrederick J. Harrington John J. Harrington Joseph R. Hatnaway Harold Hines George C. Hoar Katherine L. Hogan Blanche I. Jouett Mary E. Judge William F. Kaylor Margaret F. Keefe Helena A. Kelley Daniel Kelly Marion E. Kernan John E. Kiley Frank D. Lane Alice G. Langford Joseph J. Lawlor Elizabeth L. Leonard Katherine F. Lomax Margaret F. Lowney Harry P. Lynch Raymond P. Maronpot Grace L. Martin Anna G. McCarty Rose E. McHale E. Estelle Miles George A. Mitchie

Stephen Nawrocki Ruth Newkirk Caesar Nobrega Catherine O'Brien Anne L. O'Neil Leslie W. Orcutt Margaret H. Powers F. Antoinette Pratt Florence G. Pritchard Maybelle E. Ramsay Mary E. Ryan Sylvia W. Seagrave Antonio A. Serpa Marie V. Shalloo Henry J. Shea Philip W. Sherry Charles D. Smith Hilda I. Smolensky Anna L. Sullivan Dorothy C. Sullivan Helena V. Sullivan Marian R. Thompson Marion L. Torphy Louis J. Urban Margarett E. Macdonald Frederick H. Vinecombe Barbara Wellington Margaret J. Whalon Amasa F. Williston Helena H. Withrow

IN MEMORIAM Victor E. Mello, Died April 25, 1946

Florence M. Burns, Clerk Lauretta L. Butler, Clerk

Anne T. Coughlin, Clerk Katheryn A. Lenehan, Clerk Lillian Wightman, Matron



CLASS OFFICERS



JOHN J. PETERSON Vice-President



Juliet Morrow Secretary



JAMES E. MULLINS
President



The Class of l 9 4 6



JOHN V. AGUIAR U. S. Navy

ROBERT J. AINSWORTH

"Juke" "Nick"

Health Councillor 2





OLIVER W. ALLEN U. S. Navy

B. ELIZABETH ALMEIDA',
"Betty"
Glee Club 2
Camera Club 4

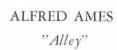




IRENE CONSTANCE ALPHONSE

"Al"

Commercial Club 4 Health Councillor 2 Record Book Artist 4 Basketball 2 orelling







LEONORA ANDRADE

"Lee" "Lu"

RAYMOND R. ANTAYA
"Doc" "Ray" "Frenchy"
U. S. Army Engineers





MARIO ANTONELLI, JR.

EVERETT S. ARNOLD

"Wrang" "Ev"

U. S. Navy
Home Room Director 2
Football 2, 3, 4
Co-captain 4
Varsity Club 3, 4
Ass't. Editor Record Book 4





DOROTHY VIRGINIA BACON

"Dot" "Dottie"

Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4 Mixed Chorus 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 3, 4 Dramatic Club 4 Costume Mistress 4







ROBERT H. BARSELOU "Bob"

ROBERT W. BATCHELDER "Lit" "Batch"





CORA M. BAZINET
"C. B."
Home Room Director 4

Camera Club 4



CLEMENT BERNARD "Clem"



RAYMOND BERUBE "Brud" Advisory Committee 4



EARL BILSKY
U. S. Marine Corps



JOSEPH BOARDMAN "Joe"



JANICE L. BOISSELLE "Jan"



DOLORES BOLGER "Delly"



HILDA R. BOLUSKY

"Hid"

Basketball 2 Health Councillor 2 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Recorder 4 Thespians 4 Literary Club 3





JAMES BONAS
"Jim"

Home Room Director 1



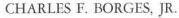
WILLIAM W. BOOKMAN "Bookie"

Health Club 2 Speakers' Bureau 4



ALBERTA L. BORDEN

"Al" "Rusty"



Band 3 Science Club 3, 4 S. A. A. Councillor 1, 4 Track 1 Home Room Director 1, 2, 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 4



OLYMPIA M. BORGES

"Lil"

Girls' Glee Club 1 Health Councillor 2 Basketball 2 Speakers' Bureau 4 Home Room Director 1 Individual Gym Meet 2



LUCILLE H. BOUCHER

"Lu" "Lucy" Home Room Director 2

PAUL A. BOULAY Jukouper ROGER J. BOULAY

"Red"

Health Club—Pres. 2 Track 2, 3, 4 Science Club 3, 4 National Honor Society 3, 4 Students Activities Ass'n.—Pres. 4 Speakers' Bureau 4





RUTH ELIZABETH BRADSHAW

"Ruthie"

Home Room Director 3
Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Varsity Basketball 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Swimming 2,3
Advisory Committee 4
Soccer 3, 4
Gym Leader 3, 4
Orchestra 2, 3
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Girls' Glee Club 2
Badminton 3, 4



JEAN MARIE BRADY "Jeanie"





MARJORIE G. BRAYTON
"Marge"

Mixed Chorus 4
Girls' Glee Club 4
Basketball 2



EDMUND D. BRIDGE
"Bridgy" "Ed"

Football 3, 4
Varsity Club 4



MYRTLE THELMA BRIERLEY
"Myrt" "Mim"



CLAIRE BROCHU
"Red"

Commercial Club 4



DORIS B. BRODEUR Gift Committee 4



RAYMOND W. BROGAN



GEORGE I. BROWN
"Zack"

ALFRED S. BUCKLEY, JR. "Buck"





KATHLEEN VERONICA BURNS
"Kay" "Red"
Glee Club 2



HELEN BYRON



MARY CABRAL

National Honor Society 3, 4

Home Room Director 3

Aid in Infirmary 2, 3, 4

Basketball 2

Dance Committee 4



JOSEPH H. CAMBRA
"Joe"
Traffic 3, 4



JEAN CAMPBELL "Jeannie"



"Gus" "Jack" Student Manager Baseball 3 Varsity Club 3, 4

JOHN CAMUSO



"Dan"
Football 3, 4
Varsity Club 4
Baseball 2
Band 1, 2
Home Room Director 1

DANIEL J. CARBERRY



MARY AMELIA CARDOZA Commercial Club 4 Orchestra 2



LOUISE A. CASTONGUAY
Home Room Director 3, 4
Literary Club 3, 4
Health Councillor 2
Basketball Tournament 2
Ping Pong Tournament 2
National Honor Society 3, 4
Secretary 4
Library Aid 4
Badminton 4
Advisory Committee 4

CLAIRE ANGELA CHAMPOUX

Basketball 2 Twirler 4





MABEL CHAPMAN

BERTRAM PARKS CHASE, JR.

"Beetle" "Bert"

U. S. Navy Traffic 4





ANNA M. CHICCA

Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4 Mixed Chorus 3, 4



"Jimmy"

Vice. Pres. of Science Club 4 Vice Pres. of National Honor Society 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Home Room Director 2 Library Aid 2, 4 Advisory Committee 4





"Cholly"

Home Room Director 2
Stamp and Bond Cashier 4
Office Assistant 4
Hilltop Staff 4
Commercial Club 4
Speakers' Bureau 4
Secretary 4





"Sam"





THOMAS G. CLARK "Tom" "Tommy"

BARBARA MAY CLARKSON
"Barbs" "Clarkie"

Basketball 2





KEVIN J. CLEAVES

"Kev"

Chorus 1, 2



EVERETT THOMAS CLEGG

"Cleggy"

Orchestra 1, 3, 4 Health Club 2 Band 1, 2, 3, 4



GERALDINE CLEMENT

"Gerry"

Home Room Director 1 Camera Club 4 Basketball 2



"Babs" "Bobbie"

Office Assistant 3, 4 Commercial Club 4





"Phil"

Gift Committee 4

Ber of Juck



CARL J. CLOUTIER
Home Room Director 4







JOHN J. COLLINS

"Butch"

PAULINE THERESA COMEAU

"Paul"





JAMES CONROY

"Jim"
Home Room Director 1
Traffic Squad 4

JAMES M. CONSIDINE

U. S. C. G. Band 2, 3, 4 Student Band Leader 4
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Boys' Glee Club 4
Mixed Chorus 4 Pep Band 4 Conductor 4





CLAIRE PATRICIA COOGAN

"Coog"

Home Room Director 3 Cheerleader 3, 4



MANUEL A. CORDEIRO

U. S. C. G.



TOFICK COREY

DIMAS COSTA

"Danny"

Track 2, 3 Home Room Director 3 National Honor Society Pres. 3, 4 S. A. A. Council 4 Speakers' Bureau 3, 4 Science Club 4 Library Aid 4 Harvard Awards 3





GLADYS T. COURY

"Glad"

Editor-in-chief of Hilltop 4 Home Room Director 1, 2, 3, 4 President of Class 1 Secretary of Health Club 2 Literary Club 3, 4 Camera Club 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 3, 4 Commercial Club 4 National Honor Society 3, 4 Advisory Committee 4

ROSE MARIE COUTE
"Freckles"





LORRAINE M. COUTO

"Lorrie"

Basketball 2 Hilltop Staff 4

Hilltop Staff

JULIETTE R. COUTURIER

"Judy"

Basketball 1, 2 Camera Club 4





HELEN THERESA CROSSLEY

Speakers' Bureau 4 Literary Club 4 Dramatic Club 4 Camera Club 4

RUSSELL CROTEAU

"Rusty"





ERNEST F. CROVELLO

U. S. Army



TIBERIO V. CUNHA U. S. Navy



WANDA C. CURRIER

Debating Society 4 Camera Club 4 Basketball 1, 2



WALTER CYBERT "Wally"





LILLIAN L. CYR

Commercial Club 4

FREDERIC A. D'ADAMO

"Fred"

U. S. M. C. Home Room Director 4 Office Aid 3





GEORGE H. DALEY

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DANIEL F. DARCY

"Dan" "Darc"

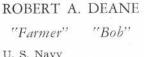
Health Councillor 2 Home Room Director 3 Basketball 4
Dance Committee 4





MARGARET L. DARCY

"Peggy" "Darce"



U. S. Navy Football 3, 4 Varsity Club 4





VIRGINIA DEARDEN
"Ginny" "Gin"
"Gingerbread"

OLIVE M. DECOSTA

"Olly"

Commercial Club 4
National Honor Society 3, 4





PAULINE GERMAINE DECOSTA "Polly"



RAYMOND DELICIO
"Ray"



DOROTHY T. DELISLE "Dottie"



ANNE DENOMME



OSCAR STEPHEN DEPAOLA
"Steve" "Slim"



DORIS L. DESROSIERS "Dot"



JANET A. DESROSIERS "Murphy"



ROBERT W. DESROSIERS "Bob"



DELLA J. DODSWORTH "D. D."

Home Room Director 2
Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Gym Leader 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Varsity Basketball 4
Pin and Ring Committee 3
Refereeing 4
Badminton 3, 4
Orchestra 2
Dance Committee 4



BERNICE DOMASH

Debating Society 4 Literary Club 4



ROBERT W. DONALDSON

"Bob"



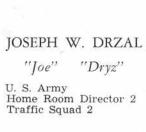
FRANCES A. DONNELLY

Commercial Club 4 Basketball 1



SHIRLEY M. DOWD

Home Room Director 3, 4 Health Councillor 2 Commercial Club 4







SIDNEY L. DUBITSKY

"Sid"

Band 2 Mixed Chorus 2 Boys' Glee Club 2 Dramatic Club 3 Track 3

BARBARA E. DUFF

"Barb"

Commercial Club 4 Camera Club 4 Basketball 2





EILEEN C. DUFFY

"Irish"

Hilltop Staff 4 Basketball 2 Home Room Director 2 Camera Club 4 Debating Society 4



JOAN M. DUFFY

S. A. A. Councillor 4 Commercial Club 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Basketball 2



THERESA EVELYN DUMAS

"Terry"

Basketball 2 Volleyball 2

OWEN FRANCIS DUNNE

"Dusty" "Bowen"

H. R. Director 1 Office Aid 2, 4 Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 Varsity Club 3, 4 Gift Committee 4





WILFRED DUPREY

U. S. Marine Corps



MARY HELEN DYBOWSKI

"Blondie"

Girls' Glee Club 1



JOHN B. DYER "Petoo" "Johnnie"

GENEVIEVE M. EASTWOOD "Gen"





MARY ELIZABETH ECCLES "Ecky"

MARJORIE JEAN EDWARDS "Marge" Girl's Numeral Club 3, 4 Girl's Numeral Club Vice-Pres. 4 Library Aid 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Gym Leader 3, 4 Tumbling Club 3 Basketball 2, 3, 4 Refereeing 4 Soccer 4





PATRICIA ANN ELLIS

Soccer 4

"Pat"

Camera Club 4 Home Room Director 3



Girls' Glee Club 1 Literary Club 1 Basketball 2 National Honor Society 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Hilltop Staff 4





MARILYN M. ENOS

"Lyn" "Peggy"

Hilltop Staff 4 Basketball 2



RICHARD A. FALTUS "Dick"



GLORIA FELDMAN

Stamp and Bond Cashier 4 Debating Society 4 Health Club Councillor 2 Speakers Bureau 4 Camera Club 4 Literary Club 4 Gift Committee 4







DOROTHY FIELDS

"Dot"

Juck En



EMORY EDWARD FIELDS

"Em"



JAMES P. FINGLAS

U. S. Navy



Chorus and Boys' Glee Club 1 Home Room Director 2 Health Councillor 2 Came through 4 rounds of . Debating Tournament. Defeated in finals, 4





RUTH ANNETTE FLETCHER

"Fletch"

Commercial Club 4 Home Room Director 4 Basketball 2



MARY-ELIZABETH FLYNN

"Flynnie"

Office Aid 4





BARBARA ANN FOSS

"Barby"

PAULINE COLLETTE FRANCOEUR "Paul"

Basketball 1, 2 Captain 2 Individual Gym Meet 2 Ping-pong Tournament 2 Home Room Director 1 Camera Club 2, 3, 4 Cheerleader 3, 4 Refereeing Badge 4 Tumbler's Club 3, 4





CLAIRE FRANK

"Bashful" Camera Club 3

MIRIAM LEE FREED

"Mim" "Mimi" Home Room Director 2 Band 2 Literary Club 2, 3, 4 Camera Club 2 Dramatic Club 4 Debating Society 4 Secretary





LILLIAN FRODYMA



"Lynn"

Camera Club 4 Basketball 2





LORRAINE V. FURTADO

"Lorry"

Health Councillor 2 Bond and Stamp Cashier 4 Twirler 4 Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4 Speakers' Bureau 4

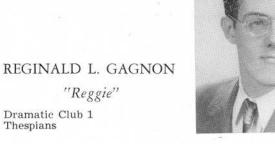


JULES G. GAGNON U. S. M. C.





RAYMOND GAGNON
U. S. Navy







ROGER E. GAGNON

"Corky"

Best of Puch

Roger Corky Joynon



MARGUERITE BLANCHE GAJOLI Commercial Club 4



EVELINA O. GALEGO
"Shorty" "Evie"

Camera Club 4
Basketball 2



WILLIAM F. GALLAGHER, JR. "Bill"



GWENDOLYN GALLEGO
"Gwen" "Gweny"

Commercial Club 4
Camera Club 4



HELEN GANGWISCH Office Assistant 4 Home Room Director 2



ROBERT F. GARDELLA "Bob"

Football 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Co-Capt. 4
Varsity Club 3, 4
Speakers' Bureau 4
Student Council 4 Home Room Director 4 President



Rep. to First Girls' State 3 National Honor Society 3, 4 Office Assistant 3, 4 Commercial Club 4 Vice-Pres. 4





MERTON EDWARD GAUDETTE

"Ted"

U. S. Navy Home Room Director 2

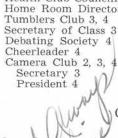
WILLIAM GAUDREAU

Home Room Director 3 Football 4 Advisory Committee 4





"Frenchy" Health Club Councillor 2 Home Room Director 3 Tumblers Club 3, 4 Secretary of Class 3 Debating Society 4 Cheerleader 4 Camera Club 2, 3,



GEORGE K. GEDDIS "Рарру" U. S. Navy Home Room Director 1, 2 Sanco Squad 1, 2





BEATRICE MARION GEORGE

"Bea"

Camera Club 3, 4 Secretary 4
Basketball 2
Commercial Club 4 Hilltop Staff 4

GEORGE L. GESNER

Traffic 3, 4





NORMA CATHERINE GIFFORD

Home Room Director 2 Speakers' Bureau 4 Commercial Club 4 President



"Marge" "Margie" "Irish"

Commercial Club 4 Stamp and Bond Cashier 4





MURIEL T. GIRARD

Commercial Club 4 Stamp and Bond Cashier 4 Camera Club 4

VIOLET A. GLADE

"Gladie" "Vie"

Basketball 2 Soccer 3 Girls' Numeral Club 3 Girls' Glee Club 3 Advanced Girls' Glee Club 4 Mixed Chorus 4 Camera Club 4





HELEN GOLISBROWSKI

Basketball 2

ALFRED GONSALVES

Health Council 2 Chorus 3, 4 Librarian 3 President 4 Boys' Glee Club 2, 3, 4





Goodiei'

BEATRICE GORALNIK

Dramatic Club 3 4

Dramatic Club 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 3, 4 Basketball 2 Captain Thespians 4 Scribe Volleyball 2





LORETTA GOSSELIN Home Room Director 4

PAUL F. GRACE "Fat" "DeBracy"







MARGARET GRAY

"Peggy"
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Soccer 3, 4
Numeral Oub 2, 3, 4
Orchestva 2, 3, 4
Gym Leaden 3,
Swimming 2, 3

MARVIN M. GREENBERG

"Marv"

Traffic 2, 3, 4 Lieut. 3 Office Aid 2, 4





DONALD H. HALL

"Duck"

Home Room Director 2 Track Team 2 " Dave"

L. DAVID HANLEY

"Dave"

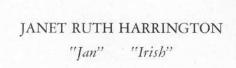
Traffic Squad 4 Science Club 4 Home Room Director 1 Debating Club 4





TEDDY HARENZA

"Head"







MARGARET LOUISE HARRINGTON "Peg"



"Hank"

Head Twirler for Band 3 Drum Majorette for Band 4





WILLIAM H. HARRINGTON

U. S. Navy



ANN M. HART Camera Club 4

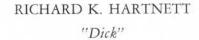


BETTY JANE HART

"Bet"

Basketball 2

Gist.









EDWARD J. HEALEY



VIRGINIA G. HEAP
"Ginny"
Hilltop Staff 4
Commercial Club 4
Basketball 2

DONALD P. HEARTH

"Don" "Cap"

Home Room Director 4 Traffic Squad 2, 3, 4 First Lieut. 3 Capt. 4 Football 3





SYDELL P. HERMAN

"Syd"

Literary Club 4
Debating Club 4
Overbrook High, Phila, Pa.
Swimming Club 3
Tennis 3
Library Aid 3



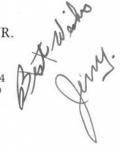
WILLIAM HIGGINS
U. S. Navy



G. DAVID HILL, JR.

"Dave"

Home Room Director 4 Track 3, 4 Sanda Commission 2





U. S. Navy





TANYA HOCHBERG

"Toni"

Thespians 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4



HENRY M. HODGSON

"Heinie" "Hank"

U. S. M. C.



RAYMOND D. HOLMES

Class Secretary 1 Track /1, 2, 3 Basketban 3 Football, 4

LILLIAN R. HOPKINS
"Lil" "Hoppy"

Health Club 2





GEORGE CHARLES HOWAYEK



THOMAS H. HOYLE "Tommy"



DONALD CLIFFORD HUGHES

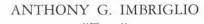
"Don"

U. S. A. A. F. Home Room Director 3 Health Councillor 2 Traffic Officer 3 Office Assistant 3, 4

JOSEPH A. IAMARONE

Traffic Squad 3





"Tony" Home Room Director 2 Band 1, 2

Orchestra 1, 2 Traffic Squad 2 Asst. Editor of Record Book 4



CATHERINE IODICE

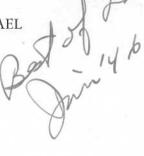
"Cathy" "Kate"
Basketball Tournament 2
Glee Club 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Speakers' Bureau 3, 4
Camera Club 4







"Ruthie"
Dramatic Club 3, 4
Secretary 4
Thespians 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Girls' Glee Club 3, 4
String Ensemble 3, 4
Literary Club 1, 2
Debating Club 4
Speakers' Bureau 3, 4



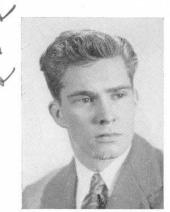
JAMES PAUL JABBOUR

"Pep" Science Club 3, 4



ELAINE ETHEL JEANNE JACOBS

"Jakie"
Dramatic Club 3, 4
Thespians 3, 4
Treasurer 4
Chorus 3, 4
Girls' Glee Club 2, 4
Basketball Tournament 2
Ping Pong Tournament 2
Home Room Director 2
Speakers' Bureau 3, 4



ROBERT JENKINS "Bob" "Jenk"

Football 3 Varsity Club 3 Dance Committee 4



IVELLE JACQUELINE JETTE



"Julie"

Aid in Infirmary 3 Home Room Director 4 Basketball Tournament 2 Advisory Committee 4



MARION SHIRLEY JOHNSON

"Bomber"

Health Club 2 Basketball 2 Soccer 3 Dramatic Club 3



WILLIAM J. KALIFF

"Bill" "Willy"







ANITA E. KARCHER

Camera Club 3

ELINOR VIOLA KASS

"Kassie"

Literary Club 4 Basketball 2 Chorus 3, 4 Glee Club 2, 3, 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Thespians 3, 4 President 4



VIRGINIA ANN KELLEY

"Ginny"

Vice-Pres. of Class 2 Varsity Basketball 4 Bandminton 3, 4 Gym Leader 3, 4 President of Class 3
Numeral Club 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Soccer 3
Assistant Editor of Record Book 4



SHEILA K. KELLY

Basketball 1 H. R. Director 2, 4 Girls' Glee Club 2 Cheerleader 3, 4 Head 4 Commercial Club 4 Dance Committee 4



JOHN J. KENNEDY "Jack" "Clinker" U. S. Navy



DORIS H. KIPPAX "Dot"



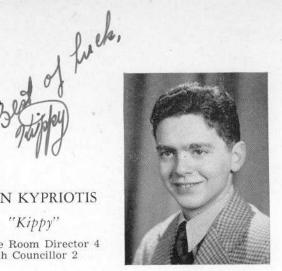
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STELLA BARBARA KRASKA



MILDRED C. KRUPA "Mil" Commercial Club 4



JOHN KYPRIOTIS "Kippy" Home Room Director 4 Health Councillor 2



THERESA D. LABONTE

"Terry" Camera Club 4

ANTHONY LACAVA U. S. Navy



ROBERT W. LACROIX "Frenchy" "Bob"

CLAIR E. LAFLEUR "Frenchy"



JEANNETTE A. LAFRANCE "Jean" "Frenchie"



PAUL H. LAMBERT





ELEANOR LAMPERT
"Ellie"

Basketball 2
Ping Pong 2
Speakers' Bureau 4

NATALIE LANE

"Nat"

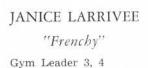
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Basketball 2
Refereeing 4
Soccer 3, 4
G. N. Club 2, 3, 4
Ping Pong Tourney 2
Commando Course Winner 3, 4
Gym Leader 3
Badminton 3, 4





ROSE-MARIE F. LANGTON

Chorus 1, 2 Girls' Glee Club 1, 2 Dramatics 3, 4 Home Room Director 3 National Thespian Society 4







FRANCES H. LAY

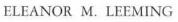
"Frannie"

SHIRLEY LEACH "Shirl"





DORIS LECLAIR
"Rusty"
Commercial Club 4



"Lee"

Commercial Club 4 Home Room Director 2





PAULINE A. LÉMAIRE

Commercial Club 4 Camera Club 4

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NORMAND LETOURNEAU

"Red"



CONSTANCE L. LEVESQUE

"Taffy" "Connie"

Basketball 1 Glee Club 2 Camera Club 4 Speakers' Bureau 4





JOHN RAYMOND LEVESQUE, JR. "Peck"



NORMAND LEVESQUE

"Rap"

ANN LEVITT

Commercial Club 4



ANGELINA LIMA

"Angie"



MARION LINCOLN

"Checkerboard" "Link" Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Captain 4
Ping Pong 2
Tourney Winner 2
Gym Leader 3
Girls 'Varsity Manager 3
Volleyball 2
Asst Business Manager Rec

Asst. Business Manager Record Book 4 Tennis 4





ENID LIPSCHITZ

"En" Library Aid 4 Literary Club 4 Hilltop Business Manager 4



HENRY LIZOTTE

"Hank" "Liz"

U. S. Navy

H. R. Director 1





JOHN J. LONG

pt. Football 4 Committee 4

EARL ESTRELLA LOPES

Home Room Director 1, 4 Traffic Squad 2 Office Aid 2 Science Club 4





RICHARD F. LORD

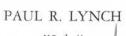
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Home Room Director 2

RICHARD LOWN

"Farmer



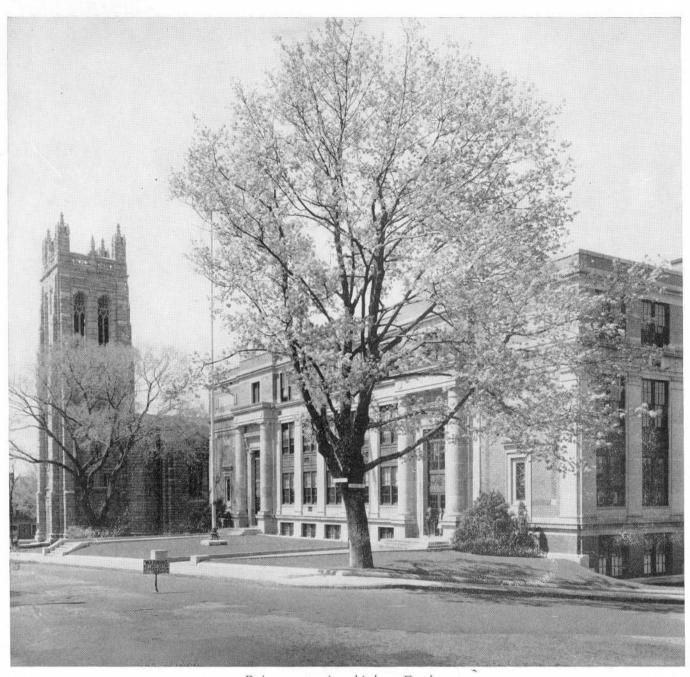


''Jake''

ARTHUR MACHADO

"Art"





Raise our praises high to Durfee, Alma Mater dear;



Tow'ring high beside the river, Radiant beacon clear.



VERONICA MACKEY

"Mac"

Commercial Club 4

JUNE ELAINE MADOWSKY

"Juny"

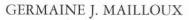
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RITA COSTA MAIATO

National Honor Society 3, 4 Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4 Office Aid 3, 4



"Gerry"

Camera Club 3 Commercial Club 4





CONSTANCE H. MAINES

"Connie" "Cookie" "Shorty"

Cheerleader 1 Camera Club 2 Dramatic Club 3 Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4 Mixed Chorus 3, 4 H. R. Director 4

ANNE MARGARET MALGIERI

"Peggy" "Mal"

Individual Competitors Meet 2 Badminton 3, 4 Basketball—Varsity 2, 4 Volleyball 2





ARNOLD W. MANCHESTER

"Manchie"

Home Room Director 4 Speakers' Bureau 4

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EDWARD V. MANICA

"Ed"

U. S. Navy





LOUISE M. MARTIN
"Lou"



CAROL L. MARUM



FREDERICK L. MASON, JR.

Home Room Director 3



OKIO MATIVARD

''Ed''

Commercial Club 4





THOMAS F. McCARTHY

"Mac"

Home Room Director 2

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RITA FRANCES McDONALD

Commercial Club 4 Secretary Camera Club 4 Stamp and Bond Cashier 4 Office Assistant 4

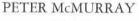




JEAN KATHERINE McGRADY

"Mac"

Basketball 2, 3, 4
Girls' Numeral Club 3, 4
Health Councillor 2
Badminton 3, 4
Gift Committee 4
Girls' Varsity 4
Pin and Ring Committee 3



"Pete"

U. S. M. C. Office Aide 3, 4





JANET EUNICE McNALLY

"Mac" "Jan"

Home Room Director 2, 3, 4 Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4 Gym Leader 4 Pin and Ring Committee 3 Basketball 2, 4 Refereeing 4



JOSEPH V. MEDEIROS

"Joe"



ROLAND MEDEIROS

"Beaver"

U.S. Army



DOLORES MELLO

"Del"

National Honor Society 3, 4 Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4



GEORGE P. MELLO

"Benny"



- "Bob"

Baseball 3, 4 Football 4 Varsity Club 3, 4 Dance Committee 4





"Vivi"

Health Councillor 2 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Band Twirler 4



DORIS H. MELLOR "Mel"





FLORENCE ELEANOR MELLOR
"Mell" "Elie"

Business Manager Record Book 4
National Honor Society 3, 4
Home Room Director 2
Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 4
Soccer 3
Individual Competitive Meet 2
Gym Leader 3
Dance Committee 4

JOHN P. MENDES
"Fat"
Football 3, 4
Varsity Club 4





WILLIAM RICHARD MESSIER "Bill"

Band 2, 3

GLORIA MARGARET MICHAUD "Glory"

Chorus 3, 4 Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4





WILLIAM E. MILLER

"Bill" "Bing"

DANIEL MILLERICK, JR.

"Dan"

U. S. Navy





HELENA MIRANDA

"Helen"

Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4



RAYMOND MOE

"Moe-Moe"



ERNEST MONIZ
"Sonny"
H. R. Director 2
Health Councillor 2



MANUEL J. MONTE "Baron"



JAMES MOORE U. S. Navy



Girls' Glee Club 3, 4 Mixed Chorus 3, 4 Basketball 2 Ping Pong 2



IRVING MORLEY

U. S. M. C.



"Julie"
Sec. of Class 4
Speakers' Bureau 4
H. R. Director 3
Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Secretary 4
Varsity Basketball 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Gym Leader 3, 4
Soccer 3, 4
Badminton 3, 4
Chairman of Dance Committee 4





JACK MOSS

"Scoop" "Henry Aldrich"

Camera Club 2, 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Debating Society 4 National Thespians 4 Scenery Master of Dramatic Club 4



CHARLES MOTTA

"Charlie"

Gift Committee 4



GEORGE MOY U. S. Army

ROBERT T. MULLEN
"Bob" "Birdie" "Bert"
Home Room Director 2, 3
Health Councillor 2
Band 2
Orchestra 3, 4
Business Manager 4
Speakers' Bureau 4
Theatre Ensemble 3
Track 2, 3, 4
Science Club 4
Traffic 4





JAMES E. MULLINS

"Jimmy"

Class President 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Home Room Director 4 Advisory Committee—Chairman 4



"Jerry" "Moe"

U. S. Navy Hilltop 3





J. GEORGE MUNRO

"Spud"

U. S. Marine Corps Traffic 4



JOHN MURGIO

U. S. Navy



ANNE MURPHY
Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Gym Leader 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Badminton 3, 4
H. R. Director 2, 3
Secretary of Class 2

Secretary of Clas Soccer 3 Gift Committee 4

MIRIAM MURPHY

Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Badminton 3
Soccer 3
Gym Leader 3
H. R. Director 4
Jr. Red Cross Councillor 2, 3





ROBERT M. MURPHY U. S. Navy



"Bonnie"

Girls' Glee Club 2 Commercial Club 4





GILBERT NERENBERG

"Gil"

Chorus 2, 3
Boys' Glee Club 2, 3
Dramatic Club 3, 4
Science Club 3, 4
National Honor Society 3, 4
National Thespians 3, 4
Advisory Committee 4



Camera Club 4





DAVID R. NEVILLE

"Dave" "Ebenezer" "Cheeze"

Band 2. BE R

JAMES F. NICHOLS Camera Club 4





HENRY NOBREGA

"Hank"

U. S. M. C. Football 4



"Gin" "Ginny"

Basketball 2 Volleyball 2





MARILYN NORBURY
"Mal"

Basketball 2
Camera Club 4
Commercial Club 4
Volleyball 2



ANN O'GARA
Dramatic Club 4



ANGELA K. O'HEARN
"Ange"



DOROTHY OLIVEIRA

"Dot"

Commercial Club 4 Bond and Stamp Cashier 4 Office Assistant 4 Dance Committee 4



FRANK A. OLIVEIRA

Dest of Event

ISAURA C. OLIVEIRA

"Issy"

National Honor Society 3, 4 Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4



MARY J. OLIVEIRA

Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4 Mixed Chorus 3, 4 National Honor Society 3, 4 Commercial Club 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Health Club Councillor 2



RUTH P. OLIVEIRA
Aid in Infirmary 3





SHIRLEY ANNE O'LOUGHLIN

"Speed"

Basketball 2 Volleyball 2



ELAINE O'NEIL

Basketball 2 Volleyball 2



ADELA ANN OUELLETTE

"Del"

Aid in Infirmary 3, 4 Camera Club 4 Literary Club 4 National Honor Society 3, 4 Basketball Tournament 2



Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4 Mixed Chorus 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 4



PETER PACHECO

U. S. Navy



FRANK S. PANOS

"Grimek"

Class President 2 H. R. Director 1, 2, 3 Advisory Committee 4 National Honor Society 3, 4



DOROTHEA E. PARKINSON

"Parky"

Basketball 2 Volleyball 2 Camera Club 4



HELEN PARKINSON

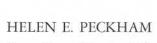
"Parky"

Basketball 2





ALICE PAVAO "Al" "Mike" Basketball 2 Commercial Club 4 Volleyball 2



Home Room Director 2, 3 Girl Councillor of Health Club 2 Commercial Club 4 Stamp and Bond Cashier 4 Basketball 2





THERESA V. PECKHAM

"Terry"

Camera Club 4 Dramatic Club 4

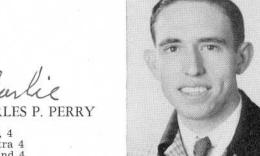


TERESA PEREIRA "Perry" Office Aid 4



ELEANOR ANN PERKINS

"Perky"



Charlie CHARLES P. PERRY

Band 2, 4 Orchestra 4 Pep Band 4



JAMES R. PETERSON

U. S. Army



"Whitey"

Vice-Pres. of Class 4
Football 1, 2, 3
Student Manager of Basketball 2
Student Manager of Baseball 2
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Chairman of Gift Committee 4





SAL. A. PETRILLO
"Ju Ju"
Football 3, 4
Baseball 3, 4
Basketball 3, 4
Varsity Club 3, 4
Treasurer 3, 4
Editor of Record Book 4
H. R. Director 1, 4
National Honor Society 3
Co-Captain Basketball 4

PAUL A. PETTINE, JR.
"Mick"

Speakers' Bureau 4

Orchestra 2





EDWARD W. PHELAN
"Ned"

U. S. Army



"Pic"
Health Club 2
Camera Club 2

SHIRLEY PICKUP



ARTHUR PIRES

"Art"

"Art"

HI

HELEN W. PLICHTA
Home Room Director 3



EDWARD S. PODESKY
"Eddie"
U. S. Navy



REINALDO RODRIQUES PORTELLA

"Ray" "Lardy"

Home Room Director 1



EARL A. POSEY
"Pie" "Pose"

Band 4
Camera Club 2

MATTHEW EARLE POTASH

"Mat"

Dramatic Club 3, 4 Vice-Pres. 4 Thespians 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Home Room Director 3





ARTHUR A. POULIS
"Art" "Mad"

Camera Club 2 Health Councillor 2

JOHN J. QUINN
"Quinnie"
U. S. Navy





MORTIN RACHLIN

U. S. Navy Thespians 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4



MARIE RAFTERY
"Pat"



DONALD RALPH

"Rap"

Best of his R

CHARLES VICTOR RAMSAY, JR.

"Chuck"





JOHN D. RAPOZA "Нар" U. S. Army Speakers' Bureau 4





MURIEL RAYMOND Office Assistant 4 Commercial Club 4 Home Room Director 4

Office Assistant 4 Commercial Club 4 Gift Committee 4



LILLIAN R. REBELLO "Lil"

BARBARA JEAN RASMUSSEA



GRACE REGO

"Gracie"

Aid in Infirmary 4 Camera Club 4 Literary Club 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Home Room Director 1 Basketball Tournament 1, 2





LORRAINE REIS Lorry"



CARMEL RENZULLI



DONALD A. RICHARD "Don"



FRANK H. RICHARDSON "Richie"



JEROME RITTER "Tex" Home Room Director 2 Track 2



MARIE ROACH



PAUL V. ROBINOVITZ "Rub"



LYNWOOD CARL ROOT
"Dr. Sweet" "Lyn"



EDNA L. ROSE
"Shortie"
Camera Club 4



Basketball 2
Sec. of S. A. A. 2
Dramatic Club 3, 4
Literary Club 3, 4
President 4
Thespians 4
Speakers' Bureau 3, 4
Home Room Director 2
Winner Senior Debating Tournament 4





NORMAN K. ROSS U. S. M. C.



Library Aid 2, 3, 4 Pres. 4 Health Councillor 2 Basketball 2 National Honor Society 3, 4





CATHERINE SOARES RUA

"Kitty" Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4

MYRON RUBINSTEIN

Literary Club 1, 2 Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4 Joint Concertmaster 3 String Trio 2, 3
Theater Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Public Speaking Finals 3
Speakers' Bureau 4
Dramatic Club 3, 4 President 4 Thespians 3, 4 National Honor Society 3, 4





ARTHUR FRANCIS RYAN

"Art"

Baseball 2, 3, 4 Varsity Club 2, 3, 4

JOSEPH A. RYAN "Joe" "Ry"

Camera Club 4





Best Luck Rybicki 46"

Bod 13 Eddie Rybicki 46"

EDWARD RYBICKI "Eddie"





LILIAN C. SACCUCCI
"Lee"

Commercial Club 4
Hilltop Staff 4
Basketball 1



ETHEL SANFT
"Et" "Eth"
Commercial Club 4



"Hank"

GERMAINE ST. GERMAIN
"Gerry"

Commercial Club 4 Speakers' Bureau



RALPH M. SAVARD



MURIEL G. SAVOIE

"Mic"

Camera Club 4



ALICE S. SAWCHYN
"Chicky"
Camera Club 4

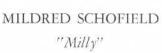


ANNE CELIA SBARDELLA Camera Club 3 4

Camera Club 3, 4 Hilltop Staff 4 Home Room Director 2



JULIUS SCHAEFFER Band 2 Science Club 3



Basketball 2





ANNE SCHWEBER

Literary Club 3 Camera Club 2, 4 Debating Society 3, 4 Treasurer 4 Speakers' Bureau 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Commercial Club 4



"Thel"

Debating Society 4 Camera Club 2, 4 Literary Club 3 Basketball 2





ROBERT HARVEY SCOTT

"Scottie"

Midshipman, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Hyannis, Mass.

H. ADEL SHABSHELOWITZ

"Teddy"

Speakers' Bureau 4 Basketball 2 Girls' Numeral Club 2 Girls' Glee Club 2 Literary Club 2 Health Councillor 2





LORRAINE T. SHAKER

"Lorry"

Commercial Club 4 Girls' Glee Club 2



"Gwen"

Science Club 3, 4 Literary Club 4 Debating Club 4





ROBERT S. SHARPLES
"Sharpy"
U. S. Army
H. R. Director 2, 3, 4



MARY LOUISE SHAW



EDWARD F. SHEA U. S. Army



EILEEN M. SHEA

Basketball 2 Captain Dramatic Club 3 Science Club 4



MARY LOUISE SHEA

"Mary Lou"

Orchestra 2, 3, 4 Concert Master 4 Ensemble 2 Library Aid 2, 3, 4 Secretary 3 Vice-Pres. 4 Home Room Director 2, 3, 4 Vice-Pres. 3



ROGER M. SHEA

U. S. Navy



EVA SHEDIACK

National Honor Society 3 American History Award 3 Basketball 2



EVELYN LILLIAN SHUTT

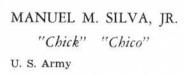
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Basketball 2



LEONORA SILVA
"Lee"

Commercial Club 4
Camera Club 4







LORRAINE FLORENCE SILVIA
"Lo"

Commercial Club 4
Camera Club 4



JEANNE ANN SIMMONS



MALCOLM S. SIMMONS



SYLVIA FAITH SIMMONS Chorus 2, 3, 4

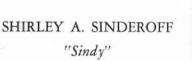
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RICHARD ROGER SIMONS

"Simons" "Dick"

Dramatic Club Thespians



Hilltop Staff 4 Debating Society 4 Science Club 4 Basketball 2 Literary Club 3





JOHN SINGLETON
"Singy" "Johnny"



SHIRLEY SINMAN

"Sally"

Orchestra 2 Band 2 Dramatic Club 3, 4





LOIS M. SLAIDING

"Lo"

Commercial Club 4

Smith

CLINTON G. SMITH

"Smitty"

"Sonny"

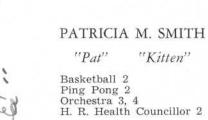




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"Ed"

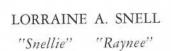
"Smitty"







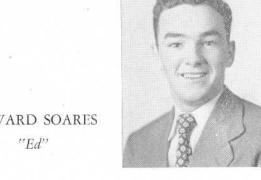
WALTER ALAN SMITH
"Smitty"







MERRILL E. SNELL "Rusty" 1st Lt. Traffic Squad 3



EDWARD SOARES



ROBERT SOARES



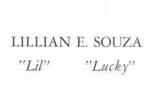
NEHOMA SOORKIS

"Hummy"Home Room Director 1
Health Councillor 2
Camera Club 2
Literary Club 2, 3, 4
Vice-Pres. 4
Speakers' Bureau 3, 4
Debating Society 4





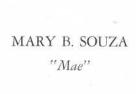
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MANUEL W. SOUZA "Bucky"







WILLIAM J. SOUZA, JR. "Bill" "Willie" "Chu" Hilltop Sports Editor 4 H. R. Director 2 Band 3 Pep Band 4 Health Councillor 2 Dance Committee 4

ROSALYNE E. SPINDEL

"Roz"

Pres. of Debate Society 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 3, 4 National Honor Society 3, 4 Basketball 1, 2 Literary Club 1, 2
Debating Team 4
Winner Senior Debate Tournament



MARION STAVROS

Councillor of the S. A. A. 2, 3 Speakers' Bureau 2 Basketball 1



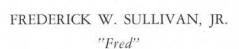
PAULINE ANN STEELE "Steeley"



ANNE M. SULLIVAN

"Annie"

Dramatic Club 4



Pres. of Speakers' Bureau 4 Home Room Director 3, 4 Library Aids 2, 3, 4 National Honor Society 3, 4





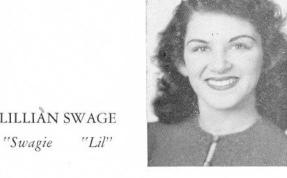
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RUTH J. SUNDERLAND

Speakers' Bureau 4 Commercial Club 4 Basketball 2 Gym Leader 3



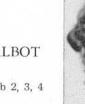
LILLIÀN SWAGE



SOPHIE A. SWIDZINSKI

"Zonie"

National Honor Society 3, 4 Commercial Club 4 Home Room Director 4 Chorus 3, 4 Business Manager 4 Advisory Committee 4





JULIETTE L. TALBOT

"Judy" Girls' Numerical Club 2, 3, 4 Gym Leader 3, 4

Speakers' Bureau 4 Class Vice-Pres. 3 Home Room Director 2, 3 Basketball 2, 4



ELAYNE GLORIA TALLMAN

"Tallie"

Literary Club 3, 4 Debating Society 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Thespians 4



"Scarlett" "Pixie"

Science Club 4



JANICE M. TATE

"Jan"

Basketball 2, 3, 4 Varsity Basketball 3, 4 Captain 4 Volleyball 2 Soccer 3, 4 Girls' Numeral Club 3, 4 President 4 Gym Leader 4 Badminton 4



"Dot" "Dottie"

Commercial Club 4

Refereeing 4







EDWARD L. TAVARES

"Eddie"

Camera Club 4



MARY B. TAVARES

"May"

Home Room Director 2 Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4





RUTH HARRIET TAYLOR

"Ruitha" "Ruthie"

Girls' Numeral Club 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Varsity Basketball 4
Swimming 2, 3
Tumbling 3, 4
Gym Leader 3, 4
Soccer 3, 4
Refereeing 4
Badminton 3, 4
Volleyball 2



WILLIAM CHARLES TERCEIRO

"Tex" "Bill"



EVERETT THOMAS

"Ev"

Home Room Director 2

berly

WALTER THOMAS

"Smokey"

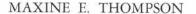
Track Team 2 Pres. of Science Club 4 Health Councillor 2





KENNETH A. THOMPSON 'Ken''

Ren



"Mac"

Girls' Varsity Team 4 Home Room Director 3, 4 Basketball Tournament 2





JAMES A. THORPE

"Jimmy"

Band 1, 2 Orchestra 1, 2 Home Room Director 1, 4 Assistant Manager Record Book 4 Librarian of Band 2



Traffic Squad First Lt. 3 Captain 4 Home Room Director 3





LENA M. TONI

"Toni"

Chorus 3, 4 Vice-Pres. 4 Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4 Commercial Club 4 Basketball Tournament 2 Captain Staff Typist 4



"Gen"





LOIS S. TOWERS

"Lo"



PAULINE GEORGETTE TREMBLAY "Polly"



SYBIL EDWINA TRIPP

"Billy" "Syb"
Camera Club 4

RAYMOND HERVEY TURGEON "Shorty"

U. S. Navy S. A. A. Councillor 2 Health Councillor 2 Chorus 2, 3 Boys' Glee Club 2, 3 Dramatic Club 3, 4 Speakers' Bureau 2 Juke Box Committee 2





MARILYN V. VELOZO

"Mal"

Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4 Bond and Stamp Cashier 4



LILLIAN VIVEIROS

"Lil"

Home Room Director 1 Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4





CLINTON H. WALSH, JR.

"Clint"

U. S. M. C. Traffic Squad 4



SANFORD J. H. WELDON "Spot"



ETHEL M. WESTCOTT

"Red"

"Wes"

Basketball 2 Camera Club 4 Commercial Club 4 Volleyball 2



BARBARA WHEADON

"Barbie"

Glee Club 2

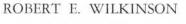


ALLAN WILDE

"Al"

Speakers' Bureau 4

3 and William



"Wilkie"





DOROTHY WILLIAMS

"Dot"

Speakers' Bureau 4 Commercial Club 4 Gift Committee 4



CHARLES H. WILMARTH

U. S. Navy



ELEANOR WINSTANLEY

Basketball and Ping Pong 2 H. R. Director 3 Speakers' Bureau 3, 4 Debating Society 4 Commercial Club 4 Mixed Chorus 3, 4 Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4



CHARLES H. WISE

U. S. Navy



CYRA RONA WOLPERT

"Roni"

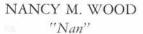
Speakers' Bureau 3, 4 Dramatic Club 3, 4
Financial Secretary 4 Thespians 4



OLIVER KEE WONG

U. S. C. G. Health Councillor 2 Traffic Club 3 H. R. Director 3 Camera Club 3





Hilltop Staff 4
Dramatic Club 3
Thespians 3
Badminton Tournament 3
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Varsity Basketball 4
Numeral Club 2
Gift Committee 4 Gift Committee 4





ROGER H. WOOD
"Woody"

Home Room Director 2
Science Club 3



MADELINE A. WORSLEY
"Shorty"
Commercial Club 4



JOSEPH MICHAEL WROBLESKI

"Wrobelo"

Football 3, 4
Varsity Glub 4

MIRIAM ANN WYSE

"Mimi"

Basketball 2
Dramatic Club 3, 4
Thespians 4
National Honor Society 3, 4
Speakers' Bureau 3, 4





MARION YATES

Home Room Director 2
Commercial Club 4
Treasurer



AGNES D. YOUNG Camera Club 4



IRENE ZAJAC
Commercial Club 4

Bennett, Joseph E.

Maltezos, Steve H.

Bessette, James A.

McShane, Leo F.

Charette, Thomas E., Jr.

Morgan, Robert L.

Cordeiro, Louis

Nasser, Francis E.

Daley, William J.

Oothout, Raymond B.

Emerson, Marjorie L.

Robinson, Hazel

Perreira, Philip J.

Rodrigues, Joseph

Gendron, Norman H.

Shaker, Sali J.

Ginsberg, Burton

Supriano, Exelyn

Hadad, Norman R.

Tessier, Lucille F.

Hill, James K.

Vasconcellos, Edward M.

Lynch, John J.

Victorine, Herman

Maher, Bernard F.

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Calabah .



James K. Hill;
 Donald Hughes;
 Sali Shaker;
 Steve Maltezos
 Francis Nasser;
 Gerald Mulrooney;
 James Finglas.



GIRLS

Pauline Francoeur

Mary Tavares

Juliet Morrow

Louise Castonguay

Claire Coogan

Gladys Coury

Constance Maines

Juliette Couturier

June Madowsky

Norma Gifford

Nancy Sullivan

Mary Louise Shea

Natalie Lane

Anna Souza

Marion Lincoln

Rosalyne Spindel

BOYS

Most Popular

Best Looking

Robert Mello

Best Personality

Daniel Darcy

Sal Petrillo

Most Brilliant

Tung Yim Chin

Class Wit

Reginald Gagnon

Best All Around Student Roger Boulay

Best Dancer

Raymond Holmes

Best Dressed

Robert Donaldson

Most Likely To Succeed Dimas Costa

Most Interesting

Most Dignified

Most Talented

Most Mischievous

Shyest

Most Athletic

Best Speaker

Thomas Clark

Paul Fletcher

Myron Rubenstein

Everett Clegg

Richard Lord

Robert Gardella

Frederick Sullivan

Activities





Left to right, front—J. Dobek, W. Silveira, R. Boulay, S. Cuttler, L. Mancini. Rear—D. Costa, R. Gardella, B. Lucas, J. Duffy, D. Dodsworth, C. Borges, C. Tripp.

S. A. A.

President ROGER J. BOULAY '46

Vice-President SALLY CUTLER '47

Secretary
WILHELMINA SILVEIRA '48

Senior Councillors

CHARLES F. BORGES

JOAN M. DUFFY

Junior Councillors

JOSEPH S. DOBEK

BARBARA LUCAS

Sophomore Councillors

DOROTHY DODSWORTH

CARL TRIPP

Freshman Councillor LILLIAN MANCINI

The Student Council, as the governing body of the Student Activities Association, has conducted, for the first time in several years, a program free from war-time restrictions. In addition to the usual school program, the council initiated a Victory Dance, aided in the Eighth Victory Loan Drive, and held a convention of the Southeastern Conference of Student Councils.

Outstanding among the events of the year were the Pigskin Hop, which broke all attendance records; the Football Banquet, and the Officers' Banquet. We have also welcomed into the Activities Curriculum a new club, The Pep Band, bringing the total number of extra curricular clubs to twenty.

Advisors: Miss Mary Lee, Miss Anne L. O'Neil, Mr. James F. Conlin.

Honorary member: Miss Alice G. Langford.



Left to right-J. Gray, R. Gardella.

Home Room Directors

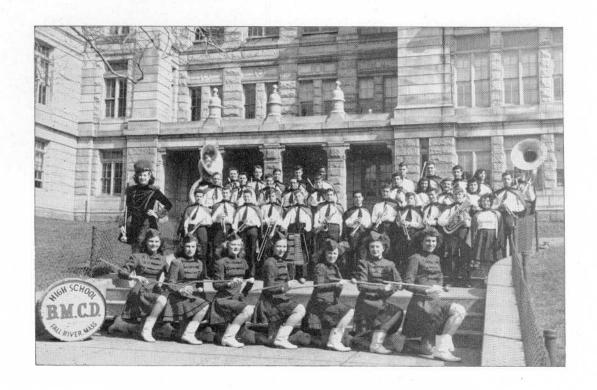
President ROBERT GARDELLA

Secretary-Treasurer JAMES GRAY Faculty Advisor
MILDRED V. CARROLL

At the beginning of the school year, elections are held in each home room and pupils choose a boy and a girl to represent them in the Home Room Directors organization, an active and diligent group under the supervision of Miss Mildred V. Carroll.

This organization, the largest elective group in the school, holds meetings during school time to make suggestions and outline duties. These duties of the directors are numerous. In the home rooms, during morning exercises, the directors take attendance, read bulletins and assist the teacher in the general routine.

This year the directors were active in the Red Cross drive, the weekly sale of War Bonds and Stamps, and the sale of pencils for the Anti-Tuberculosis Society. The directors feel that their organization is a vital part of Durfee activities and that it is functioning effectively.



The Band

Leader
JAMES CONSIDINE
Librarian
LAWRENCE GANCARZ

Business Manager JOHN J. MORIARTY Assistant Librarian JOSEPH FOLEY

Director SAM HALL

June, 1946, brings to a close one of the busiest years in the history of the Durfee Band. The organization began its activities in good form at the football games and furnished the music at all the home games. Because of the lack of transportation facilities, the organization was unable to attend most of the out-of-town games; it did manage, however, to get to the games at Taunton and New Bedford.

The Band represented our school in the Armistice Day, the Memorial Day and the Victory Day parades, and because of the quality of its work was invited by Mr. William S. Canning to meet the War Bond Cavalcade which came to Fall River.

After the football season the band worked on concert music and later in the year played at two concerts, one on May 22 in conjunction with the Boys' Glee Club, and the second at its annual concert at South Park in June.

Highlight of the Band's year was the performance at the Massachusetts State Music Festival on May 11. This was the first time the Durfee band participated in this event.



The Camera Club

President
CLAIRE T. GAUTHIER

Vice President

Secretary

ROGER H. SMITH

BEATRICE M. GEORGE

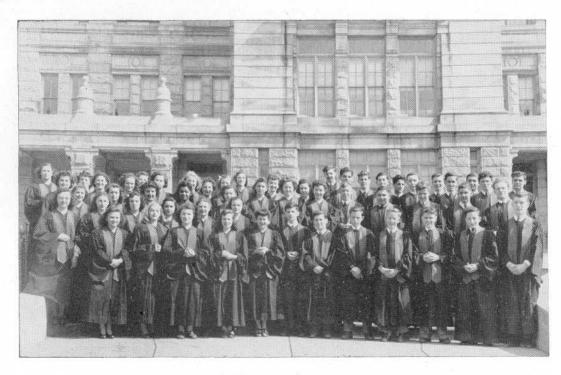
Faculty Advisor

JOSEPH J. LAWLOR

The Durfee Camera Club, in completing another year of extra-curricular activities, has accomplished interesting and educational advancement.

The members have been addressed by professional speakers. Contests were held to develop improved picture taking. Social activity was begun by the holding of the first annual dance for members and their friends.

The officers feel duly repaid by the effort and cooperation of the members and pleased with the results accomplished.



The Chorus

President

ALFRED GONSALVES

Business Manager

SOPHIE SWIDZINSKI

Vice-President

LENA TONI

Librarian

REINALDO OLIVEIRA

Faculty Advisor HELEN L. LADD

The Chorus presented its first concert of the year 1945-1946 at the Durfee Theatre at the annual convention of the Bristol County Teachers' Association.

At Christmas, the choristers marched through the corridors of the Durfee and Technical buildings singing the traditional Christmas carols. The Christmas Concert, presented for the first time this year, proved so successful that it will become an annual event in the musical calendar of the Chorus.

In April, the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Trial by Jury," was presented before the semi-annual convention of Student Councils of Southeastern Massachusetts.

The month of May was marked by the appearance of the Chorus at the Massachusetts State Musical Festival, held at Needham. The Boys' Glee Club also presented its annual concert in this month.

In June, the group makes its final appearance of the year at the annual Founder's Day exercises commemorating the memory of the founding of B. M. C. Durfee High School.



Left to right-L. Gardula R. McDonald, N. Gifford, M. Yates.

Commercial Club

President NORMA GIFFORD

Vice President
LILLIAN GARDULA

Treasurer
MARION YATES

Secretary RITA McDONALD

Faculty Advisor GEORGE C. HOAR

The Commercial Club is one of the largest clubs in the B. M. C. Durfee High School organization.

The purpose of this club is to arouse the interest of all commercial students in business, social and charitable activities.

During the past year, we have had several business and social meetings. Inspirational talks by prominent business men and women were given. A "Get Acquainted" party was held just before Christmas, at which both the Commercial faculty and students of the club had the opportunity to meet on a more intimate basis.

The Speed Typewriting Contest held under the auspices of this club was held in early March, at which prizes were given.

The Valentine Dance was a success, and will long be remembered. The roller skating party left pleasant memories. Commercial Award Day sponsored by our club was devoted to the presentation of special awards in Commercial subjects to those whose achievements were beyond average.

For the first time since the beginning of the war, the annual picnic was revived. This concluded the year's activities of the club. All in all, the club, for the past year has been successful, due to the interest and efforts on the part of our conscientious officers.



The Debating Society

President ROSALYNE SPINDEL

Vice-President
GILBERT LEVIN

Treasurer ANN SCHWEBER Secretary MIRIAM FREED

Faculty Advisor WILLIAM F. KAYLOR

The Durfee Debating Society undertook an ambitious program for the year and completed it with signal honor.

The program committee arranged discussions and club debates, and invited speakers to address the group on various occasions. Among the speakers were Lieutenant Commander Sumner Levin, former Durfee debater; Attorney William Entin, Dr. Albert Resnick, former Durfee debater, and former Lieutenant Thomas Doran, member of the faculty.

The debating team, selected from the club membership, had a successful year. The Durfee debaters were honored by being selected to the chairmanship of the Narragansett Interscholastic Debating League. The season opened in November and the affirmative team composed of Rosalyne Spindel and Ernest Picard lost to the Hope High School debating team. The negative team, which saw Ralph Dupont debating through the season, also had Claire Gauthier, Ruth Rockliffe, Gilbert Levin, and David Hanley participating in one debate apiece. The negative team tied Rogers, then went on to score convincing victories over the Aldrich debaters and Hope High debaters, but lost to the Classical debaters in the championship debate. The affirmative team scored victories over the Aldrich debaters, the Classical debaters, and the Rogers debaters.

In April the Society enjoyed the dinner held jointly by the speech organizations, the Dramatic Club, the Speakers Bureau, and the Debating Society. Activities of the society ended in June.



Left to right-H. Peckham, T. Brown, R. Boulay, G. Coury.

The Health Club

Presdent ROGER BOULAY

Vice-President
THOMAS BROWN
Councillor
HELEN PECKHAM

Secretary
GLADYS T. COURY
Councillor
RAYMOND TURGEON

Faculty Advisors
ANGELINE B. CRISPO and MAYBELLE E. RAMSAY

The set of rules by which the school is governed is left to the School Committee and the various courses of instruction to the faculty—but the appearance, beauty and sanitation of Durfee are placed in the hands of the students, through their Health Club.

The Health Club, a sophomore organization, is designed to promote health and sanitation throughout Durfee by making students cleanliness-conscious. This objective is reached by the club's setting forth a stable, beneficial, extensive set of rules popularly known as the Sanco Rules, and sponsoring projects dealing with the theme, "Keep your school clean."

The officers conducted one of the most successful cleanliness campaigns Durfee has experienced. Attractive posters were placed in the study halls, classrooms, corridors, and cafeterias, appropriate health slogans were written on blackboards, snappy bulletins were read in home rooms each morning, and a Friday-morning-check-up of home room desks was undertaken; all served as active reminders to pupils to do their part in keeping Durfee clean.

In the spring, a skit was presented by the officers of the club in which a summary of the activities of the club for that particular year was given. Students were actually cleanliness-conscious and as a result, Durfee was "neat as

a pin."



Dramatic Club

President MYRON RUBENSTEIN Call Girl JUNE MADOWSKY Vice-President
MATTHEW POTASH
Secretary
RUTH ISRAEL

Scenery Master JACK MOSS Financial Secretary CYRA WOLPERT

Recorder HILDA BOLUSKY Lighting Supervisor ERNEST PICARD

Faculty Adivisor
BARBARA WELLINGTON

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Welcome to the Revue of 1945-46. We present the D. D. C. Players in

a program of talent, music and laughter.

First come the clowns in varied costumes, singing and enacting the words of popular tunes. The best individuals will receive prizes. There is plenty of cider for all, as well as doughnuts, for this is Hallowe'en. Music, Maestro!

Our next number is four original biographies. You will see Hitler, Mac-Arthur, Roosevelt, and Louisa May Alcott in dramatic moments of their careers. Let's give a good, big hand for the famous quartet.

A short sketch about a returned soldier will next be given to remind you all that our boys and our government still need our support. Buy more bonds!

Now a Pennsylvania Dutch troupe has come to present their folk comedy,

"PAPA IS ALL." Patrons may hiss the villain, Papa.

The management regrets to announce that though we have purchased a beautiful blue sky for our shows, the new fire laws prevent its use. So sharpen your imaginations and picture gorgeous scenery for NOVELTY NITE, our annual star show of twenty numbers. The most popular man in the audience will be dubbed SIR NOVELTY KNIGHT. Give the good sport a hand!

George Kaufman, the famous playwright, has given us permission to perform for you a half hour of his comedy, "A BEGGER ON HORSEBACK." Later our troupe of actors will take this play on the road for the Massachusetts and New England Drama Festivals. Wish them luck!

At the close of this evening's performance those who have shown the most talent and "what it takes" will be honored by membership in the

NATIONAL THESPIANS.

We hope you have enjoyed our efforts, and so, good night all!

Barbara Wellington



1. Papa Is All; 2. The Rock; 3. Fear Itself; 4. D. D. C. officers—front, J. Madowsky, M. Rubinstein, R. Israel; Rear, C. Wolpert, M. Potash, H. Bolusky; 5. Thespian officers—front, Miss Wellington, E. Kass, E. Jacobs. Rear—N. Wood, G. Nerenberg; 6. Papa Is All; 7. The Silver Swastika; 8. Will This Heart Do? 9. Louisa May Act.



Left to right, front row—E. Duffy, B. Chollette, G. Coury, E. Lipschitz, A. Sbardella. Middle—J. Ellsas, L. Couto, N. Wood, S. Sinderoff, L. Saccucci. Rear—W. Souza, V. Heap, B. George, M. Enos, Mr. Crowley.

The Durfee Hilltop

Editor

GLADYS T. COURY

Business Manager

Faculty Advisor

ENID LIPSCHITZ

JOHN T. CROWLEY

The Durfee Hilltop, published weekly by the members of the Journalism classes, proudly observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of its founding this year.

The Hilltop first came from the press in May, 1921, in the form of a literary magazine. Within a few years, interest had so increased that Journalism was added to the school's curriculum and the magazine, published at irregular intervals, became a weekly student newspaper.

Through the years the Hilltop has been valuable in giving the pupils the type of paper they enjoy, in publicizing school activites, and in offering Journalism students practical experience in wirting and editing a newspaper.

The Hilltop is a member of the National Scholastic Press Associaton.



The Literary Club

President

INA ROSENTHAL

Vice-President

Secretary

NEHOMA SOORKIS

VIVIAN LIPSCHITZ

Faculty Advisor

AMBROSE F. KEELEY

This year the Durfee Literary Club, under the leadership of its officers and faculty advisor, has continued its usual activities. Poetic compositions were more numerous than essays and short stories. Members took considerable pleasure also in composing a basketball song at the request of the Pep Band.

General and individual criticism were encouraged under the supervision of the faculty advisor.



Left to right, standing—M. Shea, S. Attar, R. Dupont. Front—B. Roszkowicz.

Library Aids

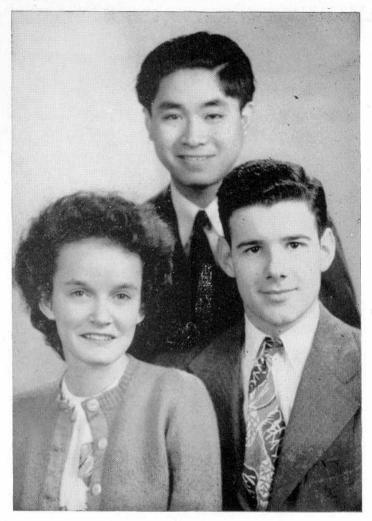
This honor society, under the direction of Miss Marion Kernan, is one of the most active clubs of the school. Its members are chosen from the upper three classes not only on the basis of scholarship but also for cooperation and general usefulness.

The Library Aids have many duties. Some of them are to issue passes to those students who wish to visit the Library during their study periods; to deliver these passes to the study halls; to keep the books on the shelves arranged according to the Dewey Decimal System; to receive and check books; and to assist pupils and teachers in any way they can.

However, this organization does not adhere to the saying, "All work and no play". The annual Library Aids' Christmas Party, which was combined, this year, with the Science Club, was listed as one of the most joyous ones of the Yuletide Season. Because of the great success of this festivity, both clubs gathered together once more at a Valentine Party.

The complete list of Library Aids from September 1945 to June 1946 is as follows: Samuel S. Attar, Gerald A. Audette, Louise A. Castonguay, Dimas Costa, Tung Yim Chin, Isabelle E. Clemmy, Ralph P. Dupont, Marjorie J. Edwards, Esther Fich, Marilyn Friedlander, Edward C. Gow, Mildred T. Hurst, Rachel L. Liner, Enid Lipschitz, Vivian Lipschitz, Sheela Mittelman, Elayne Norwick, Cecilia C. Oliveira, Grace Peterson, Ernest K. Picard, Irene Posey, Rosemary F. Ready, Alice Relvas, Joan E. Robillard, Bernice A. Roszkowicz, Mary Louise Shea, Frederick W. Sullivan Jr., D. Elaine Walmsley.





Left to right-L. Castonguay, T. Y. Chin, D. Costa.

National Honor Society

DIMAS COSTA President LOUISE CASTONGUAY

Secretary

Vice-President MILDRED V. CARROLL

Faculty Advisor

TUNG YIM CHIN

Membership in this organization is granted to students who show outstanding qualities in Scholarship, Service, Leadership and Character.

Scholarship is interpreted as an indication of distinguished achievement in all school subjects, high mental ability, serious application, and membership in the upper twenty-five per cent of the junior or senior class.

Service is interpreted as a willingness to contribute and aid cheerfully and unselfishly, either as an individual or as a member of a group, in promoting the high standards and fine achievements of the school, together with readiness to serve class or school at all times.

Leadership is interpreted as a demonstration of initiative, poise and intelligent activity in classrooms and in school organizations, successfully holding student positions of responsibility, exercising a sympathetic understanding of conditions, and commanding the respect and admiration of the student body.

Character is interpreted as a continuous manifestation of the fundamental qualities necessary for the finest young manhood or womanhood, particularly promptness, honesty, cooperation, reliability, sincerity of purpose, courtesy, respect, reverence and morality.



The Orchestra

Concert Master
MARY LOUISE SHEA

Asst. Concert Master

DAVID HEINKE

Business Manager ROBERT MULLEN Librarian

DAVID CHAPMAN

Faculty Advisor

HELEN L. LADD

The Orchestra, numbering fifty members, has enjoyed a busy year, playing at concerts, assemblies, Dramatic Club performances, and Class Day and Commencement exercises.

In December, the Orchestra presented a Christmas Concert featuring the familiar carols as well as Christmas music of the United Nations.

The organization played incidental music for the Dramatic Club's presentation of "Papa Is All" in January.

Late in April the Orchestra and the Chorus gave a concert of test pieces which were to be played at the Massachusetts State Music Festival at Needham—a competition, incidentally, in which Durfee's musicians gave an excellent performance. Also on the program that evening was the popular Gilbert and Sullivan Operetta, "Trial by Jury," staged with the assistance of Miss Barbara Wellington and the Dramatic Club.

The organization concluded its activities for the year by assisting the Seniors in their observance of Class Day and Commencement.



Science Club

WALTER THOMAS, President

TUNG YIM CHIN, Vice-President

PAULINE RAYMOND, Secretary

GLORIA GAGNON, Treasurer

SHIRLEY SINDEROFF, Reporter

JOSEPH O. CARROLL, Faculty Advisor

The Science Club is an organization the fundamental purpose of which is to prepare student for the annual Westinghouse scholarship examinations.

All juniors and seniors who pursue mathematical and scientific courses are eligible for membership.

The meetings consist of demonstrations by club members or by visiting scientists. During the spring, attention is focused on scientific activities outside the school, such as the Science Convention of Hope High School, Providence.



Speakers' Bureau

President

FRED SULLIVAN

Secretary

Attendance Officer

BLANCHE CHOLETTE

JOHN KLIMKA

Faculty Advisor

ELIZABETH L. LEONARD

In its third year of existence, the Speakers' Bureau has publicized school campaigns and activities. This organization serves a two-fold purpose. First, it acquaints the students with extra-curricular activities. Second, it gives its members valuable experience in speaking before groups.

The speeches given as of March 11 are: one to promote the S. A. A. membership drive; two to promote the sale of bonds and stamps during the Victory Loan; one advertising the Dramatic Club Matinee; one advertising the Christmas Music program of the music department; one which advertised both *Papa Is All* and the Commercial Club Valentine dance, and two speeches advertising the presentation of *Romeo and Juliet*, plus additional visits to the home rooms for the purpose of selling tickets.

The Speakers' Bureau is an organization of seniors chosen for their speaking ability. Public speaking and debating teachers select these pupils when they are juniors and they become active members in their senior year.

Miss Elizabeth L. Leonard is the faculty advisor of this group which was instituted by Miss Mary Lee.



Left to right, front-D. Hearth, R. Titcomb. Rear-M. Snell, F. Markot.

The Traffic Squad

Co-Captains

DONALD HEARTH

RODNEY TITCOMB

Lieutenants
FRANCIS MARKOT
MERRILL SNELL

The Traffic Squad was started 16 years ago by the late John M. Townsend, a member of the faculty, to aid teachers in preserving order among pupils while passing from building to building and from class to class.

Since then, it has been the duty of the squad to keep the system running smoothly and to aid in assuring the safety of the pupils crossing Rock Street by maintaining traffic signs at the Locust and Cherry Street intersections.



Left to right, front—Miss O'Neil, M. Girard, R. McDonald, M. Veloza, H. Peckham, Mr. Hoar. Rear—D. Oliveira, G. Feldman, L. Furtado, D. Governo.

War Bond Cashiers

This organization was initiated shortly before the entry of the United States into World War II for the sole purpose of selling War Bonds and Stamps to the students of Durfee High School.

While serving throughout the eight War Bond campaigns, this organization sold Stamps and Bonds every Tuesday during the year. Over a million dollars was handled without the loss of a single penny.

Through the efforts of this organization, Durfee High School received several citations from the United States Treasury Department.

The Stamp and Bond Cashiers have assisted several community agencies during the War, such as the Fall River Rationing Board, the Fall River Civic Music Association, the Red Cross, and others.

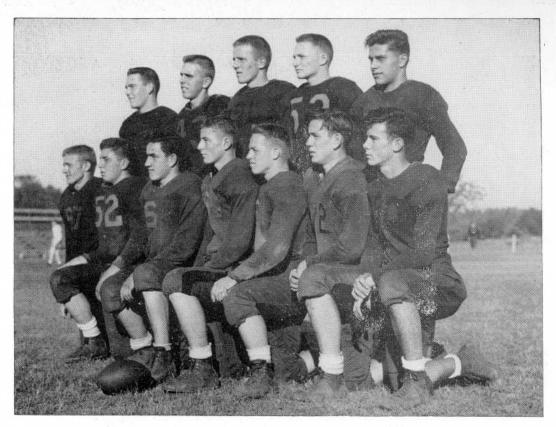
Since the cessation of hostilities, and although the sales of Stamps and Bonds have dwindled appreciably, the cashiers have continued their duties, and will continue them as long as Durfee High students desire to purchase stamps and bonds.

The organization is under the direction of George C. Hoar, Director of Commercial Department, assisted by Miss Anne L. O'Neil, teacher of accounting.

The following served as cashiers for 1945-1946: Gloria Feldman, Muriel Girard, Lorraine Furtado, Marjorie Gillett, Blanche Cholette, Marilyn Veloza, Rita McDonald, Helen Peckham and Dorothy Oliveira.

Sports





Left to right, front—J. Almond, E. King, A. Marzilli, R. Gajoli, J. Wrobleski, D. Carberry, R. Mello. Standing—J. Smith, R. Gardella, J. Long, E. Arnold, S. Petrillo

Football Team

Co-Captains
EVERETT ARNOLD, JOHN LONG
Coach
LOUIS J. URBAN

For the second straight year a powerful Durfee football team climaxed its season wih a victory over the New Bedford High School team.

Paced by three all-Bristol stars, Sal Petrillo, Johnny Long, and Joe Wrobleski, Durfee footballers had a very successful season with seven wins and three defeats.

After a shaky start, losing three out of the first four games, the team rolled into the victory column with six straight victories.

The first two games were lost to two powerful Rhode Island teams, East Providence, 7-0, and Providence Central, 6-0. Then Rogers High was beaten, 13-7, and on Columbus Day on a rain-soaked field Durfee was beaten by New Bedford 14-7. After this defeat the team started to roll: Attleboro was beaten 7-6; Taunton and North Attleboro fell, 9-6 and 6-0, respectively. Undefeated Coyle High was overwhelmed 26-12 and New Bedford Vocational proved little match for the Red and Black and was trounced, 24-6. Then before a capacity crowd, Durfee played its hardest game of the season and defeated a powerful New Bedford team, 13-12.

The varsity was composed mostly of seniors, with Almond re, Co-Captain Long rt, Wrobleski rg, Gajoli c, Marzilli lg, Carberry lt, Mello le, Co-Captain Arnold rhb, Petrillo hb, Gardella qb, and Smith and O'Neil alternating at fullback.

Other outstanding seniors were Norm Ross, Bob Jenkins, Bob Deane, John Mendes and Edmond Bridge.

Henry Noga, Ray Cabral, "Moe" Wallwork, and Ed King also played prominent roles in the success of the 1945 Durfee football team.



Left to right, front—P. Lynn, R .Gardella, S. Petrillo, O. Dunne, J. Brenner. Rear—J. Schwartz, S. Sincoski, S. Lynch D. Darcy, H. Noga, L. Klimka.

Basketball Team

Co-Captains

ROBERT GARDELLA

SAL PETRILLO

Coach LOUIS J. URBAN

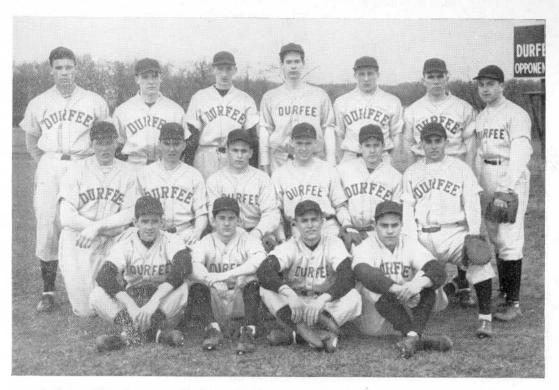
Another hard-fighting Durfee team was invited to participate this year in the Eastern Massachusetts Interscholastic Basketball Tournament at Boston Garden. The Hilltoppers played a courageous game, but went down in defeat before a great Brockton High School quintet, 33-27.

During the regular season Durfee came through with an eight and five record, winning the last seven games in a row.

The starting lineup included Co-Captain Bob Gardella and Sal Petrillo at the guard posts, Dan Darcy and Owen Dunne at the forward positions and Henry Noga at center. Other outstanding players who saw service were Stan Sincoski, Dick Sample, Shay Lynch, Pete Lynn, Jackie Brenner and Jimmie Williamson.

They started the season with a victory over Providence Central, dropped the next four, but bounded back with a 27-20 victory over Coyle. This started a seven-game winning streak and earned for the Hilltoppers an invitation to the tournament.

The most thrilling game of the season was played against New Bedford before a capacity crowd at the Fall River Casino. With the score tied at 27-all, and only twenty seconds left, Owen Dunne sank a shot from mid-court to break the tie and defeat the Whalers—the team that went on to win the Eastern Massachusetts Interscholastic Basketball Tournament.



Left to right, first row—P. Lynn, P. Turgeon, T. Rys, S. Petrillo. Second row, J. Andrews, A. Ryan, L. Sisca, D. Darcy, J. Brenner, O. Dunne. Third row—R. Mello, J. Smith, E. Murphy, S. Lynch, H. Noga, R. Gardella, A. Imbriglio

Baseball Team

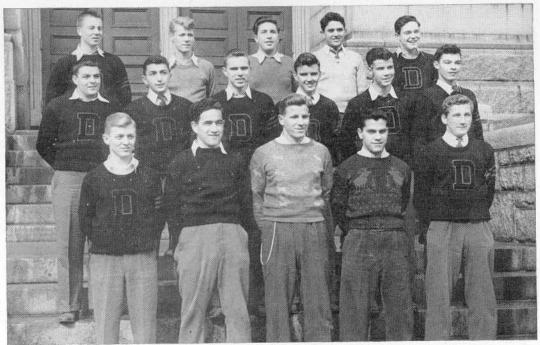
Because the opening of the baseball season comes simultaneously with the deadline for Record Book copy, this record must be confined to a preview of Durfee's 1946 diamond activities.

Cancellation of the opening game with Warren High School because of the poor weather leaves the team with an 11-game schedule, including homeand-home series with New Bedford, New Bedford Vocational, Coyle, Cranston and Taunton, and a single game with Providence Central.

A promising group of players, including seven members of the Class of 1946, has been practicing diligently under the tutelage of Coach Urban and his assistant, Mr. Harrington, and the squad is expected to give a good account of itself.

A probable starting line-up would include Bob Gardella behind the plate, Co-Captain Art Ryan on the mound, Owen Dunne at first base, Jim Smith at second, Henry Noga at short and Jackie Brenner at third, with Co-Captain Bob Mello, Sal Petrillo and Tony Imbriglio or Elton Murphy in the outfield.

Whether or not the feats of the Hilltop diamond team match those of the football and basketball teams, Durfee may claim another marvelous year in athletic accomplishment under Coach Luke Urban, whose devotion, inspiration, and knowledge have been so vital in Durfee's success in recent years.



"ae" manjilk Varsity Club

President HENRY NOGA

Treasurer
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JOHN LONG

Faculty Advisor LOUIS J. URBAN

The Varsity Club, now completing its fourteenth year, is composed of all athletes who have won letters in sports. Under the direction of Coach Urban it has enjoyed a successful year, socially and financially.

One of the highlights of the Club's program is Varsity Night, an annual event sponsored by the club to raise funds for the purchase of sweaters for members and athletic equipment for the gymnasium. The entertainment consists of boxing and wrestling bouts, sports movies, and a vaudeville show, with the school's athletes participating as singers, dancers, and "chorus girls."

Two events in this year's program of activities will remain long in the memories of those who enjoyed them. During the basketball season the group went to Boston Garden to see a doubleheader with college teams participating. The other event was the picnic and outing, which annually climaxes the year for Durfee's athletes.



Left to right—P. Francoeur, A. Brush, J. Poirier, W. Ziobro, B. Robinson, C. Gauthier, C. Coogan. Front, S. Kelly.

The Cheerleaders

Faculty Advisor

MISS MARIE V. SHALLOO

These are the girls who lead the crowd at athletic contests in cheering Durfee teams to victory. Attractive in their red and white outfits at football games and their red skirts and black jackets at basketball games, with their spirit and enthusiasm they have played an important part in keeping up the courage of our teams. For the second consecutive year the cheerleaders have also led our cheering section at Boston Garden at the annual Headmaster's Basketball Tournament, in which Durfee participated.

The group consist of eight girls, four seniors and four juniors. All sophomores who have the required marks are eligible for the tryouts held in the spring. Those chosen serve as cheerleaders during their junior and senior years. The squad for the 1945-1946 season was composed of Sheila Kelly, head cheerleader; Pauline Francoeur, Audrey Brush, Jean Poirier, Wanda Ziobro, Barbara Robinson, Claire Gauthier and Claire Coogan.



Left to right front—J. McGrady, M. Thompson, J. Tate, R. Bradshaw, D. Dodsworth. Rear—J. Morrow, N. Wood, N. Carroll, A. Chabot, R. Taylor, B. Hayden.

Girls Basketball Team

Captain

Coach

JANICE TATE

VIRGINIA FROST

For the first time since the beginning of girls' varsity inter-scholastic basketball in Durfee, this year's team has played a seven-game schedule, two more than in previous years. The first team is credited with three wins while losing four games and the second team has chalked up a fine record of four wins, one tie, and one loss.

Forwards were: Maxine Thompson, Ruth Bradshaw, Virginia Kelley, Jean McGrady, Betty Hayden, and Annette Chabot. Guards were: Captain Janice Tate, Ruth Taylor, Juliet Morrow, Della Dodsworth, Nancy Wood, and Nancy Carroll.

The record: Alumni 20, Durfee 19; Dartmouth 34, Durfee 40; Durfee 28, Somerset 46; Durfee 23, Westport 12; Durfee 18, Dartmouth 17; Somerset 42, Durfee 27; Westport 19, Durfee 17.

The second team girls will carry on next year and continue their great playing as Durfee's first team. Commendation should go also to Janice Leger, the timer, and Marion Lincoln, the scorer, for their excellent work at each game.



Girls' Numeral Club

President
JANICE TATE

Vice-President
MARJORIE EDWARDS

Secretary
JULIET MORROW

Faculty Advisor VIRGINIA W. FROST

Members of this club offered their services in September when they planned and helped conduct the Freshman Party. Ninth grade girls from other schools in the city met Numeral Club members through the presence of the older girls at the city-wide play days, in which they served as officials. Durfee freshmen played Volleyball under the guidance of Numeral Club members.

Prospective sophomore members were entertained at a get-acquainted party in the gym. One project under club management was a sophomore volley-ball tournament. After Christmas, another group successfully ran the basket-ball tournament, which has become a yearly affair for sophomore girls.

Members' interests in sports were many and varied. Some were gym leaders, others conducted tournaments, while still others officiated at volleyball, soccer, basketball and badminton games. Those interested in socials planned parties, hunts and a yearly outing for the club members.

Chronology of '46

1942-1943

September

Football Rally—Connie Maines named cheerleader. Girls' gym in new home

October

Home room directors elected.

November

Durfee 7, New Bedford 7.

December

13 Freshmen on Principal's List. Gladys Coury, our president.

February

Music groups present "The Gondoliers." War Stamps on sale.

March

18 make the Principal's List. Officers' Banquet. Durfee's Jeep Campaign starts. Freshman basketball tournament.

April

D. D. C. at Drama Festival. Baseball season opens. A Freshman makes the All-A List

May

Varsity Night.
Deltas assembly—five frosh receive awards.

1943-1944

September

Class of '46 at full strength.

October

Sophomore Social. Home room directors elected.

November

We beat Coyle, 19-7. Pigskin Hop. 15 Sophs in Girls' Numeral Club. Three on All-A List; 27 make the Principal's List.

December

Christmas Vacation at last! Frank Panos elected class president.

Chronology of '46

January

Fourth War Loan Drive.

February

Flying Fortress purchased for \$450,000. Five of us on the All-A List.

March

Officers' Banquet. War Bond Awards.

April

Varsity Night. Baseball season opens.

May

Awards Assembly—25 Sophs get one.

1944-1945

September

Gridsters turn orators at Pep Rally.

October

S. A. A. drive a success.

November

Sheila Kelly chosen head cheerleader. DURFEE 53—NEW BEDFORD 6!

December

Undefeated football team feted. Basketball season starts.

January.

Science and debating clubs organized. "Arsenic and Old Lace," dramatic hit.

February

Valentine Dance Six on the All-A List; 23 on the Principal's List.

March

Undefeated basketball team goes to Headmasters' Tournament. Novelty Nite.

April

Girls' varsity basketball team closses successful season. Opera "Martha" presented.

Tribute to memory of President Roosevelt.

Baseball season opens at Cranston.

Officers' Banquet.

D. D. C. in New England drama finals.

Chronology of '46

May

V-E DAY! Seventh War Loan. Thirty-two receive awards. Varsity Club outing.

1945-1946

October

Bob Gardella president of home room directors. New Bedford beats us in the mud. We support the Victory Loan.

November

Class rings finally here. Education Week—Parents' Night. We beat New Bedford, 13-12.

December

Football banquet. Last Christmas vacation of our high school days.

January

Midwinter Hop.
Petrillo and Gardella co-captains of basketball.

February

Rosenthal-Spindel-Langton team wins debate tourney. "Whitey" Peterson our new v. p. Six on the All-A this term; 69 on the Principal's List.

March

Durfee in Headmasters' Tournament again. Officers' Banquet. Advisory, dance and gift committees chosen. Highest ranking seniors named.

April

Class Day speakers chosen. S. A. A. Convention here. Spring Hop.

May

On the last lap of the journey.

June

Commencement—Au revoir!

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