

TRUMPET

1948

The Senior Class
of
Maine Central Institute
Pittsfield, Maine

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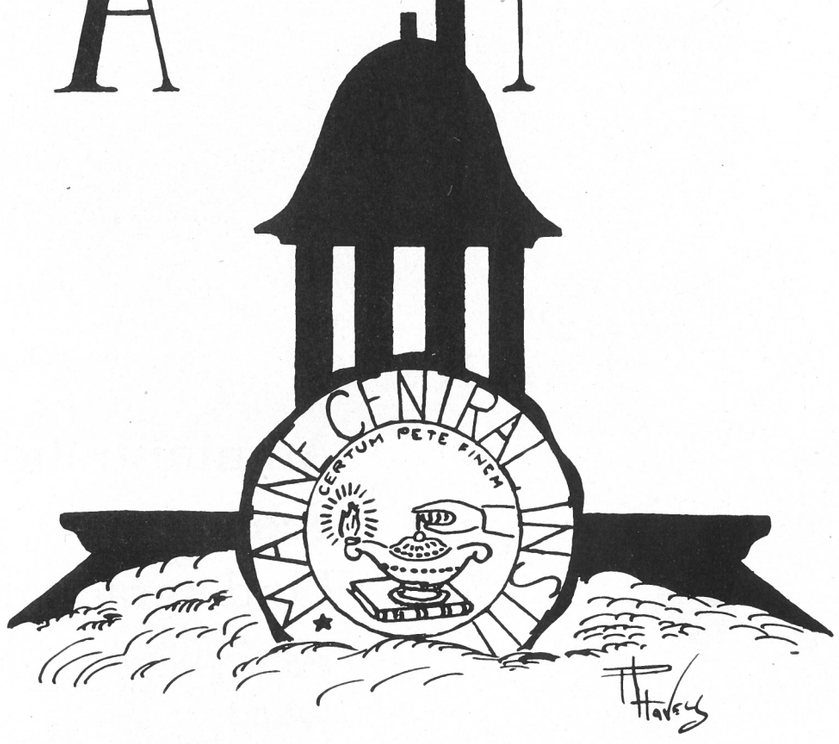
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TRUMPET
for Nineteen Hundred and Forty-eight

Foreword

Recorded in this chronicle for all posterity to read and enjoy are the deeds and accomplishments of the Class of 1948. As the years pass on, these aging pages will help to recall the cherished memories of yesterday's passing parade of friends and activities.

-- Editor

ALMA MATER



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We, the Class of 1948
dedicate
this issue of the
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to
MISS LUCILE DEREYNOLDS
for her untiring efforts
in behalf of our class



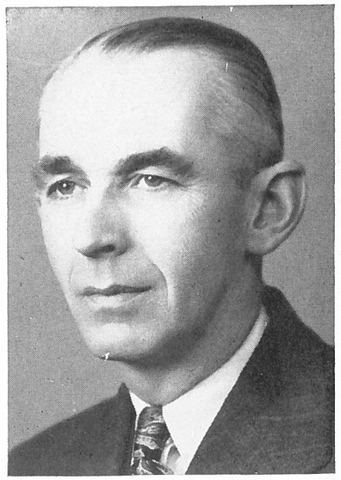
Class Advisers

We, the class of 1948,
express our deepest
appreciation to
MR. RODERICK L. SMITH
and
MISS BARBARA BLACKSTONE
for their gracious
assistance to us as
class advisers
and
friends.





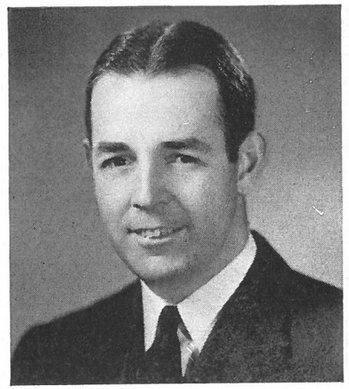
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Harvard University A.B., Ed.M



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Dean of Boys
Social Studies
Bates College



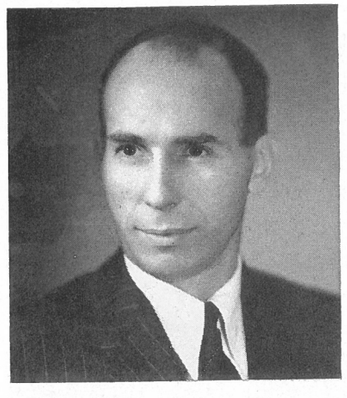
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Dean of Girls
Farmington State Teachers College
Harvard University



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Director of Athletics
Biology
Springfield College



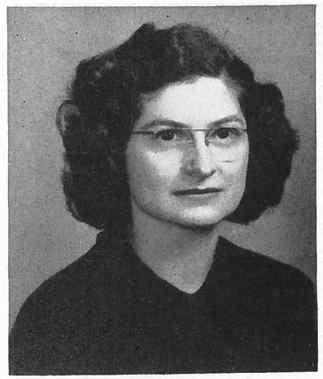
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Dramatics
Emerson College



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Science
University of Illinois



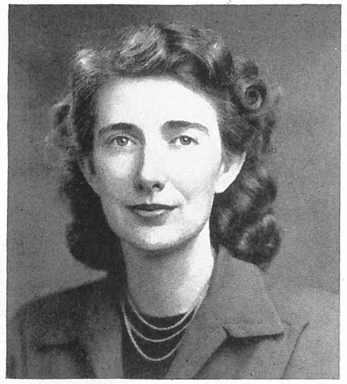
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Commercial Subjects
New York University



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French
Latin
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Speech
Colby College



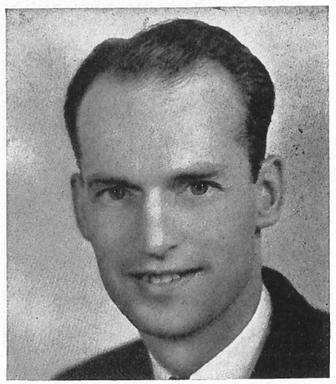
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Rhode Island State College



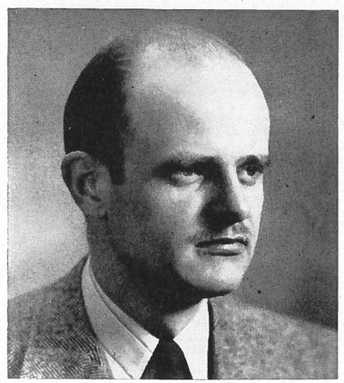
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Mathematics
Bowdoin College



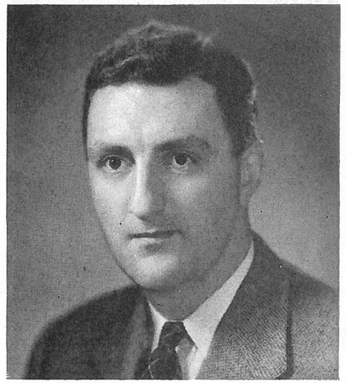
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Director of Girls' Athletics
University of Maine



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Industrial Arts
Gorham Teachers College



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History
Bates College



LAWRENCE MUZROLL, A.B.
Mathematics
University of Maine



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Typing
Office Practice



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Music
Boston University



GLENNIS WILLEY
Registrar



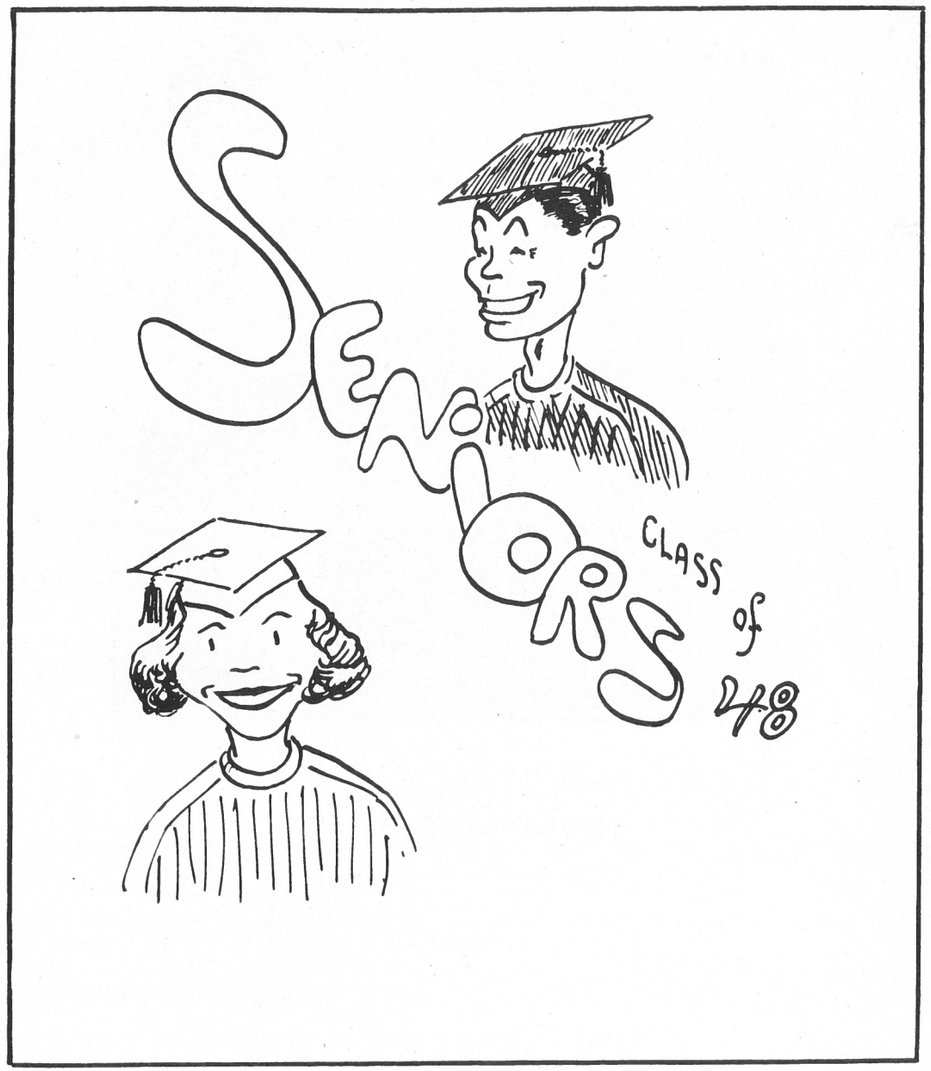
KATHLEEN M. COREY, A.B.
Secretary to the Principal
Colby College

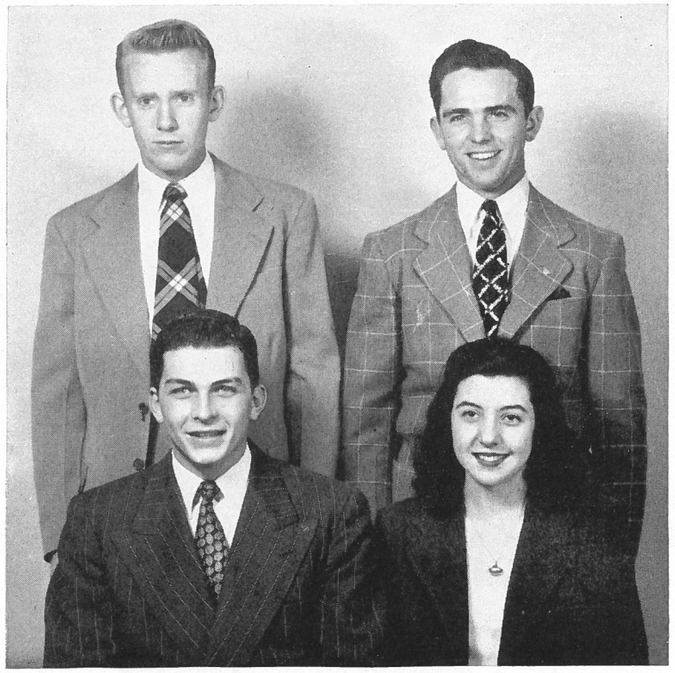


FRANCES O. GILMAN, R.N.
School Nurse
Eastern Maine General Hospital



HELEN PHILBROOK, B.S.
Dietition
University of Maine





Senior Class Officers

President	Cornelius Clauson
Vice President	Thomas Burgess
Treasurer	Roy Dyke
Secretary	Theresa Sirois

Class Advisers

Mr. Roderick Smith
Miss Barbara Blackstone



Front Row: Thomas Burgess, Marguerite Coolbroth, Roy Dyke, Doris Urban, Neal Clausen, William Hatch, Theresa Sirois. *Second Row:* Arey Bryant, Burton Drinkwater, Loretta White, Robert Park, Robert Libby,. John Sevigny.

Senior Executive Council

For the first time a Senior Executive Council was organized for the purpose of assisting the class officers and advisers.

The members of this council not only act as an advisory board but have voting privileges in certain matters pertaining to class activities.

Members of this council are as follows:

Arey Bryant
Thomas Burgess
Neal Clauson
Marguerite Coolbroth
Burton Drinkwater
Roy Dyke
William Hatch
Robert Libby
Charles London
Marjorie Pearl
John Sevigny
Theresa Sirois
Doris Urban
Loretta White



Front Row: Alice Shaw, Elizabeth Coolidge, Theresa Sirois, William Sprague, Knute Holmsen, Robert Libby, Doris Urban, Marguerite Coolbroth. *Second Row:* Roy Dyke, Arey Bryant, Loretta White, Gerald Hodge, Ann Cox, William Hatch, James Gamble.

Trumpet Board

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Knute Holmsen

ASST. EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Robert Libby

BUSINESS MANAGER

William Sprague

ASST. BUSINESS MANAGERS

Alice Shaw
Edwin Reed
James Gamble
Cecil Butler
Marguerite Coolbroth

ASSOCIATE EDITORS

Marguerite Coolbroth
Elizabeth Coolidge
Ann Cox
Doris Urban
Robert Hughes
William Hatch
Arey Bryant
Burton Drinkwater

GIRLS' SPORTS

Loretta White
Theresa Sirois

BOYS' SPORTS

Roy Dyke
Gerald Hodge

TYPIST

Doris Urban



Front Row: Doris Urban, Elizabeth Vroom, Elizabeth Coolidge, Loretta White, Theresa Sirois. *Second Row:* William Hatch, Donald Morin, Robert McIntosh, Arey Bryant, LeRoy Pinkham.

Senior Class Play

"Let Me Out of Here," a farce-comedy, was presented as the Senior Play this year. The hilarious predicaments centered around a pair of torn trousers. The fast action and many complications brought many laughs.

The play was coached by Miss Lucile DeReynolds in her usual effective manner.

The cast of characters was as follows:

EVE BOYD (Vivacious young lady) — *Theresa Sirois*
BONA LYNN (Eve's roommate) — *Elizabeth Coolidge*
BESSIE RHODES (The landlady) — *Doris Urban*
HAZEL MILES (The colored maid) — *Elizabeth Vroom*
ANGELA BOYD (Eve's wealthy aunt) — *Loretta White*
GARRET LYNN (Bona's brother) — *William Hatch*
VICTOR WARD (Garret's pal) — *Arey Bryant*
STEVIE COBB (Young colored boy) — *Robert McIntosh*
GIFFORD MARTON (Eccentric young man) — *LeRoy Pinkham*
MARSHALL WARD (Victor's father) — *Donald Morin*

Honor Parts

Valedictorian	Loretta White
Salutatorian	Elizabeth Vroom
First Honor Essay	Dorothy Tarbox
Second Honor Essay	Louise Catlin
Third Honor Essay	William Hatch

Graduation Parts

Chaplain	Robert Libby
Oration	Knute Holmsen
Prophecy	Arey Bryant Doris Urban
History	Elizabeth Coolidge
Gifts	James Roach Theresa Sirois
Will	Edward Crowley

Class Colors

Purple and White

Class Flower

Red Rose

Class Motto

"Today Is a Sure Preparation for Tomorrow."

Commencement Program

Senior Last Chapel	Tuesday, June 1
Class Day Exercises	Saturday, June 5
Baccalaureate Service	Sunday, June 6
Graduation	Sunday, June 6

Class Ode

Our dear M. C. I. we must say our goodbys now
To you and our friends gathered here.
The time now has come for a parting of pleasures,
But our mem'ries will linger so dear.
We'll ne'er be together as those of us wander
To reach the far goal in the sky.
We'll remember the halls where the mem'ries are fondest,
The halls of our dear M. C. I.

To you, Alma Mater, our pledges we're giving —
This last tie to bind us as one.
Our fates and our fortunes, our troubles and joys,
To you with these all we have come.
One last thought of gratitude to those who've helped us
One last thoughtful, loving goodby.
We'll remember forever and stop singing never
To you — to our dear M. C. I.

Tune: My Wonderful One

— Louise Catlin '48



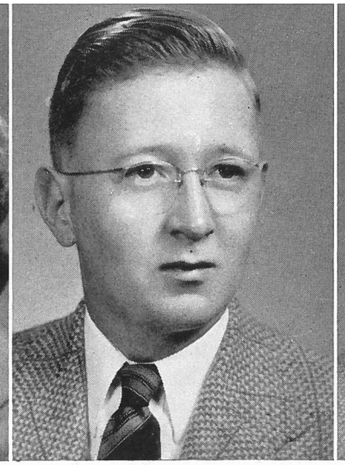
JOYCE MARILYN BEATTIE

"Jo"

Pittsfield, Maine

Class Sec. 2; Glee Club, Orch. 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 4.

Jo is full of vim, vigor, and vitality. Remember, these "V" — vitamins will serve you well in the near future, Joyce.



ROBERT BEATTIE

"Bob"

Pittsfield, Maine

It must be his red hair that turns the trick because he is one of the best salesmen in the class. He'll be knocking on your door soon.



HAROLD BEISAW

"Hal"

North Jay, Maine

Football, Baseball, Track.

Hal was a "standout" all during the football season, but his main interest is to succeed as a big business man.



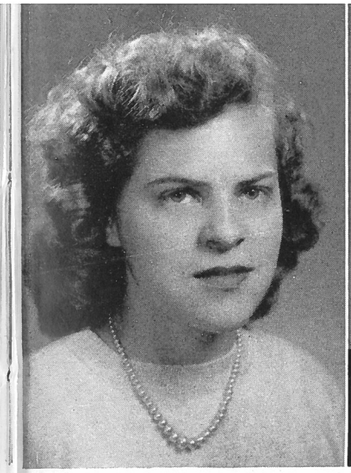
JOCELYN HARLAND BESSE

"Jo"

Brunswick, Maine

Basketball, Glee Club 4.

Jo is a girl whose heart and feet skip a beat whenever there is an athletic contest going on. She is a true sports' enthusiast.



ROBERTA JEAN BROWN

"Bobby"

Pittsfield, Maine

Ex. Comm., Talisman 4; F. H. A. Vice Pres., Prom. Comm. 3.

Bobby gains her wisdom in a happy way. Her classmates will long remember her cheery smile and "howdy doody."



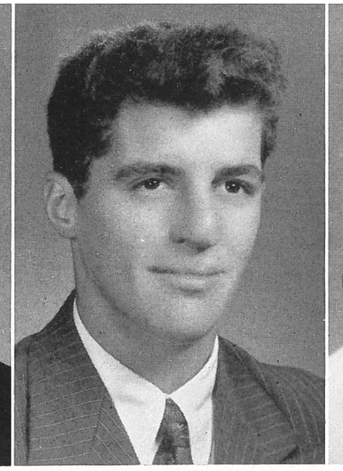
AREY BRYANT

"T.D."

Pittsfield, Maine

M-Club, Basketball, Baseball, Football 2, 3, 4; Ex. Comm. 3, 4; Class Pres. 3; Trumpet 4, Senior Play.

Hats off to you, Arey! May Lady Luck follow your steps until you reach your goal — pharmacist.



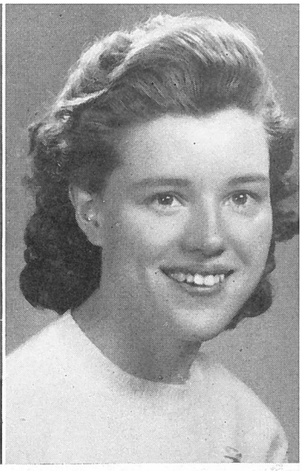
THEO A. BRYANT

"Theo"

Palmyra, Maine

Track 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, Orch. 4; Football 2; Basketball, Baseball 3, 4.

Theo's future plans are for farming. He should raise chocolate bars to keep himself in stock.



MARTHA MARIE BUKER

"Buker"

Pittsfield, Maine

Orch. 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 4; Pop Concert 1, 2.

Martha would like to glide through life on roller skates. May her wish for happiness be fulfilled!

MARILYN BLANCHE BESSEY

"Bessey"

Monson, Maine

Student Council 4.

Marilyn has a longing to be famous. It will be easy to guarantee her a place in the "bound to succeed" column.

KING EDWARD BISHOP 2ND

"Ed"

Millinocket, Maine

King, your enormous supply of college catalogues indicates that you are having a difficult time to make your college selection. Maine is a good choice.

NORMAN BRALEY

"Norm"

Pittsfield, Maine

Glee Club 4.

The Braley Band of Burnham wouldn't be complete without Norm's trumpet. This will mean competition for Harry James.

BARBARA BRAWN

"Barb"

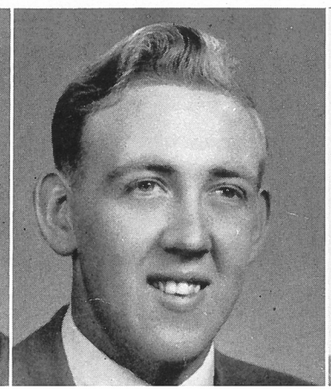
Dover-Foxcroft, Maine

Glee Club, Y-Teens 4.

Best of luck to a newcomer to the class of '48 who is supposed to be bashful — did you say??









BERNARD FRANCIS BURNS

"Barney"

Gardiner, Maine

Barney's pleasant smile and winning personality have made him a favorite with the faculty and student body alike.

CECIL DELWOOD BUTLER

"Cyke"

Waterville, Maine

Football, Baseball 4.

Cyke's sense of humor makes him a welcome member of any group. His optimism will surely keep him on top.

LOUISE CATLIN

"Red"

Portland, Maine

Athletic Council 3; Y-Teens 2, 3; Basketball, House Council 3, 4.

M.C.I.'s most popular red-head wants to become a veterinarian with a co-worker at her side.

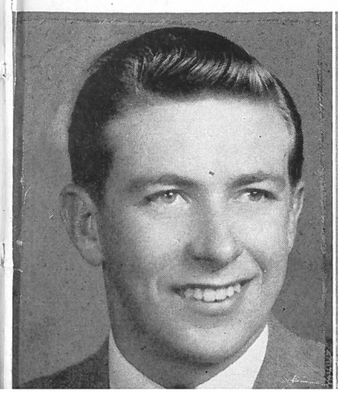
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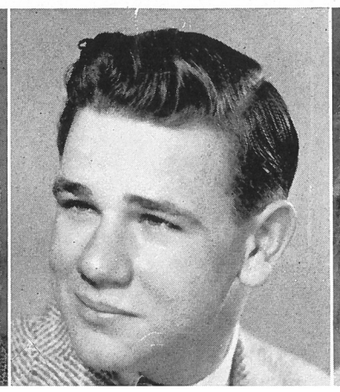
"Chuck"

Pittsfield, Maine

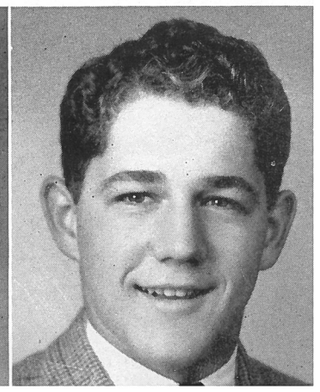
M-Club 3, 4; Football, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

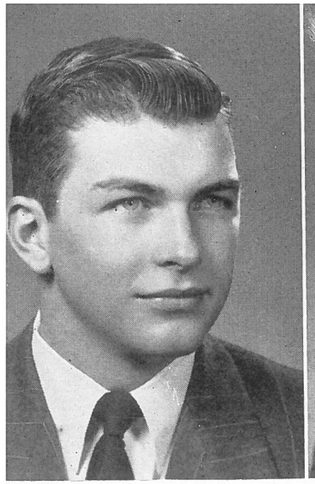
Chuck is a "wow" with all the girls. His popularity can be credited to his winning smile and friendly personality.











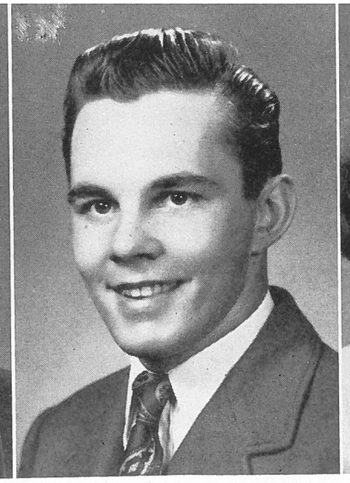
CORNELIUS K. CLAUSON

"Neal"

Waterville, Maine

Class Pres. and Adviser; V. Pres. House Council; Student Council 4.

Neal is a very skillful hunter and fisherman. As our class president he has also proved his executive ability.

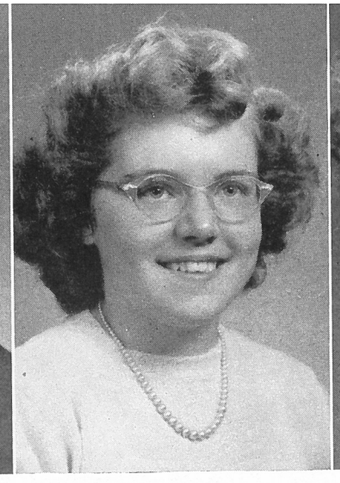


HERBERT M. CONDON

"Killer"

Newport, Maine

"Killer," if your stay at M.C.I. is indicative of what you will later accomplish, you will soon be "topping" the list of successful dentists.



MARGUERITE COOLBROTH

"Peanut"

Pittsfield, Maine

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, Prom Comm, 4; Trumpet, Girls' Sport 4; Pop Concert 1, 2; Alumni Prize Speaking.

"Good things come in small packages," and fun-loving "Peanut" is no exception.



ELIZABETH COOLIDGE

"Lizzy"

Pittsfield, Maine

Glee Club, Orch. 3, 4; Pop Concert 2; Outing Club 2; Manson Prize Speaking; Talisman 3; Trumpet 4; Senior Play; Y-Teens 1, 2, Sec. 3, Pres 4.

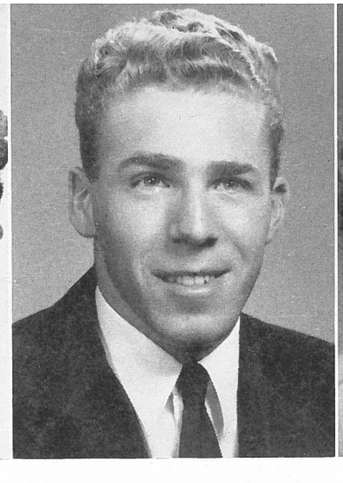
If you ever want anything done and done well, just call on our "Lizzy."



ALICE MARIE DONCET

Pittsfield, Maine

What is that great attraction at the Hartland skating rink??? It's no less than our Alice. Smooth gliding!



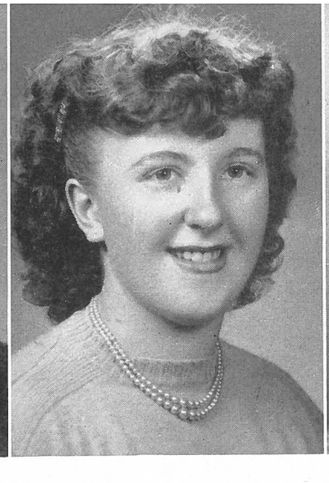
BURTON W. DRINKWATER

"Thirsty"

Guilford, Maine

Trumpet, Baseball 4.

"Thirsty" is a fisherman and hunter in his spare time, but he has hopes of becoming a forest ranger.



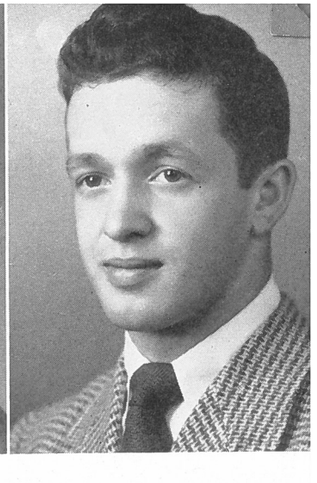
SHIRLEY IRENE DUNHAM

"Red"

Pittsfield, Maine

Prize Speaking 3; Glee Club, Y-teens 2, 3, 4.

The graciousness with which you shared your musical talents will long linger as a happy memory.



ROBERT DUPLESSIE

"Bob"

N. Vassalboro, Maine

Hockey, Football, Track, 2, 3, 4; M-Club 2, 3; Class Treas. 2.

Here is the old timer of the dorm. Bob plans to visit foreign shores as a naval officer.

ANN COX

"Slim"

Pittsfield, Maine

Glee Club, Talisman, Girls Athletics 3; Trumpet 4; Y-Teens 3, 4.

"Slim" has a smile for the girls and two for the boys. She can also carry on an intelligent conversation regardless of the subject.

EDWARD JOSEPH CROWLEY

"Pinkey"

Basketball, Football, Baseball 4.

When "Pinkey" first came to M.C.I. he appeared to be shy but close association with the girls' dorm soon wrought a magic change.

H. ALTON DANFORTH

"Danny"

Troy, Maine

There is a great future in aeronautics; may your highest goals be attained in that field.

HOLLIS DOHERTY

"Tootie"

Burnham, Maine

"Tootie" is a very amiable and dependable person. We hear that he is interested in botany — or at least the Lily.

ROY HERBERT DYKE

"Joe"

Wilton, Maine

Basketball, Baseball, Football Mgr., Class Treas., Trumpet, Ex. Comm. 4.

Joe's work on the basketball court will long be remembered by loyal M.C.I. fans.

HELEN LORRAINE ESTY

"Hellon"

Pittsfield, Maine

Cheerleader, Prom Comm., Field Hockey 3; Pop Concert, Y-Teens 1, 2.

Helen has an ambition to become a good secretary for some reliable concern. Is it Chuck??

JOHN ESTEY

"Johnnie"

Ellsworth, Maine

Johnnie is the handsome boy of the dorm who won't give the girls a break. Perhaps he is studying hard to be a salesman.

ROBERT NEWTON FISH

"Bob"

Boothbay Harbor, Maine

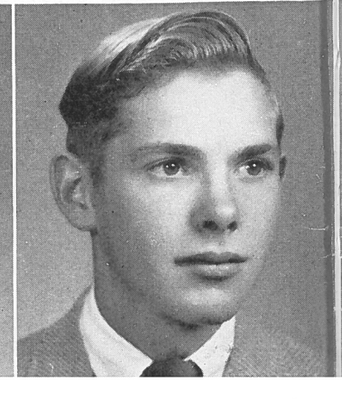
Football, Baseball 4.

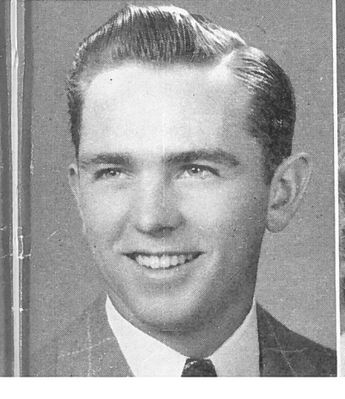
Bob is a seacoast boy, so this may explain his interest in boats. Next fall he'll be studying at the U. of Maine.



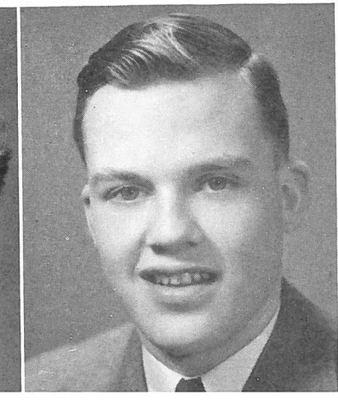


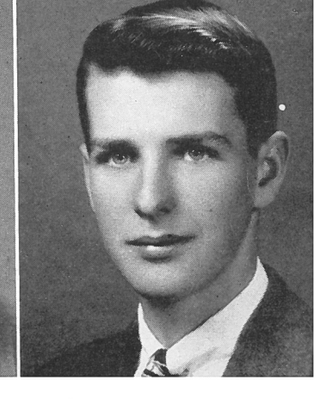


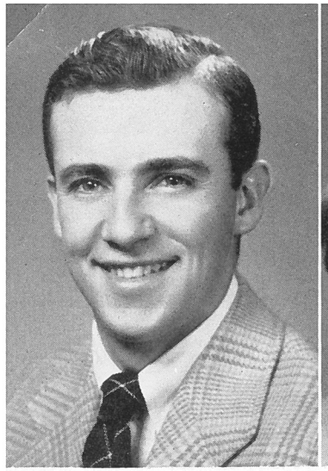












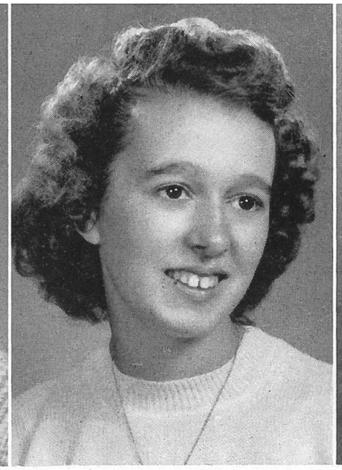
JAMES OSCAR GAMBLE

"Jimmy"

Pittsfield, Maine

Talisman, Trumpet, 4; Prize Speaking 3; X-Country 2.

Jimmy wants to be a barber. He certainly has had some close shaves in that car of his.



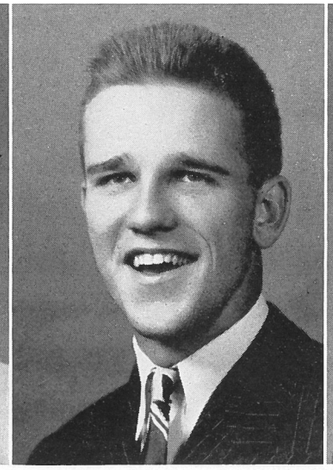
CAROLYN MAE GREELEY

"Greeley"

Pittsfield, Maine

Glee Club 4; Orch., Pop Concert 1, 2.

Carolyn is one of the few quiet lasses in the class. We know little of her future plans, but success to you, Carolyn.



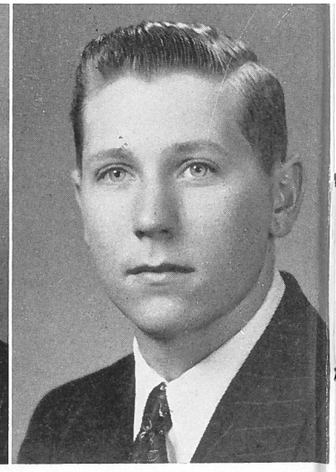
RALPH CLINTON HAM

"Buddy"

S. Berwick, Maine

Football, Baseball, Basketball (Capt.) 4.

Bud, who stands 5'7", does not regard size as a handicap when he wants to participate in sports. He plans to take up law.



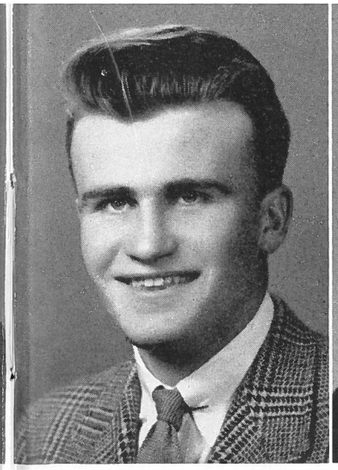
WILLIAM RICHARD HATCH

"Buffy"

Pittsfield, Maine

Football, Basketball, Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Prize Speaking 1, 2, 3; Trumpet, Track, Talisman, Ex. Comm. 4; Class Pres. 2; Student Council 3, 4; Debating 4; N.H.S. 3; Senior Play; M-Club 2, 3.

All hands on deck, Admiral!



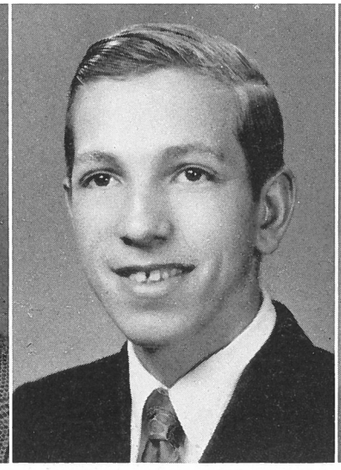
KNUTE HOLMSEN

"Rigi"

Bath, Maine

Football, Basketball, Baseball, Trumpet Editor 4.

Your fine work in athletics and keen interest in other school activities show that you have the necessary qualities for success.

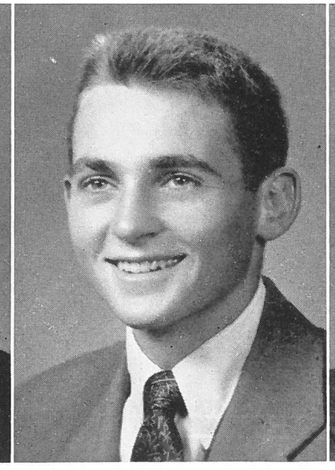


MANLEY HAZEN HUFF, JR.

Burnham, Maine

Prize Speaking 3; X-Country 4; Track 3.

Manley manages to get to school on the coldest mornings even though he travels miles. This same perseverance will lead to success.



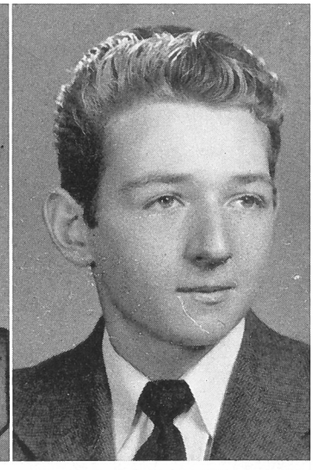
ROBERT HUGHES

"Rube"

Yonkers, N. Y.

Football 3, 4; Trumpet, Basketball 4.

"Rube" is headed for the Maine Maritime Academy, where he has high hopes of becoming an admiral in the Merchant Marine.



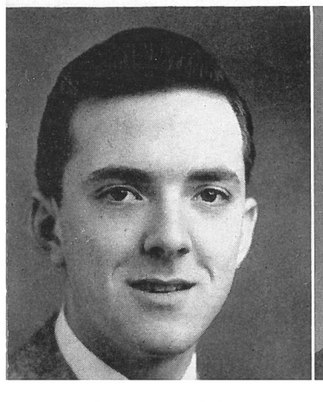
ALTON WILLIAM HUNT

"Alt"

Palmyra, Maine

Baseball 1; Prize Speaking, X-Country 2.

A very friendly fellow at M.C.I. is Alton. He plans to begin his career as a seaman in the U. S. Navy, where he will continue to make many friends.



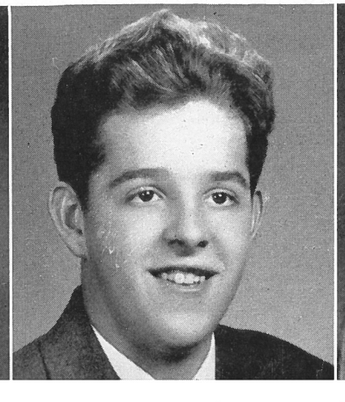
BRUCE J. HILL

"Stooge"

Skowhegan, Maine

Debating, Dance Orch., Baseball, Football Mgr. 4.

The "Boogie Woogie" King will long remain a favorite wherever there is a piano. Those 82 keys spell success.



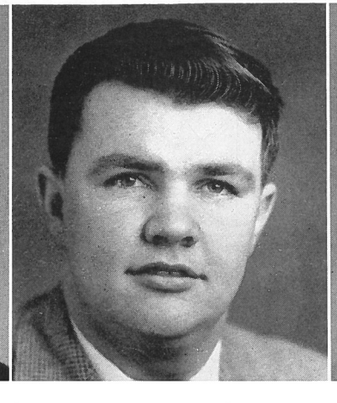
PHILIP HITTINGER

"Biscepts"

Belmont, Mass.

Football, Basketball 4.

As the "uplifter" of the kitchen crew, Biscepts is unexcelled; but his ability to break the china is unprecedented.



GERALD FRANCIS HODGE

"Jerry"

Bangor, Maine

Football, Trumpet 4.

Jerry was one of the "heavies" on the champion football team. His playing ability is surpassed only by his joviality.



GORDEN WAYNE HODGKINS

"Hodg"

Pittsfield, Maine

Baseball 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Football 1, 3; Hockey 4.

"Hodg" is a fellow who is always courteous and friendly. His main interest is a Buick Car.



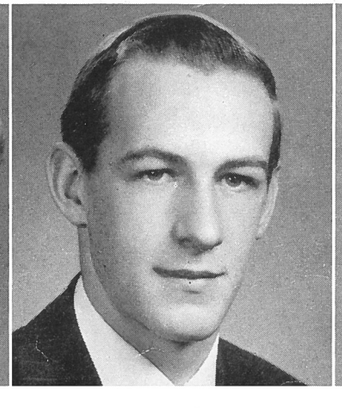
PAULINE KENNISTON

"Polly"

Palmyra, Maine

Glee Club, Y-Teens, Pop Concert Comm. 1.

Polly is slated for a trip to the West Coast. Don't forget all the friends that you have left behind on the East Coast.



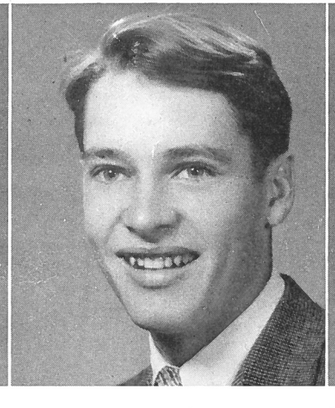
NEIL LAROCHELLE

"Turk"

Richmond, Maine

Basketball 3.

Neil is one of the shorter? fellows in the school, but he is very long on arguments. His next stop is Farmington State Teachers College.



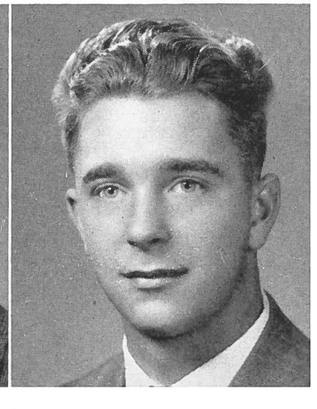
ROBERT LIBBY

"Bob"

Pittsfield, Maine

Prize Speaking 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Talisman, Trumpet, Ex. Comm., Athletic Comm., Prom Comm. 4; Track, X-Country, M-Club 2, 3.

We, the class of '48, express our appreciation for your steadfast devotion toward us during your four-year stay.



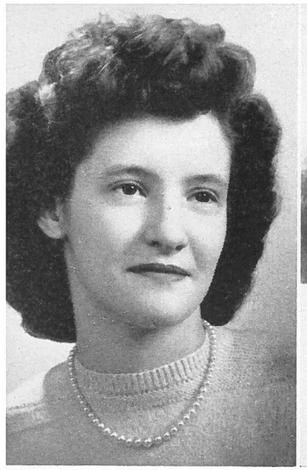
CHARLES LONDON

"Charlie"

Pittsfield, Maine

Baseball, Basketball, Football 1, 2, 3, 4; M-Club 2, 3; Ex. Comm., Hockey, Student Council 4; Trumpet, 1, 2; Talisman 3, 4; Class Pres. 1; Prom Comm., N.H.S. 3; Pop Concert 1, 2.

The resourcefulness of the editor of the Talisman will eventually place him on top.



COLLEEN McLAGGAN

"Mac"

Detroit, Maine

Prize Speaking 1.

Who will want to get well with a nurse like "Mac" to look after him? Good luck to the little "Lady in White."



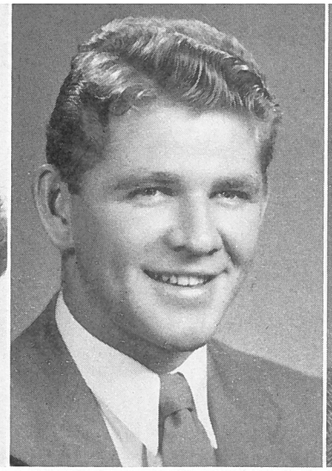
DOROTHY MENENDEZ

"Dot"

Pittsfield, Maine

Glee Club, Y-Teens, Talisman 4.

Our best wishes go to the girl with jingle and pep who is bound to be a "find" in the business world.

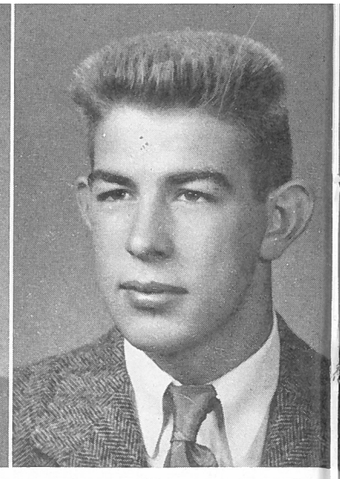


DONALD MILLER

"Killer"

S. Portland, Maine

Don, your fondness of hunting has evidently helped you to decide your life work, for we understand that you plan to study forestry at the U. of Maine.



THOMAS OBED MILLETT

"Tommy"

Pittsfield, Maine

Prize Speaking 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; Football 1, 2.

Success will surely come his way, for his motto is "Be ever ready to serve."

DONALD LEWIS MORIN

"Don"

Guilford, Maine

Senior Play.

May you meet the morrow, Don, with the same sincere friendliness that you have shown toward us at M.C.I.

MERRILL MORSE

"Clem"

Kittery, Maine

Vacation to "Clem" means that happy days are here again. There must be an "ole swimmin' hole" down Kittery way.

JOHN RICHARD MOSKO

"Hacker"

Lisbon Falls, Maine

Baseball, Football, Hockey 4.

You have a sterling quality which overcomes whatever difficulties you may encounter.

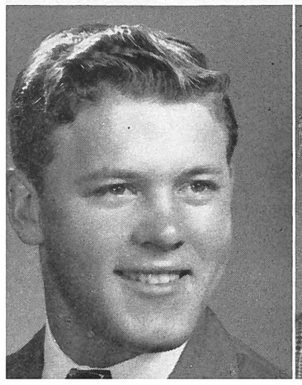
HAYWARD NOYES

"Woody"

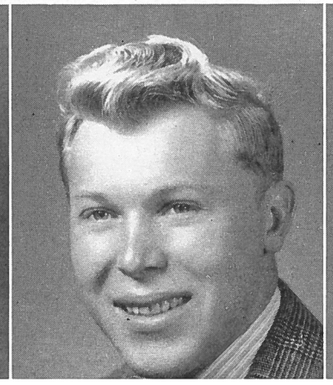
Franklin, Maine

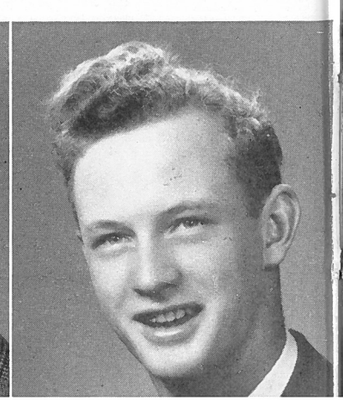
Baseball 3.

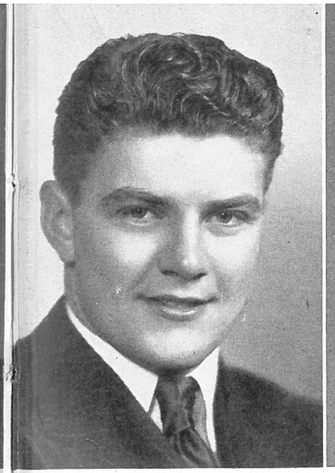
"Woody" has won the reputation in the boys' dorm as a great hunter. He is an expert story teller and a wonderful friend to know.











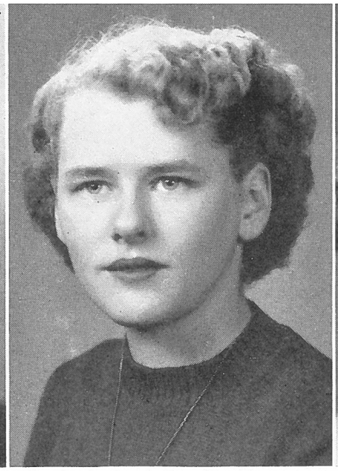
ROBERT GORDEN PARK

"Bob"

Lewiston, Maine

Baseball, Football, Basketball; House, Athletic, and Student Council 4.

Bob is one of the outstanding athletes of the class, and he captained the unbeaten football team.



MARJORIE PEARL

"Margie"

Detroit, Maine

Prize Speaking 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens, Glee Club 4.

Everyone will be riding the airlanes in the near future just to see that cute stewardess, our Margie.



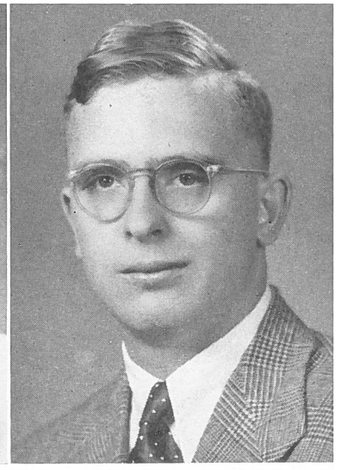
MERIBEL PETERSON

"Pete"

Detroit, Maine

Talisman 1.

Friendly "Pete" plans to further her career as an artist by attending an art school. Your classmates will long remember you, Meribel.



LEROY PINKHAM

"Roy"

Pittsfield, Maine

Prize Speaking 1, 2, 3; Basketball, Football, Track 2; Debating 4, Senior Play.

The fellow with a joke for every occasion is our man LeRoy.

EDWIN REED

"Ed"

Pittsfield, Maine

Football 1, 2, 3; Track, M-Club 2, 3; Trumpet 4; Basketball 1, 3; Outing Club 3; Hockey 2, 4.

The future will see your name topping the crest of world-famous engineers.

GLORIA JEAN REYNOLDS

"Jeannie"

Pittsfield, Maine

Jeannie seems to carry home a lot of books because she is studying to be a lawyer. Do you really study all of them?

ETTA MARIBELLE ROLFE

"Mary"

Pittsfield, Maine

Glee Club 3; Y-Teens, Pop Concert 1, 2.

Our Mary is not contrary, for she has a smile and a cheery "hello" for everyone.

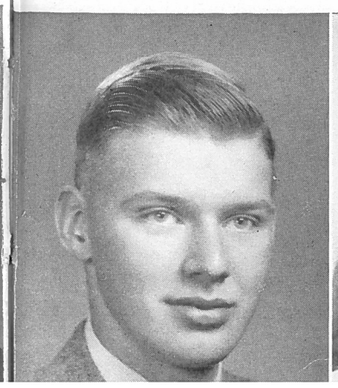
RICHARD SCHUTT

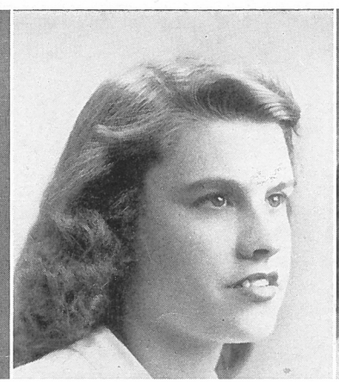
"D"

Lewiston, Maine

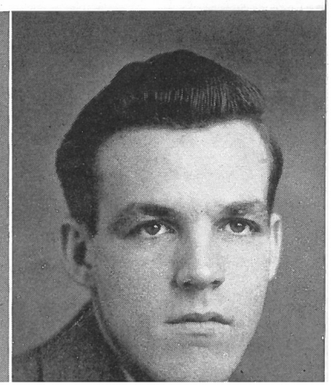
Football, Hockey, Baseball 4.

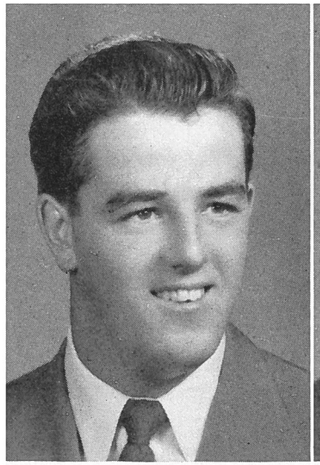
A popular member of the house council is Dick, who takes his work seriously. His genial personality has made him many friends.











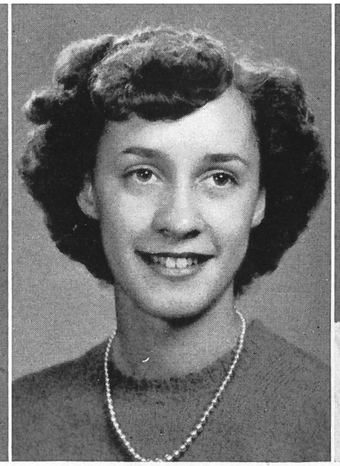
JOHN SEVIGNY

"Crisco"

Biddeford, Maine

Football 3, 4; Ex. Comm., Hockey 4.

The best dressed man in school is bound to be a success. In the reliable crystal ball we forsee a coaching job in view.



CAROLYN C. SHATNEY

"Cass"

Pittsfield, Maine

Basketball Mgr. 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4;

"Cass" declares that she will never marry, but we know our dark haired lass better than she thinks.



ALICE G. SHAW

"Al"

Pittsfield, Maine

Here's to "Al" who believes in that old maxim; "A friend in need is a friend indeed." For her we prophesy success in whatever field she chooses.



THERESA MARY SIROIS

"Trese"

Pittsfield, Maine

Athletic Council, Y-Teens, Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Trumpet, Ex. Comm., Student Council 4; Orch., N.H.S. 3; Senior Play, Cheerleader.

Charm and radiant personality have made "Trese" one of the most popular girls at M.C.I.



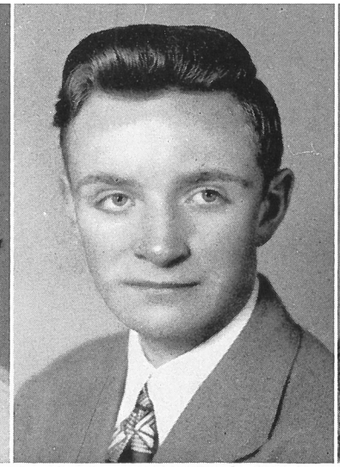
DOROTHY E. TARBOX

"Betty"

Goulsboro, Maine

Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Prize Speaking 3.

When we speak of those who excel in history, we think of Betty. Smooth sailing at Bates College.

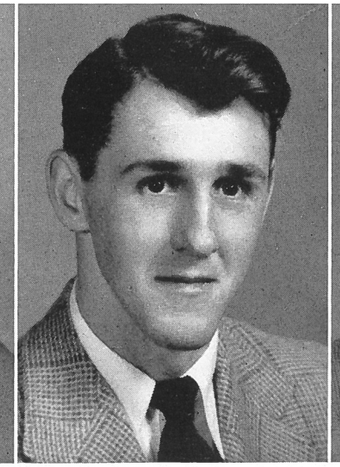


JAMES TEWKSBURY

"Jimmy"

Hampden, Maine

A chemical engineer did you say, Jimmy???? Remember — "Patience is a virtue."

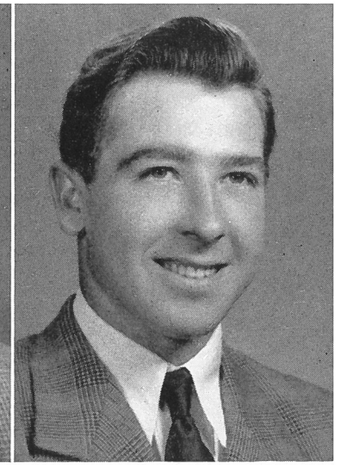


CLARENCE TOWLE

"Doc"

Hartland, Maine

Not much is known of "Doc" and his ideas except that he is married. May all your ventures turn out for the very best.



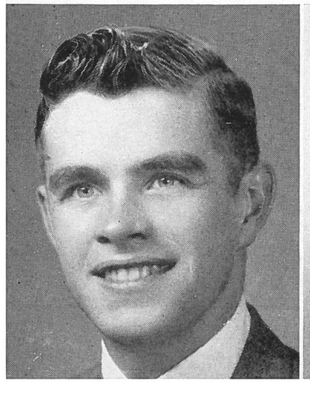
JOHN TOWLE

"Johnnie"

Pittsfield, Maine

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club X-Country, Track 4; Basketball, M-Club 2, 3.

Here's hoping that your hitchhiking days are over.



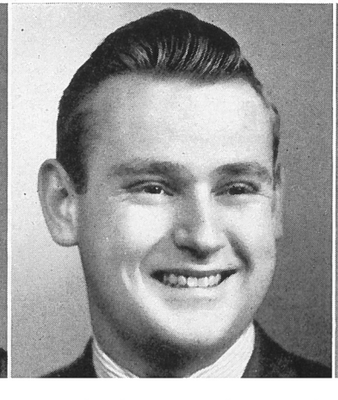
WILLIAM A. SPRAGUE

"Bill"

Skowhegan, Maine

Track Mgr., Trumpet 4.

Bill, you're a fine salesman as your record for "ad-getting" for the Trumpet shows. Why not try to sell M.C.I. to prospective students?



WILLIAM E. STAPLES

"Bill"

Waterville, Maine

Football 4.

There is an ever-widening field in the telephone industry. Your are affiliating with an organization that has an unlimited future.



MARIE D. STARBIRD

Pittsfield, Maine

A quiet well-mannered lass, but carefree and happy too. We don't know any of her future plans, so the class of '48 is sending to her all the best wishes possible.



EMMA ROSE SUSI

"Rosie"

Pittsfield, Maine

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Talisman 4.

Rosie's gracious willingness to serve has made her a popular girl at M.C.I. We shall long remember her happy smile.



MILDRED MAE TWEEDIE

"SUE"

Pittsfield, Maine

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

It's wedding bells for popular "Sue" in the near future. She plans to become an efficient home maker. Happiness to you.



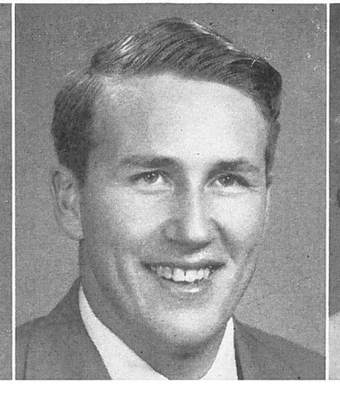
DORIS JANE URBAN

"Gracie"

Chicago, Ill.

Cheerleader, Trumpet, Ex. Comm., French Club, Student Council, House Pres. 4; Senior Play; Glee Club, class Officer 3.

"Gracie" tales of her travels have enthralled her many friends at M.C.I.



HARVEY MERLON VARNEY

"Harve"

Pittsfield, Maine

Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2; M-Club 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3, 4.

We all admire you for having what it takes to come back and stay on top. Good fortune is in your favor.



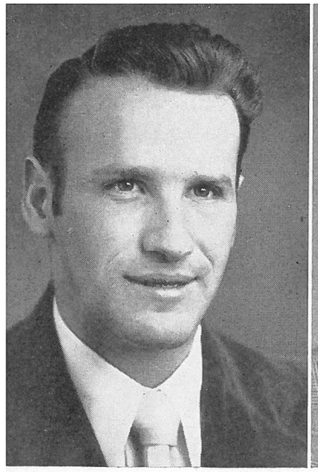
ELIZABETH VROOM

"Betty"

Pittsfield, Maine

Y-Teens, Orch., Pop Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, Prize Speaking 3; Senior Play.

All honor to one who has chosen to serve, for Betty will soon don the robe of a nurse.



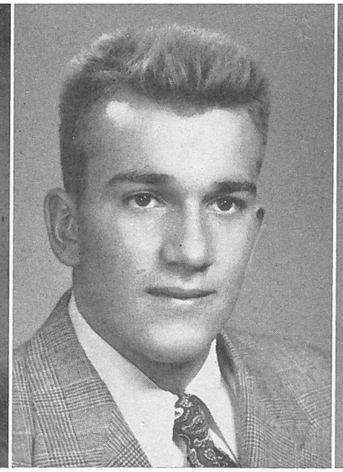
CHESTER E. WARREN

"Podo"

Lewiston, Maine

Hockey, Baseball 4.

Our best wishes to you, Podo, whose relationships with M.C.I. have been most sincere and friendly.



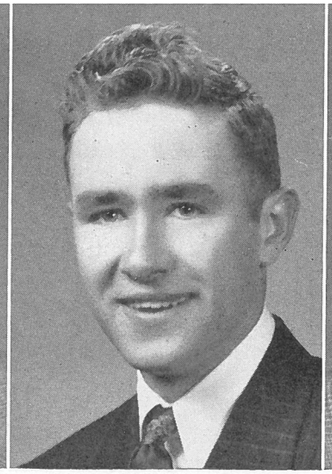
KEITH ARNOLD WEEKS

"Muscles"

Palmyra, Maine

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track, Basbetball 2, 3, 4; M-Club 2, 3.

This is the lad with the million dollar smile. A likable smile spells SUCCESS.



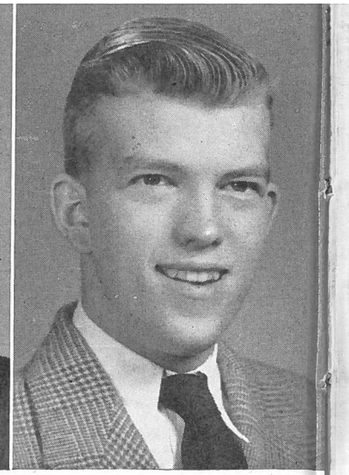
ROBERT WEEKS

"Bob"

Pittsfield, Maine

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, X-Country, M-Club, Hockey 4.

Keep your head down, eyes open, and knees driving, Bob, and you'll come out on top.



THEODORE WEBSTER JR.

"Teddy"

Palmyra, Maine

Although he is seldom heard around the campus, Teddy has already decided on his career of the very near future — store managing.

GILBERT M. WHITE

"Gibby"

Bangor, Maine

In the field of engineering, Gibby, your thorough preparation will reap a harvest of success for you.

LORETTA JEAN WHITE

"Whitie"

Pittsfield, Maine

Girls' Sports 2, 3, 4; Ex. Comm., Outing Club, Trumpet, Athletic council 4; Senior Play; Orch. 3; Glee Club, Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

Her personality and efficiency will pave the way for success.

MARILYN ARDIS WILLEY

"Lynn"

Pittsfield, Maine

Glee Club, Orchestra, Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

Bon voyage to "Lynn" who has yet to fail to start her car; she is an "honest-to-goodness" mechanic.

NEAL G. WRIGHT

"Wrightie"

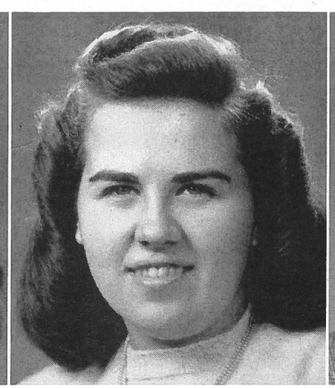
Pittsfield, Maine

Football, Basketball, Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

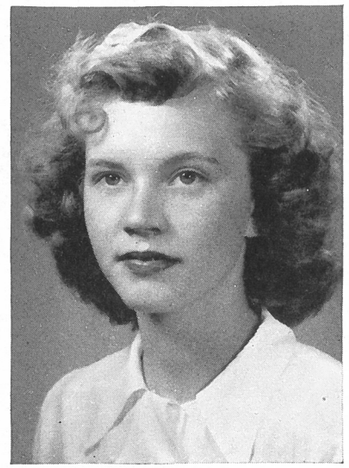
Neal's aim is the textile business in which he will reach new heights if he practices the same tactics that he used in athletics.











DORIS YOUNG

"Dot"

Detroit, Maine

Prize Speaking 1.

Best of luck to one who believes in the age old adage — "Speech is great, but silence is greater."

WILLIAM H. BOOTH

"Bill"

Newport, Maine

"A little learning is a dangerous thing," so take advantage of the present opportunity for advance study. It will be a great boost for your future job.

THOMAS H. BURGESS

"Duke"

Rumford, Maine

Track, X-Country 4.

This "carrot-topped speedster of the cinders" knows plenty of card tricks. "Duke" plans to take up engineering at the U. of Maine next fall.

PHILIP ARNOLD DUGAS

"Tweet"

Lisbon Falls, Maine

Football, Hockey, Track, Baseball 4.

"Tweet" is well known about the campus for his athletic ability. He plans to continue playing sports at Bates College.

GEORGE ANDREW FULLER

"Scoop"

North Conway, N. H.

Baseball, Basketball 4.

"Scoop," a big easy-going fellow who excels on the court and diamond, wants to be a physical ed. instructor in a small college.

WILLIAM G. HARTHORN

"Bill"

Pembroke, Maine

Annapolis did you say?? That is a big order, but the class of '48 feels sure that you will make the grade along with "Buffy."

OLIVER WILLIAM HOLDEN

"Bill"

Rockland, Maine

Football, Baseball, Hockey 4.

Bill has very high ambitions, the realization of which will mean his entering West Point. He will make a fine general.

KENNETH E. JORDAN

"Ken"

Ellsworth, Maine

Baseball 4.

Ken has a wonderful personality which has won him many friends at M.C.I. If friends are a sign of success, Ken has his future well in hand.

ROBERT C. McINTOSH

"Ben"

Basketball, Football 4; Senior Play.

Merriment abounds when Ben is around, for his keen sense of humor attracts many followers.

NORMAN J. MacLEOD

"Mac"

Lexington, Mass.

Football, Hockey, Pep Band, Dance Orch. 4.

"Mac" has plenty of musical talent as his success with the dance orchestra has proved.

WILLIAM BRUCE MOTT

"Bill"

Mexico, Maine

Football, Basketball, Baseball 4.

As quarter back on our undefeated football team, Bill proved his worth. May all your future efforts be successful.

PETER PAUL POCIUS

"Pete"

Rumford, Maine

Football, Hockey 4.

Pete played a stellar role on the football field. We hope that you will star as well when you enter the Connecticut School of Engineering, Pete.

JAMES JOSEPH ROACH

"Rhombus"

Medford, Mass.

Football, Hockey 4.

"Rhombus," the sportscaster, will be greatly missed by the entire student body. His seasoning at Detroit U. should fulfill all of his ambitions.

RICHARD B. STAGE

"Dick"

Warwick, N. Y.

Basketball Mgr. 4.

Dick, your choice of law as a career will mean long hours of study; but success will reward all of your efforts.

BERNARD W. WALKER

"Bernie"

Brunswick, Maine

Football, Baseball, Basketball 4.

Bernie is "twice-blessed," his golden speech makes many friends, and his athletic powers receive many cheers.

JAMES H. WARREN

"Jim"

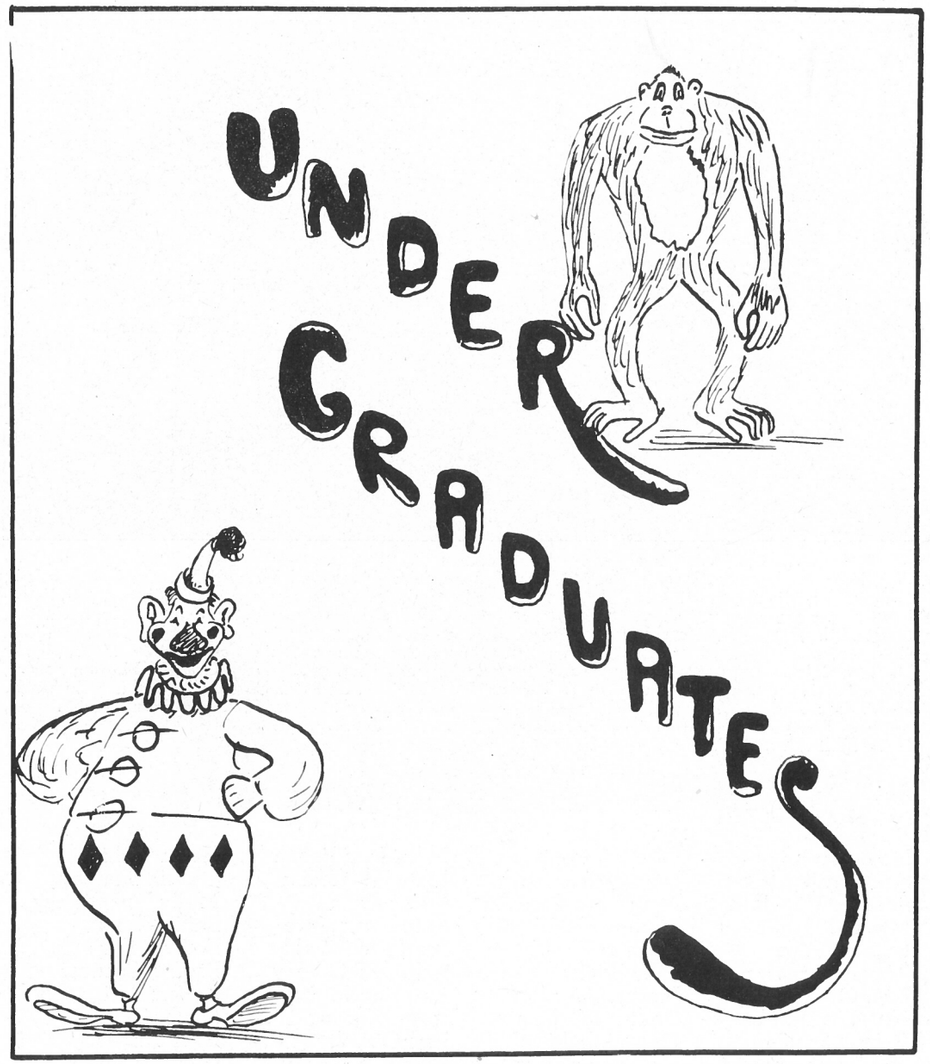
Ellsworth, Maine

Jim is a lover of the great outdoors, especially of the "tall timbers." Good hunting.

Class Superlative

	Girls	Boys
Wittiest	Marguerite Coolbroth	Robert McIntosh
Most Likely to Succeed	Loretta White	Knute Holmsen
Best Dressed	Ann Cox	Neal Clauson
Best Dancer	Jocelyn Besse	Arey Bryant
Best Looking	Theresa Sirois	Robert Park
Most Vivacious	Helen Esty	Bernard Walker
Most Inquisitive	Dorothy Menendez	William Hatch
Most Excitable	Alice Doncet	King Bishop
Most Cheerful	Emma Susi	James Roach
Class Comedian	Alice Doncet	Robert McIntosh
Most Carefree	Helen Esty	James Roach
Most Talkative	Alice Doncet	James Gamble
Best Personality	Theresa Sirois	Robert Park
Best Natured	Emma Susi	James Roach
Best Actor	Doris Urban	Robert McIntosh
Best Mannered	Doris Urban	Neal Clauson
Most Quiet	Joyce Beattie	George Mayo
Best Athlete	Jocelyn Besse	Ralph Ham


WILTON
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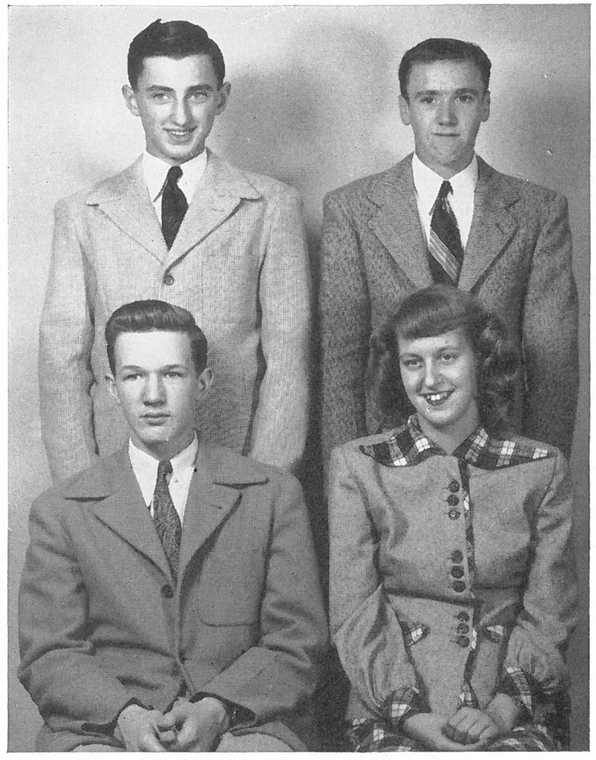

UNDER
GRADUATES



Front Row: Emily Snow, Joyce Withee, Cecelia Shatney, Glee Edmunds, Maxine Fields, Kathleen Mitchell, Philip Short, Brian Hanson, Ralph McGibney, Joyce Jackson, Antoinette DeRaps, Ruth Morong, Jean Farnsworth, Janet Ames, Polly Graham. *Second Row:* Nancy Tarbox, Marilyn Bishop, Sally Friend, Marilyn White, Harriet Riley, Merideth Killam, Jeanette Higgins, Marie Sanborn, Elizabeth Bickford, Molly Jane Shorey, Joan Cookson, Mary Jipson, Doreen Gulliver, Helen Crowell, Ada Young. *Third Row:* Robert Webb, Hebert Hackett, Ralph Lawrence, Chadley Ireland, Joyce Dobson, Helen Page, Blanche Gorden, Marilyn Fowler, Helen Seekins, Gladwin Tilton, Kenneth Bartlett, Earl O'Rielly, Howard Cushman, Hartland Cushman. *Fourth Row:* Arthur Withee, Harold Haskins, Lester Pease, Maynard Dalhgren, Robert Burns, Basil Tasker, Kenneth Robinson, Robert Susi, Walker Cooper, Arnold Cowan, John Wentworth, Chester Davis, Peter Havey, John Dunphy, Wayne Perseille.

Junior Class Roll

Janet Ames
Kenneth Bartlett
Elizabeth Bickford
Marilyn Bishop
Leland Brown
Robert Burns
Joan Cookson
Arnold Cowan
Helen Crowell
Hartland Cushman
Howard Cushman
Maynard Dahlgren
Chester Davis
Antoinette DeRaps
Joyce Dobson
John Dunphy
Glee Edmonds
Joan Farnsworth
Floyd Fernald
Maxine Field
Marilyn Fowler
Sally Friend
Blanche Gordon
Pauline Graham
Doreen Gullifer
Herbert Hackett
Peter Havey
Brian Hanson
Jeannette Higgins
Harold Hoskins
Chadley Ireland
Joyce Jackson
Mary Jean Jipson
Meredith Killam
Oscar Killam
Ralph Lawrence
Pearl McDonald
Ralph McGibney
Kathleen Mitchell
Ruth Morong
Earl O'Reilly
Helen Page
Lester Pease
Wayne Perseille
Mary Pinciaro
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Secretary . . . . . RALPH MCGIBNEY

Class Advisers

MRS. ALICE COOLIDGE
MR. PAUL LEGGE

Juniors

J stands for Juniors, the best class in school.
We try our hardest to live by the Rule;
U is for Unity, for which we all strive,
And together we stand, helping each in our lives;
N is for Neatness, a trait admired by all,
We work towards this end with rarely a fall.
I stands for Initiative, needed for success,
Whether at work or play, we try to do our best.
O is for Organizations, of which we have a few.
If one doesn't please us, another will do.
R stands for Ranks; the teachers all say
The more we study, the better 'twill pay.
S is for Sports, in these we would excel,
For in every game, we try to play well.

And so we are here, 63 strong,
And seniors will be before very long.

— *Joyce Jackson '49*

Let It Snow

Let it snow! Let is snow! Let it snow!
We hear it all day long.
We'd like to see up here in Maine
The guy who wrote that song.

We'd meet him at the station
With loud and noisy cheers,
Then stand him in a snowdrift
Up to his neck and ears.

And then we'd take him upstreet
And set him to shoveling snow;
We'd teach him ne'er to sing that song
Again on the radio.

Then if he writes another song
For "Frankie boy" to moan,
We'll bet he'll write about the South
And leave the snow alone.

— *Howard Cushman '49*

Nancy Tarbox: "Get up quick, there's a mouse in the room; I hear him squeaking."
Betty Tarbox: "Well, what do you want me to do? Get up and oil him?"

"Buddy"

It was Christmas Eve and a white Christmas it was, too, for the earth was covered with snow. Fairy-like, whirling flakes were still gliding down from the dark heavens above.

It was 1918. The armistice had been signed just a little over a month. Though there was peace in the world, there was no peace in the heart of the little urchin standing on the corner. The young boy, dressed in rags, shivered slightly from the coldness of the whispering night. His clothes, though they couldn't really be called as such, were too scant to keep the lad from feeling numb with the cold. Buddy — for that's what people called him, carried in his chapped hands a bundle of newspapers. Tearfully he would call, "Extra! Extra! Buy your evening paper here!" Unable to make a sale, he would grimly plod along the street. You see, Buddy had no parents, and was so terribly alone in this world. As he walked on, calling the same thing over and over, "Buy a paper, mister?" he came to a brightly lighted house. The child had passed this place many times, and often he had wondered what it would seem like to live there. He watched with eager eyes the people entering the house with their packages gayly-wrapped. He stood there a long time; it seemed hours. In each window there stood, as a sentinel, a pure red candle, casting its glow out over the snow. In one window he was able to see a large evergreen tree with red, blue, yellow, and green lights all over it. Finally, curiosity got the better of him. Cautiously he crept over to the window, sinking deep down in the snow. He hoped the wind and the snow would cover his tracks when he left. He had reached the window, now, and carefully he raised himself and peeped within. His heart began to beat faster, for Buddy never imagined anything like this. The room into which he looked was filled with laughing and happy people. "Oh, wouldn't it be fun," he thought, "to have a home like this and on Christmas morn open the presents under the tree?" He noticed also that there were no children there. This seemed odd to him, for in almost everybody's house there was at least one little child. Perhaps Buddy didn't know that the owners of this dwelling had had a son once, but had lost him when he was fatally injured in an accident just a few years ago. He had lived only a few hours. His death was still mourned by his loving parents.

At this moment a beautiful lady, seated herself at the piano and began to play very softly. Tears began to slide down the dirty but sweet face of the little lad. Oh, if only he had a mother like that who would look at him with loving eyes, hold him tightly when things went wrong, someone to love and protect him. Then the strains of the music seemed to bring back the face of his mother.

So intent was he in watching the scene within, he did not hear the door open nor see a man step out. Buddy nearly jumped out of his bedraggled shoes when he felt a hand being laid upon his shoulder. So startled was he, he cried out in fright, but the voice that answered his shriek calmed him, for it was kind and gentle. The gentleman drew the cowering child toward him and said, "I have watched you for some time, sonny, and thought perhaps you'd like to join in singing Christmas carols with us. Come along and warm yourself. It's cold out here."

"Oh no, sir, I couldn't do that. I haven't any good clothes and you're all dressed up. I really couldn't. I'd like to, really I would, only — only . . ."

"Oh, come now, if you feel that bad about your clothes, I think I can find some things my son once had that would just about fit you."

"But sir, I couldn't do that," replied the little urchin.

"Nonsense, of course you can. Come along."

Reluctantly, Buddy followed the dark-haired man. Before going into the room where all the people were, the gentleman took him to a large, lighted room. "This was my sons' room," said the man, his voice breaking a little. "Here — put this on," and he handed the little fellow a suit that had once belonged to another boy of his age — his son. "Come with me and I'll help you doll yourself up. Then we'll find the carollers."

Buddy, having finished dressing, looked so entirely different that he scarcely knew himself when he glanced into the mirror. The kind gentleman turned him around so that he could inspect Buddy. As he did so, the light seemed to fade from his eyes even though he continued to smile. Buddy looked so much like his own son, Johnny. "We'll go see my wife first, if you'd like to," he said, and together they entered the large room.

"Martha," he said, "I want you to meet a young fellow I found outside."

The music stopped and the beautiful lady turned around.

"How-how do you do," said Buddy in his most polite tones.

The lady didn't say anything; she just stared. For a minute the boy thought she was going to cry, but she grabbed him and hugged him to her saying, "Johnny, Johnny, oh my son."

Her husband sprang to her side and said, "No, Martha, this isn't Johnny. Please don't be upset —."

Finally the lady wiped her eyes and looked at the child and said, "Oh, tell me child, who are you? Who are your parents?"

The child replied, "I'm an orphan. I have no parents."

Then, quickly the lady glanced toward her husband; he nodded his head as if in answer to her question.

That night Buddy listened to the Christmas singers in his new home, and a husband said to his wife, "Unto us a child is given."

— *Joan Cookson '49*

What's the Use?

I never saw an ideal man,
I never hope to see one,
But I'll give you a good idea
Of what I think would be one.

His hair is dark, his eyes are brown,
His shoulders are big and broad.
And by the way, a crew cut's his,
And muscles — iron rods!

His disposition must be sweet,
For heaven knows he'll need it!
For if he's going to be my man —
A hectic life: He'll lead it.

He's got to be an all-round sport,
And there's no reason why
He shouldn't swim and dance and skate —
Or, at least, be game to try.

But when I find this ideal man,
As perfect as can be,
He'll likely have an ideal girl
And apply these rules to me!

— *Janet Ames '49*

Miss Coggeshall: "What's the best thing to put in a pie?"

Toni (after a moment's thought): "Your teeth."

The Real Seth Parker

Approximately three fourths of a mile off the coast of Mount Desert, near Bar Harbor, lies a three thousand acre plot of land in the Atlantic, namely Bartlett's Island. In early days it was settled by a sea-faring man, Captain Bartlett, now a familiar man to all radio enthusiasts. He is Phillips H. Lord, once known all over the nation as the hymn-singing *Seth Parker.* Now he is creator of such famous radio programs as "Mr. District Attorney," "We The People," and "Counterspy."

Phillips Lord is an interesting man. To see him on the Island in faded blue jeans, the bottoms of which are frayed and unhemmed, in work shirts grimed with dirt, and with a beard of a week's growth, one would hardly expect to find his name in "Who's Who." However, you will find his name there and should you go to Bartlett's Island you will find such a one as I have described. When there are herring in the wiers, he helps to remove them. When there is haying to be done, he pitches the stuff with the best of them. Then, at night, you will see the light from his room where he is working on a script you will soon hear on a coast-to-coast hook-up.

Not alone is his personal appearance unusual for one who holds a unique place in the radio, but Lord's whole family and surroundings on the island are most interesting. He is married to the former Donnie Boone, a direct descendant of Daniel Boone, and at one time, a Powers model. Tall, slim, and very blonde, she is indeed a very attractive person, and possesses a very pleasing personality.

This Island, on which Lord makes his summer home, was once a little settlement in itself, and even now, the old school house, where many a child from the vicinity attended classes in "readin', 'ritin', and 'rithmetic," still stands.

Yes, Phillips Lord, his home, his radio job, and his pleasant surroundings on Mount Desert are interesting topics. But to see this radio back-stager, one would think he was just talking to another good "guy." You wouldn't even suspect he is in "Who's Who," that his income is well up in the thousands weekly, and that he has many friends in the movie world. No, you really wouldn't suspect it — but it is true.

— *Glee Edmonds '49*

Trees

Of all the things that I could be,
I had to be an old oak tree.
In summer in the heat I stand
With nests of birds from every land.

In winter when my leaves are gone
I stand alone and bear every storm;
Each day I pray for spring's return
And for my green leaves sadly yearn.

I grow high up into the sky
Until one day a passer-by
Will view me with a knowing eye
And wield an axe until I die.

Oh, poems are made by people free,
With sense for beauty which they see,
But none of this is the same for me,
For I had to be an old oak tree.

— *Robert Susi '49*

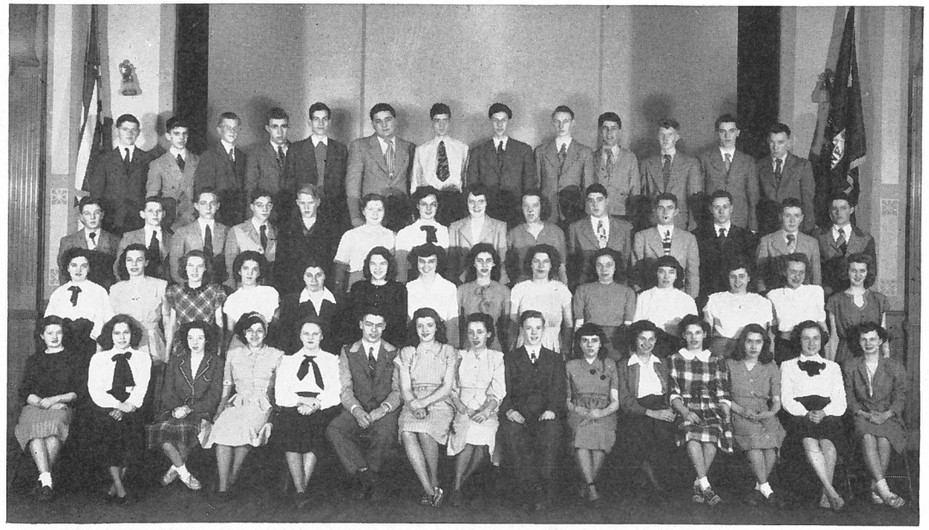
(Pre-M.C.I.)!

A very little boy came home dejected from his first day at school.
"Ain't goin' tomorrow," he said.
"Why not, dear?" asked his mother.
"Well, I can't read 'n' I can't write 'n' they won't let me talk, so what's the use?"

A farmer wrote to a mail-order company as follows: "Please send me one of those gasoline engines you show on page 895, and if it's any good, I'll send you a check for it."

He received the following reply: "Please send us the check and if it's any good we'll send you the engine."

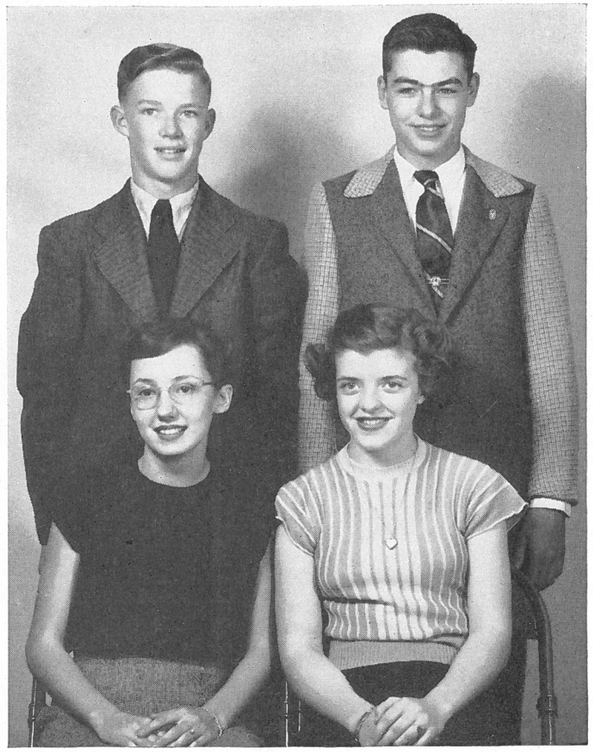
Mr. Williams: "Miss Jackson, what key are you singing in?"
Joyce: "Skeleton key."
Mr. Williams: "What do you mean?"
Joyce: "It fits anything."



Front Row: Lillian White, Ann Lutz, Colleen Roundy, Annette Mann, Diane Wakefield, Cyrus Wentworth, Dorothy Graham, Mary Dysart, Richard Doherty, Virginia Coolbroth, Shirley Withee, June Hunt, Jean Libby, Joyce Chapman, Barbara Morrell. *Second Row:* Kay Wiley, Joan Coffin, Gloria Langley, Helen Menendez, Norma Langley, Aschia Basford, Doris Withee, Joyce Harris, Shirley Sedgewick, Gwendolyn Grindell, Emma Brooks, Bernice Wright, Joanne Peterson, Joyce Brown. *Third Row:* William Lord, Roy Lindquist, Milton Seekins, Blair Perkins, Robert Brooks, Nancy Knight, Julia Jackson, Muriel Barker, Joan Cookson, George Millett, Raymond Buxton, Arthur Mitchell, Willis Strout, Richard Tweedie. *Fourth Row:* Robert Ames, Frank Kimball, Benjamin Minor, Gerald Cole, Jerome Hallee, Edward Cianchette, Dan Lawrence, Albert Fitts, Holmes Rice, Dante Marasi, Linwood Dunphy, Walter Mooers, Colby Merchant.

Sophomore Class Roll

Robert Ames
Muriel Barker
Achsia Basford
Emma Brooks
Robert Brooks
Joyce Brown
Raymond Buxton
Joyce Chapman
Edward Cianchette
Joan Coffin
Gerald Cole
Joan V. Cookson
Virginia Coolbroth
Richard Doherty
Linwood Dunphy
Mary Dysart
Albert Fitts
Dorothy Graham
Jerome Hallee
Gwendolyn Grindell
Joyce Harris
June Hunt
Julia Jackson
Linwood Jones
Frank Kimball
Nancy Knight
Gloria Langley
Norma Langley
Dan Lawence
Jean Libby
Roy Lindquist Jr.
William Lord
Ann McKeel
Annette Mann
Colby Merchant
Helen Menendez
George Millet
Benjamin Miner
Arthur Mitchell
Walter Mooers
Corinne Moore
Dante Marasi
Barbara Morrell
Blair Perkins
Joanne Peterson
Holmes Rice
Colleen Roundy
Shirley Sedgwick
Milton Seekins
Charles Simpson
Philip Starbird
Elizabeth Steeves
Willis Strout
Richard Tweedie
Charles Vroom
Diane Wakefield
Cyrus Wentworth
Lillian White
Ray White
Kay Wiley
Doris Withee
Shirley Withee
Bernice Wright



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MRS. FRANCES BARTLETT
MR. LAWRENCE MUZROLL



Front Row: Beverly Grignon, Gloria Pease, Elsie Schubert, Anita Brooks, Leola Dahlgren, Jean Perry, Joan Perry, Sally Cianchette, Ada Young, Betty Kennedy, Opal Bowden, Bernice Hood, Hilda Reed, Peggy McKenny, Marilyn Parkhurst. *Second Row:* Julia Reynolds, Jean Cole, Patricia Tinkham, Mary Lou Davis, Marise Elderkin, Alice Fitts, Concetta Pinciaro, Eleanor Curtis, Beverly Seekins, Joan Reynolds, Ruth Killam, Alice Cowan, Joanne Cowan, Barbara Emerson, Zella Bubar, Caroline Goodblood, June Seekins. *Third Row:* Glenwood Cyr, Richard Mooers, Gerald Cowan, Dale McDonald, Elwood Sinclair, Mildred Pike, Marilyn Reidy, Beatrice Newhouse, Irene Madden, Meredith Soule, Ruth Roberts, Edmund Mercier, Richard Berry, Galen Spencer, Robert Berry, Glenn Withee. *Fourth Row:* Urban Braley, Ronald Horton, Herbert Pelkey, Norman Levasseur, Adrian Sidelinger, Philip Poulin, Robert Day, Gerald Davis, Roland Hallee, Richard Farnsworth, Richard Cole, Lawrence Springer, Keith Wheeler, Rexford Knowles, Lyle Gallison, Robert Vance, Delbert McLaggan, Donald Rogers, Smith Bickford.

Freshman Class Roll

Norman Ames
Richard Berry
Robert Berry
Smith Bickford
Opal Bowden
Urban Braley
Anita Brooks
Zella Bubar
Edward Chase
Sally Cianchette
Jean Cole
Richard Cole
Alice Cowan
Gerald Cowan
Joanne Cowan
Eleanor Curtis
Glenwood Cyr
Leola Dahlgren
Gerald Davis
Mary Lou Davis
Robert Day
Marise Elderkin
Barbara Emerson
Richard Farnsworth
Alice Fitts
Lyle Gallison
Caroline Goodblood
Beverly Grignon
Margie Hall
Roland Hallee
Bernice Hood
Ronald Horton
Bette Kennedy
Ruth Killam
Rexford Knwoles
Jean Langley
Norman Levasseur
Dale MacDonald
Irene Madden
Peggy McKenny
Delbert McLaggan
Edmund Mercier
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Beatrice Newhouse
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Joan Reynolds
Julie Reynolds
Ruth Roberts
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Freeman Rollins
Elsie Schubert
Beverly Seekins
June Seekins
Adrian Sidelinger
Elwood Sinclair
Meredith Soule
Galen Spencer
Lawrence Springer
Roy Steeves
Patricia Tinkham
Ricardo Valladares
Robert Vance
Keith Wheeler
Glenn Withee
Maxine Young



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MR. C. NELSON COREY

Hunger

Hunger is a mere vocation
Which has a world wide reputation;
It never calls for variation,
Yet in itself is a combination
Of sufficient food and lubrication,
But too much of both brings lancination,
Which later causes nauseation;
And you end with a feeling of horripilation.
Dear friends, this ends my short quotation,
On telling you how to prevent starvation.

— *Willis Strout '50*

Nature's Beauty

A blue, blue sky with white fluffy clouds,
And pink apple blossoms blooming in crowds,
To top it all off there is grass, oh, so green,
And little white violets, so timid are seen.

There are graceful white birches leaning with pride,
O'er a sparkling blue lake, as if its guide,
And from here on my porch on a beautiful hill,
This picture simply makes my heart thrill.

— *June Seekins '51*

A Midsummer's Night

'Twas a midsummer evening
    As the sun went down,
Its multi-colored rays shone
    As they danced on the ground.

Then the moon came up
    And the stars shone bright,
'Twas a night for romance,
    'Twas a midsummer's night.

— *Roy Lindquist Jr. '50*

His Last Journey Home

It was a cold winter's evening, and the truck driver, who had been on the road since morning, was contemplating getting home to a hot supper and his evening paper. Because he was thinking of this and because of the roar the giant truck made as it rolled along the highway, he neither saw nor heard the black and white puppy, that slipped and fell under the onrushing wheels of the truck. He passed on, not knowing what had happened.

The little dog picked his miserable way from the icy street to the side of the road, where he lay as though dead for almost an hour; then, gathering his strength, he rose and began to drag his pain-racked body homeward.

There were no observers to his pitiful journey, but it would have brought tears to the eyes of the most hard hearted. Some distance away an anxious face was pressed against a window, and a worried little boy waited for his puppy to come home. He had gone out two hours ago and had not come back yet. That was the longest the boy and the dog had been separated since he had been given to the boy.

As the puppy struggled through the snow that had begun to fall, his pain led into one horrible ache that completely covered his body. Never having been hurt before, he was puzzled and could not understand what had happened. Instinct seemed to warn him that he must hurry if he were to see that loved face again, and he tried to quicken his pace.

As his master waited, he saw plodding down the street a slowly moving, blood spattered, and thoroughly miserable puppy coming home. After one more look to be certain, the boy was gone out the door and up the street that cold night without hat or coat, the tears were running down his cheeks as he ran.

He reached the puppy just as he fell, and, being unable to get to his feet, stayed where he had fallen. His eyes were the only things that were not mangled beyond recognition. Although they were cloudy with pain, they cleared for a minute, and he wagged what was left of his stubby tail.

The boy knelt in the snow, and as the dog looked up at him, his face, covered with blood, was almost joyful. He knew he could go now. He had made his last journey home.

When the street lights came on a moment later, they shone on a sobbing boy, lying in the falling snow with sobs shaking his whole body, while in his arms he tenderly held a dead puppy.

— *Virginia Coolbroth '50*

Be Thankful

Are you thankful for what you have,
Or do you wish for something more?
Do you appreciate the beauty around you,
God's gift to the rich and poor?

Be thankful for the bubbling brooks,
And the growing trees.
Be thankful to God,
For it's you he tried to please.

— *Richard Doherty '50*

The Constructive Urge

Once in a while, when I've got a lot of studying to do, I get the constructive urge. Now my mother says that my ideas may be the ruin of the household. When I get it into my head to make something, nothing can change that idea. Sometimes, as the whole family and my manual training teacher know, I'm not the world's best carpenter. In fact, I'm probably the worst. But enough of that, for I am about to make something. Somebody says, "What are you going to make?" Well, I never know exactly when I start, but we shall see later. First, to find a board which I can mutilate. Then I hunt around for a saw and hammer. After I have sawed the board up, nobody could possibly use it for anything else. After having sawed the board up and spent an hour hunting for nails, I nail the pieces together. Meanwhile, everybody is looking breathlessly on and asking what it is. What is it? Why, I don't have the faintest idea. Anybody's guess is as good as mine. Now that it is made, something has to be done with it, so I throw it into a box. Today this box is filled with my masterpieces, and nobody can tell what any of them are.

— *Raymond Buxton '50*

Mr. Williams trying to impress upon the Boys' Glee Club the distinction of Francis Scott Key?

"Why is he so famous?" asked Mr. Williams.

"I guess because he knew all four verses to the Star Spangled Banner," said Richard Doherty.

A Winter Scene

It was the morning after the first snowstorm of the year, and the snow was piled high. It had drifted during the night, and the traveling was hazardous. As I walked on my way to school, the wind was blowing, the air was cold and biting, and the temperature seemed to be below zero.

Walking along the road, I gazed upon the snow-laden trees that were glistening with the rays of the morning sun. The branches were bending low, almost touching the ground with the added weight. Old Jack Frost had been around with his paint brush, doing his artistic work on the window panes of the homes near by, and the icicles were hanging from the eaves. Even the shrubs were arrayed in a glorious mantle of white, making a very picturesque scene to behold.

My thoughts were tumbled earthward by a call for aid. Turning, I saw that a car had skidded into a drift of loose snow and needed the assistance of a passer-by. After giving all the help that I was able, I continued on my way.

When I finally reached my destination, I realized that I had beheld one of the most memorable scenes of the current winter.

— *Beatrice Newhouse '51*

The Mouse

I saw a mouse go passing by,
Right in front of my very eye.
This mouse was just a perfect brat,
He tore up this and he tore up that.

How would you like a mouse like this?
Just wait a minute, a mouse I miss.
Oh, my goodness, gracious me!
He's up on the sideboard and in the tea.

— *Holmes Rice '50*

M. C. I.

In the field of competitive sport,
M.C.I. is always in the game,
And many an opponent has lost a lead
And has seen its efforts go in vain.

— *Colby Merchant '50*

My Loss

Seventeen! What a happy, exciting, fulfilling year of most girls' lives. Dates, dances, high school activities — all emblems of the most ecstatic period, the age of seventeen. This is the time in your life when you need Her most; to help you overcome your difficulties, to lend a loving shoulder when the going gets tough, talk over your personal problem, share your exultation and happiness, bestow praise when a job's well done — all things which She does that mean so much.

There is no one who can possibly take Her place. So very few realize the fact that some day She won't be sharing your joys and standing ever ready to bestow praise and extend sympathy. Some day she will leave you — possibly, sooner than you expect.

One day you see Her, jovial, happy, and filled with life. Maybe a week later you see Her, pale, sick and in agony. A few days later you see Her happy and peaceful again, but lying in pale blue satin — dead. Beautiful flowers surround the casket. It can't be true that you won't hear her voice again, but as you sit alone with Her, holding her hand, cold and hard, you realize it is true. She has gone, and you have lost the most precious thing in your life — your Mother.

Other mothers have passed away but you never gave it a thought; you kept on doing as you always did. You'd say, "Oh, that occurs every day." But when it happens to you, then you realize that death is not to be joked about. Death! It is tragic, hateful, and heart breaking. You want to die, too; you are bitter and prejudiced. She was so young to die. At these times you think there is no such thing called justice. That feeling will never leave you until the day you, yourself, pass away. It may grow dimmer in your mind, but it will never disappear, never.

You will never forget the last time you kissed her. You were standing alone with her in the church, the sweet fragrancy of flowers all around you. And, as you looked at her, she seemed to smile and say, "Everything will be all right."

Yes, you know that everything will be all right, because she has passed into another world — Heaven!

— *Maxine Field '49*

Activities



Front Row: Neal Clauson, Theresa Sirois, Arey Bryant, Robert Park, Joan Cookson, William Hatch. *Second Row:* Joyce Jackson, Richard Doherty, Joan Coffin, Brian Hanson, Joyce Dobson, Robert Burns, Doris Urban, Robert Libby, Maxine Young.

Student Council

The Student Council has greatly improved since its organization last year. The council has met every Monday during the Activity Period. It has encouraged the adoption of a war child by the student body. Other projects include assembly programs, week-end entertainments, and problems dealing with the student body. The council has been instrumental in selecting the new school ring.

Officers of the council are as follows:

President — Arey Bryant
Vice President — Robert Park
Secretary — Theresa Sirois
Treasurer — Joan Cookson



Front Row: Dorothy Menendez, Joan Reynolds, Meribelle Peterson, Joanne Peterson, William Hatch, Julia Jackson, Emily Snow, Joan Coffin. *Second Row:* Willis Strout, Nancy Knight, Molly Jane Shorey, Emma Susi, Elizabeth Coolidge, Muriel Barker, Alice Shaw, Blanche Gorden, Joan Tinkham, Roberta Brown, Milton Seekins. *Third Row:* James Gamble, Wayne Perseille, John Wentworth, William Sprague, Robert Susi, Sam Mereen, Gerald Cole, Peter Havey, Robert Libby, Colby Merchant.

The Talisman

Since its creation last year, the Talisman has earned a position of importance in the eyes of the whole student body. Evidence of its popularity may be observed in the Activity Period on Tuesday, when the issues come from the press. Nor does the student interest stop there, for only by the splendid spirit of cooperation of the student body could this project have been successful.

Despite lack of experience of the members of the staff, the Talisman, under the advisorship of Mr. Stanley, has maintained the high standard established by last year's publications.

Well deserved praise goes to the following:

Editor-in-Chief — Charles London
Assoc. Editors — Jean Mitchell, William Hatch
News Editors — Elizabeth Vroom, Blanche Gordon, Joanne Peterson
Sports Editors — Molly Shorey, Robert Libby, Willis Strout, Gerald Cole, Colby Merchant



Front Row: Gloria Pease, June Seekins, Opal Bowdoin, Cecelia Shatney, Polly Graham, Marguerite Coolbroth, Ruth Morong, Annette Mann, Joan Coffin, Joyce Jackson, Elizabeth Coolidge, Theresa Sirois, Joyce Dobson, Joan Perry, Bernice Hood, Elsie Schubert, Anita Brooks, Jean Perry, Virginia Coolbroth. *Second Row:* Mrs. Earle—Advisor, Emma Susi, Roberta Brown, Caroline Goodblood, Elizabeth Vroom, Jean Libby, Glee Edmunds, Colleen Roundy, Mary Lou Davis, Peggy McKenny, Beverly Grignon, Leola Dahlgren, Barbara Emerson, Hilda Reed, Marilyn Parkhurst, Dorothy Tarbox, Marilyn Besse, Joyce Chapman, Joanne Peterson, Gwendolyn Grindell, Joyce Brown. *Third Row:* Jo Besse, Helen Esty, Barbara Brawn, Molly Jane Shorey, Jean Farnsworth, Shirley Withee, Marise Elderkin, Beverly Seekins, Zella Bubar, Shirley Dunham, Marie Starbird, Marilyn Willey, June Hunt, Concetta Pinciaro, Helen Crowell, Bernice Wright, Joyce Beattee, Dorothy Menendez, Alice Doncet, Ruth Killam, Joan Cookson, Mary Jipson, Sally Friend. *Fourth Row:* Dorothy Graham, Julia Jackson, Doreen Gulliver, Helen Seekins, Joan Reynolds, Alice Fitts, Helen Menendez, Dianne Wakefield, Ann Lutz, Betty Kennedy, Emily Snow, Julia Reynolds, Meredith Soule, Sally Cianchette, Patricia Tinkham, Ruth Roberts, Polly Kenniston, Kay Wiley, Harriet Riley, *Fifth Row:* Muriel Barker, Shirley Sedgewick, Jean Cole, Mildred Pike, Maxine Fields, Irene Madden, Caroline Shatney, Alice Shaw, Loretta White, Joan Cookson, Aschia Basford, Marilyn Reidy, Marilyn Bishop, Marilyn White, Beatrice Newhouse, Helen Page, Blanche Gorden, Marilyn Fowler, Kathleen Mitchell.

Y-Teens

An unusually large number of girls, ninety-five in all, turned out for the first meeting of the Y–Teens held on September 17th, and this number has been increased to one hundred six.

The Y-Teens have been very fortunate in having many outside speakers during the year. Some of the social activities entered into by the group are: scavenger hunt, hay ride, a Christmas party, a skating party, card party, reverse dance, and the annual Mother and Daughter Banquet.

The purpose of the Y-Teens is "to build a fellowship of women and girls devoted to the task of realizing in our common life those ideals of personal and social living."

A very capable slate of officers for this year are:

President — ELIZABETH COOLIDGE
Vice President — JOYCE JACKSON
Secretary — THERESA SIROIS
Treasurer — JOYCE DOBSON
Chaplain — JOAN COFFIN
Faculty Adviser — MRS HAZEL EARLE



Front Row: Joyce Harris, Joyce Jackson, Linwood Dunphy, John Wentworth, Julia Jackson, Albert Fitts, Helen Menendez, Theo Bryant. *Second Row:* Colleen Roundy, Nancy Knight, Beatrice Newhouse, Mr. Bernard Williams, Emma Brooks, Basil Tasker, Mary Dysart, Gladwin Tilton, Joan Cookson, Alice Fitts.

Orchestra

The orchestra this year includes very few members; however, Mr. Williams has given freely his time and effort to make it a success.

The work of the orchestra includes playing at the Prize Speaking Contests and at several other school functions. The most outstanding event is the concert given by the orchestra at the annual Pop Concert. The orchestra played an important part in the graduation exercises in June.



Front Row: Joyce Chapman, Leola Dahlgren, Concetta Pinciaro, Anita Brooks, Annette Mann, Beverly Grignon, Joan Perry, Bernice Hood, Jean Perry, Marilyn Parkhurst, Jean Libby, June Seekins, Caroline Goodblood. *Second Row:* Polly Graham, Marise Elderkin, Joyce Withee, Ruth Killam, Ruth Roberts, Maxine Fields, Shirley Withee, Opal Bowdoin, Mary Lou Davis, Peggy McKenny, Joan Reynolds. *Third Row:* Beverly Seekins, Helen Crowell, Bernice Wright, Joyce Harris, Mary Dysart, Emily Snow, Emma Brooks, Meredith Killam, Dorothy Graham, Alice Fitts, Alice Cowan, Joanne Cowan, Zella Bubar. *Fourth Row:* Patricia Tinkham, Sally Cianchette, Polly Kenniston, Irene Madden, Helen Page, Julia Jackson, Muriel Barker, Shirley Sedgewick, Shirley Dunham, Meribel Rolfe, Marilyn Bishop.

The Girls' Glee Club

The Girls' Glee Club under the direction of a newcomer to the faculty, Mr. Bernard Williams, made its first appearance in Powers Hall on December 17, 1947. The group sang Christmas carols and Miss Barbara Blackstone was the accompanist.

Other plans of the club include participation in the annual Pop Concert that is given in February. This is one of the highlights in the school's social program to which we all look forward.



Front Row: Edmund Mercier, John Towle, Robert Weeks, Norman Braley, Roy Lindquist, Raymond Buxton, Howard Cushman, Hartland Cushman. *Second Row:* Arthur Withee, Linwood Dunphy, Robert Libby, Theo Bryant, Gerald Cole, Peter Havey, Wayne Persielle.

Men's Glee Club

The Men's Glee Club has made up in enthusiasm what it may be lacking in numbers. Meeting once a week during the activity Period on Mondays, the members of the Glee Club have been able to work out interesting part songs. Material covered varied from Christmas carols to the "Ee-aw" of "The Donkey Serenade." Performances have included the Christmas Carol Concert, the Pop Concert, assembly programs; and plans are being made for a Commencement appearance.



Albert Fitts, Mary Dysart, Norman MacLeod, Joyce Jackson, Linwood Dunphy, Emily Snow, Bruce Hill.

Dance Orchestra

The Dance Orchestra is a newcomer to the musical scene at M.C.I. Organized late last fall, the orchestra held rehearsals after supper once or twice a week.

By March the orchestra was ready to play for school dances. The first appearance was at the FHA dance on March 19, and indications are that this is but the beginning of many more such appearances.

President — Linwood Dunphy
Treasurer — Mary Dysart



Front Row: Linwood Dunphy, John Estey, Peter Havey, Norman MacLeod, Joyce Jackson, Joyce Harris.
Second Row: Mary Dysart, Mr. Bernard Williams.

Pep Band

M.C.I.'s basketball games have been "pepped up" this year by the presence of a newly organized pep band. Created by the director of music, Mr. Bernard Williams, this band has helped the cheerleaders with their cheers and aroused enthusiasm in M.C.I.'s rooting section. At the beginning of each game the band has played the National Anthem.

This group is made up of the following:

Trumpets

Joyce Jackson
John Estey
Linwood Dunphy

Alto Sax

Mary Dysart

Drums

Peter Havey
Norman MacLeod

The Freshman Reception

The lights of the Parks Gymnasium burned brightly. Loud noises could be heard from within. It was the night of the Freshman Reception, which all of the Freshies had been waiting for with fear and anticipation since September.

Haunting dark alleys in the surrounding territory, strange forms could be seen heading in the direction of and lights. On closer inspection these forms proved to be Freshmen dressed in outlandish costumes, and they were on the lookout for merciless sophomores.

The girls wore long underwear, grain bags with holes for their arms and legs, long woolen stockings, men's shoes, and had their hair braided in several pigtails. As for the boys, they were handsome in long underwear, three cornered diapers, girls' bonnets, gum rubbers, and they carried nursing bottles. Both boys and girls had onions around their necks and wore signs reading "I Am A Green Freshman."

The program was carried out by the Freshmen themselves, and it was interesting to say the least.

After refreshments and dancing, a committee of obliging Freshmen cleaned the gymnasium.

Everyone that went admits having a good time. We know the Freshmen have had one night at M.C.I. they will never forget. How about it, Freshmen?

I Am You Are Party

One of the main social events of the year, "The I Am You Are Party," was held in the Parks Gymnasium, Friday, September nineteenth, at seven thirty. This year the winners of the customary-get-acquainted contest were Jean Mitchell and Edmund Mercier, and the prizes were a bank and marbles.

Perhaps the most popular of those present was a little yellow kitten, which arrived soon after the party had started and made more friends than anyone else.

The Grand March started off the evening games, dancing, and the entertainment. Mary Lou Davis and Shirley Dunham sang solos accompanied by Miss Blackstone, and Bruce Hill "took over" with a few "hot" notes on the piano.

Cider and doughnuts were served. When the party broke up at ten-thirty, the many friendly good nights showed that new friends had been made.

Freshman Prize Speaking

In Powers Hall, January 29, ten Freshmen made their first appearance as public speakers in the Freshmen Prize Speaking Contest. This contest was under the direction of the new coach of public speaking, Miss Anna Hannagan, who very ably coached the following participants:

Girls

Zella Bubar — Wild Grapes	*Robert Frost*
Patricia Tinkham — Mr. and Mrs. Barrister	*Anonymous*
Leola Dahlgren — Salesmanship	*Mary Ellen Chase*
Joan Reynolds — The One Hundred Oneth	*Annie Hamilton Donnell*
Joan Perry — Dunkirk	*Robert Nathan*

Boys

Lawrence Springer — A Little Joke	*Anthony Hope*
Ronald Horton — Anchors Away	*Dough Welch*
Rexford Knowles — The Secret Life of Walter Mitty	*James Thurber*
Herbert Pelky — The Owl Critic	*James Fields*
Philip Poulin — The Greatest Battle Ever Fought	*Wilson Williams*

Alternates

Beatrice Newhouse — The Open Window	*Saki*
Glenwood Cyr — The Deacon's Masterpiece	*Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Ushers

Beatrice Newhouse, Maxine Young, Robert Berry, Glenwood Cyr

Coach

Miss Anna Hannagan

Orchestra Director

Mr. Bernard Williams

The winners were Patricia Tinkham first, Joan Reynolds second. Herbert Pelky and Philip Poulin (tie) first, Rexford Knowles, second.

Alumni Prize Speaking

The Sophomore Prize Speaking Contest is scheduled to take place May 4th. The following speakers have been selected to participate:

Girls	*Boys*
Virginia Coolbroth	Richard Doherty
Joan Coffin	Robert Lindquist
Joan Libby	Edward Cianchette
Kay Wiley	Colby Merchant
Bernice Wright	Jerome Hallee
Alternate	*Alternate*
Joyce Chapman	Charles Vroom

The group will be coached by Miss Anna Hannagan of the Public Speaking Department.

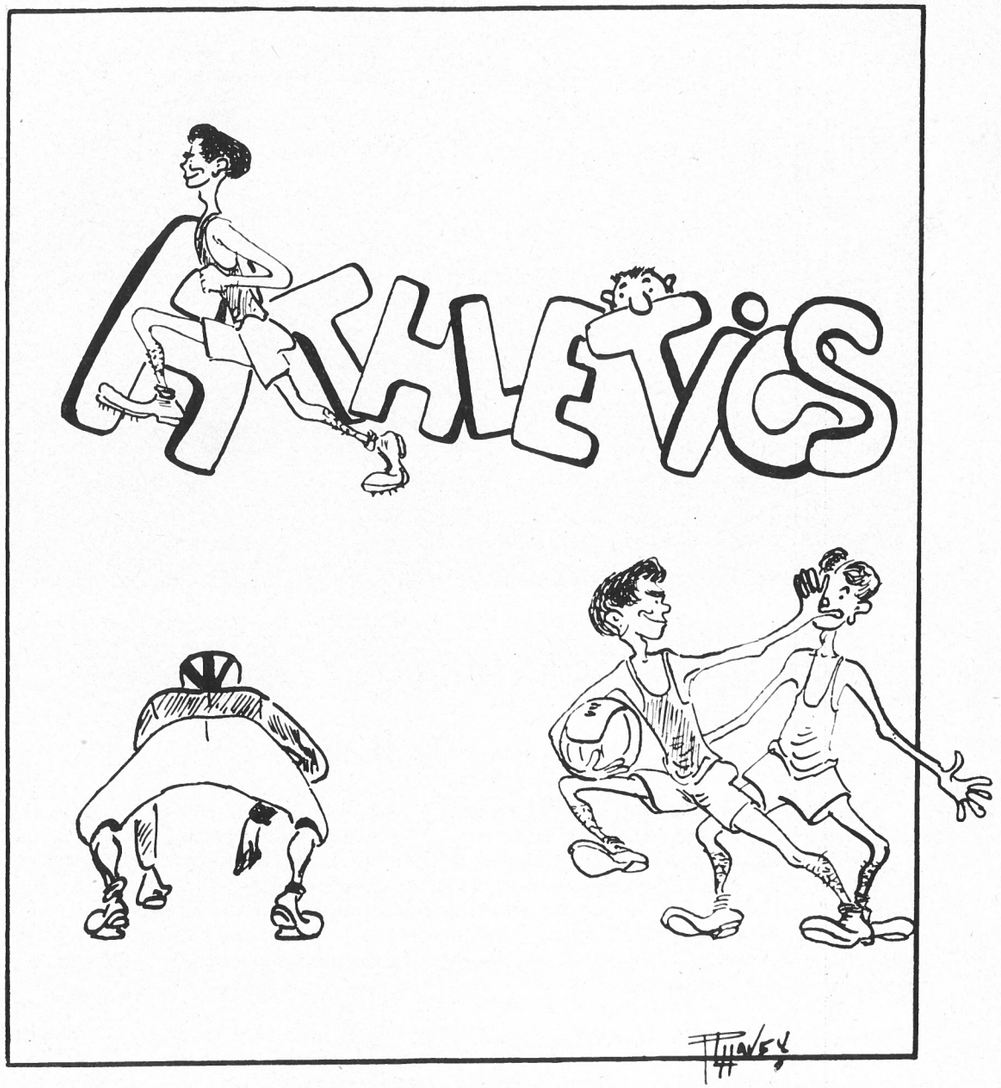
Pop Concert

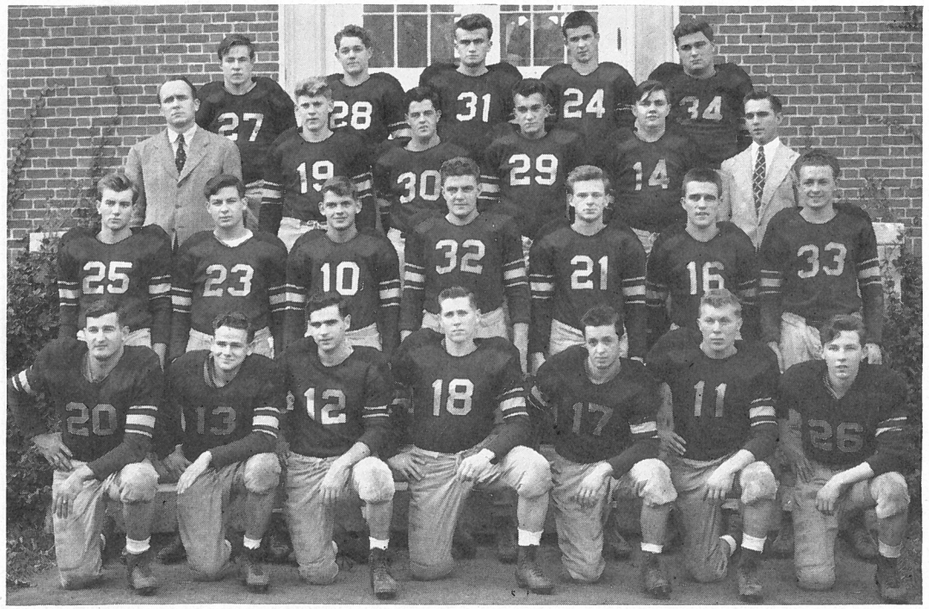
On February 19th the annual Pop Concert took place in the Parks Gymnasium before a capacity crowd in spite of severe weather conditions. Mr. Williams, the music director, presented a very interesting program consisting of orchestral numbers, special arrangements for wind instruments, and several vocal numbers by the combined Glee Clubs. Miss Blackstone was accompanist for the Glee Clubs.

The decorations and refreshments were in charge of the advisers of the Freshman and Sophomore classes, assisted by committees from the two classes, and also the Home Economics Department.

The gymnasium was unique in its decoration with its clever cartoons and display of various-colored pinwheels.

Following the concert, dancing was enjoyed by all until a late hour.





Front Row: Peter Pocius, Cecil Butler, William Mott, William Hatch, Robert Duplessie, John Mosko, Chadley Ireland. *Second Row:* Bernard Walker, Philip Dugas, Hartland Cushman, Capt. Robert Park, Norman MacLeod, Ralph Ham, Harold Beisaw. *Third Row:* Coach Nels Corey, Neal Wright, John Sevigny, Keith Weeks, Gerry Hodge, Roy Dyke Mgr. *Fourth Row:* James Roach, Alton Cianchette, Knute Holmsen, Walker Cooper, Edward Cianchette.

Varsity Football

The 1947 football season ended with M.C.I., the only unbeaten Prep School in the state, being awarded the "mythical" state title. The team playing against Prep School and College Freshman and J. V. teams compiled an enviable record of six wins and one tie.

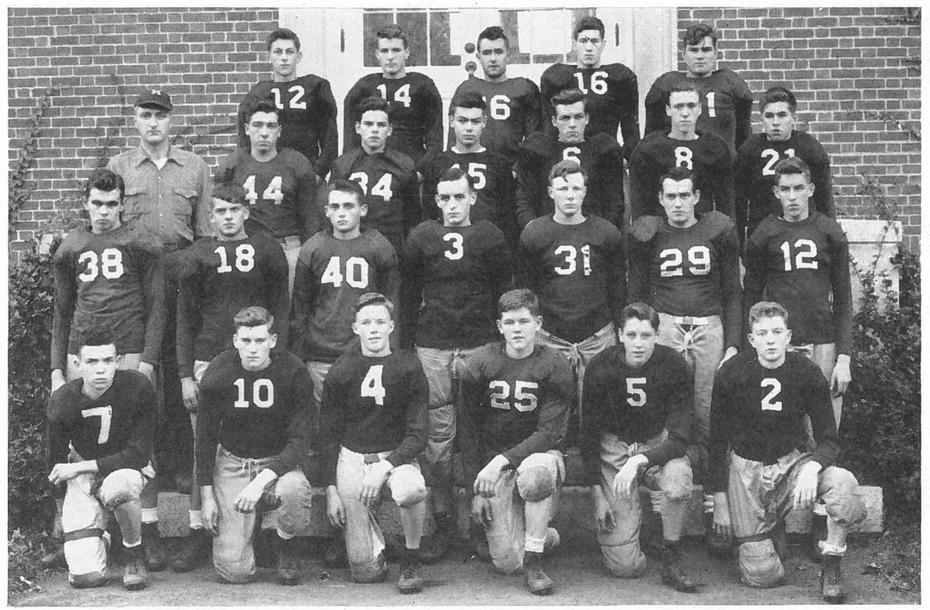
Nels Corey, in his first year at M. C. I., did a great job of coaching the team. Bob Park, captain-elect, also did a fine job of leading the team both on and off the field.

The Pittsfield Kiwanis Club gave a banquet for the team at the Lancey House; and later, at an assembly in Powers Hall, the members of the team were awarded gold footballs symbolizing their "state championship."

Those receiving letters: B. Park, W. Cooper, H. Beisaw, J. Sevigny, G. Hodge, E. Cianchette, C. Butler, P. Pocius, W. Mott, P. Dugas, B. Walker, A. Cianchette, N. Wright, C. Ireland, Ho. Cushman, Ha. Cushman, W. Hatch, J. Mosko, K. Weeks, N. MacLeod, J. Roach, R. Duplessie, E. Crowley, K. Holmsen, and R. Dyke, Mgr.

The schedule:

M. C. I.	25	Hebron	0	M. C. I.	25	Me. Frosh	0
M. C. I.	7	Ricker	6	M. C. I.	14	Me. Annex	6
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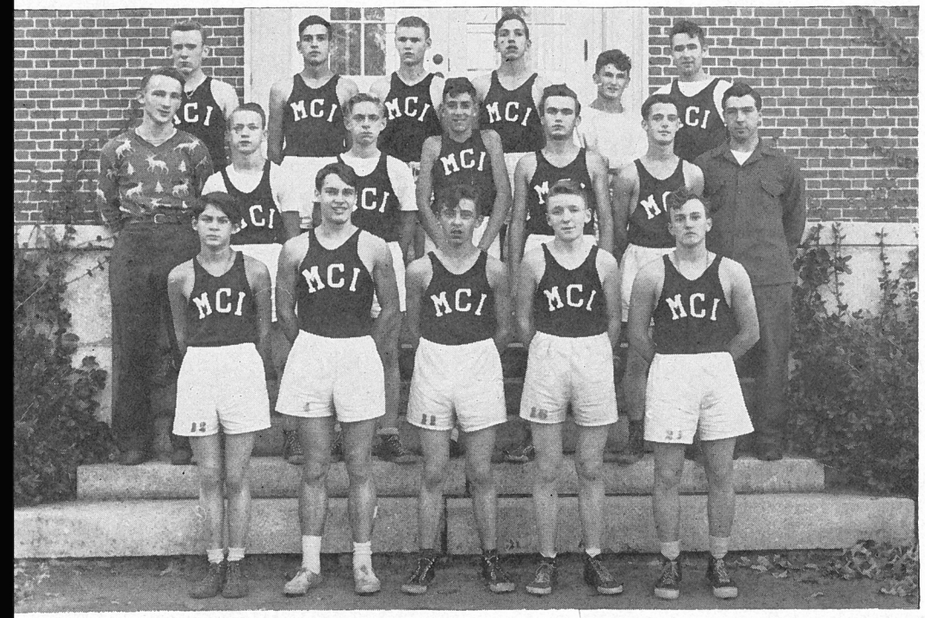
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J. V. Football

Coach Larry Muzroll's Jayvee football team almost compiled an undefeated season for the record books. The season's record showed three wins against one lone setback. This only loss was handed to them by a powerful Kents Hill eleven.

The Jayvee squad is made up almost entirely of town students; of these members Arey Bryant and Bartlett Spencer received letters.

M. C. I.	12	Foxcroft Academy	7
M. C. I.	19	Higgins Jayvees	0
M. C. I.	0	Kents Hill	18
M. C. I.	18	Skowhegan	13



Front Row: Ronald Horton, Robert Libby, Norman Levasseur, Willis Strout, Dale McDonald. *Second Row:* Charles Vroom Mgr., Galen Spencer, Milton Seekins, Roland Hallee, Lyle Gallison, Philip Poulin, John Towle Mgr. *Third Row:* Thomas Burgess, Jerome Hallee, Basil Tasker, Manley Huff, Herbert Pelkey, Robert Weeks.

Cross Country

M.C.I.'s cross country team wound up the season with six victories against three defeats. They won a second in the State Prep School Meet held at Orono.

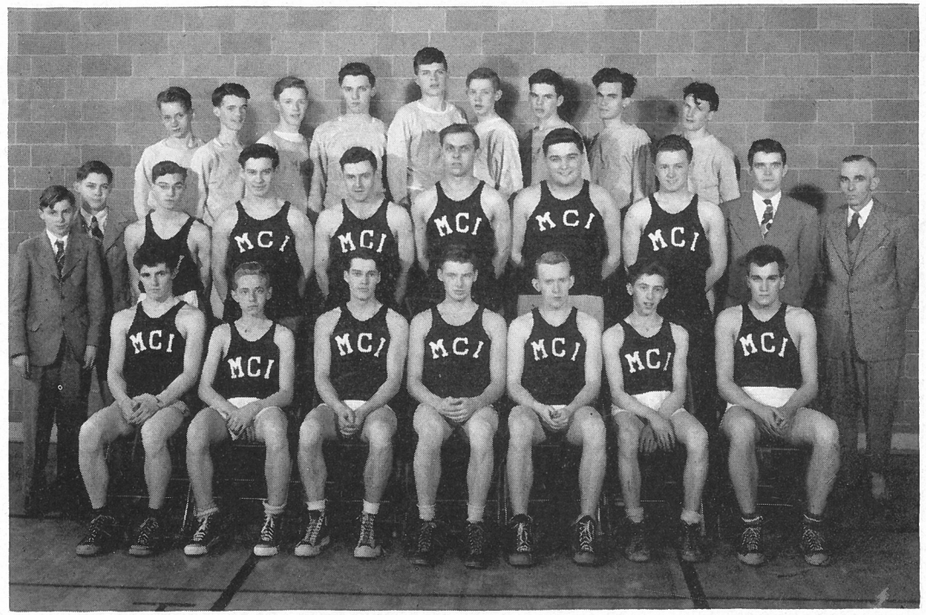
Under the capable coaching of Mr. Earle, they came through with either Norm Levasseur or Bob Libby leading the way to the finish line.

With many freshmen and sophomores returning next year, M.C.I. should have a good chance at the next state meet.

The following were awarded letters: Robert Libby, Norm Levasseur, Willis Strout.

The season's schedule:

M. C. I.	29	Bangor	26
M. C. I.	28	Hartland	27
M. C. I.	19	Lee	41
M. C. I.	21	Colby Frosh	40
M. C. I.	18	Bates Frosh	42
M. C. I.	20	Farmington Teachers	37
M. C. I.	42	Hartland	21
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M. C. I.	23	Kents Hill	37

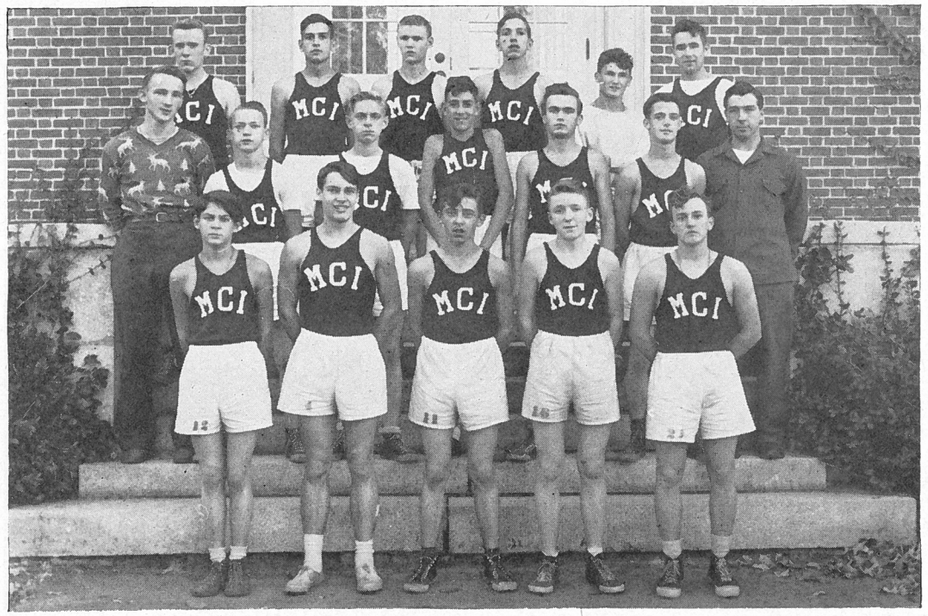


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Indoor Track

Indoor track was spnsored by M.C.I. for the first time this year, with Coach Maurice L. Earle and Assistant Coach Edward Stanley in charge of the squad of thirty. Lacking a field house, the Preppers worked out in the George Parks Gymnasium twice weekly, stressing form and conditioning. Through the courtesy of "Swede" Anderson, Head Coach of Track at Colby College, M.C.I. was privileged to use the Colby Field House frequently during the eight week season. Four practice meets were staged at Colby, where M.C.I. ran against the Colby Frosh, Waterville High, and Lawrence High of Fairfield.

Highlight of the season was the Bowdoin Interscholastics, where M.C.I. was the only Maine prep school to enter a squad. The Preppers placed third in the meet, behind Philips Exeter Academy and the Huntington School, defeating Choate School, Roxbury Latin School, Taft School, and Tabor Academy. Norman Levasseur '51 won the prep school mile in 5:00:5, while Robert Libby '48 was second in the 600 yard run. Keith Weeks '48 took a third in the 1000 yard run, while fourth places were annexed by Edward Cianchette, '50 in the shotput and Sheldon Fitzpatrick '48 in the broadjump.



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Cross Country

M.C.I.'s cross country team wound up the season with six victories against three defeats. They won a second in the State Prep School Meet held at Orono.

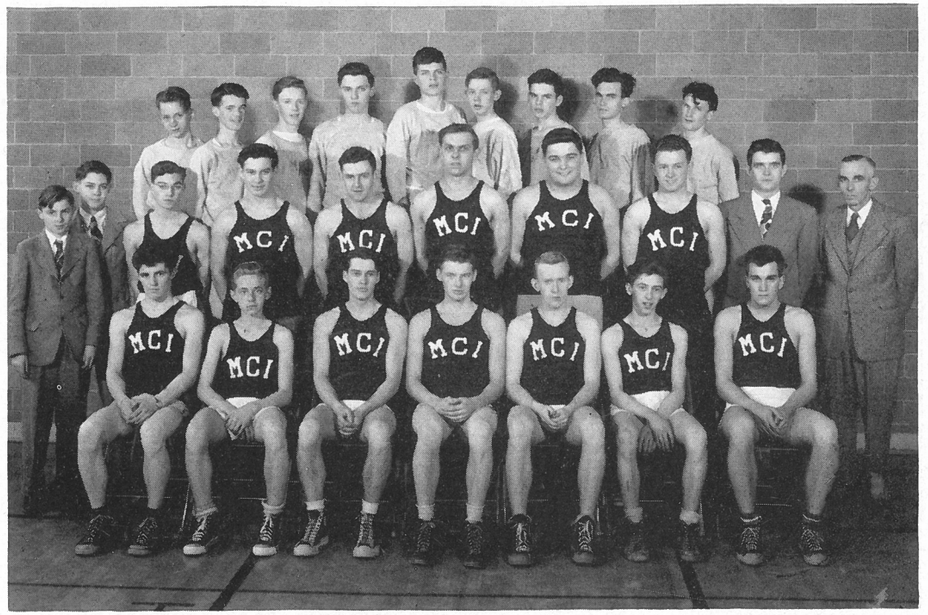
Under the capable coaching of Mr. Earle, they came through with either Norm Levasseur or Bob Libby leading the way to the finish line.

With many freshmen and sophomores returning next year, M.C.I. should have a good chance at the next state meet.

The following were awarded letters: Robert Libby, Norm Levasseur, Willis Strout.

The season's schedule:

M. C. I.	29	Bangor	26
M. C. I.	28	Hartland	27
M. C. I.	19	Lee	41
M. C. I.	21	Colby Frosh	40
M. C. I.	18	Bates Frosh	42
M. C. I.	20	Farmington Teachers	37
M. C. I.	42	Hartland	21
M. C. I.	26	Maine J. V.	30
M. C. I.	23	Kents Hill	37

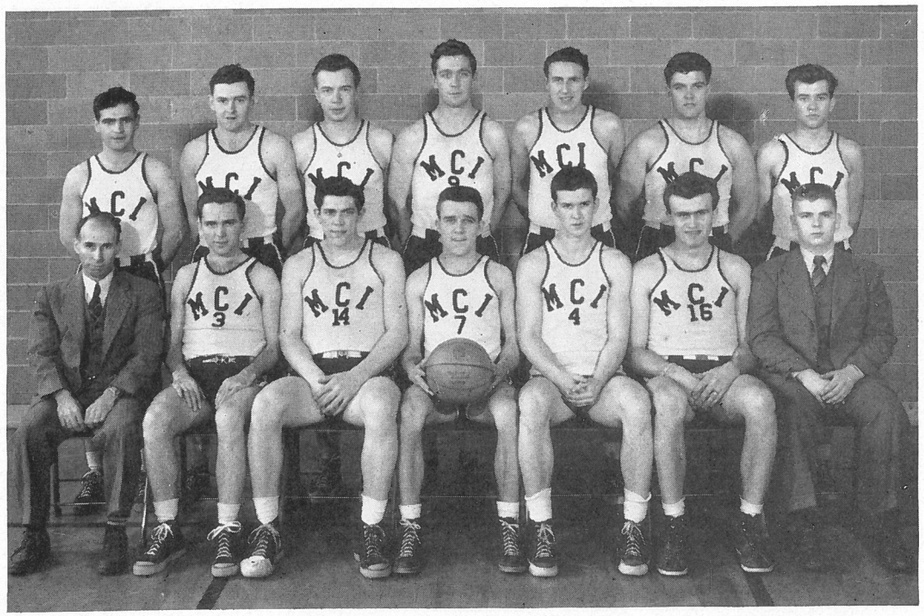


Front Row: Theo Bryant, Milton Seekins, Robert Libby, Edwin Reed, Thomas Burgess, Norman Levasseur, Keith Weeks. *Second Row:* Richard Mooers, Blair Perkins, Philip Dugas, Sheldon Fitzpatrick, Sam Mereen, Edward Cianchette, Harold Beisaw, William Sprague Mgr., Mr. Maurice Earle, Coach. *Third Row:* Ronald Horton, Galen Spencer, Philip Poulin, Richard Doherty, Walter Mooers, Robert Farnsworth, Robert Vance, Lyle Gallison, Herbert Pelkey.

Indoor Track

Indoor track was spnsored by M.C.I. for the first time this year, with Coach Maurice L. Earle and Assistant Coach Edward Stanley in charge of the squad of thirty. Lacking a field house, the Preppers worked out in the George Parks Gymnasium twice weekly, stressing form and conditioning. Through the courtesy of "Swede" Anderson, Head Coach of Track at Colby College, M.C.I. was privileged to use the Colby Field House frequently during the eight week season. Four practice meets were staged at Colby, where M.C.I. ran against the Colby Frosh, Waterville High, and Lawrence High of Fairfield.

Highlight of the season was the Bowdoin Interscholastics, where M.C.I. was the only Maine prep school to enter a squad. The Preppers placed third in the meet, behind Philips Exeter Academy and the Huntington School, defeating Choate School, Roxbury Latin School, Taft School, and Tabor Academy. Norman Levasseur '51 won the prep school mile in 5:00:5, while Robert Libby '48 was second in the 600 yard run. Keith Weeks '48 took a third in the 1000 yard run, while fourth places were annexed by Edward Cianchette, '50 in the shotput and Sheldon Fitzpatrick '48 in the broadjump.



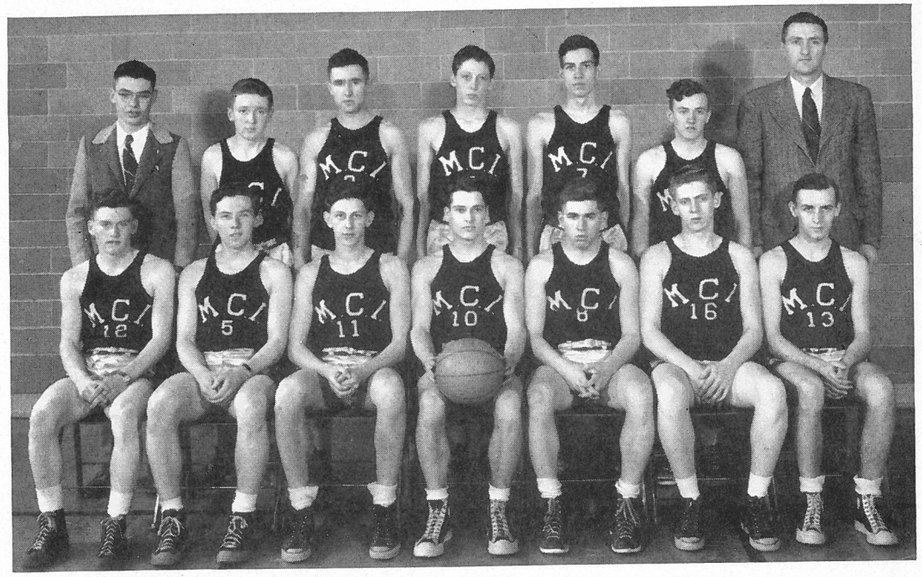
Front Row: Coach Paul Legge, Roy Dyke, George Fuller, Capt. Ralph Ham, Walker Cooper, Knute Holmsen, Manager Richard Stage. *Second Row:* William Mott, Sheldon Fitzpatrick, Rodney Howes, Edward Crowley, Harvey Varney, Robert Park, Bernard Walker.

Varsity Basketball

In the won and lost column the basketball season could not be considered successful. However, playing a rugged schedule and not always having the team at full strength, they came out with a greater knowledge of the game.

M. C. I. received a bid to the Prep School Tourney, that was held at the University of Maine Gym, where they drew Coburn. For three periods it was anyone's ball game. M. C. I. faded fast in the final period as Coburn raced to a 63–39 win.

Bud Ham was elected captain during the regular season. Joe Dyke led the parade of scorers with 280 points. He was followed by Capt. Ham with 125 points and George Fuller with 119 points. Those receiving letters were the following: Capt. Ham, J. Dyke, W. Cooper, B. Walker, B. Park, K. Holmsen, W. Mott, E. Crowley, G. Fuller, H. Varney, R. Howes, S. Fitzpatrick.



Front Row: Ralph Lawrence, Chadley Ireland, Albert Fitts, Robert Libby, Bartlett Spencer, Neal Wright, Arey Bryant. *Second Row:* Cyrus Wentworth Mgr., Willis Strout, Robert Weeks, Robert Burns, Jerome Hallee, Dale McDonald, Larry Muzzrol, Coach.

J. V. Basketball

The season for the undergrads was a little on the unfavorable side, but a great deal of experience was gained to make up for the record. Many of these players will probably make up the nucleus of next year's varsity. During the season the squad won five and lost nine games.

Bob Libby was elected captain at the end of the season's play. Those on the undergrad squad are: Capt. Libby, B. Spencer, N. Wright, A. Bryant, C. Ireland, A. Fitts, W. Strout, J. Hallee, R. Hughes, R. Weeks.



Front Row: William Holden, Chester Warren, John Mosko, Capt. Peter Pocius, Richard Schutt, Sam Mereen, Robert Duplessie. *Second Row:* Coach Nels Corey, Howard Cushman, John Sevigny, James Roach, Edward Cianchette, Philip Dugas, Hartland Cushman, Maynard Dalhgren, Gordon Hodgkins.

Hockey

The M. C. I. sextet, coached by Nels Corey, started the season with very few experienced players, but rapidly improved as the season progressed; and the team gradually developed into a winning combination.

Peter Pocius of Rumford was elected captain at the close of the regular season. John Mosko and Richard Schutt paced the parade of scorers with 12 and 10 goals respectively.

M. C. I.	2	Bowdoin J. V.	9
M. C. I.	2	Gardiner	9
M. C. I.	7	Wassookeag	2
M. C. I.	1	Bowdoin J. V.	11
M. C. I.	5	Kents Hill	4
M. C. I.	2	Colby Frosh	13
M. C. I.	1	Kents Hill	5
M. C. I.	2	Colby Frosh	7
M. C. I.	3	Ricker Jr. Col.	12
M. C. I.	7	Wassookeag	5
M. C. I.	5	Morse High	1
M. C. I.	37	Opponents	68



Front Row: Virginia Coolbroth, Ann Lutz, Theresa Sirois, Loretta White, Doreen Gulliver, Mary Jipson, Dorothy Graham. *Second Row:* Emily Snow Mgr., Helen Menendez, Sally Cianchette, Joyce Jackson, Joan Cookson, Shirley Dunham. *Third Row:* Kathleen Mitchell, Joyce Dobson, Shirley Sedgewick.

Girls' Field Hockey

This is the second year that special emphasis has been placed on girls' athletics. One of the most popular sports is field hockey. Thanks to the Director of Athletics, Mr. Smith, many of the girls are learning to play a good game of hockey. Although the team was defeated in the three games of the season, the girls put up a good fight to win.

M. C. I.	1	Kents Hill	4
M. C. I.	0	Kents Hill	5
M. C. I.	0	Cony	4

Starting line-up in the games:

G.	K. Mitchell	*Subs.*	J. Jackson
RF.	Sedgwick		S. Dunham
LF.	A. McKee		D. Gullifer
LHB.	V. Coolbroth		C. Shatney
CHB.	D. Graham		S. Cianchette
RHB.	D. Menendez		
LW.	L. White	*Mgr.*	E. Snow
RW.	T. Sirois, *Captain*		



Front Row: Joyce Jackson, Joyce Dobson, Theresa Sirois, Louise Catlin, Jo Besse. *Second Row:* Sally Cianchette, Joan Cookson, Loretta White, Mary Dysart, Helen Menendez.

Girls' Athletic Council

Since girls' athletics has had a more prominent part in sports this year, the functioning of the Girl's Athletic Council has been very active. The work of the council is to organize the sports' program for the year. Girls' sports this year included field hockey, basketball, and softball.

The council is composed of a group including four seniors, three juniors, two sophomores, and one freshman. Officers elected for this year are as follows:

President — Theresa Sirois
Vice President — Joyce Dobson
Sec.-Treasurer — Louise Catlin
Adviser — Miss Margaret Boynton



Front Row: Kathleen Mitchell, Harriet Riley, Bernice Wright, Doris Urban. *Second Row:* Sally Friend, Theresa Sirois, Helen Esty.

Cheerleaders

This year the cheerleaders have done unusually fine work in supporting our athletic squads. They have been present at all games when transportation was available, cheering our teams on to victory in most cases. The cheerleaders have looked very attractive in their new white and wine-colored uniforms. Many thanks are extended to the Home Economics Department for making the uniforms; also appreciation is expressed to Miss Coggeshall for her kind guidance.

From time to time we have seen another group of girls, the Junior Varsity cheerleaders, who deserve commendation from us for their splendid spirit and cooperation. This group includes: Virginia Coolbroth (head cheerleader), Corinne Moore, Dorothy Graham, Joyce Brown, Colleen Roundy, Patricia Tinkham, and Mary Lou Davis.

Many thanks and heartiest congratulations to the unsung heroines of M. C. I. They have been a tremendous aid in boosting the student attendance at our games.



Front Row: Cecilia Shatney, Kathleen Mitchell, Capt. Mary Jipson, Molly Jane Shorey, Jo Besse, Louise Catlin.
Second Row: Coach Margaret Boynton, Joan Cookson, Beatrice Newhouse, Marilyn Fowler, Jean Farnsworth, Emily Snow, Janet Ames, Joyce Jackson, Caroline Shatney Mgr.

Girls' Basketball

The M. C. I. lassies have supplied some exciting evenings in the Parks Gymnasium this year. Under the direction of their able coach, Miss Boynton, the girls have turned in some remarkable performances. Much credit should be given to Carolyn Shatney, who has given so freely of her time and effort as manager of the team. The following are members of the team:

M. J. Jipson, *Captain*
J. Besse
K. Mitchell
H. Menendez
J. Ames
J. Jackson
L. Catlin
E. Brooks
J. Dobson
B. Newhouse
J. Cookson
M. J. Shorey
E. Snow
M. Fowler
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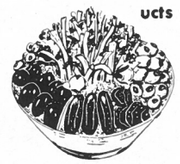
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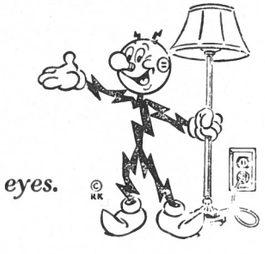
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