THE 49'ers

PRESENT...
It was a long and hard trail over which the historic "forty-niners" struggled. Their goal was to find and possess the much loved metal, gold. And so we, the members of the class of 1949 shall travel and struggle along the trail, which may be hard and treacherous at times, to achieve the "gold" of our dreams. Many years from now this Culmen may, in some small way, recall the memories, happy and wonderful, of our days lived at Scotch Plains High School.
Edith M. Higgins
We Laud a Real Treasure

It is in sincere appreciation that we, the class of '49, dedicate our yearbook to you, Miss Higgins, whom we know as a truly outstanding woman, understanding friend, and teacher from whose knowledge and philosophy we have profited much throughout our senior year. We know that such treasures of the mind as you possess are seldom found in the ordinary person. We have been truly fortunate in knowing such an inspiring person, and we shall be guided by your words throughout our lives.
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“Silence is Golden”—We Deal in Silver!

JUNIORS

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Secretary Rosemarie Fowler
Treasurer Nick Di Francesco

The Junior Class has passed through three years of progress and has done so very successfully.

Under the guidance of Miss Roberts this hard working class can look back on its junior year with fond memories.

The main event of the year was the annual Junior play, which was under the direction of Mr. T. J. Limoli. The student cast of “Stardust” put on a fine performance and one to be long remembered for the fine acting. Bill Andrews, Emily Thompson, Jenny Towle, Dot Tutt, Bruce Baver, Garland Boothe and the rest of the cast helped to make it a huge success.

After the Junior Roller Skating Party, we all looked forward to the ‘night of nights’ the Junior Prom. It turned out to be a success and left many fond memories.

The Seniors wish you as successful a year next year.

Sophomore—things! At last, we’ve graduated! The long-anticipated final year is here. We shall celebrate the first formal dance of the year, which will be in the Spring. Our school will come to life. It is the time when we really start to live!

We started in September when we met in the Junior classrooms. Our classes were the first to come together. We have the most important part of our lives ahead of us. It is the time when we really start to live!

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SOPHOMORES

Sophomore—that name held so many things! At last, we were in the SENIOR HIGH! The long-awaited privilege of going to the cafeteria the first half of lunch period was at our disposal. Our class was to give its first formal dance. It meant, too, that the time had come when we must buckle down and work really hard!

We started off with a bang early last October when we elected Edward Hatfield president, Russell Webster vice-president, Bernice DeWolfe secretary, and Carol D’Amato treasurer. Our advisers were Mr. Edward Stolt, chairman, Mr. Harry Adkins Jr., Mr. Charles Dettmar, and Mr. Vincent Remcho.

The annual Sophomore Hop, given on February 5, 1949 was a huge success, drawing a large crowd.

Yes, we were sophomores. How fast the year flew. These days are past, but they are filled with memories we shall long cherish. And now we have that glorious Junior Year, with our first real play, to look forward to.

OFFICERS
President  Edward Hatfield
Vice President  Russell Webster
Secretary  Bernice DeWolfe
Treasurer  Carol D’Amato

And We Do Mean Sterling!
Swis—ssh!! Yes, our freshman year surely flew by. With our very first class meeting, when we elected our very capable and efficient officers, we started to plan the year which is now locked in our book of memories.

We shall never forget those wonderful times, especially at the freshman dance, when the boys even showed up with polished shoes and ties!

We wonder what the future holds in store for our class of '52, but we shall work hard and follow the advice left by the upper-classmen and someday we too will say, "I am a senior!!!"

OFFICERS

President ................. Sandra Durkin
Vice President ............ Beatrice Roberts
Secretary ................. Ruth Sykes
Treasurer ................. Loiz Tonneson
Treasure is Found in Experience

ACTIVITIES
Our Four Year Trek is Self Governed

JUNIOR HIGH STUDENT COUNCIL
The Junior High Student Council under the direction of Miss Mingle has done exceptionally well this year. The council worked under its new constitution which was drawn up last June. They were successful in having a Junior Service Club which worked in the lower hall at lunch time. A special Junior High Assembly was arranged each month by this group. Their biggest project was their joint meeting with a Junior Council from another school.

STUDENT COUNCIL
The Student Council under their advisors, Mr. Adams and Mr. Keller, came through another successful year. The council meets once a month under the excellent leadership of Fred Grunninger to perform its job of making our school a better one. The members were sent to the “Annual Conference of Student councils” at Princeton in November. The Council is to be commended on the helpful tasks which it has performed during the year.

OFFICERS
President .......................... Donald Houghton
Vice President ....................... Van Towle
Secretary ............................. Mary Jane Davis
Treasurer ............................. Richard Russell

OFFICERS
President .......................... Fred Grunninger
Vice President ....................... Joe Durkin
Secretary ............................. Lucille Lilienthal
Treasurer ............................. Margaret Sylvester
The Fanscotian, published by a group of interested students, has seen great improvements in the past year. The advisors and editors have helped to make the Fanscotian an interesting as well as an informative school newspaper. The Fanscotian staff introduced a new column this year containing news about the alumni. The staff deserves a big "thanks" for its splendid work in publishing the news of major events and happenings throughout the school year.


**Golden Throats — and Liquid Tenors**

**GIRLS’ CHORUS**

The Girls’ Chorus has again been successful in providing us with several enjoyable music programs. The traditional Christmas program and “Choral Festival” were both very beautifully done. The Girls’ Chorus is proud to state that two of its members, Joan Dinkel and Fannie Jones, are members of the All State Chorus. It is indeed a great honor and we are proud to have our school represented by two such talented girls in this fine organization.

**BOYS’ CHORUS**

The Boys’ Chorus, composed of about twenty boys, under the capable direction of Miss Ruth Swetland, is perhaps best known for its excellent participation in the annual Christmas program. Their singing at this time has been an inspiration for several years. Also, they are a feature at the spring “Choral Festival.” The group, although inexperienced at first, has become...
As always, the Mixed Choir is doing its same fine work. Early in the year, they began planning for the Christmas and Easter programs, which have become a tradition throughout the years. The Mixed Choir also takes part in the annual “Choral Festival” and many out of school programs. The P.T.A. has been honored by their presence many times. The choir is becoming locally famous for its fine arrangements and harmony. In order to qualify as a member one must have a faithful attendance at all rehearsals, be a possessor of a fine voice and a good worker. Miss Swetland requires good work from her students, but once you’ve heard them you can’t help but agree that “practice makes perfect.”
Our large band is perhaps the organization of which we are the proudest. With the bright uniforms and lively spirit the band has performed many an enjoyable act during the halves of our football games. Mr. Wojnarowski, the band's capable conductor, has made our band one of the largest in this area. The annual "Night of Music" is always looked forward to with the greatest anticipation and always received gratefully. Playing for almost all of our assemblies and special programs, the band has added much to the color and enjoyment of our school life.

OFFICERS

President: Marilyn Franzen
Vice-President: Jane Spencer
Secretary-Treasurer: Dorothy Tutt
ART CLUB

The art club this year is under the capable guidance of Mrs. Henry, faculty advisor, and Marion Valenti, its attractive president.

The art club is a small group of artistically inclined students devoted to the pursuit of art in the forms of sketching, clay-modeling, poster-making, and even helping with the props on stage. It is an annual custom of the Art Club to paint the Christmas scene on the front doorway of the school. The Art Club has helped to bring out the artistic talent in many of the pupils which otherwise would have gone undiscovered.

OFFICERS

President .................. Marian Valenti
Vice-President ............. Bill Sailer
Secretary .................. Betty Oswald
Treasurer .................. Bob Durbin
TWIRLERS

There is a loud fanfare and then we see the twirlers leading the band down the field. There is no doubt that they add a certain amount of color to the field.

What tinsel is to the Christmas tree, and what frosting is to a cake, the twirlers are to our band.

This year these graceful, high-stepping twirlers were led with precision and glamour by our Drum Majorette, Katherine Webster.

The members of Scotch Plains High School congratulate you on your fine work, twirlers.

Drum Majorette . . . . Katherine Webster

Captain of the Twirlers . . . . Kathryn Millwater
THE ZIGGITY BOOM CLUB

The Ziggity Boom Club is one of the school’s most important organizations, for it consists of the Junior Varsity and Varsity cheerleaders. They have “pepped us up” and led us through all our gridiron contests, not to mention our numerous basketball games.

As one of its projects this year, the Ziggity Boom Club sold small “football” change purses and other novelties connected with football. The club, under the capable supervision of Miss Pengelski, has also sponsored several important events including their annual dance. This year it was called the “Winter Wonderland.” Certainly a vote of thanks is due our Ziggity Boom Club.

Karol Schwingel .................. Cheerleader Captain
Miss Jennie Pengelski ............... Faculty Advisor
Real Competition for the

ORCHESTRA

The orchestra has been accomplishing something this year that others have not been able to do. They have been able to make classical music more popular among high school students than ever before. The orchestra is always ready and willing to play for our Junior and Senior plays, our other annual events, and any miscellaneous programs which may occur. The orchestra has been increasing not only in size, but also in their ability to play. "The Night of Music" is the orchestra's "night of nights" when they really shine. The soft violins, the twinkling piano, and the tuba are all put together to form the one and only Scotch Plains High School Orchestra.
MOONGLOWERS

The Moonglowers, our well-known school dance band has gained in skill and popularity during the past year. Playing an important part in exchange assemblies is not the only job of this organization. Besides being featured on a radio program, the Moonglowers also added color to the annual "Night of Music".

This year, the Moonglowers introduced an all girl quartette and featured our wonderful female vocalist Lucille Lilienthal. The job of M. C. being taken over by Fred Gruninger.
From the very words spoken by Whiteside, "I may vomit," to the curtain call an excellent job of acting and characterization was done by a large and entertaining cast. Never shall we forget Whiteside’s subtle humor, Miss Freen’s glasses, Maggie’s love for Bert, Harriet’s high-pitched voice, Professor Metz’s cockroaches, Bert’s mustache, Lorraine Sheldon’s dramatic speech in the mummy case, Beverly’s melodious voice, Banjo’s fur coat, or all the other characters who made our Senior Play, under the direction of Miss Higgins, a huge success.
The Man Who Came to Dinner

SENIOR PLAY CAST

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SERVICE CLUB

The Service Club is made up of seniors. In order to remain in Service Club, the members must maintain at least a "C" average. Another requirement is that the members be physically fit in order to combat the large pushing crowd. It is not the duty of Service Club members to catch pupils doing something wrong; rather its duty is to bring out the idea of good citizenship among the students. The Service Club meets once a month to discuss ways of improving school citizenship. The Service Club is to be recommended for its splendid work of keeping order in our halls and also in assisting the faculty whenever the need arises.

OFFICERS

President .......................... Maureen Long
Vice-President ....................... Betty Pratt
Secretary .......................... Della Baraldi

The Good Old Posse
PHI SIGMA

The Phi Sigma (φΣ) was organized several years ago for the purpose of giving recognition to more honor students than those admitted to the National Honor Society. The organization represents scholastic achievement only, and is therefore made up of the twelve seniors and twelve juniors that rank highest in their classes. In case of a tie all those included are admitted.

The club has monthly meetings at which they are preparing a Student Handbook to be ready for distribution next year. The Phi Sigma is in charge of making up the honor roll after each marking period and they also serve as guides about the school whenever needed.

Under the guidance of Miss Dorothy Roberts, the club aims to raise the scholastic standards of our school.
The Girls also

Stake a Claim

OFFICERS

President .................................. Janet Persson
Vice-President ............................. Joan Metzger
Secretary ................................. Alberta Wooden
Treasurer .................................. Rosemarie Ponzio

GIRLS’ A. A.

The Girls’ Athletic Association is an organization packed full of vigorous high school girls. The activities of the organization, including hockey, baseball, archery and basketball, are at their peak during the winter months when girls’ basketball thrives. Playdays, consisting of two games, either between freshman and junior girls or sophomore and senior girls of the opposing school, are held with nearby schools. These playdays are always looked forward to with great anticipation by the well trained class teams.

This year the organization has also excelled in another field, archery. The many archery enthusiasts attend special classes at the Highway Archery Range each week, where they perfect the art of "shooting." Many of these archers have distinguished themselves at tournaments by winning coveted awards.

The Girls’ A. A. has been admirably successful in attaining its set purpose, that of promoting good sportsmanship and furthering and improving athletic activities open to girls.
LIBRARY COUNCIL

The Library Council, under the able and willing supervision of Miss Lorraine Ayers, is one of the most popular and useful activities in our high school. The members of this organization, all senior high students, do the routine jobs that make a library successful. Some of these duties include checking in and out books, checking shelves, keeping a complete file of important magazines and taking care of materials for the Audio-Visual Aids department. However, the highest tribute that can be paid this group is that it has been proven that in the absence of its faculty advisor, it continued to operate in a manner most efficient and commendable.

OFFICERS

President .................. Edwin Weldon
Vice-President .............. Barbara Anson
Secretary .................... Margaret Sylvester
Treasurer .................... Philamina Di Francesco
The Commercial Club, which is now three years old, is one of the more successful organizations in Scotch Plains High School. The girls in the club, under the able direction of Miss Tina Federico of the Commercial Department, gain valuable experience which will benefit them when they enter the business world. However, of more immediate practical use, the members do clerical work for the school and finance the typing award pins every year. The club also sponsors dances and an annual Christmas party for the enjoyment of the club members.

**OFFICERS**

President ................. Lucille Lilienthal
Vice-President .............. Concetta Larussi
Secretary ................... Rose Guglielmo
Treasurer ................... Jane Schott
LOS MAJADEROS

This year's Spanish Club, under the capable leadership of Miss Lenora Rossi, held its first meeting in September. Los Majaderos planned several promising events that took place during the school year. Including, of course, the annual Spanish Dance, held in early March.

Los Majaderos is a rather odd name, for when translated into English it means the "Block-Heads"

The purpose of the club is to further the understanding and appreciation of the Spanish language and its customs. This is the understanding which is needed so much today.

OFFICERS

President ............................................. Malcomb Hazel
Vice-President ...................................... George Mark
Secretary ............................................. Rosemarie Fowlor
Treasurer ............................................. Betty Oswald
THE PROJECTION SQUAD

The Projection Squad of Scotch Plains High School has the general assignment of scheduling and showing motion pictures as part of the Audio-Visual Aids Program, checking and assigning equipment, including a recording machine and slide projectors, and performing mechanical details of assemblies. Under the sponsorship of Miss Avice Lusk and Chairmanship of Bob Hansen and Reese Turner, the squad has become a unit of thirty-one members who are always ready, able, and willing to serve the school’s interests.

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IPROJECTION SQUAD
The Projection Squad of Scotch Plains-Fanwood has the general assignment of showing motion pictures as part of the Audio-Visual Aids Program and assigning equipment including a recording machine and slide projector for performing mechanical details.

Under the sponsorship of Lusk and Chairmanship of Bob and Reese Turner, the squad has a unit of thirty-one members who are ready, able, and willing to fulfill school's interests.

SPORTS

"Yes, Pecos Bill was Big"
Once again the Scotch Plains High School team came through with a most successful season. Under the direction of their new coach, Ray Callaghan, the Raiders played top notch ball, winning six games, losing only one, and tying one.

In the first game, the Plainers traveled to Roselle where they came out of the game with a 6-6 tie. After a week of solid drill, Coach Callaghan took his men to North Plainfield and carried home the bacon with a 25-6 score. S. P. H. S. met its one and only setback of the season when Bernardsville set the score at 26-0. From then on it was clear sailing for the Blue Raiders, whipping Red Bank Catholic 26-0, crushing Keyport 38-6, conquering Washington 32-0, winning a hard fought contest with Cranford at 18-7, and retaining for the third year in a row the "Old Golden Shoe" from Metuchen by thumping them at 40-0.

At the end of the season, the team elected Carmen Christiano and Ed Johnson co-captains. Gene Schiller became the only member of the team to be given all-state honors.

The student body would like to congratulate Coach Callaghan and George Aakjer for their first outing as coaches of football in S. P. H. S. and hope they will come through on top next season.

Head Coach..............Ray Callaghan
Assistant Coach............George Aakjer
FOOTBALL
Scotch Plains opened their '48-'49 cage season under new reins. Herbert Jensen became coach of the Plainers and opened his debut as leader of the varsity squad with a 61-59 victory over Cranford. Following this victory, Scotch Plains whipped the alumni, North Arlington, and Madison in succession. Returning from their Christmas vacation the Plainers kept on their winning ways defeating Metuchen 62-36 and subduing their arch rivals Dunellen 47-29. As the Culmen went to press the Scotch Plains Blue Raiders were undefeated in six contests and had fifteen more scheduled games to go, making up the largest schedule ever to be had at S. P. H. S.

Coach . . . . Herbert Jensen

BASKETBALL

Courtsters too, Strike it Rich
"Never say die", was Scotch Plains High School baseball team's cry.

When the baseball team assembled last spring all had hopes of a good season, but as the season progressed it provided a rough road for the Plainsmen. Scotch Plains won only two games during the season while dropping ten. These defeats, however, were mostly by slim margins.

Even though the team didn't win many games, experience was gained by all. The team, having lost only two men, will be the team to watch when the 1949 Baseball season rolls around. Here's hoping the team gets back on its winning ways.

Thomas J. Limoli..................Coach
TRACK
Coach .. Ray Callaghan

TRIANGULAR MEET
Scotch Plains — 72  Regional — 52  St. Mary’s — 19

DUAL MEETS
Scotch Plains — 44\(\frac{2}{3}\)
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Scotch Plains — 74
Pingry — 45\(\frac{1}{3}\)
Edison — 37\(\frac{3}{4}\)
No. Plainfield — 52
Metuchen — 57
Bernardaville — 69\(\frac{1}{4}\)
St. Mary’s — 19
Dunellen — 12

SCHEDULE
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OPP.
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St. Peters — 4
St. Peters — 5\(\frac{1}{2}\)
Cranford — 3
Rutgers Prep. — 6\(\frac{2}{3}\)
No. Plainfield — 12
No. Plainfield — 9
Metuchen — 6
Rutgers Prep. — 8
Metuchen — 5\(\frac{1}{2}\)

GOLF
Coach .. Harry L. Adkins
On the Great Trail

SENIORS
These Four Worked for Class Goals

CARMEN CHRISTIANO
President

KAROL SCHWINGEL
Secretary

GEORGE KEYES
Vice-President

PAUL FISCHER
Treasurer

With the Advisors' Ready Assistance

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MAY ANDERSON
Editor-in-chief, Culmen; Vice President, Phi Sigma; Secretary, Spanish Club; Band; Orchestra; Student Council; Service Club; Girls A.A.; Junior Play; Assembly Committee; Projection Squad.

Neat, and oh, so sweet is our May. We rather suspect that those bright brains of hers are in back of that capable management that makes May the wonderful editor of our Culmen. This personality that is May has no end of surprises. Lover of cats and Tchaikovsky, her crazy passion for music and dynamic people make May a person you won’t soon forget.

BARBARA MAE ANSON
Girls’ Chorus; Girls’ A.A.; Vice President, Library Council; Archery Club; Service Club; Culmen Staff; Candy Committee; Latin Club.

“Cute, good-natured, a sweet girl,” says anyone who comes in contact with Barb. Her school work is above average, yet she has time for many outside activities. Barb’s absolutely “nuts” over jazz and the classics, and can usually be found wherever music is heard. She is also interested in art work. We wish Barb, who plans to attend college, much success.

TERESA ANNE APPEZZATO
Girls’ Chorus; Girls’ A.A.; Spanish Club; Phi Sigma.

Neat, attractive, dark-haired Teresa will long be remembered for her friendly smile. Teresa, who has proved herself an earnest and efficient worker, is a sports enthusiast and like so many people enjoys eating. Intelligent, sincere, and friendly, we are sure Teresa will be successful in her chosen profession as a nurse. She plans to train at St. Peter’s School of Nursing in New Brunswick.

MARY JANE ARCHBOLD
Girls A.A.; Service Club; Junior Play; Culmen Staff; Archery Club; Ziggity Boom Club; Las Cantadoras; Girls Chorus; Mixed Choir.

A cute, peppy, red-head is Mary Jane. She will long be remembered for her excellent acting in the Junior play as “Terry McIntire.” Long a student of the piano, she is now quite an accomplished player. Mary Jane is also quite an archer and spends much of her time trying to hit those golds. She hopes to attend college after graduation.
BARBARA ANNE ASPER
Service Club; Junior Play; Orchestra; Band; Girls A.A. Culmen Staff.

"Barb," with her irresistible good humor, is bound to be happy, no matter what she's doing! A born leader and able manager, "Barb" can always be depended upon in any emergency. Always on the go, "Barb" with fascinating green eyes is known throughout the school for her many activities. "Barb" who plans to become a nurse, will attend Polyclinic Hospital in Pennsylvania.

JUNE BAKER
President, Chorus; Library Council; Culmen Staff; Service Club; Student Council.

June, one of our retiring but capable members, is acclaimed for her competent work with the Library Council, and the Chorus of which she is president this year. June enjoys dressmaking and also gets quite a kick out of playing tennis. She has won many medals for her excellent shooting at various archery tournaments. June's future plans call for nurses training.

DELLA RITA BARALDI
Ziggity Boom Club; Service Club; Girls A.A.; Editor, Fansoctian; Student Council; Culmen Staff; Chairman Senior Day.

Pretty Della, with those twinkling Irish blue eyes, is a lively addition to any gathering. Busy as the proverbial bee; popular Della still has time for her favorite musicians, Art Lund and Vaughn Monroe. After graduation, Della finds the future a bit hazy, but thinks that, when the time comes, there will most likely be a college taking form in the haziness.

FRANK JOHN BARONE
Football.

Although "Ace" is one of the quieter members of our class, he has made a long stream of friends during his high school career. Baseball and Golf are his two favorite sports. "Ace" is also another music enthusiast and enjoys collecting records. He finds his future hazy, but with his friendly personality we know he will be successful in whatever he attempts.
FRED ALBERT BLACKMAN

Fred, with the infectious grin and sense of humor to match, is the boy with the perpetual smile. Always on the move, Fred likes to "go places" in his car—for he loves to drive; and another favorite pastime is, of all things, eating foreign foods! As to the future, whatever Fred decides to do, we're sure he'll have fun doing it.

JOAN BROWN

Band; Orchestra; Moonglowers; Spanish Club; Fanscotician; Culmen Staff; Service Club; Student Council; Girls A.A.

Don't be surprised if you see Joan's name in print someday. This intelligent lass hopes to study to become a journalist or musician after graduating. Her rather odd likes run from red hair to driving fast, and dislikes from bitten fingernails to scratchy records. We are sure that Joan's intelligence, plus her personality will bring her a happy and eventful career.

CHARLES CONRAD BRUEMMER

Boys Chorus; Fanscotician; Stage Crew; Junior Play; Culmen Staff.

Blonde, blue-eyed "Chip" holds forth at making merry, anywhere, anytime. When he's not making with a joke, he's making with a pencil because his first love is art; the second, you guessed it, girls! Installing television also intrigues "Chip." He is undecided as to what the future holds for him, but it's certain that whatever he does, he'll make a good job of it.

CAROL ANN BRUNNER

Assembly Committee; Junior Play; Candy Committee, Chairman; Culmen Staff; Service Club; Student Council; Phi Sigma; Girls' A.A.; Chorus; Archery Club; Projection Squad; Orchestra; Band; Oratorical Contest; Latin Club.

Carol is one of the few fortunate people to have the combination of beauty and brains. Intelligent and dependable, Carol is particularly interested in music and dramatics. A capable leader, Carol is kept busy with many activities. She especially enjoys camping in the Adirondacks. Next year will find Carol in college, where she will be as much of an asset as she is here.
NICK BRUNO

Boy's Chorus.

Well known for his flashy clothes, Nick is a real "Spark Plug" round school. He also has a fine voice and thus has helped the Boy's Chorus. His favorite hobbies are fishing, driving, and dancing. Nick hopes to attend a school for beauticians. We know that with his good humor he will be successful in his field.

DELORES CAPRARO

Fanscotian; Girls A.A.; Debs Club; Ziggity Boom Club; Junior Play; Service Club; Spanish Club; Commercial Club.

Witty and pretty, that's "Cappy". She's one of our most enthusiastic cheerleaders and is well-known by her classmates for her ability to add pep to the most uninteresting classes and also for her excellent cooking. She particularly likes dancing, the "new look", and going on trips. After graduation "Cappy" plans to enter some field of fashion designing in which she is quite talented.

MARCO ANTONY CARUSO

Football; Fanscotian.

Marco, called "Marc" by his friends, is a big, husky, strapping fellow. Because of his physical prowess, he has for several years been an asset to our football squad. "Marc's" favorite hobby and main interest is fishing. He could just spend hours wading up and down the streams. After graduation "Marc" plans to enlist in the Army Air Corps.

RALPH JOHN CARUSO

"Leaf" is one of the quiet and unassuming members of the senior class. He is well-liked by all for his pleasing personality and quiet nature. He spends most of his idle time in the movies, which is one of his favorite pastimes. His future seems intriguing and interesting. He has chosen to enter the field of pattern making.
FRANK LOWRY CASSELL
Boys Chorus; Culmen Staff; Spanish Club.

Tall, good-natured Frank is well-known about school for his cheerful grin. Hard-working and unassuming, he is always ready to oblige with unflagging good-humor. Interested in music Frank likes to collect records, especially swing. Frank is also a lover of tennis and winter sports. Future plans include radio-announcing school, for which he is well suited.

CARMEN CHRISTIANO
Sophomore Class President; Senior Class President; Football; Baseball; Service Club.

It's a bird, it's a plane, it's "Christy" charging down the field for another touchdown! A hard and willing worker, he has become famous for all his abilities around school, especially on the gridiron and the diamond. "Christy"s interests run mainly toward athletics. He also likes records and girls. "Christy" isn't sure about his future, but he says that if at all possible he'll go to college.

DOROTHY JOAN CLOSTERMAN
Student Council; Service Club; Culmen Staff; Phi Sigma; Girls' A.A.; Girls' Chorus.

Anyone who knows the girls of S.P.H.S. must know Dot. She is what many people would call a "typical American girl." In her spare time you will likely find her swimming, boating, or cheering our football team to victory. Dot is famous for her unusual, but cute giggle. In the future, we will probably see her attending St. Lukes School of Nursing.

SCOTCH PLAINS FANWOOD HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY
JACK DISSMAN

Track.

Tall, blonde and good-looking, all these things help to describe Jack. His hobbies range from bowling and basketball to swimming and skating. What with his good looks, disposition, and cooking ability we are sure that he will make a good husband for some lucky girl. After graduating Jack will probably be wearing a uniform of blue, as he expects to join the Navy.

MARGARET DARBY

Student Council; Spanish Club; Girls A.A.; Ziggity Boom Club; Girls Chorus; Boys Chorus, Accompanist; Mixed Choir; Secretary, Freshmen Class.

If you hear someone sputtering away at Swedish it's probably "Peg" our exchange student this year. An outstanding senior, "Peg" has contributed much to the success of our class. She loves to be with people and this plus her sincerity and loyalty will aid her in her future plans. The study of psychology and guidance work hold the spotlight.

JOHN DI PROSPERO

Track.

John, with his snapping brown eyes and sparkling grin, is universally liked by his classmates. He is always ready with a joke and livens up many a class and "bull" session in this manner. In common with most boys, John has always been interested in discovering the why's and wherefore's of engines. For this reason, John plans to become a mechanic after graduation.

FRED COLEMAN

Football.

"Seed" is a good-looking fellow with an excellent athletic record, wonderful sense of humor, and exceptionally good disposition. He has a mad passion for blonde-haired girls. "Seed" is noted for some rare remarks which he bursts forth with in P.A.D. Class. Upon graduation, we will see him leaving for a motor trip with Jerry Malanga and Joe Sange.
DORIS MAE DITZEL
Commercial Club; Culmen Staff.

Doris and her sister Joan, always seen together, are a familiar pair around school. Doris can always be seen wearing a friendly smile, and she is ready to help whenever called upon. Doris has many special interests, but she particularly likes horseback and motorcycle riding. Her plans for the future are to become a secretary and we’re sure she’ll be a capable one.

JOAN GLADYS DITZEL
Commercial Club; Culmen Staff.

Well-liked, Joan possesses a cute smile and winning ways. She is simply "crazy" about motorcycles and horses, but spends much of her time carrying out her duties as a commercial club student. Joan hopes her years in the secretarial course will pay her dividends, as she plans to become a secretary after graduation.

ROBERT MALCOLM DURBIN
Junior Play.

S.P.H.S.'s has had Bob within its corridors for only two years. In this time he has made himself well-liked by all of his classmates. Most of you will remember seeing Bob act as "Hal" in our Junior Play. He is known by all for his "good ol' Jalopy". Either the Coast Guard or some college will get a swell fellow when they get Bob.

MARTIN JOSEPH DURKIN
Freshman Class President; Football; Basketball; Track; Junior Class President; Boys A.A.; Vice President, Student Council; Varsity Club.

He's tall, he's dark, he's handsome—he's Joe! Known for his inspiring drive on the gridiron and his care-free grin, Joe is the popular guy who "oozes" personality. He claims his sole and favorite pastimes are "eating, sleeping, drinking, and making merry." Which, incidentally, is why he's such fun to have around. Post-graduation will find Joe attending college.
MARY ANN FANTINI
Commercial Club; Girls A.A.; Chorus.

Mary is a person who is likely to impress casual acquaintances or strangers as being the quiet type. But for those who really know her, she is the life of the party! Among her hobbies and pastimes are the collecting of snapshots, dancing and sewing. As yet, Mary is unsure as to what she would like to do after graduation, but her sparkling character should take her far.

ANTON PAUL FISCHER
Baseball; Treasurer, Junior and Senior Class.

Paul, one of our best natured seniors, enjoys many sports. Bowling, baseball, basketball, and skating are among his favorites. A very efficient fellow, he has done an excellent job as treasurer of our class for two years. Paul, who always manages to add a little spirit to even the most boring classes, hopes to play professional baseball; if not, it'll be the army.

HELEN ANN FOURRE
Cheerleading; Girls A.A.; Fanscotian; Culmen Staff; Service Club.

Helen, possessor of a cute smile and personality plus, is noted for her cheerleading ability. She is very active in all sports, particularly basketball, which is one of her main loves. Very quiet in class, Helen, nevertheless is full of spirit and fun. Plans after graduation are to become a receptionist. With her looks and disposition she should go far in this, or any field she enters.

Marilyn Franzén
President, Band; Orchestra; Moonlighters; Chorus; Fanscotian; Culmen Staff; Junior Play; Student Council.

Cute, energetic, and friendly, "Pinkie" possesses a great love for music. Playing both the trombone and the cello she ably rules as President of the band. With her pleasing smile and winning ways, "Pinkie" will be a welcome addition to whatever college she enters. Following College, "Pinkie" plans to teach music—an occupation for which she is well suited.
JOEL GOUDY
Track; Boys A.A.; Treasurer, Freshmen Class; Fancottian; Culmen Staff.

Curly-haired, brown-eyed Joel is one of our most popular senior boys. Known for his love of the South, he hopes to attend some southern college after graduation. Joel is simply "crazy" about food cooked Southern style. He also carries a soft-spot in his heart for old cars. Ambitious and friendly, Joel is sure to make out well in the future.

BARBARA FRANCES GREEN
Orchesstra; Twirling; Girls' A.A.; Commercial Club; Typing-editor of Culmen; Band; Make-up Committee.

Barbara, with her bubbling personality, is one of the peppiest girls in the class of '49. A twirler with our marching band, Barbara is also, an accomplished violinist. She is very busy this year with her duties as Culmen Typing editor. This however, does not prevent her from lending a helping hand to anyone in need. Her ambition is to become a private secretary.

DAVID GRISWOLD
Vice President, Science Club; Literary Club; Projection Squad.

Although Dave is quiet, he is notable for his interest in science and cameras. Well informed on the subject of chemistry, he can often be seen in the science room. Dave is quite a skilled photographer. Much of his time is spent studying the stars and we are sure that the astronomers will gladly welcome Dave into their circle.

FRED GRUNINGER
President, General Association; Football; Basketball; Baseball; Culmen Staff; Boys A.A.; Junior Play; Band.

Fred, sometimes better known as "Ferd" can usually be found grinning and adding humor to most situations. As G.A. president, he is "tops" bubbling over with personality. Fred follows the sports around the calendar, and participates in all of them. College is his next goal, but plans after that are indefinite. With his personality he'll go far in whatever field he chooses.
KATHRYN GUTOSKI
Band; Chorus; Orchestra; Girls’ A.A.; Spanish Club; Culmen Staff.

One of our more accomplished music students, "Kitty" does well with any instrument she plays. She has been active in Band, Orchestra, and chorus throughout her high school years. Her hobbies are reading short stories, playing the piano, and baby sitting. Next September she will be enrolled at Shenandoah in Virginia to learn the intricacies of giving private piano lessons.

ROBERT HANSEN
Projection Squad; Phi Sigma; Science Club, President; Service Club; Culmen Staff; Junior Play.

Mechanically-minded Bob, with the winning smile, has many pals in S.P.H.S. He will always be remembered by those who know him for his cheery disposition and pleasing personality. If anything mechanical needs fixing, you can always count on Bob. After graduation, Bob plans to attend college and then enter the field of chemical engineering.

JACQUELINE JEANNE HARPER
Culmen Staff; Girls Chorus; Mixed Choir; Service Club; Girls A.A.

"Jackie" is a nice gal and a dependable worker. She can usually be seen listening to Billy Eckstine's records with a French book in her hand. Her flashing smile and lovely dark hair are just a part of her personality. These factors will all help her in her chosen career as a model, following a course at the Barbizon School of Modeling.

DONALD HARRIS
Basketball; Football; Baseball; Track; Culmen Staff; Junior Play; Boys Chorus; Boys A.A.; Panhellenian; Sports Editor.

Don, a happy-go-lucky lad is a prominent member of the senior class. He loves the out-of-doors and spends much of his time hunting, fishing, and camping. His favorite pastime is horseback riding. Don is one of those lucky members of the class whose future plans are definite. Next year we'll find Don at a School of Mines.
ELMA CYNTHIA HARRIS
Girls' Chorus; Mixed Choir; Art Club; Fanscotian; Commercial Club; Las Contadoras.
Cynthia is the quiet but very capable girl who can be seen around the typing room either typing or mimeographing. The fact that she has no special likes or dislikes is a sample of her happy genial nature. Cynthia shall always be remembered for her sincerity and kindliness. Although Cynthia is interested in art work, she has chosen to become a typist in a government office.

EDA CATHERINE HARTPENCE
Band; Orchestra; Phi Sigma; Service Club; Student Council; Culmen Stal; Candy Committee; Library Council; Projection Squad; Junior Play; Latin Club; Girls' A.A.; Archery Club.
Attractive Eda, the mainstay of many activities, can often be seen dashing down the hall, cheerfully performing one of her many duties. Eda's skill with the accordion is only one of her many interests and abilities. Eda hasn't decided just what college she will enter in the fall. In whatever field she enters, however, with her personality and ambition, she is sure to succeed.

RICHARD HATFIELD
Football; Basketball; Boys' A.A.; Student Council.
Peppy Dick's main interest around S.P.H.S. is sports. He participates in football and basketball, but enjoys watching all types of sports. Possessor of an amiable grin and personality plus, Dick has livened up many a class discussion with his wit and humor. Next year will find Dick at some as yet undecided college. Plans after college are indefinite.

MALCOLM HAZEL
President, Spanish Club; Fanscotian; Basketball; Boys' A.A.
Always joking and smiling, Mac is a good sport and is admired by all his classmates. Mac is noted for his participation in basketball and baseball. Mac, who makes friends easily, will enter the profession of the ministry after receiving his sheepskin. With his sincere character we're sure Mac will be well received wherever he goes.
GEORGE WILLIAM HEMPEL
Baseball.

George is one of the more silent members of our class. But don't let this silence deceive you, for hiding behind those bright, mischievous eyes is a very industrious personality. There is nothing that intrigues George quite so much as a car, especially an old one that he can "fool around with." George hopes to become one of Rutgers' loyal agriculture students next year.

WALTER HEINRICH
Band; Orchestra; Moonglows; Riding Club; Library Council.

Walt, a cheerful, blonde fellow, full of wit and clever remarks, is particularly interested in music. When he isn't "tooting" his trumpet, he's probably horseback riding. After a "hot jazz" session Walt likes nothing better than a "hamburger special" at "Wally's." Walt is also interested in the navy and claims that after he graduates he will either join this branch of the service or raise horses.

HELEN HOLOWKA
Girls' Chorus; Mixed Choir; Service Club; Culinian Staff.

Amiable and sincere, Helen is the lucky possessor of blue eyes and blonde hair. Retiring though she may appear to be, Helen likes to joke and make people feel at home. A loyal member of Girls' Chorus and Mixed Chorus, Helen's main interests lie in the field of music. Her plans for the future are indefinite. Your classmates wish you much happiness and success, Helen.

CONCETTA IARUSSI
Chorus; Vice President; Commercial Club; Girls' A.A.

Curly-haired and agreeable, "Connie" will always be remembered for her contagious giggle. "Connie" has many outside interests; among them dancing and sewing take first place. She has quite a collection of snapshots that she has gathered through the years. After graduation, "Connie" intends to work in an office, making as likeable and efficient a secretary as she has been a student at S.P.H.S.
LAMBERT JANSSEN

One of the quieter members of the class of '49, Lambert is very easily recognizable due to his easy-going disposition and calm ways. He is quite a handsome fellow with his wavy hair and dark eyes. Following graduation in June, Lambert’s plans are indefinite. Since he is interested in motors, garage work has an attraction for him. However, he is also considering joining the U.S. Army.

EDWARD JOHNSON

Baseball; Football; Basketball; Track.

Eddy is one of the quiet, but good-natured fellows of the senior class. His friendly attitude has made him a favorite of the students. Eddy’s favorite pastime is dancing and he also has an interest in all sports. Following graduation, Eddy is another probable army candidate where he is sure to give the “rookies” a good impression of old S.P.H.S. Good luck to you, Eddy!

LUCIAN FRANKLIN JOHNSON

Football; Baseball.

“Sonny”, although quiet in school, really does let go when he is out on the football field, and after three years he has proved his importance on the team. In his spare time, “Sonny” enjoys doing a little boxing. His plans for the future include several years in the army, where he will be sure to enliven the dull routine.

FANNI LESLIE JONES

Mixed Chorus; Girls’ Chorus; Las Contadoras.

A beautiful contralto voice floats through the air and any member of S.P.H.S. will tell you, “That’s Fanni Jones.” She has been a loyal supporter of the Chorus throughout her high school career. Besides all her musical activities she has found time to be Mr. Davis’s secretary. Next September will find her in college studying to be a music teacher.
BARBARA S. KELLER

Girls A.A.; Debs Club.

Barbara is known for her infectious giggle and pleasing personality. But, Barb, watch those big brown eyes when the “fellas” are around! Fun-loving Barb is a never-failing source of good humor. This will surely help her next year when she makes her way into the wide open vistas of the bright new world. Barb isn’t sure what she’ll do, but we wish her much success.

JOHN KELLY

Boys’ Chorus; Band; Projection Squad; Football.

Good-natured “Kelly” came to S.P.H.S. in his freshman year and since then has made many friends. His ability at joking and enlivening classes has made him an asset to our class. “Kelly” is particularly interested in football and old cars. When it comes to food, especially steak, he just can’t control himself. Kelly’s future plans include college in the fall.

WILLIAM KERFOOT

Football; Track; Art Club.

“The life of any party” is friendly and good-natured Bill. Bill came to S.P.H.S. from Minneapolis in his junior year and immediately became famous with his motor scooter, which he can almost always be seen driving around town. Never a day goes by, that doesn’t hear Bill “yodeling” some song. Bill plans to enter the Boulder, Colorado, School of Mining in the Fall.

GEORGE EDWARD KEYES

Secretary Sophomore Class; Baseball; Boys A.A.; Vice President, Senior Class.

“Gee” is a cute trick if ever we saw one. His ringing laugh, gay humor, and love of sports are known to all. Among his dislikes are spinach, work, and French Grammar. One of the best-liked seniors, “Gee” has a huge circle of friends. He might, upon graduation, attend the University of Michigan, but plans may sway toward the navy.
JOYCE KUEHN
Service Club; Girls' A.A.
Joyce is an amiable well-mannered young lady, and one always ready to lend a helping hand. She loves to be with animals and spends a good part of her time with them. She revels in "Mother Nature", and often takes long hikes and bicycle rides. Joyce is also quite an accomplished violinist and pianist. We wish her much luck in the future.

DORIS JEAN LANGEFELD
Ziggity Boom Club; Girls' A.A.; Junior Play; Debs Club; Service Club; Culmen Staff.
"Dory," the cute, petite blonde with the winning ways, has become a familiar figure in S.P.H.S. She is one of our peppiest cheerleaders and need it be said that football is her favorite sport? A great lover of semi-classical music, Dory hopes to be a laboratory technician, in which field we know she will be as gay an addition as she has been at S.P.H.S.

JOYCE LEAVER
Culmen Staff; Commercial Club; Fancotian; Service Club.
Joyce is an attractive blonde whose subtle sense of humor never fails to keep the students at S.P.H.S. happy. Joyce's unusual passion for sauerkraut along with her typing ability make her an outstanding member of the class. An efficient and neat worker, we are sure Joyce will be happy in her career as a secretary.

ROBERT EDWARD LEE
Baseball; Boys' A.A.
Bob, also known as "Ears", is one of our senior class wits. He is known around school as one of our hard hitting baseball players and claims it is his favorite sport. At odd moments Bob can be found at his favorite diversion from school life—hunting. His future is undecided, although farming he says, "doesn't sound like a bad idea."
MARJORIE ANNE LEINBACH
Twirler; Junior Play; Girls Chorus; Art Club; Spanish Club.
A comparatively recent addition to the class of ’49, Margie joined us in her sophomore year. Her sweet, quiet ways immediately won her many friends at Scotch Plains. Few of us will soon forget those bright, expressive eyes, or her commendable portrayal of “Prudence” in our Junior Play. Her plans for the future are indefinite, but with her winning ways she’s sure to be successful.

FRANK JOE LESTARCHICK JR.
Basketball; Baseball.
Can we ever forget gay “Stitch”, and all the sunshine that is so predominant a part of his personality? With a sense of humor seldom equaled “Stitch” is always the life of the party. But he has his serious moments too. “Stitch” claims that there’s the blue uniform of the U.S.N. in his future. Good luck, sailor!

RAYMOND WALTER LEWIS
Fanscottian; Track.
Ray, with his ready smile and refreshing sense of humor, is an indispensable member of our class. Generosity and friendliness are qualities with which Ray is abundantly blessed. Fun-loving Ray’s interests vary from auto racing to “Love Birds.” Next year Ray plans to further his education at Union Junior College. Good Luck to you, Ray.

LUCILLE LILIENTHAL
Moonglowers, vocalist; Girls’ A.A.; Girls’ Chorus; Commercial Club; President; Student Council, Secretary.
Lucille is the essence of industry and pulchritude. Hustling and business-like, she always has time for friends and fun. For two years, she has been a shining light in our popular “Moonglowers.” Lucille claims that she’s “sweat on homemade foods and especially a certain Tony.” Next year will probably find Lucille working in the field in which she is so very talented—secretarial work.
MAUREEN LONG
President, Service Club; Phi Sigma; Spanish Club.

Now here is a likeable lass if there ever was one! Maureen, with her friendly smile, is both dependable and willing to do almost any job asked of her. She can usually be found searching the halls for a new post for some Service Club member. She is just mad about “hot jazz” and football. After graduating Maureen plans on entering N.J.C.

DEAN WALLACE LOWRIE
Track.

Dean’s quiet retiring nature is an asset to him, for one immediately wants to know him better. We who know him well have discovered a friendly boy of genuine sincerity. A track enthusiast, Dean has been a faithful member of our successful track team. He enjoys working with “ailing” cars. After graduation Dean believes the Navy will claim him.

SONJA MARGRETHE LUND
Girls Chorus; Culmen Staff; Debs Club; Archery Club; Service Club; Commercial Club.

Sonja is a pretty blonde with a sparkling smile and a wonderful sense of humor. She is another admirer of football and can usually be found in the cheering section at every game. She’s “simply crazy” about sailing and enjoys reading a good book. Collecting novelties is also one of her pastimes. The future will probably find Sonja in the field of psychiatric nursing.

BETTY MAHLER
Spanish Club; Debs Club; Girls A.A.

Betty made her entrance into the Senior class of ’49 in the beginning of her last year. She came from Hillside and immediately swung into the spirit of things. Betty’s future is indefinite as yet, although nursing looks good to her. We are all positive that whatever she chooses as a career will be successful, because of her dependable nature, determination, and sweetness.
JERRY MALANGA
Baseball; Basketball.

Whether we know Jerry as "Jer" "Chick", or "Bull", we will not easily forget one of our class's jokers. Jerry, a lover of basketball, did a good job on the team. His feats on the baseball team are also memorable. Jerry has no definite plans for the future but he will probably enter the Army Air Force.

COURTNEY MARTIN
Boys' A.A.; Track; Student Council.

Courtney, generally known as "Squeeky", is remembered for his contribution to our track team. That he is popular with his fellow students is evident in the fact that he was homeroom president in his freshman and sophomore years. "Squeeky", a member of the local Explorers' Troop, is particularly interested in hunting. He plans to enter the Navy after graduation.

GEORGE SAMUEL MARK
Track; Archery Club; Junior Play; Culmen Sta.3; Fanscotaion; Service Club; Literary Club; Boys Chorus; Mixed Choir; Science Club; Spanish Club; Projection Squad.

George, good natured and full of fun, is one of our most dependable seniors. He, with his pleasing personality, has made many friends in S.P.H.S. In his spare time he is kept busy either collecting stamps or making airplane models. His favorite sport is sailing. Except for joining some branch of the service, his future is undecided.

HAROLD McCRAY
Baseball; Football.

Harold, known as "lefty" to all his schoolmates has made many friends in S.P.H.S. with his very genial personality. His favorite hobby is cooking and, of course, sports, in which he has participated during his high school career. "Lefty" isn't sure what he'll do when he graduates, but sports reporting sounds interesting to him. We know "Lefty" will make many new friends in this field.
**Russell Mc cray**

Golf.

As we look down the bright green golf course we see Russell teeing up. Golf is one of Russell’s favorite pastimes. Among his other favorites are cooking and playing pinochle and ping-pong. Believe it or not, now he is trying to teach himself how to play the piano. Some day, after graduating, Russell hopes to manage a restaurant.

**Sherman McNeil**

Although still in high school, Sherman has already embarked upon his career. He has become a professional boxer and has engaged in eleven welterweight bouts thus far, eight of which he won. In school, Sherman is quiet fellow, well-liked by both students and faculty. We of the class of ’49 want to wish him the very best of luck in his chosen profession.

**William Meyer**

We see a stick-like figure speeding down the slope and who does it turn out to be but good old Bill! With skiing as his favorite sport we find Bill interested in the ever beckoning vistas of camping life. Another member of the Explorers Troop, Bill claims archery and hunting take up much of his time. Some branch of the service will claim Bill after graduation.

**Jeanne Florence Miller**

Service Club; Library Council; Girls Chorus; Culmen Staff; Candy Committee.

This quiet, attractive blonde has all about her an air of dignity and industry. Her talents range from sewing to glass blowing. But it is in the latter rather unusual hobby that she is especially interested, and really excels. After graduation she plans to continue this work. Jeanne is surely destined to become one of the much in demand, “Bohemian Glass Blowers.”
WILLIAM MINEO
Baseball; Football; Student Council.
It's a bird, it's a plane, no—it's "Bee" our buzzing football manager. A member of the local Explorer Troop, "Bee" finds camping, hunting, and fishing most enjoyable. When food is mentioned Bill says, "I'll have some good southern fried chicken." When it's music, he claims Vaughn Monroe steals the picture. It's the Navy for "Bee" after graduation.

DONALD MONROE
"Ozzie", as he is known by his friends, is the tall silent type. Not only does he participate in his favorite sport, basketball, but football and baseball intrigue him as well. He is also quite an artist. His future will probably contain a few years in some branch of the service where he is bound to be a valuable addition.

JOSEPH MONTERO
Boys' Chorus; Spanish Club; Culmen Staff.
Joe is a quiet fellow in class, but has a pleasant smile well-known to his classmates. Joe likes to read a good yarn, and has a hobby of collecting records. Joe, a hardworking student is outstanding in Spanish. Upon graduating he plans to attend a television school in whose growing fields he's sure to carve an intriguing career for himself.

EARL DAVID MYERS
President, Phi Sigma; Latin Club; Spanish Club; Projection Squad; Camera Club; Service Club; Fanscotton; Track Team; Archery Club.
Well known and respected around school, Earl is happiest with his hobby of archery. He was instrumental in the founding of an Archery Club, and he has participated in several prominent tournaments. His quick wit and lively, intelligent conversation make him a force to be reckoned with in any discussion. Good luck to a hard and willing worker.
JANET LOUISE NEIGHBOUR
Business Manager; Panopticon; Secretary, Art Club; Art Editor, Culmen; Girls' Chorus; Mixed Choir; Riding Club; Library Council; Commercial Club; Girls A.A.; Las Contadoras.

Janet, an attractive brunette, can almost always be seen busy at art or secretarial work. Besides the extracurricular activities in which Janet participates she is also kept busy with the job of being President of the local Tri-Hi-Y. With her friendly character, Janet's future which includes attending Modeling School, is sure to be a happy one.

JANET PERSSON
President, Girls A.A.; Band; Orchestra; Moonglows; Student Council; Culmen Staff.

"Perk", the gal with personality plus, is a friend to all. Athletically inclined, she is quite a remarkable basketball player. "Perk" claims her greatest love is music and has proven her ability well in this field as a tooter of the trumpet. Her future, so far, is undecided, but with her sincere friendliness, we know she will be gladly welcomed into the "big" world.

MARION PIEKARSKI
Girls Chorus; Girls A.A.

"Mickey" is a quiet little gal with a personality that simply bubbles over with charm and friendliness. She is fond of each and every member of the senior class and many underclassmen. A lover of all sports she particularly likes ice-skating. She is also quite a homemaker and spends much of her time knitting. "Mickey" claims that her future is not definite as yet.

JEAN ANN POWERS
Girls Chorus.

Jean, possessor of beautiful natural curls and a genial nature claims she has no particular favorites or hates. Often to be seen at the roller rink, Jean spends much of her time trying out and perfecting new tricks on roller skates. Jean has no definite plans for the future, but she may enter the business world as a secretary.
BETTY JEAN PRATT
Girls' A.A.; Spanish Club; Archery Club; Projection Squad; Assistant Editor, Culmen; Junior Play; Service Club.

Unforgettable as "Elsie" in our Junior Play, Betty is the cute little "chick" with a ready wit and sparkling smile. Possessor of a friendly personality and subtle sense of humor, Betty has a never ending trail of friends. Dancing and eating fill her pastime, when she isn't busy with her many activities. Betty's future plans include college and then—who knows?

BARBARA PRITCHARD
Band; Orchestra; Ziggity Boom Club; Girls' Chorus; Mixed Choir; Art Club; Culmen; Girls' A.A., Service Club.

"Pritch", tall, blonde, and attractive, is one of our favorite seniors who always looks as though she just stepped out of "Vogue" magazine. Known for her journalistic talent, love for music, cute giggle, and bubbling personality, she is a Vermont enthusiast. Future plans center around art or English at Colby or the University of New Hampshire. Lots of luck to a vivacious girl.

CAROL RUTH PURVIS
Ziggity Boom Club; Girls Chorus; Girls A.A.; Junior Play; Spanish Club; Service Club.

Gay Carol, one of our liveliest cheerleaders, is always ready with her quick wit. Carol can be found almost anywhere having fun. Her amiable grin never fails to brighten things up; be it in the classroom or elsewhere. She employs the needle and thread when and if she has any spare moments. Although Carol is interested in nursing she plans to enter college before donning the white uniform of a nurse.

VIVIAN ROBINSON
Phi Sigma, Secretary-Treasurer; Culmen Staff; Fanscotian; Girls' A.A., Service Club; Mixed Chorus; Commercial Club.

An attractive girl dashes down the hall. Look out! It's "Viv" Robinson performing one of her many tasks. "Viv's" dependability has been an asset to all organizations in which she has participated. Her friendly disposition and charming personality have won her many friends in S.P.H.S. Although she is undecided as to where she will attend college, her ambition is to become a dressmaker and dress designer.
RUDY ROMAGNANO
Latin Club; Art Club; Baseball.

As you look towards Rudy you notice that he is a quiet person, but further examination will prove you wrong. He definitely belongs to that class of "hidden humorists." Not only do we associate with Rudy witty sayings, but hunting and baseball, too. Rudy is undecided as to what he will do after receiving his sheepskin. Undoubtedly, Rudy's outstanding personality will help him in whatever he attempts.

ROBERT RONN
Baseball.

Hmm-m good old home-made apple pie." This is something you're likely to hear escape the lips of Bob. Particularly interested in sports, especially baseball, he finds homework and giving oral topics pure drudgery, but Bob is still ambitious. As to his plans for the future, he wants to join the army, or if possible, attend college.

EDGAR ROSS
Football; Junior Play; Student Council; Baseball; Culmen Staff.

This good looking senior, with his sparkling smile, came to us last year. Known throughout the halls of S.P.H.S. for his ability on the baseball diamond and the gridiron, Ed's main hobby is working with wood. His future includes the Air Corps for several years and then college if possible. "Hats off to Ed," whom we predict will go far in whatever field he selects.

JAMES B. RUSSELL
Stage Crew, Manager; Projection Squad; Fanscotican; Track.

Jim is the guy with the ready smile and steady wit. He is known to all his friends for his last "slips." His spare time is usually spent backstage. Jim's pleasing personality and ability to get along with other people have helped him throughout his school years at S.P.H.S. Jim is sure that 1950 will find him at West Point, but somehow it is hard to believe!
ELSIE SANGUILIANO
Commercial Club; Girls A.A.
While Elsie has always been one of our quiet classmates, she is well-liked by all who know her. Not only does she enjoy skating and dancing, but roast chicken takes first place on her "hit parade" of favorite dishes. As yet, her plans for the future are indefinite, but we hope the fun and good times she's had in S.P.H.S. will continue on into her life.

JOSEPH SANGUILIANO
Football; Basketball; Student Council.
As we look down toward the gridiron we see number "48" running towards the goal line. It's little Joe Sange! No wonder sports are his favorite pastime. Joe has been a favorite among his classmates throughout his high school career because of his friendly smile and willingness to help whenever needed. We know Joe will be happy in whatever he undertakes.

DONALD SCHILLER
Baseball, Manager; Football.
"Moose", is one of the very lively members of S.P.H.S. He came to Scotch Plains in his sophomore year and since then has been the very essence of comedy in every class he attends. After graduation he plans to attend St. Benedict's Prep. Don plans to become an insurance salesman, in which field his personality is bound to serve him in good stead.

MELVILLE SCHOTT
Culmen Staff; Art Club.
"Mel" is one of the quiet and unassuming members of the senior class. However this has not prevented him from being active in and out of school. His main interest is in art work and he has been a valuable asset to the Art Club and also the Culmen Staff. "Mel" plans to enter the Navy soon after he graduates.
KAROL JEANNE SCHWINGEL
Ziggity Boom Club; Junior Play; Student Council; Service Club; Girls' A.A.; Assembly Committee.

What would we do without our Karol, the girl with the personality plus? We could do little without her able assistance as secretary of the Senior class. With her sparkling brown eyes and a wonderful sense of humor, Karol certainly fills the bill as our cheerleading captain. After Karol receives her sheepskin she intends to enter nursing. Prospective patients had better sign up now.

ANN SKORGE
Girl's Chorus; Service Club; Las Contadoras.

Blonde and blue-eyed, Ann is a good worker and one who can always be depended on. Quiet Ann is lover of sports, particularly swimming, and after graduation she plans to attend a junior college. She has not yet decided what career she will follow, but with her friendliness and many interests she is sure to add much to some profession.

WALTER SIMMONS
Boys Chorus.

Walt, who came to us in his junior year, is one of the best-liked members of the class of '49. His interests center on mechanics and motors. Owning his own car Walt, with true school spirit, named it the "Blue Raider." This has become a familiar figure at S.P.H.S. As yet, Walt has made no plans for the future.

HELEN SOPKO
Chorus; Junior Class, Secretary

Bustling, busy, and so efficient, that's Helen. She's one of the best-liked girls of the Senior class, because of her never failing generosity and willingness to help others. Adept at art and her accordion, Helen is sure to make way in her future career as a beauty culturist or as a secretary. Helen has already proven herself more than capable as a secretary.
JANE SPENCER
Girls' A.A.; Phi Sigma; Art Club; Spanish Club; Vice President, Band; Orchestra; Chorus; Culmen Staff; Junior Play.
“Spence,” our very carefree and attractive senior, is noted for her cheerful manner and gay personality. She is particularly interested in South Jersey, and says it is the nearest thing to Paradise. She claims that sailing is her favorite pastime. “Spence” who is quite talented in the field of literature, plans to attend Dickinson College to study for a career of teaching English.

BARBARA TABER
Culmen Staff; Girls' A.A.; Spanish Club; Service Club; Mixed Choir.
“Tabe” is a vivacious possessor of big brown eyes. She is also one of those seniors who has a hand in all activities and is always eager to help out wherever she can. These characteristics have made “Tabe” a welcome asset to our school. In the future “Tabe” plans to attend college. Merchandising at La Salle seems to be the best bet.

JAMES HOWARD STEFFENS
Library Council; Projection Squad.
Jim is that tall fellow with the happy grin you see rushing around the halls. With Jim, who is always generous and friendly, history rates pretty low, but science is very high. The future plans for Jim include working in a Y.M.C.A. To this end Jim joined the local Hi-Y of which he is president. Because of his interest in this organization we are sure he will be successful.

RICHARD TAYLOR
Projection Squad.
The fellow with the faraway look and down-to-earth personality is an old friend, Dick Taylor. He is a student of aviation, and knows a good deal about it. However, this fascinating hobby has not kept him from being a real and sincere friend to all who know him. His candid wisdom and co-operation will carry him a long way in the world.
AGNES ANN TITANEGRO

Girls' A.A.; Commercial Club.

“Tut”, full of pep and energy, is a true lover of all sports. When it comes to baseball, “Tut’s” a rooter for the New York Yankees. Also known for her sharp wit and ability to make everyone happy, “Tut” is a lover of steak and Glen Miller’s orchestra. Entering the business world, “Tut” is sure to make many new friends in whatever she undertakes.

DAWN WALTER

Junior Play; Library Council; Service Club; Spanish Club.

All who know Dawn will tell you that a harder and more congenial worker would be hard to find. After hearing Dawn play the piano one realizes why this art is her hobby. Her first love is medicine, and the future sees her as a doctor. September will find her enrolled in either New Jersey College for Women or the University of Rochester.

KATHERINE WEBSTER

Secretary-Treasurer, Chorus; Girls’ Chorus; Mixed Choir; Commercial Club; Drum Majorette; President, Make-up Committee; Service Club; Girls’ A.A.

“Pots” is our cute and lively drum majorette. With her ready smile and cheerful personality, “Pots” is loads of fun and enlivens any hike or party. Collecting elephants, dancing and camping trips are tops on her list of hobbies. With the Business Course to provide an adequate preparation for almost any career, Katherine is quite sure to make good in whatever field she selects.

W. REESE TURNER

Projection Squad; Business manager, Culmen; Junior Play; Service Club; Science Club; Phi Sigma; Student Council; Bible-reading Committee.

All hail the “butch”! That fellow with the short “butch” and “rock of Gibraltar” character is Reese. He can always be depended upon to do things with a ready smile. What spare time Reese has, is spent with a certain lass, church work, and his scientific hobbies. Reese is our capable Culmen business manager. After high school he plans to attend some eastern college.
FRANK EDWIN WELDON
Pictorial Editor, Culmen; Band; Orchestra; Boys' Chorus; Mixed Chorus; President, Library Council; Latin Club; Fanscotian; Track Manager; Student Council; Junior Play; Spanish Club; Phi Sigma; Service Club.

Ed, with his endless supply of witticisms, is an incomparable asset to our class. Retiring though he may appear to be, he has convulsed many a class with his unique witiness. Especially talented in the field of music, Ed has started many a foot tapping with his innate sense of rhythm. This versatile and talented young man is bound for college next year.

BARBARA JEAN WILDE
Girls' A.A.; Culmen Staff; Debs Club.

Bobbie, an attractive brunette, is known for her outstanding wardrobe. One's first impression is that she is quiet, but that is before you get to know her. Her favorite sport is basketball which she enjoys playing as well as watching. Tops on her list of entertainment are swimming and skating. With her pleasant manner, Bobbie is sure to be happy in whatever she undertakes.

PHILLIPS LANGLEY WILLIAMS
Track; Band; Fanscotian; Service Club; Culmen Staff.

Phil's ready smile and easy going nature have won him many friends in S.P.H.S. Not only is he a hard and willing worker, but genial Phil also has a keen sense of humor. Phil's favorite pastimes are collecting stamps and making model airplanes. After graduation, Phil plans to attend Beloit College, where he is bound to add to the color and friendliness of college life.

JOHN YARNALL
Fanscotian.

Jack, one of our better-looking senior boys is a welcome addition to any crowd. His laughing good-humor and wit have made him the life of the party. Jack is one of the sports writers on the "Fanscotian." His hobby is scouting, making it easy for one to realize why his ambition is to be a forest ranger. Next September he hopes to be at Syracuse University.

PAUL YOUNG
Projection Squad; Science Club.

Whenever you think of Paul, you think of a retiring, but friendly member of our class. Always cooperative and ready to help, it is easy to see why Paul has so many friends. Paul's interests center in the field of science and mechanics, in which he excels. The armed services seem to be the best bet after graduation, but, perhaps, he will enter the field of mechanics.
JAN WILDE
Deb Club. Janette is known for her
charming manner and pleasant
smile. She is active in all school
activities and is a member of the
Deb Club. Janette is a petite
figure with a warm personality
and a delightful sense of humor.

JULIE WILLIAMS
Service Club. Julie is a devoted
student and enjoys participating
in school activities. She is a
member of the Service Club
and is involved in many other
campus organizations. Julie is
well-respected by her peers for
her leadership qualities and
dedication to her studies.

JOHN YOUNG
Science Club. John is a
bright and energetic student
who excels in his studies.
He is a member of the
Science Club and takes
part in several academic
competitions. John is
also a member of the
Chess Club and enjoys
spending his free time
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We, the Class of '49, being of sound mind and body, (it says here) and realizing full well the importance of this document, do hereby make the following bequests.

Upon the marble halls of our Alma Mater we leave our exalted footprints, for succeeding classes to cherish and guard with their very life's blood. Also, we leave our fingerprints and various inscriptions upon her once white walls. (If anyone should wonder who loved who in '49, just consult the studyhall bulletin board.)

To our successors, the Class of '50, we leave first and foremost that awe-inspiring title SENIOR, and with it we leave them all respect due their new position. Seniors, you may now hold your heads high, that "underclassmen" may view you in all your splendor, and hope that they too may someday attain your dizzy heights of glory. (To said underclassmen we leave one pound of Hope and a ton of Good Luck!) To our successors we leave also, certain rights and privileges which accompany their new title. First, the senior stairs, with their magical attraction which causes one to use them even though it's 8:24 A. M. and they're far out of reach. Second, the right to roam the upstairs halls at noontime in glorious seclusion, out of the riots and confusion of the lower hall. And third, that envied arising two or three minutes before the bell to take off for Service Club.

There are certain intangible things we want to bequeath to the new seniors too—those various devilments and good times, which only seniors can dream up, and a few tears which accompany their lasts—last football game, last dance, and that last night when they officially become alumni of dear old S. P. H. S.

To our teachers (ah yes, our dear teachers!) we leave, among other things, a feeling of peace that at last the Class of '49 has gotten through, never more to trouble them. We leave them also many thanks for making our freedom possible.

To Miss Higgins we leave the hope that someday a class will come along which will be able to pronounce that famous word list from "oh-ral" right on through to the very last word. And to future scholars we leave a prayer when it's their turn to perform that tongue twisting feat.

To Mr. Keller we leave one schmoo who will get 100% on all those inevitable Time Tests.

To Miss Pitcher we leave a "worry bird", to relieve her of some of her many burdens of the Class of '49.

To Mr. Remcho we leave a miniature heater for use at those times when the windows of the chem. lab. must be opened.

To Mr. Stocker we leave a whole new set of razor-edged hockey sticks for future athletics to battle it out with. Also, we leave her enough band-aids for a lifetime.

To Mr. Callaghan we leave a book entitled "How to Play Football" (Don't be insulted, Mr. Callaghan, the book shall be made up of none but thine own sage teachings.)

To Mr. Millwater we leave a high, gold-trimmed treasure chest in which to keep his assortment of "lost and found" articles.

Last but not least, the illustrious all-senior cheering squad leaves to the up and coming Varsity squad for next year the spirits of their little cheering dollies. (It seems the girls are too fond of the dollies to leave them in the flesh!)

Thus we, the Class of '49, do hereby conclude our Last Will and Testament, with a fond farewell for all we leave behind at S. P. H. S.
In September of 1945 the Class of 1949 had its beginning. We, the "forty-niners", were following the trail of the rainbow to find our pot of gold. It was a long, hard trail and as bewildered freshmen we thought we would never reach the end. We elected Joe Durkin as class president to keep us in line and by all working together we were able to have our unforgettable F. B. V. D. (Frosh Barn Variety Dance) in March.

Our sophomore year found us becoming quite used to our colorful trail. In fact, the class, under the able direction of Carmen Cristiano, made history by having TWO dances. One the Soph "Hoe-Down" was our inevitable square dance with "Duke" and his friends pushing and pulling us through the sets. And then there was the traditional hop—our first formal dance—with the merry-go-round decorations and the wonderful music. As we struggled up the trail our sophomore year came to a close and suddenly we were juniors.

It was then that we really began to feel grown up, especially at those times when no senior caught us sneaking down the senior stairs. We had Joe Durkin back as our president and very quickly got around to choosing our play.

It was the ever wonderful "Growing Pains" ably directed by Mr. Evans. We had a wonderful six weeks with the McIntyres—Mary Jane Archbold and Fred Gruninger playing the leading roles as Terry and George, the brother and sister who had the growing pains. This, coupled with a super stage-set, made the play a huge success.

To raise more money we sold the inevitable magazines—impatiently waiting for our prom. And finally the wonderful day arrived. We danced and danced on the lawn of a southern plantation and relaxed at tables on an ingeniously conceived porch. It was the most wonderful dance ever and we hated to see its golden hours go by.
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