

DEDICATION MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL



PELHAM , NEW YORK
MAY SIXTH , MCMXXII



MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL typifies the best style of construction and arrangement. Besides regular classrooms, there are four Locker rooms, a Suite of Science rooms consisting of a Lecture room, a Physics Laboratory, a Chemical Laboratory, Preparation room, and Store-rooms. There are other special rooms, such as Manual Training, Drawing, Commercial, Typewriting, Study Hall, Library, Medical room, Teachers' Rest Room, Board Room, and Executive Offices.

THE AUDITORIUM seats about 800 and contains a perfectly appointed stage with footlights and border lights. Four dressing rooms

adjoin the stage. A fireproof booth for a moving-picture machine is also provided.

THE GYMNASIUM is located underneath the Auditorium and contains a gallery which will seat about 150. Modern apparatus is installed, making a thoroughly up-to-date exercise room.

THE ELECTRIC WIRING is thoroughly modern, all being contained in iron conduits. Two large fans furnish fresh air taken from above the roof for ventilating the building. The ventilation of the Auditorium and Gymnasium is separate from the rest of the building. By means of regulating dampers, air can be either recirculated or expelled through ventilators in the roof. Heating is controlled by thermostatic regulators in every room. A Master Clock controls all clocks, including the Tower Clock and also rings the program bells. A Telephone Switchboard connects with each room in the building and with each of the other schools. A vacuum cleaning system insures cleanliness.

THE BUILDING was designed by Tooker and Marsh, Architects. The general construction was done by George T. Kelly; heating and ventilating by the Johnston Heating Company; electric wiring by the Van Wagoner-Lynn Construction Company; plumbing by Joseph F. Cunnenn; furnishing and fixtures were supplied by the following firms and individuals:

Electric Fixtures	Black and Boyd
Hardware and Bronzes	Yale, Towne & Company
Bronzes	Gorham Company
Tablets	Eagle Bronze Co.
Leaded Glass	E. Owen Bonawit
Laboratory Furniture	Kewaunee Mfg. Co.
Seats and Desks	Heywood Bros. & Wakefield
Library and Filing Fixtures	Library Bureau
Curtain, Scenery and Stage Equipment	Wm. H. Campb
Stage Lighting and Scenery	Gustav A. Weidhaas
Gymnasium Equipment	Naragansett Machine Co.
Lockers	Durand Steel Locker Co.
Vault	York Safe and Lock Company
Program Clocks	Howard Clock Company
Vacuum Cleaner	Spencer Turbine Company
Linoleum	Conradson & Hill
Shades	Ordinator Co.
Rugs	Lord & Taylor
Fire Extinguishers	Johns Manville Co.
Piano	Steinway & Co.
Fence	Cyclone Fence Co.

ROOSEVELT FIELD comprises about five acres. On it there is a fifth of a mile cinder track; football, baseball, and hockey grounds; volley ball, cage ball and basket ball courts. There are four clay tennis courts and one cement all-year court. It is believed that this field is the most complete school athletic field in this section.

PROGRAM



THOMAS J. JAMES, PRESIDING

President of the Board of Education

Invocation	Rev. J. McVickar Haight
Solo "Lest We Forget"	Knight MacGregor
Address	Hon. Benjamin L. Fairchild
Presentation of Colors	Kneeland S. Durham, Jr.
<i>Representing Pelham Post No. 50 of the American Legion</i>	
Acceptance	John T. Logan
Presentation of Bible	Harold S. Archer
<i>Representing Winyah Lodge No. 866 F. & A. M.</i>	
Remarks	Mrs. James F. Secor
<i>Historian of the Town of Pelham</i>	
Unveiling of Memorial Tablet	Hon. Charles G. F. Wable
Roll of the Gold Stars	Major David A. L'Esperance
Taps	Sergeant Stanlon
Prayer	Rev. Lewis Gaston Leary
Singing of "America," the last stanza	The Audience

Our father's God, to Thee,
 Author of Liberty,
 To Thee we sing;
 Long may our land be bright
 With Freedom's holy light,
 Protect us by Thy might,
 Great God, our King!

Presentation of the Building to the School District	L. Ogden Thompson
<i>Chairman of the Building Committee</i>	
Acceptance on behalf of the District	Thomas J. James
Dedicatory Address	Hon. James W. Wadsworth, Jr.
Singing of "The Star Spangled Banner"	The Audience

Oh, say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
 What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
 Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous fight,
 O'er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming?
 And the rockets' red glare, and bombs bursting in air,
 Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there!
 Oh, say, does the Star Spangled Banner yet wave
 O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

Oh! thus be it ever, when freemen shall stand
 Between their loved home and war's desolation;
 Blest with victory and peace, may the Heaven-rescued land
 Praise the Power that made and preserved us a nation.
 Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,
 And this be our motto, "In God is our trust."
 And the Star Spangled Banner in triumph shall wave
 O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave.

Benediction	Rev. Herbert H. Brown
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Music by Twenty-second Infantry Band, Governors Island
 Col. F. L. Faison, Commanding

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High School

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Mildred Fisk Warren . . . *Latin*
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Special Teachers

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Special Teachers

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Hutchinson School

Ella M. Donnelly . . . *Principal*
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Jean B. Andrews . . . *1 B*
Dorothy M. Roberts . . . *1 A*
Lena M. Miller . . . *2 B*
Mary M. Sprague . . . *2 A*
Kathryn B. Morgan . . . *3 A*
Jane Grinker . . . *4 B*
Freda Sudheimer . . . *4 A*
Eva E. McCarter . . . *5 A*
Laura Miller . . . *6 B*
Ruth H. Jackson . . . *6 A*

Siwanoy School

Georgia A. Coleman . . . *Principal*
Mary L. Baker . . . *Kindergarten*
Marion J. Crum . . . *1 A*
Kathryn E. Padien . . . *3 B*
M. Abbie Noonan . . . *3 A*
Winifred Cates . . . *4 B*
Florence A. Goeltz . . . *4 A*
Gladys Hilts . . . *5 B*
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Colonial School

Bertha G. Stall . . . *1 B*
E. Marguerite Muncy . . . *1 A*
Mary C. Bailey . . . *2 B, Principal*
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