CHELMSFORD HIGH SCHOOL

Yearbook

of

1948

CHELMSFORD, MASSACHUSETTS
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We who work on this book pause to wonder how many times in days to come our hands will turn its pages. Unimaginable circumstances and retrospection will impel us to lift it from its place. What we shall have then become, we do not know, but we labor in the hope that these pages, whenever scanned, may flash light into the dimness of recollection and keep bright our memory of this golden time.

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**Class Ode**

As time goes marching onward
And our goal is attained,
We tender our thanksgiving
For knowledge we have gained.
And as our goal is upward,
The need of guidance calls,
For now, O Alma Mater,
We leave your fostering halls.

* * *

Yet ever we'll remember
The years that have just past,
The priceless counsel given,
The friendships that will last
The warmth of joyous laughter,
Shared victory and defeat.
These mem'ries that we cherish
Help make our lives complete.

* * *

Dear Lord, now we beseech thee
Keep our steps firm and sure
As on life's path we travel
Its trials to endure.
And may our way lead upward
Toward that bright, shining star
That leads us ever onward;
Forbid us stray afar.

*Music* by Eleanor D. Brown
*Words* by Eleanor DeGuise
Edith Hall
Donald Hankinson
Thomas Randall
TO

MILDRED M. HEHIR

Who with the courage of a crusader
raises castles in the air
and then builds foundations under them

We, the Class of 1948,
affectionately dedicate this,
our Yearbook.
Education is training for action and life—a life of reason. The goal of education is a disciplined person who can apply and direct his acquired knowledge and power.

If we are to have a real new world, the sound foundation of truth and freedom will be fostered in our homes and in our schools. This task calls for intelligence as well as ideals, for integrity as well as training, for patience and faith as well as resolution and courage.

We must have faith in our homes and in our schools.

H. Morton Jeffords
H. MORTON JEFFORDS
SUPERINTENDENT

Who brings to us and to our school system the benefit of valuable experience and sound judgment.
How are you planning to pay the debt you owe for your free public school education? You owe this debt to your Parents, your Town, your State, and your Country. The amount you owe depends upon your ability to pay. You will never receive a "paid in full" receipt for this bill. As long as you live and are able to help others, you will owe on this debt for your education.

Regardless of the vocation by which you hope to receive enough to meet your financial obligation, there will be much that you should do for which you will receive little or no monetary consideration.

If you wish to continue to enjoy the American Way of Life, it is your duty to do everything you can to keep it. You should know all you can about our government, study its history, learn of its problems, and see the dangers confronting it. Then care about these problems and dangers as much as you should about your own personal ones. Finally, act! Take an active interest in your Town, State, and National government. Remember, you cannot continue to enjoy the privileges that are yours in our democratic form of government, if you do not meet your obligations.

Lucian H. Burns
LUCIAN H. BURNS
Principal

Who by untiring effort has endeavored to bring us into a better way of life.
The Upward and Onward Trail

The morning breaks sweet and clear, and the sun shines brightly upon the beginning of the trail. We and the day are young. The climb is easy and the ascent so gentle that we are not aware of effort, but rather of pleasant exhilaration and joyous companionship. Very gradually the trail becomes more labored; more of our breath is spent in climbing and less in laughing and singing, yet the way is quite smooth, still fun. Then the trail narrows, growing rougher and steeper; sharp rocks hinder our progress; packs grow heavy. Unexpected storm clouds blot out the sun, and a heavy blackness settles over the trail. Suddenly the peak that had looked so invitingly near seems very far away and is lost in the darkness. The temptation to turn back is very strong upon us, but we cling to our determination and struggle on. At last the clouds slowly lift, the summit nears, and finally the trail brings us to the hard won peak. A glorious panorama bathed in sunlight stretches out before us. Looking back at the difficult trail, we are filled with a sense of accomplishment. We have succeeded.

So it is with life. The trail is as steep, as arduous; the difficulties and trials are as great; the goal is as high. The way will be darkened at times with trouble, and we shall long to turn back. Companions and friends will loose the path and wander into other, devious ways. Yet as we near the finish, joy will replace sorrow; success, failure. Peace will come and drive out fear. Great will be the sense of exhilaration and accomplishment for those of us who reach the goal at the end of the long, Upward and Onward Trail.

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Nurse
Lowell General Hospital
New York Polyclinic
"We Remember..."

"What are you up to?"

"Did you check it?"

"A-S-D-F-space — i-L-K-J-space"

"I've probably said this before, but..."

"... Easy, if you know the answers"

"The square on the hypotenuse..."

"Well, cla-a-sis, is that clear now?"

"In other words, to break that down for you..."

"Your assignment for tomorrow will be..."
CLASS OF 1948

MOTTO
Upward and Onward

Class Colors
MAROON AND SILVER

Class Advisers
MARY P. MOGAN
MURRAY B. HICKS

Class Flower
PEONY

HELEN R. POLAND
THOMAS VINCENT CANTARA
12 Amherst Street
North Chelmsford
CLASS PRESIDENT
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
School Delegate for Good Gov. Day
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
Junior Dance Committee
Football '41, '42, '47
Senior Dance Committee
Basketball '44, '46, '47
Annual Band Concerts '44, '45, '46
Baseball '47
Christmas Concerts '41, '44, '47

"I Hope The Band Keeps Playing"

Hails from North but frequents Center . . . looks exceptionally well in a football uniform . . . "Annie" . . . muscle man . . . likes bowling . . . waltz king . . . smooth but powerful.

RICHARD FRANCIS MEAGHER
78 Gorham Street
East Chelmsford
VICE-PRESIDENT
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Junior Dance Committee
Football '41, '44, '47
Senior Dance Committee
Intramural Basketball '46

"Goin' My Way"

"Ritchie" . . . quiet . . . slow to anger . . . gifted pianist . . . none of humor, under it all . . . gridiron gladiator . . . takes studies casually . . . Westlands claims his leisure time . . . nice boy to know . . . host of friends.

DOUGLAS LEONARD MacELROY
32 Billerica Street
Chelmsford Center
CLASS SECRETARY
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Junior Class Treasurer
Football '41, '44
Junior Red Cross '43
Basketball '42, '47
Senior Dance Committee '47
Baseball '47, '48
Glee Club Concert '44

"Take Me Out To The Ball Game"

"Cap" . . . Jack of all sports . . . authority on world problems . . . makes frequent visits to the Westlands . . . three star athlete . . . busy communian . . . baker's helper . . . sharpshooter on the basketball court . . . good fellow.

JOAN ALICE HARTLEY
26 Sylvan Avenue
Westlands
CLASS TREASURER
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Class Ring Committee
Junior Red Cross '41, '46, '47
Graduation and Reception Luther '47
Glee Club Concerts '41, '44
Yearbook Staff
Latin Club, Audubon '46, '47
Middlesex Women's Club Award '46
Glee Club, Tree '46
D.A.R. Award '48

"Open the Door, Richard"

Pert, brassy and coquette . . . firm house student . . . marshals for class of '47 . . . D.A.R. darling . . . struggling for driver's license . . . party hostess . . . sports the new look . . . college in September.
HAZEL JOAN ABRAHAMSON
1 Cemetery Road West Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45
Junior Red Cross '41, '42
Graduation and Reception Usher '47
Glee Club '47, '48
Year Book Staff
Class Color Committee
Junior Dance Committee

"This Time '19 Love"
Dresden doll . . . sweet sophistication . . . for Follies candidates . . . fuel living spirit . . . talent and skill galore . . . lovely coloratura voice . . . master of the typewriter keys . . .
all the charm and ability of the model secretary.

ROBERT GEORGE ABRAHAMSON
142 School Street West Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45
Junior Red Cross '41, '42
Annual Band Concerts '46, '47, '48
Band '41, '44, '46
Christmas Concerts '41, '44, '47
Junior Dance Committee
Junior Prom Committee

"Five Minutes More"
Our rhythm man . . . Jack's boy . . . takes life easy . . . runs fast bus . . . during fire maker . . . "You through with girls . . . shomers through every period . . . devoted to cause . . .
innovaor of superb excuses.

ARTHUR ALLAN ADAMS
77 Turnpike Road Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45

"The Best Things in Life Are Free"
"In My Merry Chevrolet" . . . Dick and Charlie are his pals . . . office boy . . . frequent trips to South . . . loves to dance with a certain girl . . . shopping with Charlotte . . . many a car in his pos . . . skillful jigger of debits and credits . . . future pharmacist.

BARBARA JANE ADAMS
41 Sherman Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '43, '44
Class Color Committee
Junior Red Cross, Treas. '43
Junior Prom Committee
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46
Glee Club Concerts '41, '44, '47

"The Dickey Bird Song"
Hails from North . . . one of four . . . "Auntie Bars" . . . basketball enthusiast . . . who's in Nashua? . . . baby sitting . . . "by appointment please" . . . loves to talk . . . min- nisate show participant . . . promising executive's secretary.
MARY JANE ALEXANDER
11 Jensen Street Westlands
Annual Band Concerts '45, '46, '47 Junior Red Cross '44, '45
Basketball '41, '47 Softball, Capt. '47
Intermural Basketball '46 A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Band '46, '47, '48

"Don't Fence Me In"
Captain of the softball team . . . . "Stag" . . . Mother's "Sweet Miss Mary" . . . model dancer . . . attraction for electric fans, and how! . . . "Just look at my skirt!" . . . dashes merrily about . . . aspires to become a nurse.

GORDON LYSLE AXON
52 Stedman Street Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 Baseball '47, Capt. '48
Junior Red Cross '44 "Play Ball"

"Ax" . . . long and lanky . . . scoops up grounders around second base . . . plays Church League basketball . . . drives his Dad's car . . . quiet . . . easy does it . . . fishes on occasion . . . headed for Lowell Textile Institute.

MARY REGINA AVILA
23 Graniteville Road North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 Latin Club '46
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46 Graduation and Reception Usher '47

"Oh, What a Pal Was Mary!"
Good student . . . conscientious and friendly . . . member of the gang in room 21 . . . has such a good time in gym! . . . clever with a needle . . . "Oh, that sister of mine!"

JOSEPH RALPH BELLEGARDE
7 C Street Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Glee Club Concerts '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45 Senior Hop Committee '47 Glee Club '47

"I'd Rather Be Me"
Office boy . . . argues heatedly . . . returns blushing . . . reti- nent girls . . . big businessman . . . always a push for the Westlands . . . class politician . . . future accountant.
BESSIE SUSANNE BLACKIE
64 Parkhurst Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '41, '44, '47
Basketball, Co-Capt. '44
Salltal '44, '47
Junior High '44, '46, '47
Annual Band Concert '41, '44, '46, '47
Yearbook Staff '44, '46, '47
Senior Prom Committee '44, '46, '47
Junior Dance Committee '46, '47
Senior Prom Committee '46
Bessie Blackie Co-Capt. '41, '44, '46
Junior Prom Committee '41, '44, '46, '47
Junior Dance Committee '44, '46, '47
Senior Prom Committee '46
Sincerely Yours,

Superior sportswoman ... a lover of horses ... naturally
wavy hair ... dancing brown eyes ... ready wit ... clever
waxwaxena with a fashionable wardrobe ... class artist ...
drafted for all posters and Yearbook ... enjoyable companion.

EMILY MERRILL BOVILL
Hall Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '41, '47
Junior Red Cross '41, '44
Glee Club '41
Pretty As A Picture
“Bubbles” ... friends galore ... a champion of the Center
... basketball star for Central Baptist ... a blue ribbon baby
star for little brother ... a dancer par excellence ... loves
typing (7).

NELSON LINWOOD BRAKE
4 Woods Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '41
Baseball '47
Glee Club '47
“If Got a Girl I Love”

“Nellie” ... baseball enthusiast ... “see you at seven, Flo”
... work dodger ... baby sister to her baby sister ... out-
door man ... Tuesday night bowler ... modern Frank Whalen
... A.W.O.L.

ELEANOR DAISY BROWN
260 Groton Road
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46
Yearbook Staff
Junior Red Cross '41, '44
School Banquet
Senior Banquet
Glee Club Concerts '41, '44, '47
Class Ode Committee
Graduation and Reception Ulster '47
Glee Club '41, '44, '47
Chairman, Class Color Committee
Junior Dance Committee
Senior Dance Committee
“My Buddy”
One of the Browns ... talented pianist ... becoming short
coiffure ... neat and accurate secretary ... hearty laugh ...
“that’s what buddy said” ... shorthand and typing speed artist
... versatile ... sparkling personality ... enjoys life ... promises success.
ELEANOR RUTH BROWN
281 Chelmsford Street
Westlands
Cheerleader '41
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club '44, '47, '48
Senior Prom Committee
Class Color Committee
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47

"Come Josephine in My Flying Machine"
The other Brown ... charming Miss from the Westlands ... quiet and shy ... perfect lady ... blushing easily ... tall and graceful ... baby sister now. telephone operator in the future ... enjoys airplane rides.

JOHN CRAIG BURNS
48 Stedman Street
Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
Newswriting Group '44
Football '47
Basketball, Mgr. '47
"Dance by the Ocean"
Principal's son ... lover of Latin (?) ... basketball manager ... has fun ... girls and more girls ... flair for newswriting ... fights enthusiasm ... fondness for all kinds of dogs ... Naval Reserve member ... good-natured man.

LORAINE ELIZABETH BUCHANAN
8 Groton Road
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45

"My Street is a Haven"
Always missing the bus ... happy-go-lucky ... enviable bowling scores ... "Aw gee, Mrs. Carril, I can't do it" ... good all-around girl ... frequents Westland too ... Buys many a frappe in "Frontier."

PHYLLIS LENA BURROUGHS
15 Clancy Street
East Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
Interclass Basketball '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46
Softball '47
Glee Club '44

"Fishes for the Masses"
Quiet? Look again! ... a dollar, a dollar, a ten o'clock scholar ... captain of her church's basketball team ... everybody's friend ... happy-go-lucky ... enlivens a dull class ... "Oh, Mr. Hitch!"
ELISABETH ANN BYAM
8 Perham Street
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '41
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
"I'll Get By"

Elegant manners . . . quiet in class . . . dependable and courteous . . . plays the clarinet . . . takes care of little brother . . . a steadfast friend . . . seeks an R.N. after graduation . . . bound to succeed.

NICKOLAS STEPHEN CINCEVICH
75 Dunstable Road
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '46
Junior Red Cross '44, '41
"Chase Away Your Madder's Callin'"

Future sone career . . . "tickets, please" . . . no interest in the fair sex . . . good natured . . . a willing committee man . . . love pickles and dances . . . dependable and quiet type.

SHIRLEY ELIZABETH COLMER
42 Stedman Street
Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club '46, '47
Cheerleader '46, '47
Lavis Club '46
Usher, Piano Fund Concert '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '46, '47
Instrumental Basketball '46
Junior Red Cross, Vice-Pres. '46
Cheerleaders' Dance Comm. '46, '47
Reception Usher '47

"Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life!"
Forever averaging her marks . . . never misses a dance or a home . . . drummer in Maine . . . to teach kindergarten . . . a perfect lady . . . eager participant in every activity . . . cheerleader . . . she's the big name at all the games.

JANE ELOISE CROSS
North Road
"Toughie Avenue"

Former Westford Academy basketball participant . . . blood lawyer's to be . . . greets everyone with a smile . . . loves Mr. Campbell's speaches . . . senior newcomer . . . a scholar . . . plain college career.
THERESA LENORA DAIGLE
5 Gay Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
Glee Club '41, '46
Junior Red Cross '45, '46
Glee Club Concert '41, '46
"Out at This World"
Appreciates a joke... wears a friendship (?) ring... Terry and Jerry... enters room 2... likes music allegro canop... a trait... charming sobeddy... curly blond locks... clothes conscious.

ELEANOR ANNE DUGUISE
451 Merrimack Avenue Dracut
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Cheerleader '47, '48
Junior Red Cross '45, '46
Cheerleaders' Dance Com. '47, '48
French Club '47
Yearbook Staff
Latin Club '47
Class Ode Committee
Graduation and Reception Usher '47
"Beautiful Lady"
Winner of oratorical contest... ambitious and thorough student... expert musician... weekly letters to N.H.U... poised and charming... activity conscious... every hymn a solo... proud prospects.

ROBERT JAMES DESMAR AIS
99 Acton Road Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Intramural Basketball '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '45, '46, '47
"No Letters Today"
"Squacky"... hard worker at school and post office... motor bike spewser... special deliver... monogram... friendly and sweet... hangs out with Eph and Johnny... never in trouble... sure of success.

DANIEL WILLIAM DEXTER
6 School Street West Chelmsford
A.A. Member '48, '49
Harvard Book Club Award '47
Junior Red Cross '45, '46
American Legion Scholarship Award '47
Class Memo Committee
"Dancing Boy"
Avid supporter of West... adventurous experimentor... questions theories of science... blushed brightly... "still water runs deep"... loves hunting... sings bass in the church choir... rides motor bike... able student.
NORMA ELAINE DURRELL
102 Middlesex Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45 Graduation and Reception Usher '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47 Glee Club '44, '46, '47
Yearbook Staff Glee Club Concerts '46, '47
French Club '46  "Golden Earrings"
"Ned" really enjoys classical music . . . extensive vocabulary
lives Connecticut, but dreams of sunny California
lively since . . . cinema fan . . . reads for pleasure . . . every
hair in place . . . interested in psychiatry.

RITA MARGARET GONSALVES
Carlisle Street East Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45 Junior Red Cross '44
Band '44 Glee Club '41, '44, '47
French Club '44 Sport Dance Committee '47
Glee Club '44 Senior Prom Committee
Reception Usher '47  "Honey"
Pretty little Miss from East . . . sparkling brown eyes
lucky's charm . . . temperamental trait . . . an efficient clerk in
Bell's . . . pleasing personality . . . Gay Lombardo enthusiast . . .
proud of her only brother.

EDITH MAY HALL
124 Tyngsboro Road North Chelmsford
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47  "Oh, How I Hate To Get Up In The Morning"
Glee Club Concert '46, '47 Senior Dance Committee
Latin Club, Anfel '46 Class Ode Committee
French Club, Secretary '46 Yearbook Staff
Junior Assembly '47 Senior Prom Committee
"On, la la" . . . music frequent . . . sent to nursing profession . . .
only girl in family of seven . . . "Golden Voice."

DONALD ARTHUR HANKINSON
Middlesex Road Tyngsboro
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47  "Say It With Music"
Band '44, '45, '46, '47 Piano Concert '44
Annual Band Concerts '41, '44, '47 Class Ode Committee
French Club, Pres. '46 Yearbook Staff
THERESA LENORA DAIGLE
1 Gay Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
Glee Club '45, '46
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46
"Out of This World"
"Appreciates a joke... wears a friendship (?) ring... Terry and Jerry...楽しめる room 2... likes music allegro con senza... a truce... charming seductress... curly blond locks... clothes conscious.

ROBERT JAMES DESMARAIS
99 Acton Road Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Intramural Basketball '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47
"Need Letters Today"
"Swooshy"... hard worker at school and post office... motor bike speedster... special deliverer... name game... friendly and witty... hangs out with Eph and Johnny... never in trouble... sure of success.

ELEANOR ANNE DEGUISE
451 Merrimack Avenue Dracut
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Cheerleader '47, '48
Junior Red Cross '41, '46, '47
Cheerleaders' Dance Com., '47, '48
French Club '47
Yearbook Staff
Latin Club '47
Class Ode Committee
"Beautiful Lady"
Winner of oratorical contest... ambitious and thorough student... expert seamstress... weekly letters to N.H.U... poised and charming... activity conscious... every hymn a solo... proud prospects.

DANIEL WILLIAM DEXTER
6 School Street West Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45
Harvard Book Club Award '47
Junior Red Cross '41, '46
American Legion Scholarship Award '47
Class Motto Committee
"Denny Boy"
Avid supporter of West... adventurous experimenter... questions theories of scientists... blushed brightly... "still waters run deep"... loves hunting... sings bass in the church choir... rides motor bike... able student.
NORMA ELAINE DURRELL
102 Middlesex Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club '45, '46, '47
Yearbook Staff Glee Club '46
French Club '47
"Golden Earrings"
"Ned" really enjoys classical music . . . extensive vocabulary
. . . loves Connecticut, but dreams of sunny California . . .
lovely voice . . . cinema fan . . . reads for pleasure . . . every
hair in place . . . interested in psychiatry.

RITA MARGARET GONSALVES
Carlisle Street East Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
French Club '45
Glee Club Concert '44, '45, '46
Reception Usher '47
Junior Red Cross '44
Glee Club Concert '44, '45
"Honey"
Pretty little Miss from East . . . sparkling brown eyes . . .
pery's charm . . . temperamental idea . . . an efficient clerk at
Bell's . . . pleasing personality . . . Guy Lombardo enthusiast . . .
proud of her only brother.

EDITH MAY HALL
124 Tyngsboro Road North Chelmsford
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club Concert '44, '46
Junior Dance Committee
Latin Club, Ankle '44
Glee Club, Secretary '46
French Club, Secretary '46
Junior Assembly '47
"Oh, How I Hate To Get Up In The Morning."
Remember Glee Club's trip to the Pops . . . mischievous eyes
and infectious laugh . . . honor student . . . adams group . . .
"Oh, la la," . . . movie frequenter . . . used to nursing profession
. . . only girl in family of seven . . . "Golden Voice."

DONALD ARTHUR HANKINSON
Middlesex Road Tyngsboro
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Senior Dance Committee
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
Piano Concert '48
Annual Band Concerts '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club, Pres. '44
"Say It With Music"
Helpful Hank . . . Bernice's chauffeur . . . adds oomph to the
band . . . a good student . . . a future flutist he might
take to saying it with flowers . . . Mr. Hick's Swanson . . .
regular fellow and a real gentleman.
LOIS RUTH HARNISH
251 Chelmsford Street Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46
Glee Club '46, '47
Glee Club Concerts '41, '46, '47
Band '44
"My Hero"
Rarely seen without Ray... aspiring to a musical career... loves to dance... constant giggler... gay manner... when do we hear the wedding bells?... partial to redheads... oh! those dreamy eyes.

CLARENCE MILTON HEFLER
21 Oak Knoll Avenue East Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46, '47
Junior Dance Committee Football '44, '41, '46, '47
Glee Club Concerts '46, '41, '46, '47
Basketball '41, '46, '47
Senior Dance Committee Basketball, Capt. '41 March of Dimes Concert '44
"Fin and Fancy Fair"
Captain "Huff" Hefler... native of East... singing Saints Clause... all for a car... frequents the Oaklands... long to work for the B. & M... enjoys life... superb dancer... plays hockey in chemistry lab.

KATHLEEN ISABEL HODGSON
214 Graniteville Road West Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46
Glee Club '44, '47
Glee Club Concerts '46, '47
"E.E.K.E.Kie"
Lovely dimples... spirited worker... always heading for a card party... jovial smile... likes to take life easy... Rainbow enthusiast... P.A.D. (?)... capable Miss... of mischief, too... cinema fan.

NANCY ANN HUNT
101 Brick Kiln Road East Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46
Reception Usher '47 Intramural Basketball '41, '46
Basketball '47
"Sweet and Lovely"
Dainty... merry disposition... likes to dance... lively on the basketball court... lovely hair... aims to please... cooperative and sincere... blushing readily and smiles easily... short and sweet.
DORIS ROBERTA JOHNSON
131 Main Street
West Chelmsford
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member ‘44, ‘45, ‘46
Memorial Day Assembly ‘44
French Club Vice-President ‘46
Glee Club Concert ‘47
Latin Club, Counsel ‘46
Graduation Dance Committee ‘46
Senior Assembly ‘47, Graduation Dance Committee ‘47
Junior Dance Committee ‘47
Graduation and Reception Usher ‘47
Senior Dance Committee ‘47
Glee Club ‘47
“A Twinkle in Your Eye”

“She’s a sweet, sweet young thing . . . quite a charmer . . . a delightful personality . . . a girl you’d like to have as a friend . . . a real asset to the class . . . a fine representative of our school.”

JEAN MARIE KILBURN
102 Chelmsford Street
Westlands
A.A. Member ‘45, ‘46
Graduation and Reception Usher ‘47
Glee Club Concerts ‘44, ‘45, ‘46
Junior Red Cross ‘44, ‘45, ‘46, ‘47
“I Have But One Heart”

“She’s a sweet, sweet young thing . . . quite a charmer . . . a delightful personality . . . a girl you’d like to have as a friend . . . a real asset to the class . . . a fine representative of our school.”

LUCILLE MARIANNE LAGASSE
39 Old Westford Road
West Chelmsford
A.A. Member ‘44, ‘45, ‘46
Senior Dance Committee ‘47
Cheerleader ‘41, ‘46
Basketball ‘41, ‘46
French Club ‘47
Glee Club ‘47
Junior Dance Committee ‘47
“Beautiful Dreamer”

“Charming, sweet, and delightful . . . a delightful personality . . . a girl you’d like to have as a friend . . . a real asset to the class . . . a fine representative of our school.”

JOANNE LORRAINE LAKIN
10 Dartmouth Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member ‘45, ‘46, ‘47
Glee Club ‘45, ‘46
Junior Red Cross ‘44, ‘45, ‘46, ‘47
“T’m a Big Girl Now”

“A real charmer . . . quite a charmer . . . a delightful personality . . . a girl you’d like to have as a friend . . . a real asset to the class . . . a fine representative of our school.”
ROGER ALAN LEWIS
17 Central Square
A.A. Member '44, '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '41
Intramural Basketball '46
Band '44
Senior Dance Committee

I Haven't Got a Worry In The World
Laughing cavalier . . . smooth dancer . . . just loves English
... famous for Friday night camping trips . . . Bess Brumfield of Chelmsford High . . . always enjoys a good joke . . . has a preference for North . . . Dartmouth aspirant.

JEAN HOCKING LOGAN
21 Cottage Row
A.A. Member '44, '46, '47
Glee Club Concert '46, '47
Reception Usher '47

"Stars in Your Eyes"
Snapping brown eyes . . . "Come on, Joe!" . . . gum chewer . . . pretty hair . . . ladylike charm . . . proud of baby inner . . . aiming for her driving license . . . undernourished manner . . . hidden sense of humor . . . conscientious viel.

VIRGINIA LOIS LOGAN
15 Grey Street
A.A. Member '44
Junior Red Cross '46
Glee Club '46

"Haunted Heart"
Barbara's sidekick . . . Natasia interest . . . popular music fan . . . soft voice and gentle disposition . . . brown-eyed blonde . . . her weakness: frappes . . . allergic to gym . . . anticipates a career as hardresser.

JOSEPH ROBERT MCDONALD
7 Marshall Street
A.A. Member '44
Intramural Basketball '46, '47
March of Dimes Concert '46

"Moon Man" . . . meaning and modest . . . Egos, a girl! . . . wedded to his clarinet . . . blushed easily . . . doesn't know his own strength . . . Latin lover . . . always plugging for the band . . . enjoys the movies . . . helpful . . . longs to be a Boy Scout.
HENRY ROBERT McENANY
12 Church Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '41, '44
Glee Club Concert '43
Intramural Basketball '44
"Lazy Moe"
"Hank"... basketball coach for grammar school... clever... ideal ice man... Golden Gloves aspirant... sage in F.A.D... Forge Village bound... wise cracker... terrific stunt... economics expert.

JOHN WILSON McEVOY
1 Gay Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '44
Senior Dance Committee '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '41, '46, '47
French Club '42
"Lazy Bone"
"Mandu"... can sleep anywhere... in any position... in any class... through anything... handy with flowers... the small end of every argument... always going to get a job in Boston... affinity for mischief.

MARY LORRAINE MERCIER
71 Middlesex Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '46, '47
Glee Club '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44
"Sweetheart Serenade"
Joyous gingle... devoted sister to twin brothers... pretty, poised, and peppy... naturally curly tresses... a white on the dance floor... many male admirers... will brighten any office... "Lollypop."

RUSSELL WINN MERRILL
2026 Middlesex Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '44
March of Dimes Concert '44, '41
Junior Red Cross '44, '45
Annual Band Concert '41, '46, '47, '47
Basketball '48
Instrumental Basketball '46
"You've Got to Be a Football Hero"
"Runy"... smooth basketball player... fast with a knife... and fork and meat... in football either... drummer boy... destination unknown... believes in outlawing homework... physics his main sin of omission... does his good turns daily.
KENNETH MERRILL MILLER
17 Washington Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46, '47 Senior Dance Committee '47
Football '44, '41, '46, '47 March of Dimes Committee '44
Basketball '47 Glee Club Committee '44
Junior Red Cross '44, '47 Intramural Basketball '47
Junior Dance Committee '46

"Nobody Knows The Troubles I've Seen"
"Kenny" loves to argue ... sports enthusiast ... avid reader and born leader ... practical joker ... always sewing ... models and sells reindeer sweaters ... has his troubles ... never on time for classes ... yearning for medical career.

JANE PATRICIA MILLS
16 Westford Street Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46, '47 Graduation & Reception Usher '47
Glee Club Committee '46, '47, '48 Glee Club '47, '46, '47
French Club '47 Junior Red Cross '41, '46, '47, '48

"It's A Grand Night For Singing"
Sons dashing about in a new convertible ... sangbird of our class ... a faithful worker and cooperative student ... big sister ... a future nurse ... chuckles betray a delightful sense of humor.

ALDEN HARRIS MILTON
141 North Road Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '41, '46, '47 Junior Red Cross '41, '46, '47

"Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf?"
Ice-cream man at Allard's ... ladies' man ... loquacious ... lucky six-footer from Connecticut ... frantically searches for a seat on the morning bus ... drives an old Dodge truck ... braves the Lions in his Den.

ELIZABETH GERTRUDE MINER
110 Princeton Boulevard North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46, '47 Newwriting Group '46
Glee Club Committee '41, '46, '47 Jun. Red Cross '44, '41, '46, '47
Glee Club '41, '46, '47 Senior Dance Committee '47
Intramural Basketball '47 Reception Usher '47
Senior Prom Committee

"Peppie, Don't Preach To Me"
"Cin" ... at her best when chewing gum ... lazy runner ... pint-sized mischievous maker ... forever dropping her compact ... easy to get along with ... wants to be a Wave ... "Oh, Mr. Callagy."
WILLIAM MARSHALL MORTHAM
74 Bridge Street Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Board '47
Newswriting Group '47 Annual Band Concert '41
"A Merry Life"
Broad grin . . . jolly . . . used to own a jayboy . . . always has a job . . . Latin student of distinction . . . blew a bugle for the benefit of a Lawrence drum corp . . . girls ? . . . allured by lumber business . . . "Timber!"

BARBARA MARIE MURPHY
22 Brouillette Street North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Reception Usher '47
Glee Club '44, '45 J44, '46, '47 Newswriting Group, Track '44 Glee Club Committee '41, '44 Intramural Basketball '47 Senior Prom Committee
"Dark Eyes"
Inhabitant of the City Line village . . . does she remember Hampden . . . one of Joanne's gang . . . appreciate a good joke . . . known for her loungerie antics . . . always a pal . . . once, we understand, she was A.W.O.L.

ARTHUR EDWARD NORTON
12 Woodlawn Avenue Westlands
Football '41, '47 Senior Red Cross '44, '41, '46 Intramural Basketball '47, '48 A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
"Life Can Be Beautiful"
Speaks mind freely . . . beautiful curly hair . . . Lowell bound . . . salty sailor at heart . . . time for romance . . . enjoys race . . . school girl complex . . . changeable moods . . . early departure (2 a'clock sharp) . . . frequent office visitor.

LOUIS ANTHONY OLIVER
37 Princeton Street North Chelmsford
"I'll Dance At Your Wedding"
"Louis" . . . smooth dancer . . . witty remarks and weird tactics . . . allergic to neckties . . . 200 pounds of man . . . tall, dark, and handsome . . . all suburban guard . . . Buckwheat's big brother . . . refreshments in room 18 . . . universally popular.
THEODORE ALVARD OLSSON, JR.
122 Dalton Road
Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '46
Recipent Usher '47
Froshball '41, '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46
Class Morris Committee
Baseball '44
Senior Prom Committee
"Waller '47 Du.
"Swede" ... math wizard ... gets all homework done ... drives a new Studebaker ... basketball at the "Y" ... strong man ... likes all sports ... pattern with radio, electricity, and mechanical gadgets ... a real pal ... destination Northeastern.

MARGARET PALM
10 Ideal Avenue
Greenwich '47
"The Lady From 1947"
"Margie" ... newcomer ... quiet ... always neat ... extensive wardrobe ... like the movies ... fond memories of Bridgeport ... has a yen for society ... courteous and genial manner ... welcome addition to our class.

ROBERT PARLEE
135 Pine Hill Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
"Sweetheart Man"
Toni home permanent ... hunter, trapper, trapper ... outdoor man ... drives new Nash ... currently unprepared in current events ... "What's the question, Mr. Campbell?" ... McHugh's chauffeur ... endures high school with crowns and ducks.

AINSWORTH CARL PEDERSEN
160 Concord Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '46, '47
Intramural Basketball '46, '47
Junior Varsity Basketball '47
"The Blood Sailor"
Navy bound ... always ready to sing ... genius of Period 2 ... especially shy about tall girls ... anything for an argument ... avoids exercise ... snappiest bow tie ... numerous friends and followers.
BEVERLY ADAMS PICKARD
11 Perham Street, Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 Senior Prom Committee

"The Wait You Saved For Me"

RAY PIKE, III
46 Westford Street, Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Piano Fund Concert '41
Band '44, '45, '46, '47 French Club '44
Annual Band Concert '44, '46, '47, '48 Football '41
March of Dimes Concert '44, '47 Yearbook Staff

"How Soon"
Bound for University of New Hampshire . . . really works at playing the baritone horn . . . drives a hard bargain with teachers . . . jumps at the chance to duck homework . . . future veterinarian.

THOMAS HENRY RANDALL
308 Billericia Road, Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '47 Intramural Basketball '47, '48
Junior Dance Committee Senior Prom Committee
Class Ode Committee

"Hemoragia"
Author of "The Randall Story" et cetera . . . gun with a little miss from the Westland . . . always asks for a second explanation . . . writes his own unique brand of poetry . . . gentlemanly manners.

WILLIAM LESLIE REID
110 Park Road, South Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Junior Dance Committee
Football '46, '47 Student Representative for A.A. Committee
Basketball '45, '46 Intramural Basketball '47
Yearbook Staff

"Hi, Neighbor"
Needs no introduction . . . our football player . . . A.A. representative . . . maintains South is the best part of town . . . discusses with Mr. Callagy and the text in economics! . . . penchant for broken bones.
BROOKS BRADFIELD RILEY
26 Grove Street
Lowell
A.A. Member '44, '45
Junior Red Cross '44, '45

"Brookie"... wavy hair... appreciates a good joke...
easy going... featherweight... girl Levy... silken-fried clown... eye repair... bare ice cream... guardian
of his little brother...Buried bound!

FERN AMANDA SCOBLE
Wildwood Street
Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '45
Junior Prom Committee
Softball '46

"Yes-yes, Yes-yes"
Promptly delivers daily office reports... chatterbox...
delights in happy atmosphere of Kydd's... enthusiastic softball player...my brother "Habie"... Gibson girl style...
gentle and affable...promising secretary.

ROBERT VERSAL ROBEY
59 Billerica Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
March of Dimes Concert '45, '46
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club Concert '47
French Club '47
Annual Band Concerts '41, '46, '47, '48
Senior Prom Committee '47

"Heartbreaker"
A-l trumpeter and band member... careful driver...
known some pretty good jokes... frequent mountaineer...
camera fan... former Lowell office boy... thingy... al-
ways dashing gym period... Full of business... Sunday
suit.

JOAN WHITNEY SHEA
118 Boston Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '45, '46
Latin Club, Consul '46
French Club '46
Junior Prom Committee '45
Senior Prom Committee '47
Graduation Decoration Committee '47
Graduation and Reception Uncle '47
Sorority Day Assembly '45

"Are't You Glad You're Tall"
Erudite chummate... fourth year Latin student... dark-
haired colomn...appreciates a joke... smart clothes...
levylike charm...genial ticket taker...future doctor...
Smith or Radcliffe...clever career awaits her.
MARY JOYCE SHEA
138 Main Street
A.A. Member '46
French Club '46
Latin Club '46

"Merry""?
Merry dark hair and eyes... photogenic and pleasing mix...
delights in watching basketball games... amicable addition
to our senior year.

ISABELLE FRANCES SOUSA
115 Gorham Street
A.A. Member '44, '41, '41, French Club '46
Junior Red Cross '44, Leap Year Dance Committee '47
Graduation Decoration Committee '47, Glee Club '41
Interamural Basketball '47

"Prestynly"?
"Tery"... overflowing with energy... life of the lunch-
room... natural curls and wit... swell sport... contagious
giggle... Rick's pal... causes near riots in period... green eyes... scal of friends... Who is Torry?

BETTY ELLEN STEVART
7 Sherman Street
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46
Basketball '44, '47
Glee Club '45, '46, '47

"Home On The Range"
A cheery spirit for everyone... latest horses... dreams of
dude ranch... great attraction for music... appreciates
good joke... "Oh, that history!"... cooking is her hobby.

WALTER PAUL SULLIVAN
19 Westland Avenue
A.A. Member '44, '41, '46
Senior Dance Committee '47
Junior Red Cross '44, '41, '46, '47

"I'll Be Down To Get You In A Taxi, Henry!"
Never lost an argument... never overworked... jovial
outlook on life... temped to snoop through physics... driven a taxi for business and pleasure... appreciative observer
of feminine pulchritude... many friends.
ELMER GARFIELD SWANSON JR.
208 Dalton Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member ’41, ’44, ’47
Band ’41, ’42, ’47
Annual Band Concert ’41, ’42, ’47
March of Dimes Concert ’46
Band Committee ’47

"Baby Face"
Comedian, vest pocket size . . . hails from the Westlands . . .
ностей the clarinet in the band . . . goes dancing every Friday . . .
. . a perennial in junior English . . . determined to take it easy.

DOLORES MARIA TOEGEMANN
64 Richards Street
Lowell
A.A. Member ’44, ’45, ’47
Cheerleader’s Dance Com. ’47
Cheerleader ’47
Hick Hop Dance Committee ’47
Graduation Decoration Com. ’47
Senior Prom Committee ’47

"Look For The Golden Line""
Always cheerful . . . trusted confidante . . . prefers the Navy . . .
one of our few conservatives . . . likes a good physics joke . . .
imaginative . . . "But, Mr. Hicks" . . .ขนาน farmer in the summer . . .
waits little, gives a lot . . . future nurse.

KENNETH EDMUND VINAL
13 Highland Avenue
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member ’41, ’44, ’41, ’46
Juni. Red Cross ’44, ’45, ’46

"Oh, Johnny!" (Kenny)
Pink and white complexion . . . ski cap . . . dry land sailor . . .
dehyster . . . attended every morning on the bus . . . dry humor . . .
carries books for a young lady . . . good dancer . . .
hard worker on hardware (?).

GUY NELSON WHITWORTH, JR.
169 Chelmsford Street
Westlands
A.A. Member ’43, ’44, ’45, ’46
Intramural Basketball ’47
Junior Red Cross ’41, ’44, ’47
Senior Prom Committee

"My Heart’s In The Highlands"
"Well" . . . cake sampler . . . fond of chocolate Easter eggs . . .
Ball shop is his favorite hang out . . . shaves in much (7) . . .
class clown . . . appreciates high school drinking fountain . . .
sees in many a dance hall . . . dandies house . . .
the walking man.
BARBARA ANN WYLIE  
16 Gorham Street  East Chelmsford

GRADUATION SPEAKER

A.A. Member ’44, ’45, ’46  French Club ’46  
Junior Red Cross ’44, ’45  Glee Club ’45, ’46, Vice Pres. ’47
Junior Assembly ’47  Glee Club Concerts ’46, ’47
Yearbook Staff  Graduation and Reception Usher
Basketball ’47, ’48  Newswriting Group ’46
Cheerleader ’45, ’46, ’47  Chairman Ring Committee ’46
Latin Club ’46, Aedile ’47  Senior Dance Committee

"Pal of Mine"

loves math 2A . . . A plus popularity rating . . . strawberry
blonde . . . willing worker . . . all around good sport.

Upward and Onward

Upward to hail that season
   By gifted seers foretold,
When men shall rule by reason
   And not alone by gold.
When with man to man united
   And every wrong thing righted
The whole world shall be lighted
   As Eden was of old.

Onward for those who love us,
   For those who know us true,
For the Heaven that smiles above us
   And inspires our spirits too.
For the course that lacks assistance
   For the wrong that needs resistance
For the good that pleads existence
   Let us see what we can do!

—Robert Robey, ’48
Upward and Onward

The tree that never had to fight
Upward for sun and air and light,
That stood out in the open plain
And always got its share of rain
Never became a forest king,
But lived and died a scrubby thing.

The man who never had to toil,
Or dig the ground, or plant the soil,
Who lived a life of ease and pleasure
And without earning got his treasure
Never became a manly man
But died as dwarfish as he began.

In tree or man good timber grows
Where thickest gather earthly woes.
Both men and trees must fight their way
Upward and onward, or weaklings stay,
For the grain of wood grows strong in storm,
And the soul of man his trials form.

Jane Mills, '48
JUNIORS
SOPHOMORES
FRESHMEN
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The following is a list of the special awards presented at the graduation exercises, June 11, 1947. Inasmuch as these awards were not made until the night of graduation, it was impossible to record them in the 1947 Yearbook.

**Awards:**

- **Boys' State**—A week at Massachusetts State College at Amherst — given by the American Legion, Post 212, to the highest ranking boy in the Junior class — awarded to DANIEL WILLIAM DEXTER.

- **The Harvard Club Book**—“The Happy Profession” by Ellery Sedgwick — given by the Harvard Club of Boston to that boy in the college preparatory course of the Junior class for high scholarship and character — awarded to DANIEL WILLIAM DEXTER.

- **Perfect Attendance**—Neither absent, tardy nor dismissed for four years — EARL JAMES NICKERSON.

- **Reader’s Digest**—A complimentary subscription to the Reader’s Digest for one year to the Valedictorian of the Class of 1947—DOROTHY ARLENE NYSTROM.

- **Washington and Franklin Medal Award**—Presented by the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution given for excellence in the study of United States History as determined by competitive examination — awarded to HECTOR JOSEPH McDONALD, JR.
Good Citizenship Certificate—Presented by the Daughters of the American Revolution for outstanding qualities of dependability, leadership, service and patriotism — awarded to DOROTHY ARLENE NYSTROM.

English Prize—A purse of $25 given by the North Chelmsford Parent-Teachers' Association for excellence in the study of English as determined by competitive examination — awarded to HECTOR JOSEPH McDONALD, JR.

Dunigan Award—Given by the Chelmsford Teachers' Organization in loving memory of Hilda B. Dunigan, who taught in Chelmsford High School, from 1928 to 1934, for excellence in shorthand and typewriting as determined by competitive examination — awarded to DOROTHY ARLENE NYSTROM.

Gay Award—Given by the Chelmsford Teachers' Organization in loving memory of Dorothy F. Gay, who taught in Chelmsford High School from 1932 to 1934, for excellence in French as determined by competitive examination — awarded to HECTOR JOSEPH McDONALD, JR.

Fogg Award—Given by the Chelmsford Teachers' Organization in loving memory of Donald H. Fogg, who taught in Chelmsford High School from 1940 to 1943, to the highest ranking senior girl who has earned a letter in major sports — awarded to ABBY MILLS VONDAL.

Knightly Award—Given by the Chelmsford Teachers' Organization in loving memory of George R. Knightly, who was a teacher and coach in Chelmsford High School from 1930 to 1943, to the highest ranking senior boy who has earned a letter in major sports — awarded to HECTOR JOSEPH McDONALD, JR.
SPORTS
Cheerleaders

This year Chelmsford sport fans were thrilled by the spectacle of twenty-four cheerleaders in red and black velvet uniforms. Coached by the capable and peppy Miss Hehir into a snappy and well-drilled team, they were an impressive part of every athletic contest. Captain Janet Bomil led the group, assisted by the sub-captains, Fay Valentine and Rita McDonald, and by the remarkable little mascot, Dottie Ayotte.

Our cheerleaders functioned at every football and every basketball game, and concluded their season by entering the cheerleaders' tournament at Littleton, where they received honorable mention for their pyramid, conga line, and locomotive cheers.

Each cheerleader was awarded a letter.
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Girls' Basketball

Our girls' basketball team, captained by capable Nancy Lamb and Bessie Blackie, reported this season to our new and faithful coach, Miss Margaret Keith. As several veterans were on the squad, the prospects for a successful season were evident.

From the first day we were determined to uphold the record of previous Chelmsford teams. Our determination was greatly boosted when we, at long last, appeared on the court with the new look!

Our first league defeat came when we journeyed to Johnson. We bounded back from the blow, however, to defeat each contender in its turn. It was in the postponed Tewksbury game that we coped the Suburban League crown. This is the fourth straight year that the Chelmsford girls have carried off this honor. We were a tired team that bowed to our rival, Howe, in the final game.

Our entry at the Littleton tournament ended in a two point loss after a thrilling game with Townsend.

At a post-season squad meeting, Maureen Bishop and Connie Greenwood were elected to lead next year's team.

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Boys' Basketball

Chelmsford High School's basketball team managed another successful season, as the boys played themselves into two tournaments, and won second place honors in the Suburban League. The squad holds victories against every team in the Suburban League, excepting only Dracut, and it left an impressive record whenever it took the floor.

This year's Captain, Clarence Hefler, and the team's seniors are leaving behind a firm nucleus of underclassmen to be developed next season under the leadership of Warren McHugh. They should present another well moulded team by the time Coach Hicks has them whipped into shape for the opening game next year.

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Season's Schedule:

April 13  Westford at Chelmsford
April 20  Chelmsford at Johnson
April 23  Chelmsford at Wilmington
April 27  Chelmsford at Howe
May  1  Dracut at Chelmsford
May  4  Chelmsford at Tewksbury
May  7  Chelmsford at Methuen
May 11  Chelmsford at Punchard
May 14  Johnson at Chelmsford
May 18  Wilmington at Chelmsford
May 21  Howe at Chelmsford
May 28  Tewksbury at Chelmsford
June  1  Methuen at Chelmsford
June  4  Punchard at Chelmsford

Squad Members:
Axon, Gordon, Capt.
Bishop, Edward
Campbell, John
Carlson, Raymond
Carruthers, Robert
Chagnon, William
Clarke, David
Davis, Richard
Dinnegan, Walter
Hollingworth, Edwin
Kerrigan, James
Leach, Ronald
L'Ecuyer, Elmer
Logan, Ralph
MacElroy, Douglas
Malloy, Malcolm
Marchand, Omer
Pickard, Donald
Polewarczyk, Valenty
Taylor, Milton
Toussignant, William
Yoachimciuk, William
Manseau, Thomas, Mgr.
Ouellette, Victor, Mgr.
Athletic Awards

During the school year the following awards were made:

**Football**
- Bishop, Edward
- Buzzell, James
- Campbell, John
- Cantara, Thomas
- Collinge, Donald, Mgr.
- Falardeau, John
- Hayward, Richard
- Hefler, Clarence
- Hodgkinson, Fred
- Kelly, Chester
- Kerrigan, James
- Lewis, Roger
- MacElroy, Douglas, Capt.
- Malloy, Malcolm, Mgr.
- McDonald, Robert
- McHugh, Warren
- Meagher, Richard
- Merrill, Russell
- Miller, Kenneth
- Oliver, Louis
- Olsson, Theodore
- Reid, William
- Spanos, John
- Sullivan, Walter

**Boys’ Basketball**
- Cantara, Thomas
- Hayward, Richard
- Hefler, Clarence, Capt.
- Kydd, Robert
- MacElroy, Bruce
- MacElroy, Douglas
- Marshall, John
- McHugh, Warren
- Merrill, Russell
- Oliver, Vincent, Mgr.
- Pihl, Roger

**Cheerleaders**
- Ayotte, Dorothy, Mascot
- Ayotte, Lucille
- Bimil, Janet, Capt.
- Brooks, Lois
- Burt, Carolyn
- Cochrane, Beverly
- Cole, Muriel
- Colmer, Shirley
- DeGuise, Eleanor
- Hildreth, Nancy
- Marcotte, Estelle
- McDonald, Rita, Sub-capt.
- Mills, Ann
- Moss, Mildred
- Palmgren, Phyllis
- Pickard, Louise
- Shawcross, Gail
- Sidelinger, Jacqueline
- Tibbetts, Charlotte
- Toegemann, Dolores
- Toms, Patricia
- Valentine, Fay, Sub-capt.
- Warren, Martha
- Wylie, Barbara

**Girls’ Basketball**
- Alexander, Mary
- Bishop, Maureen
- Blackie, Bessie, Co-Capt.
- Clough, Marilyn
- Dryden, Joyce
- Gannon, Elizabeth
- Greenwood, Connie
- Hunt, Nancy
- Lamb, Nancy, Co-Capt.
- Mann, Joyce
- Reeves, Evelyn
- Sweet, Patricia
- Stewart, Betty
- Wylie, Barbara
ACTIVITIES
This year the Chelmsford High School band again found itself going full swing, and not even during the summer vacation was there any cessation of activity. A continual round of school graduations and summer concerts permitted no talent to lie idle.

Memorial day was a particularly busy one, for the band paraded in North Chelmsford and then journeyed to Hollis, New Hampshire, for a second appearance, which was followed in turn by an outing. As is the custom, they also accepted an invitation to participate in the Lowell High School Field Day parade.

Next on the list came the summer concerts. In addition to these regular outdoor concerts, one of which drew an estimated audience of a thousand people, the band played for a street dedication, the funeral of a veteran, the St. Mary's Church Carnival, the Firemen's Relief, and the American Legion Convention. Incidentally, our trumpeters have played taps many times at the request of the Legion.

The biggest thrill of the year was, of course, marching in the Holy Name Parade in Boston. Movies of our band in action before four million people will be secured later for Chelmsford audiences.

During the school year the band members have to their credit a benefit concert for the piano fund. They played Christmas carols in all sections of the town and were happily rewarded by a Christmas party at the Westlands School. The final big performance of the year was the fourth annual concert, which gave the satisfaction that townspeople have come to expect.

At the conclusion of another year, the band members thank their leader for the pleasure and profit derived under his excellent leadership. Every rehearsal has been something to anticipate happily, and not for anything would anyone of the fortunate group have missed the privilege of working with Chelmsford's own Bernie Larkin.
The Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Olive Littlehale, has had a very successful year. In December the members presented a Christmas Concert and in April the Spring Concert in the form of an operetta, entitled "The Waltz King." The members of the club feel that this has been an interesting year and that much has been accomplished.

The roster of club members follows:

Abrahamson, Hazel
Adams, Barbara
Barrows, Barbara
Beausoleil, Doris
Bellegarde, Joseph
Bishop, Maureen
Brake, Nelson
Brown, Eleanor R.
Burns, John
Chagnon, William
Colby, Phyllis
Cole, Muriel
Crowell, Virginia
Colmer, Shirley
Curtis, Nancy
DeGuise, Eleanor
Dupee, Phyllis
Durkee, Betsy
Durrell, Norma
Gadbois, Lorraine
Gibbons, Raymond
Gonsalves, Theresa
Hadley, Richard
Hamel, Ruth
Hardy, Betty
Harnish, Lois
Hayes, Theresa
Jenkins, Margaret
Kilburn, Jean
Leach, Ronald
McDonald, Rita
Mills, Ann
Mills, Jane
Norton, Robert
Palm, Margaret
Palmgren, Phyllis (pianist)
Peverill, Louise
Reis, Allan
Sargent, Sybil
Stewart, Betty
Toegemann, Dolores
Warren, Fred
Wilder, Elizabeth
Wylie, Barbara
Young, Alva

Miss Olive Littlehale, Director
Junior Red Cross

Under the energetic supervision of Miss Marjorie Scoboria, the Junior Red Cross finished a very successful year. At the first meeting the following officers were elected: President, Marjorie Carr; Vice President, Margaret Blott; and Secretary, Gail Shawcross. The homeroom representatives chosen at that same meeting were:

- Ayotte, Claire
- Barrows, Gladys
- Beausoleil, Doris
- Bishop, Maureen
- Blott, Shirley
- Bomil, Janet
- Brown, Eleanor R.
- Cole, Muriel
- Foster, Gertrude
- Gadbois, Pauline
- Hartley, Joan
- Hicks, William
- Jenkins, Margaret
- Kydd, Robert
- Moss, Mildred
- O'Neil, Michael
- Reeves, Evelyn
- Scoble, Fern
- Welch, George

These representatives succeeded in carrying out a successful membership drive. Nearly all the homerooms had 100% membership and the sum of $24.73 was collected.

Bi-monthly meetings were held in Miss Scoboria's room. The first project undertaken was to collect material to fill eighteen good will boxes for children overseas. During the winter term, members made two hundred attractively decorated Easter baskets. Later in the spring, one thousand newspaper disposal bags for hospital use were folded.
A is for Abrahamson, a maiden so fair,
Neat and trim with beautiful hair.
A is for Abrahamson, full of fun,
Never gets his English done.
A is for Adams, the office boy,
Being useful is his joy.
A is for Adams, slender and tall,
A sweet little smile she has for all.
A is for Alexander, on the basketball team,
Her friendship is something we all esteem.
A is for Avila, quiet is she,
A smart little bookkeeper she will be.
A is for Axon, tall and slender,
A helping hand he's sure to render.
B is for Bellegarde, who won't be beat,
He would rather argue than eat.
B is for Blackie, an artist indeed,
With paint and brushes she'll succeed.
B is for Bovill, short and sweet,
On the dance hall floor, she can't be beat.
B is for Brake, who seems to be quiet,
But he really isn't, he's a riot.
B is for Brown, a likeable lass,
Plays the piano, pride of her class.
B is for Brown, a lovely girl,
Pretty hair with a bit of curl.
B is for Buchanan, merry and gay,
Can't seem to wait for the final day.
B is for Burns, who loves to read,
A successful life we're sure he'll lead.
B is for Burroughs, whose dress is snappy,
Favors Ted Williams, always happy.
B is for Byam, a nurse to be,
Success in training we hope she will see.
C is for Cantara, not very tall,
Scored many a touchdown in playing football.
C is for Cincevich, from room 21,
In teasing the girls he really finds fun.
C is for Colmer, so tall and sedate,
With all her classmates she really does rate.
C is for Cross, whose new in our class,
Nice personality, charming lass.
D is for Daigle, a dashing blond,
Of a fellow named "Jerry" she is very fond.
D is for DeGuise, Eleanor that is,
In all her classes she sure is a wiz.
D is for Desmarais, the postal clerk,
Never complaining, enjoys his work.
D is for Dexter, in history supreme,
Knows all the answers, right on the beam.
D is for Durrell, Norma's the name,
With her charming voice we know she'll find fame.
G is for Gonsalves, dark eyed and sweet,
Contributed this alphabet — no minor feat!
H is for Hall, quiet is she,
Smart little lady, an R. N. to be.
H is for Hankinson, encircled in horn,
Never a better gentleman born.
H is for Harnish, whose dress is fancy,
Often seen with her girl friend Nancy.
H is for Hartley, able is she,
A shining success we know she will be.
H is for Hefler, who likes to sing,
Grand sense of humor, our own Bing.
H is for Hodgson, who loves a high heel,
Sweet disposition, lots of appeal.
H is for Hunt, so very small,
We'll buy her some yeast to make her grow tall.
J is for Johnson with talents so rare,
To do anything naughty she wouldn't dare.
K is for Kilburn, a brilliant girl,
Her future lies in the business world.
L is for Lagasse, with lots of clothes,
Neat as a pin, has many beaus.
L is for Lakin, never mischief free,
She should cut down on her vitamin C.
L is for Lewis, with his hair cut short,
A lovely young lady he admires from North.
L is for Logan, who chums with Jo,
She hails from North and lets everyone know.
A.B.C.'s of 1948

L is for Logan, cousin to Jean,
"Gym today — isn't that mean?"

M is for MacElroy, known as Mac,
In shooting baskets he sure has the knack.

M is for McDonald, who managed the team,
With his clarinet he's on the beam.

M is for McEnany, who's known afar,
Hearty laughter, basketball star.

M is for McEvoy, the physics wiz,
Proud of North, scoffs at a quiz.

M is for Mcagher, that popular kid,
As a tackler he shone on the grid.

M is for Mercier, with the natural kink,
She's not as quiet as you might think.

M is for Merrill, who beats the drum,
Shy with the girls, but he's improving some.

M is for Miller, with the "Baby Face",
To the office he goes at a right fast pace.

M is for Mills, with the lovely voice,
To sing in operas should be her choice.

M is for Milton, known as Slim,
At the "Lion's Den" is where you'll find him.

M is for Miner, a partner in crime,
Seen with Murph most of the time.

M is for Mortham, our own Billy Boy,
With the girls he's oh, so coy!

M is for Murphy, the movie goer,
Earns her money at the ten cent store.

N is for Norton, a riot is he,
A radio comedian he ought to be.

O is for Oliver, of athletic build,
In playing football he surely is skilled.

O is for Olsson, an engineer to be,
Known as "The Genius" of period 3.

P is for Palm, who from Bridgeport did come,
Beautiful clothes, Mary's chum.

P is for Parlee, nickname Bob,
A mass of curls tops his knob.

P is for Pedersen, husky and blond,
Of dear old South he is very fond.

P is for Pickard, shy and demure,
To do her shorthand, she is sure.

P is for Pike, Ray the third,
Enjoys fishing we have heard.

R is for Randall, reserved for Jean,
At writing poems he's mighty keen.

R is for Reid, good in baseball,
Nice personality and that isn't all.

R is for Riley, always with gum,
If you haven't any, he has some.

R is for Robey, busy man,
Plays the trumpet in the band.

S is for Scoble, with the charming way,
Likes to type, always gay.

S is for Shea, with the pretty hair,
Of nice clothes she has her share.

S is for Shea, hails from West,
Loves to study for a physics test.

S is for Sousa, fun-maker at lunch,
Especially when she's with that bunch.

S is for Stewart, North's star rider,
Gallops pell-mell with her father beside 'er!

S is for Sullivan, who cheers for the green,
Dispatching taxis is his routine.

S is for Swanson, mighty short is he,
A future accountant he plans to be.

T is for Toegemann, who likes to cook,
The trouble is she writes her own book.

V is for Vinal, the "Blond Sailor" to be,
Luck in his voyages on the sea.

W is for Whitworth, a doodler in class,
Luck in his voyages on the sea.

W is for Wylie, who leads the cheers,
Only in name is she in arrears.

Rita M. Gonsalves, '48