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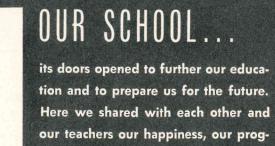
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Our yearbook is an expression of the realization that we face problems of a divided world, symbolically told in black and white. The world before us presents two alternatives: suppression or freedom, dictatorship or democracy, war or peace. Because it is our desire to preserve our freedom, the choice is clear. To lessen the ominous threat of suppression, dictatorship and war in our world of machines by promoting human understanding—this is our task!

This is a dedication to an ideal, the magnitude of which overshadows all individual accomplishments. We speak of the inherent rights of human beings to live their lives devoid of the fear of oppression, either political, economic, or religious. It is to the attainment of this ideal that we dedicate this yearbook.





ress, and our differences. Now that the doors are closing, school has become part of the past, but the lessons it has taught will remain with us in the future.



FRED W. SHERTENLIEB
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MARGUERITE L. MULVEY Elementary School Principal

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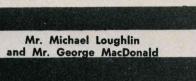
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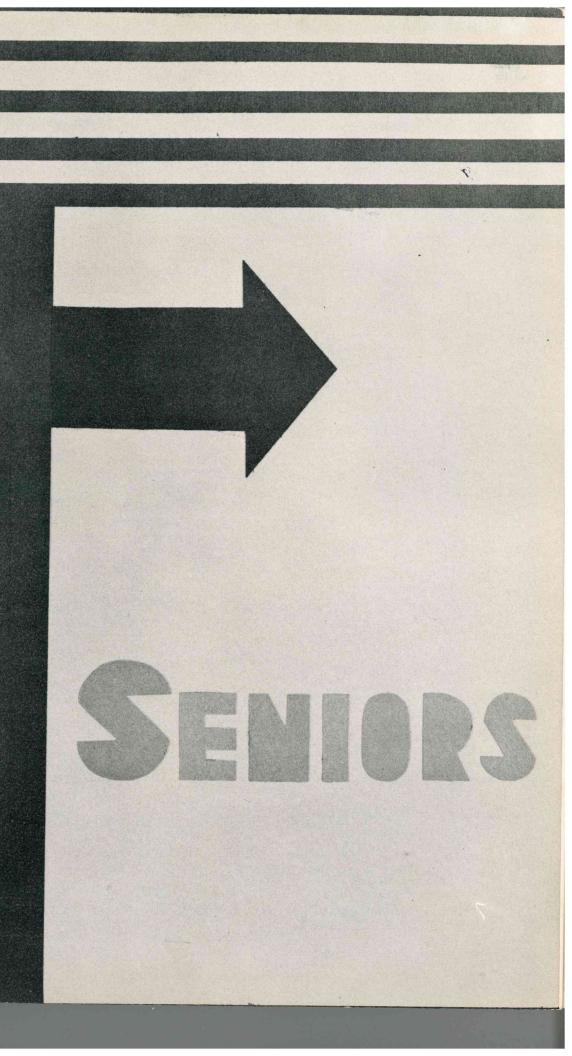
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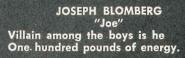
Mrs. Margaret Burns











MARY BRENNAN
"Liz"
In school this gal is very quiet
But outside she's quite a riot.

FRED BRUCH
"Bud"
Such a fellow you rarely find
Personality and good looks combined.











PETER CARPENTER "Peter"
Sunny disposition, crew cut hair
Without a worry or a care.

EUGENE CARSON "Gene"

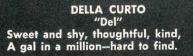
Known to all his friends as "Kit"

Wherever he roams he makes a hit.

JUNE CUNNIUS "June"
Never sorrowful, never sad
Always joyous, always glad.







HELEN DOROSH
"Joe"
Dreamy, wide-eyed, yet never alone
She'd love to make this world her own.

EILEEN DOWNES
"Downsy"
Downsy in her car you'll see
A "hotrod" she will always be.









# CATHERINE EDGE "Cathy" A good little Mrs. she would make If she knew you were coming, she'd bake a cake.

FLORENCE ERICKSON
"Flo"
Flo is full of energy
Destined to be a "WAF" is she.

ANN FAZIO
"Ann"
Thoughtful, sincere, and loads of fun
Ann cooperates with everyone.







JENNIE GOMEZ "Jen"
Jennie's ambitions are always great
But for school she is usually late.

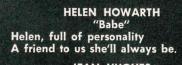
BORIS HARITONOFF
"Bor"
Boris is a camera fan
He will "shoot" you if he can.











JEAN HUGHES

"Jean"

Jean is neat, petite and smart

She works and wishes with all her
heart.

MILDRED JOHNSON "Mil"
Mildred, the girl with the swell disposition To be a nurse is her chief ambition.







ALLEN LINDGREN
"Al"
Al a "redhead," genius is he
Another Einstein he's bound to be









JAMES MENEICE "Jimmy"

A member of the "rugged five"

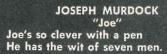
For his team he'll always strive.

RICHARD MOSCHINGER "Dick"
Dick is the class's lover boy
To change his girls is his great joy.

JEROME MULLIGAN "Jerry" Jerry Mulligan has a flair For getting into teachers' hair.







ANN O'SHAUGHNESSY
"Shaun"
In hair and dress she's always neat
To have her around is quite a treat.

MARY PURTELL
"Pert"
A heart that's always glad and gay
She spreads much joy along life's way.





MARY RADGOWSKI
"Rad"
Mary a housewife she will be
To cook and bake for her family.

#### FRED REXROTH

"Rex"

This handsome lad, blonde and fair
Complaints from him are very rare.

SVERRE SAMUELSEN
"Sam"
Sam is quiet, never a sound
But he's a Senior, every pound.





"Pat"
She's small, she's quiet, she's good at art, In using this talent she does her part.

KATHLEEN SIMMONDS

"Katie"

Her red hair and temper go hand in hand,
Despite this all, we think she's grand.

#### ALMA SPERA

Shy and quiet, pure and sweet, That she is from head to feet.



CLAIRE SWAINE
"Chake"
The ruler of all, our own prom queen,
Take it from us, she's a typical teen.

#### ROSEMARY TARASCIO

"Rose"
Friends she'll meet where'er she goes,
Our fondest thoughts will follow Rose.

## NATALIE WORN

"Snooky"

The terrific job of treasurer has she
Our "Snooky" filled it to a "T."















# III ERINI GLAGIAN



TOP ROW (left to right): Eugene Coppola, Louise Lancieri, Gustav Spitzig, Irma Urbahn, Paul Spillane, John Moloney, Cleveland Johnson, Claudia Schultz, Katherine Van Wart. THIRD ROW: Sue Duncan, Gilmore Olsen, Janet Janke, John Loughlin, Madeline Curto, John Finnin, Catherine Runz, Christopher Crotty, Eileen O'Connor. SECOND ROW: Zenobia Cwiach, Sylvia Pond, Richard Barrett, Adelaide Hubbard, Ann Grodewald, Eugene Pardini, Elizabeth Nizamian, Anna Lumpe, Eugene O'Gara, Margaret O'Connor. FIRST ROW: Shirley Coleman, Otto Keehner, Gertrude Devers, Dominic Piazza, Kathleen Hoffmann, Charles Lindstrom. Irene Meech, Kenneth Wood, Alvina Henkel, Edward Berton.

# JUNIOR CLASS

We are still the "jolly juniors"! We have one more year to achieve our immediate goal, to work out our destiny and to watch world events unfold. We worry just a little bit; we wonder quite a bit but you should see us relax! Our Junior Prom was the most indulged in type of relaxation held this year. A great deal of planning and hard work preceded it, but the resultant enjoyment made the evening truly festive and memorable.

For guidance and help in sponsoring the Junior Prom and our other activities, we offer our thanks to Mr. Theodore Jamison and Mr. Alfred Schutte, our faculty advisors.



#### CLASS OFFICERS

M. O'Connor, Treasurer; D. Piazza, S. O. Representative; C. Lindstrom, Vice-President; E. Coppola, President; I. Meech, Secretary.



TOP ROW (left to right): Bertram Briscoe, Joseph Luisi, Evelyn Stuke, Theodore Zelezny, Raymond Mulesky, Barbara Dubron, George Clancey, Donald Hamilton, Thomas King, George Behrens. FOURTH ROW: Edward Rottmann, Richard Rexroth, Miles O'Shaughnessy, Charles Small, William Dresch, Robert Johnson, William Schmidt, Joseph Spillane, Marvin Rideout, Donald Giese, Maureen Plant. THIRD ROW: Marilyn Behrhof, Catherine Cummings, Mary Knobl, Gloria Behrhof, Phyllis Spillane, Mary Ann Walsh, Carol Wessel, Margaret Swaine, Evelyn Wynne, Dorothy Ellis, Yolanda Felicione. SECOND ROW: Nelson Denniston, Barbara Allen, Gus Bartik, Ronald Gerhard, Patricia McNamara, Thomas Lancer, William Morrison, Joan Runz, Doris De Martino, Rita O'Brien, Joan Murdock. FIRST ROW: Patricia O'Mara, Mary Finnin, Daisy Gomez, Marlene Muir, Mary Attanasso, Carolina Ashby, Eunice Gant, Isabelle MacVicar, Vivian DeMartino, Elsie Van Dyke, Anna Rottmann.

# SOPHOMORE CLASS



We are supposed to be "Silly Sophs." We are frequently termed apathetic, lethargic or just plain lazy—could it be that we are just bothered or bewildered? We even felt sorry for the Freshmen as we drew up rules and penalties for Freshman Initiation Week. After making it perfectly clear to them that their "baby days" were over and that they were to be studious high school co-eds, we pampered them with a dance and platters and platters of refreshments for growing Freshmen. For trying to inspire and encourage us we are indebted to our faculty advisors, Miss Rosemarie Curran and Mrs. John Chiavoli.

#### CLASS OFFICERS

M. Attanasso, Treasurer; W. Dresch, Vice-President; B. Briscoe, President; J. Murdock, Secretary.

# FRESHMAN CLASS



TOP ROW (left to right): Marie O'Kane, Joanne Coleman, Adele Kuehne, Dorothy Clorius, Carl Lumpe, Joseph Clerkin, William Bolton, Francis Walsh, Donald Hulse, Robert Siee. THIRD ROW: Lorraine Dunn, Rosemarie Mehner, Ronald Bouchard, Kathleen Ward, Joan Noschese, Barbara Guerin, Thomas Plant, Joyce Meares, Warren Fandrey, John McCourt. SECOND ROW: Bridget Keane, Michael Horan, Eileen Shanley, Helen Stadtmiller, Robert Pardini, Barbara Scheele, Elaine Lancieri, Charles Bayer, Joan Craig, Richard Demarse. FIRST ROW: Joyce Woodward, Marialies Gerken, William Carr, Geraldine Radley, Al Duarte, Pamela McDougal, Marie Ehrhardt, Phillip Lamanna, Lucille Beckhans, John Ehrhardt. FOREGROUND: John Craig, Treasurer; Carol Haber, President; Erma Campbell, Vice-President.

Fresh Freshmen? Certainly. We offer a fresh viewpoint on all school problems; we have time to look ahead, to plan, and to establish a worthwhile reputation for ourselves, and our school.

We welcomed with great enthusiasm, a new fellow classman, Dorothy Clorius from Hamburg, Germany.

The movie, bake sale and dance that we sponsored were all successful in themselves but actually aided us most by uniting our class.

We want to express our appreciation to Mr. John Markey and Mr. Leon Schenker, faculty advisors, for helping us plan an active, busy freshman year.

#### EIGHTH GRADE

TOP ROW (left to right): Arthur Garcia, Peter Schales, Maurice Barrie. FIFTH ROW: Arthur Conning, George MacDonald, Charles Small, Sandra Johnson, William Fisher, Leo Dorosh, Barbara Swaine. FOURTH ROW: Nolan Gant, Mario Barra, Gertrude Donato, Joseph Grimes, Joan Travis, Charles Hubbard, Frances Stone. THIRD ROW: Ruth Hubbard, Ronald Ashford, John Cossu, Anna Grannis, Freeman Wilbur, Helen Hamm, Shirley Rolfe. SECOND ROW: Sebastian Gomez, Ruth Lindgren, Samuel Gomez, Lois Runz, John Bensen, Joyce Stockwell, Richard Losi. FIRST ROW: Albert Potenziano, Margaret Signorelli, William Ruescher, Elsie Maltese, John Schnebly. FACULTY ADVISOR: Mrs. Madeline Mulligan.



#### SEVENTH GRADE

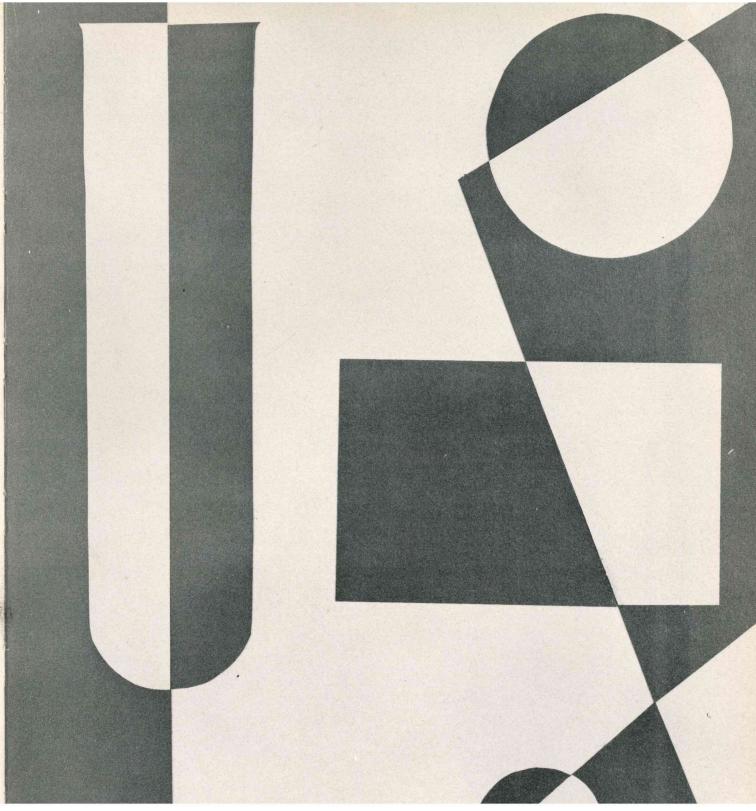
TOP ROW (left to right): John Lent, Charles Kelly, Peter Zoeilner, Robert Walsh, Robert Taylor, John Dorosh, Edward Schomaker. FIFTH ROW: Richard Garcia, Arlene Noschese, Carol Gomalka, Irene Stetler, Nevada Ashby, Dorothy Zelezny, Arlene Ruescher, Gladys Hocker. FOURTH ROW: George Cordingly, Diane Firko, Mary Schnebly, Joan DeMartino, Joan Bolton, Elizabeth Stillwell, Robert Hearl. THIRD ROW: Grace Spera, Eileen Tucker, Donald Dubron, Carol Travis, Anne O'Kane, Mary Vecchi, Rosemarie Ketcham. SECOND ROW: Marie Bartik, Adele Haritonoff, Charles Smith, Lorna McDougal, Carol Behrens, Robert Herr, Patricia Burger. FIRST ROW: Bruce Siedler, Treasurer; Mary Ann Gomez, Secretary; George Daly, President; John Murdock, Vice-President. FACULTY ADVISOR: Miss Rose Cottrazolla.



SCHOOL CALENDAR School opens officially. Jim McNiece finds out school opens. iept. Election of Senior Class officers. Seniors turn salesmen-rush out on magazine campaign-(knock on any door). Senior dance—first of the year—and best. iept. Teachers converse while students disperse. Oct. End of magazine campaign. Dunn won. Oct. Seniors start selling Christmas cards. Teachers go under for Oct. the third time. 10 Since play rehearsals begin-Miss Mannix "Death thou hast Vov. not the sting that rehearsals bring." Miss Klinke puts forth best efforts on Senior Play Journal. Vov. Thanksgiving—literally. Yov. Financial returns on Christmas cards overwhelm us. Dec. C. I. box office sells out on "Here Comes Charlie." Dec. Cast II forms with great success. Dec. Mrs. Williamson and Mr. Meade receive an A+ for the Dec. grade school Christmas Assembly. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year are called by every-Dec. one. Everyone goes on a much needed vacation. Mrs. Alwais issues Christmas card sales results. lan. \$200 profit!! Way above previous records!!. Joe Murdock passes Biology regents. lan. Jennie sleeps till 4:00-Why? eb. What has Valentine's Day got to do with Eileen Downes? eb. Miss Mannix issues obligation list-Seniors look for jobs. Teachers display their talent in play put on by P.T.A. We lose a good senior. Mary Radgowski leaves school. Senior boys cop basketball intramural championship with Sam as captain. Movie for benefit of Yearbook. Starts Easter vacation. Katheline loses bet to Miss Mannix. Public Inspection of new school from 2:00 to 5:00. New school opens—we get an extra room. April 7 Mr. Meade and Mr. Schenker turn thespians at Smithtown April theater. April 12 All of Mrs. Williamson's 90 lbs. of energy goes into the Vocal Concert. April 15 Class celebrates-Pete Carpenter decides to go to Washington. Seniors start on first leg of Washington trip. April Seniors go to bed and get their first good night's sleep in

four days.

27 Mr. Meade directs all instrumental concert.





#### C. I. SHADOWS

We are very proud to say that this year our newspaper staff has done a splendid job in turning out more and better issues. The "Shadows" has creative ideas for the school and has been "Crammed" full of hard work intermingled with fun.

Our suggestion box, which was placed in the Library, gave all the students a chance to voice their opinions of other school activities and of the paper itself.

All this was accomplished through the work of our editor, Natalie Worn; co-editor, Claire Swaine; business manager, Gertrude Devers; and the untiring efforts of our faculty advisor, Mrs. Helen O'Pezio.

#### BOARD OF CONTROL

The Board of Control made up of representatives from each class, organizes the major activities of the high school. The main activity of the Board this year was to set up the rules for the "Teentimers"—a youth program centered about a weekly evening recreation plan for students from grades seven to twelve. Under the supervision of its faculty advisor, Mr. Joseph Barlin, and its officers—Joseph Murdock, President; Fred Rexroth, Vice-President; Jean Hughes, Secretary; and Ann Fazio, Treasurer—the Board of Control has done much to promote cooperation and school spirit for the benefit of the entire student body.





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**BUSINESS STAFF** 



ART STAFF

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to Mr. Leon Schenker, who voluntarily lent both time and talent without restriction to the creation of this yearbook. We are also indebted to our new yearbook advisor, Mr. John Chiavoli, for the ideas and inspiration he rendered us. To our advisor Mrs. J. M. Alwais we extend our sincerest appreciation and gratitude for her guidance and patience in bringing about the completion of this yearbook.



LIBRARY STAFF



#### SCIENCE CLUB

This club was organized for the purpose of exploring the field of science beyond the limits of the classroom. Field trips, excursions and research projects were sponsored throughout the year. The Museum of Natural History highlighted our trip to New York City. With such capable officers as Ronald Gerhard, President; William Dresch, Vice-President; Carolyn Ittem, Secretary; Robert O'Donohue, Treasurer, and Mr. Alfred Schutte, faculty advisor, the Science Club enjoyed a successful year.

The Home Economics Club has become one of the most active organizations in our school! It has served the most delicious faculty teas, baked endless cookies for the kindergarten youngsters and sold cupcakes after school, as well as refreshments at the "Teentimers." Under the able direction of Miss Rose Cott, the club has consistently expanded its activities.



HOME ECONOMICS CLUB



## SHOP CLUB

The shop club met once a week and had fifteen members from grades nine through twelve.

Many of the students work on their own regular class projects such as end tables, coffee tables, and bird houses while others are engaged in doing various projects for the school. In this picture you see the groups completing a rack for the chairs needed for an assembly. Under the experienced direction of Mr. James Christian, the shop club has done much for our school.

## SPANISH CLUB

Through social activities, the club arouses interest in Spanish and Latin American customs and culture. Our entertainment program included a Spanish fiesta, Mexican bingo, and a Spanish musical hour but the most enjoyment was derived from a trip to New York City where we feasted at a Spanish restaurant. We owe much of the fun we have had to Miss Rosemary Curran, our faculty advisor and to Phyllis Spillane our President for planning the club's activities.





#### ART CLUB

Our activities this year consisted of such projects as posters for school affairs, dances, movies, parties, etc., decorating school halls and rooms during the holidays; arts and crafts, clay, metal and leatherwork, and an abundance of sketching.

The club with the highest membership is the Dance Club. They try every step once and perfect the old reliables such as the fox trot, waltz and rumba. Much to the surprise of everyone, square dancing has proved to be most popular with the Student body.



DANCE CLUB



# LIBRARY CLUB

We like to train future librarians but even more, we like to create selective readers. Our library club headed by Ann Grodewald and encouraged by Miss Rosemary Curran has endeavored to make good books more accessible to the student body. To foster this idea the club plans to stage a Book Carnival which should prove to be one of the outstanding projects of the year.

After a lapse of some years, the Stamp Club was reactivated under the supervision of Miss Rosemary Curran. The purpose of this renewed organization was to arouse interest in the building of stamp collections. The club's activities included the examination of catalogues, student collections and preparation of stamps for mounting. The officers are Bridget Keane, President; Adele Kuehne, Recording Secretary; Al Duarte, Corresponding Secretary; and Fred Kuehne, Treasurer.



STAMP CLUB





Carson, Haritonoff, Radgowski, Bruch, Fazio seated.

# "HERE COMES CHARLIE"

(Senior Play)

Under the most capable direction of our Senior Advisor, Miss Margaret Mannix, "Here Comes Charlie" was rated among the very best performed by any Senior group. The play centers about Larry Elliott, a young broker, who finds himself guardian of "little Charlie," a child of an Ozarkian hillbilly who saved Larry's life while he was on a fishing trip in The Ozark Mountains.

Samuelsen, Kelly, Rexroth.





Worn, Spera, Hughes, Mulligan, Miss Mannix, Carson, Swaine, Lindeman, Murdock. Standing behind sofa: O'Shaughnessy, Lindgren.



Cunnius, Edge, Rexroth, Kelly, Samuelsen.

Larry is engaged to snobbish Vivian but neither Vivian, her mother or Aunt Fanny who makes her home with Larry, like Larry's ward "Charlie." Uncle Aleck, an Ozarkian, who brought "Charlie" to Larry's home decides to stay on much to the horrification of the women involved. One situation after another arises to make things uncomfortable so "Charlie" and Uncle Aleck leave and do not return until a year later—and when they do return surprises are in store for everyone.

Fazio, Edge, Cunnius, Kelly.





Kelly Rexroth

LIBRANY



#### GLEE CLUB

The high school glee club polished its vocal cords this past year in preparation for the annual spring concert. One of the favored numbers was Fred Waring's arrangement of the "Country Dance."

This year the chorus was most fortunate in having five of its members chosen to represent Central Islip at the All State Festival held at Bellmore, Long Island.



#### DANCE BAND

Four saxs, three trumpets, two trombones, string bass, drums and piano—this year's Dance Band is a George outfit!! With all due respect to Petrillo, the C. I. Jazz Combo rides the notes and plays the most, man!

During the year our snappy senders have jived it up for the Dance Club, made with exciting sounds at the Senior Play, and rocked the roost at the Annual Spring Concert.

What we're trying to say is that this bunch of cats makes a real gone outfit!!

The instrumentation this year consists of two flutes, eleven clarinets, three saxophones, five trumpets, two mellophones, two baritromebones, four trombones, a tuba, a sousaphone, two snare drums, a bass drum and cymbals. The members of the Senior Band were proud

to belong to one of the most popular organizations in C. I. High School.





# JUNIOR PROM

Our Junior Prom was held on May 26th at 9:00 P.M. The ballroom was bedecked in green and white, with music furnished by Frank McGuire and his orchestra. Excitement prevailed all evening as to who would be chosen queen. At midnight the previous year's queen Gertrude Kurtz appeared followed by the attendants. The crowning of the new queen, Clare Swaine, was then conducted followed by a grand march that concluded the ceremony.



Our Prom Queen





# SCHOOL

Our school believes in having as close a relationship with our community and its officers as possible because eventually our students must become active members of the community and share in its responsibilities.



# COMMUNITY

Here are some of our students who have made this transition early; they are still at school while maintaining jobs in our town.







As the book goes to press we Seniors are all looking forward to the Washington Trip. We are just counting the days until we go to Washington. Below is the itinerary of how we shall spend our days in Washington.

1st day— 6:30 a.m. Leave from Central Islip High School and proceed via Queens Midtown and Lincoln Tunnels and the super highways of New Jersey to Norristown, Pa. At Norristown, we board the Pennsylvania Turnpike for a drive on the world's most famous highway.

1:00 p.m. Arrive at Hotel Brunswick at Lancaster for a Pennsylvania Dutch luncheon to be served in a private dining room.

2:00 p.m. Leave hotel for a drive through Pennsylvania Dutch country between Lancaster and York and then proceed via Gettysburg and Fredericksburg, Maryland, to Washington

6:30 p.m. Dinner will be served at the Hotel Burlington where rooms will be assigned to the students. Evening is at the disposal of the party.

2nd day— 7:30 a.m. Breakfast served at the Hotel.
8:30 a.m. Leave on sightseeing tour of Nation's Capital.
7:30 a.m. Tour of the F. B. I. Building.

10:30 a.m. Resume tour of Nation's Capital. 1:30 p.m. Luncheon served at the hotel.

2:30 p.m. Board coaches for drive to Alexandria where we view a number of historical points of interest. We stop at Old Christ Church where Washington worshiped—then on to Mt. Vernon—Washington's beautiful estate and his final resting place.

7:00 p.m. Leave hotel for dinner and entertainment at the famous Casino Royal—one of Washington's smart

supper clubs.
10:00 p.m. Return to hotel.

3rd day— 7:00 a.m. Breakfast at hotel.
8:00 a.m. Leave hotel for tour through Old Virginia and the famous Skyline Drive high atop the Shenandoah

National Park.

12:00 Noon Luncheon will be served at the famous Skyline

Caverns prior to the students taking a tour of these famous caverns.

4:00 p.m. Arrive back in Washington for additional sight-seeing.

7:00 p.m. Dinner at hotel.

8:00 p.m. Students will go to Glenn Echo Amusement Park.
4th day— 7:00 a.m. Breakfast at the hotel. Students will bring their luggage down to lobby before going in to break-

8:00 a.m. Leave Burlington hotel in Washington.

9:45 a.m. Arrive in Annapolis for tour of the grounds of the U. S. Naval Academy.

10:45 a.m. Leave Annapolis for Aberdeen, Md.

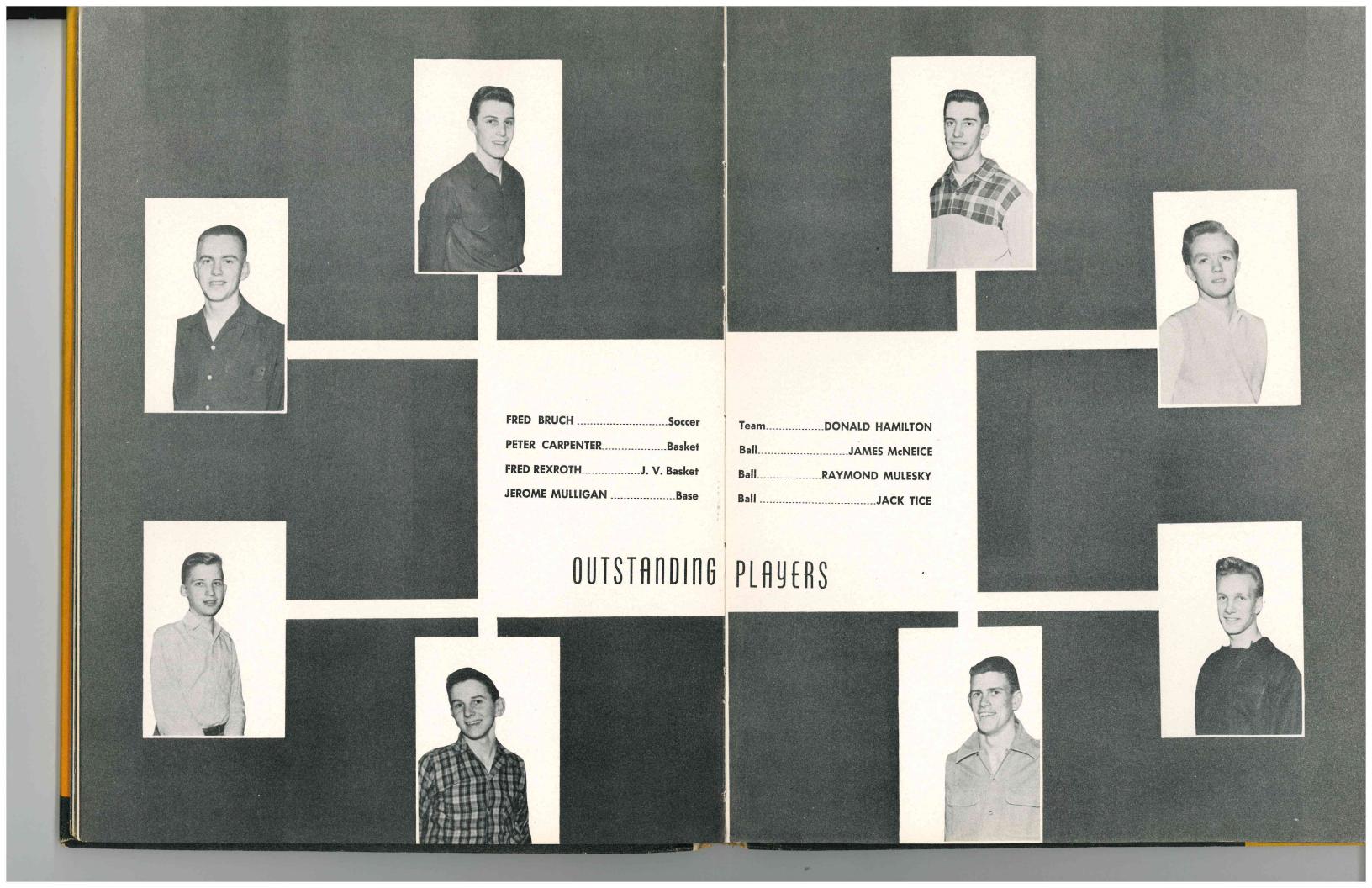
1:00 p.m. Luncheon will be served at the Mayflower Restaurant in Aberdeen.

2:00 p.m. Proceed via famous Pennsville Ferry to Bordentown, N. J.

5:30 p.m. At the expense of Bingler Tours, the party will be treated to pie a la mode and milk.

9:00 p.m. Arrive at Central Islip.







We had one of the best teams this year that we have ever had. Somehow, though, the luck did not run our way. We won 0, tied 4, and lost 5 games in our season this year. The seniors on the team who played outstanding games were, F. Bruch, F. Rexroth, F. Mc-Keever, and J. Mulligan.

Keever, and J. Mulligan.

Our last game was with our traditional rival, Islip, which ended in a 2-2 tie.





The Varsity started off with a tough loss to Kings Park, last year's champions, but came back with a thrilling victory over East Islip. In the closing minutes of this game James McNeice dropped in a desperation shot to break East Islip's yet unblemished winning streak at five straight. This game is typical of those Central Islip has won and lost this season and shows its fight and determination. There is no question that Jack Tice led the team with his vigorous fight and rebounding ability; in this field he ranks with anyone in the league. Pete Carpenter, Don Hamilton, Jim McNeice, Frank McKeever, and Jerry Mulligan make up Coach Barlin's Varsity squad. This season's record could be over the .500 mark but for a few very close losses; even though it is not, the team is surely a credit to our school.







BASEBALL

As this yearbook goes to press, it is a little early in the season to say how our fortunes will prevail for the coming baseball season, but with the return of nine veterans from last year's moderately successful team it looks as though we may be able to take the pennant. Bert Briscoe and Ray Mulesky will handle the pitching assignments.

Our schedule is going to be difficult, but one thing in our favor is that we play the stronger teams in the league on our field; this gives us a slight edge over them. The game with Islip should prove to be an interesting one as they are our traditional rivals and East Islip being a tricky ball team might also give us trouble. Bellport and Kings Park will provide keen competition; we should trounce Setauket and Bayport with not too much exertion.

This year we will also have a J.V. baseball team. They will play about five or six games. It is hoped they will be a source of material for the Varsity in the future.

Gene Carson will be our baseball manager; Mr. Barlin will coach the varsity while Mr. Chiavoli will handle the J.V.





#### HOCKEY

Central Islip was the center of activity when twelve schools came here to participate in a hockey play day. Our girls worked hard and exhibited exceptionally fine tean work.

#### VOLLEY BALL



We enjoyed having intramurals particularly so when the Seniors won most of the games. In outside competition, however, the athletic ability from every class was called upon to bring about victory.



BASKETBALL

As champions of last year's play day, we had a high goal to reach this year. Although we practiced long and hard and exerted great energy we were not able to carry home the red and white championship banner.

## VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Inspiring pep and promoting spirit through out the school our cheerleaders have given unlimited support to the team during the year. In the photo we see (left to right) Joan Runz, Jennie Gomez, Helen Dorosh, Joan Murdock, Helen Howarth and Helen Tish.





# J. V. CHEERLEADERS

Under the leadership of the captain Daisy Gomez, the J.V. Cheerleaders started their first year of cheering, aided by Barbara Dubron, Carol Haber, Marlene Muir, Maureen Plant and Evelyn Stuke. They did a highly commendable job.

The girls really throw some wicked curves—and the softball that is! They played Center Moriches, Kings Park, Port Jefferson, and Bellport and also took part in the playday at East Islip.

SOFTBALL



# CLASS HISTORY

While still experiencing the thrill and excitement of actually being in High School, we elected our class officers. The officers were Fred Bruch, President; Ann Fazio, Vice-President; Jennie Gomez, Secretary; and Jean Hughes, Secretary. Our class advisors were Mrs. Jane M. Alwais and Miss Janet Holliday.

Our first activity of the year was a Leap Year dance. The dance was very successful and everyone admired the decorations.

Things moved along smoothly and suddenly the week of Initiation arrived. We proved to be good sports by cooperating with the Sophs all week and taking the consequences at the Get Wise Assembly. The Sophs rewarded us with a dance held in our honor.

We entered our Soph year looking forward to initiating the "Poor Freshmen," Our class officers were Fred Bruch, President; Ann Fazio, Vice-President; Natalie Worn, Secretary; Jean Hughes, Treasurer. Our advisors were Mr. Mead, Miss Curran and Mrs. Mockridge. Get Wise Week finally arrived and our very carefully planned rules were carried out. The Get Wise Assembly which was held on Friday afternoon was followed by a very successful social evening.

We also had a halloween dance which was a social as well as a financial success. Everyone was dressed in costume and the music was furnished by the dance band.

Toward the ending of the year we gave a play entitled the "Little Red Schoolhouse" under the supervision of Mrs. Alwais. Those who attended enjoyed the play very much.

In June we looked forward to becoming Jolly Juniors.

We began our third year of High School making plans for our Junior Prom. We elected the following people for our class officers. Fred Bruch, President; Ann Fazio, Vice-President; Natalie Worn, Secretary; and Jean Hughes, Treasurer. Class advisors were Mr. Jamison and Miss Carissimi.

We had a movie at Thanksgiving Time that was enjoyed by all.

Five Juniors participated in a Quiz Program with Five Seniors. The Juniors yere the winners.

On May 26th we held our Junior Prom. The gym was beautifully decorated, the music was divine and our Prom Queen, Claire Swaine, was lovely.

Near the end of the year the Junior boys won the International Championship in Basketball.

In Sept. 1951 our Senior Year finally arrived. The first thing we did was to elect class officers. Gene Carson, President; Boris Harittinoff, Vice-President; Claire Swaine, Secretary; and Natalie Worn, Treasurer. Class advisors were Miss Mannix and Mrs. Alwais.

We began our activities with the annual magazine campaign, which netted us fine profits.

We held the first dance of the year and it was a complete success.

We followed this with our Senior Play, "Here Comes Charlie," under the capable direction of Miss Mannix, our class advisor.

Later we sponsored a movie called "Chicken Every Sunday" for the benefit of the Washington Trip.

The Wednesday of Easter Vacation we gave another movie entitled "Smoky" for the benefit of the Yearbook which was enjoyed by everyone.

With the exception of Graduation the Washington Trip was the highlight of the year.

The last event before Graduation was our class picnic which was very delightful. Everyone had a good time and all agreed they would never forget it.

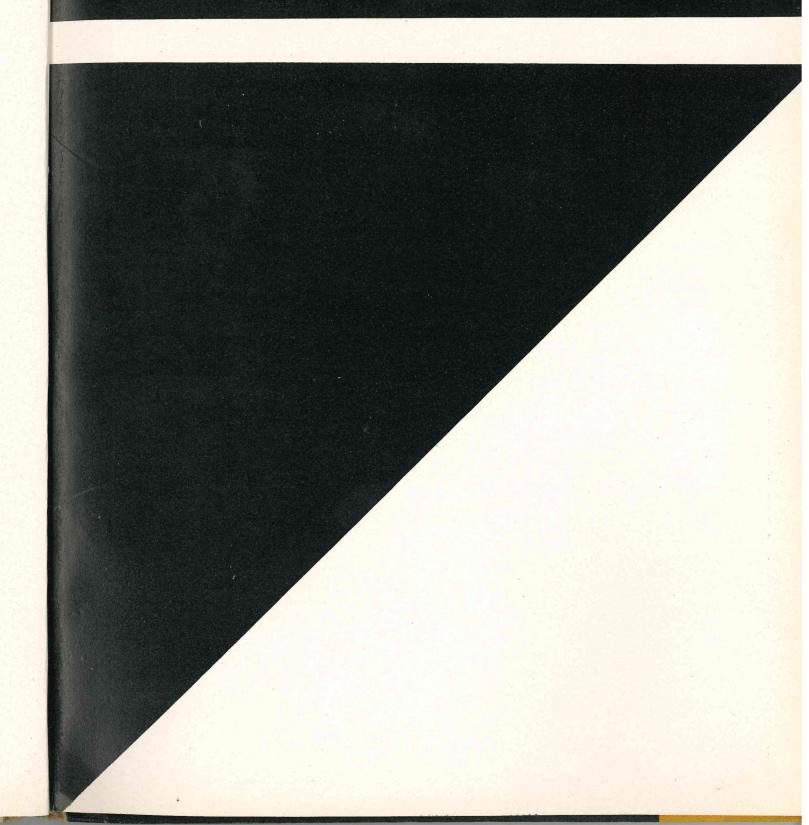
At last we have finally reached our goal—Graduation. We have studied very hard and waited very long for the big event.

We leave our High School days with pleasant memories never to be forgotten on to higher positions in this wonderful world we live in.

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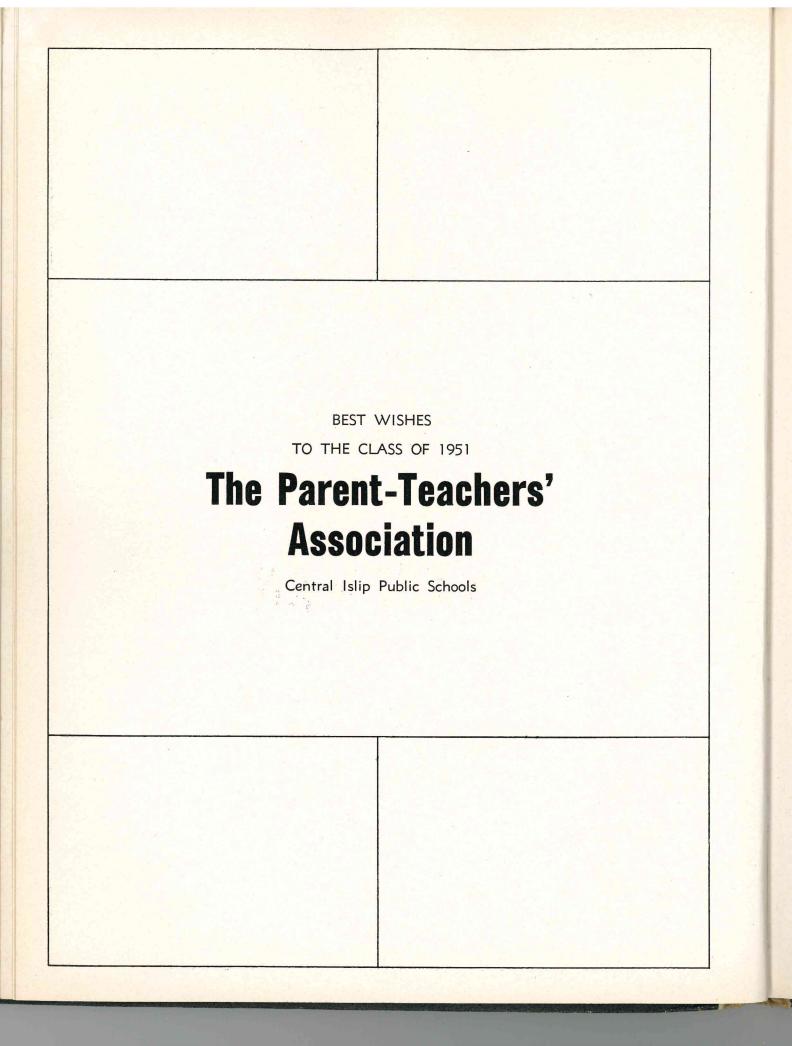


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