

CHELMSFORD HIGH SCHOOL

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## Board of Editors

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.
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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
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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 bomes 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.

## Know! Care! Act!

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 $U_{\text {pward and }} O_{\text {nward }} \mathcal{I}_{\text {rail }}$

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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New York Pelyclinic

## We Remember...


"T've probably said this before, but . . ." ". . . Easy, if you know the answers" "The square on the hypotenuse . . ."

## CLASS OF 1948

## MOTTO <br> $U_{\text {pward and }} O_{\text {nuard }}$


Class Hower PEONY

## Class Advisers

MARY P. MOGAN
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THOMAS VINCENT CANTARA 12 Amherst Street North Chelmsford
CLASS PRESIDENT
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 School Delegate for Good Gov. Day $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Band '44, '45, '46, } 47 \\ \text { Foorball '45, } 46,47 & \text { Junior Dance Committee }\end{array}$
 Baseball '47 Christmas Concerts '45, '46, '47 "I Hope The Band Keeps Playing"
Hails from North but frequents Center . . . looks exceptionally well in a football uniform . . . "Atom" . . . muscle man . likes bowling . . . waltz king . . . smooth but powerful.

DOUGLAS LEONARD MacELROY
32 Billerica Stree
A.A. Member '44, '45 '46, SECRETAR

Football '4s, '46 '46 47
' 46, '47
Football, Capt. '47
Basketball '47, '4 Baseball '47, '48

Jor Class Treasurer Junior Red Cross '45 Junior Dance Committee '46 nior Dance Committee '47 Glee Club Concert '44 "Take Me Out To Tbe Ball Game"
"Cap" . . . Jack of all sports . . . authority on world problems . . . makes frequent visits to the Westlands . . . three star athlete . . . busy committeeman . . . baker's helper . . . sharpshooter on the basketball court . . . good fellow.


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

Foothall '45, '46, '47, 46, Junior Dance Committee Class President '46 Intramural Basketball '46

Ritchie" "Going My Way"
Ritchie" . . . quiet . . . slow to anger . . . gifted pianist . . sense of humor, under it as asually ... Wridiron gladiator . . . take boy to know . . . host of friends.

## JOAN ALICE HARTLEY

26 Sylvan Avenue
Class treasurer
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member '44, 45, 46, 47 Class Ring Committee
 Junior Red Cross, Sec. ${ }^{47}$ Senior Dance Committee Glee Club '45, '46 Graduation and Reception Usher '47 Glee Club Concerts '45: '46 Yearbook Staff Latin Club, Aedile '46, '47 Middlesex Women's Club Award '46 "Open the Door, Ricbard"
Petite, brunetis and coquette . . . first honor student . . marshal for class of 1947 . . . D.A.R. darling . . . struggling for driver's license. party hostess . . . sports the new look.



HAZEL JOAN ABRAHAMSON
5 Cemetery Road
West Chelmsford
A. Member lee Club Concert '47, '48 A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
Junior Red Cross '45', 46 Junior Red Cross '45, '46 , ${ }^{46}$ Usher ${ }^{\prime} 47$ Class Color Committe Glee Club '47, '48

> "Tbis Time It's Love"

Dresden doll ...sweet sophistication .... Ice Follies can-
didate ...fun-loving spirit ...talent and skill galore lovely coloratura voice . . . master of the typewriter keys . . all the charm and ability of the model secretary.

ARTHUR ALLAN ADAMS
77 Turnpike Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Junior Red Cross '44, '4 "Tbe Best Things In Life Are Free"
"In My Merry Chevrolet". . . Dick and Charlie are his pals $\ldots$ office boy .... frequent trips to South.... loves to dance with a certain girl ... shopping with Charlotte .... many a car
in his past . . skillful juggler of debits and credits .... future pharmacist.


ROBERT GEORGE ABRAHAMSON
142 School Street
A. A. Member '44, '45 A.A. Member '44, '45
Junior Red Cross '44,
'45
 Junior Dance Comm mittee Fire Minntes M Seni
More
Our rhythm man . . Jackie's boy
, takes life easy
runs for bus . . . daring fun maker . . . "I'm through with girls . . slumbers through every period 3 . . . devoted to cousin . . inventor of superb excuses.

BARBARA JANE ADAMS
41 Sherman Street
A.A. Member '45, 46

Junior Red Cross, Treas. '4s
Junior Red Cross, 44 Glee Club Concerts '45, '46, 47

North Chelmsford
Class Color Committee Cenior Prom Committee Glee Club '45, '46, '47, '48
"Tbe Dickey Bird Song"
$\qquad$
Hails from North . . . one of four . . "Auntic Barbs" . .
basketball enthusiast . . who's in Nashua? . . baby sit ting ..."by appointment please". ... loves to talk ... min strel show participant . . . promising executive's secretary.



MARY JANE ALEXANDER
11 Jensen Street Westlands Annual Band Concerts '45, '46, ${ }^{\prime} 47$ Junior Red Crass '44, '4s
 Intramural Basketball '46 '45, '46, 47
"Don't Fence Me ln"
Captain of the softball team. ..."Slugger" . . . Mother's Captain of the swett Miss Mary". ... models . dungarees ........ Mother's
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, , 4 , '4 46

Bascball '47, Capt. '48
A.A. Member '44, 45, '46
"Play Bal"
"Axe" . . . long and lanky . . . scoops up grounders around
second base . . plays Church League basketball ... drives his 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 A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46 Graduation and Rect
Wat a Pal Wary"
Wining and friendly Latin Club '46 ption Usher '47 . ... unasuuming and friendly
Good student ....unasuming and friendly .... member of the gang in room $21 \ldots$ has such a good time in gym! . .
clever with a needle ... "Oh, that sister of mine!"

## JOSEPH RALPH BELLEGARDE

7 C Street
 Junior Red Cross '44, 45
"I'd Rather
Office boy .... argues heatedly .... retires blushing
ent grin ... big businessman... always a push for th
ands . . class politician . . . future accountant.



BESSIE SUSANNE BLACKIE
64 Parkhurst Road
A.A. Member '45, '46, '47

Basketball, Co-Capt. '48
Softball '46, '47
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
Annual Band Concert '45, '46, '47,
1 arich of Dimes Concert ${ }^{\prime} 46,47,48$
Wxallent sportswoman "Sincerely Yours"
Wavy hair ... dancing brown eyes of
wavy hair .... dancing brown eyes ...
drafted for all posters and Yearbook.
Chelmsford Center Piano Concert ${ }^{4} 4$ ior Red Cross '45, ${ }^{46}$ unior Dance Committee Senior Dance Committee Yearbook Staff
Senior Prom Committee Senior Prom Committee horses. naturally
. clever ready wit ... class artist class artast
enjoyable compani

## NELSON LINWOOD BRAKE

4 Woods Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member

Baseball 47
Glee Club '47
"I Got a Gal 1 Lorr"
Nellie" . . . baseball enthusiast. .. "See you at seven, Flo" . Work dodger... baby sitter to ber baby sister.... outdoor man ...... A.


ELEANOR DAISY BROWN
200 Groton Road
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, ${ }^{46}$ Junior Red Cross '45, 46

Yearbook Staft
School Pianist
Pianist, Glee Club Concerts '45, '46, '47 Class Ode Committee Graduation and Reception Usher '47 Glee Club '45, '46, '4 Chairman, Class Color Committee Junior Dance Committee Senior Dance Committe
"My Buddy"
One of the Browns . . . ralented pianist . . . becoming short coiffure ... neat and accurate secretary . . . hearty laugh . . "that's what buddy said" . . . shorthand and ryping speed artist ...versatile . . . sparkling personality . . . enjoys life promises success.



ELEANOR RUTH BROWN
281 Chelmsford Street
Cheerleader is
A. A. Member '45, '46,'47 A.A. Member '45, '46, '47
Glee Club Concerts '46, '47, '4 Glee Club Concerts
Junior Red Cross '44,
45,
"Come Josepbine in My Flying Marbine"
The other Brown . . . charming Miss from the Westands quiet and shy .... perfect lady . . . blushes easily . . . tall and graceful . . . baby sitter now, relephone operator in the furure gracerul enioys airplane rides

JOHN CRAIG BURNS
48 Stedman Street
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46
A.A. Member '44, '45', 46
Newswriting Group '46

Newswriting
Football 47
Baseball, Mgr. '4
"Down by tbe Ocean"
Principal's son . . . lover of Latin (?) . . . basketball man ager . . . has fun . . . girls and more girls. . . flair for news writing . ...fights enthusiast .... fondness for all kinds of
dogs . . Naval Reserve member . . good-natured man.


PHYLLIS LENA BURROUGHS
15 Clancy Street East Chelmsford A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 Intramural Basketball '46 '47
 Glee Club '46 "Fisbin' for the Moon"
Quiet? Look again! .... 2 diller, 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. Hicks!'



ELISABETH ANN BYAM
8 Perham Street
A.A. Member 44,46

Junior Red Cross '44, '4s Band '44, '45, '46, 47

Chelmsford Center
Glee Club '4s

Pleanert Get By"
Pleasant manner ... quiet in classes . . . dependable and courteous . . . plays the clarinet . . . takes care of little brother . . .
a steadfast friend . . seeks an R.N. after graduation ... bound a steadfast f
to succeed.

## SHIRLEY ELIZABETH COLMER

42 Stedman Street
Westlands
A.A. Member '44, 45, '46, ${ }^{47} \quad$ Glee Club '45, '46, 47
Cheerleader '45, 46,47 Glee Club Concerss $45,46,47$

| Latin Club '46 Usher, Piano Fund Concert |  |
| :--- | :--- |
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Junior Red Cross '44, '45. '46, '47 Intramural Basketball '46
Junior Red Cross, Vice-Pres. ${ }^{\prime} 46$
Reception Usher " 47 , $A b$, Sweet Mystery of Life"
Ab, Swert Mystery of Life"
Forever averaging her ... to teach kindergarten .
lady ...e eager participator in every activity . . . cheerleader . . she's the big noise at all the games!



NICKOLAS STEPHEN CINCEVICH 75 Dunstable Road North Chelmsford | A.A. Member '44, '45, |
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| Junior Red Cross '44, | Junior Dance Committee

"G'uan Home Your Mudder's Callin' "
Future stone cutter ..."tickets, please". . . no interest in the faver pickles and dances.... dependable and quiet type.

JANE ELOISE CROSS
North Road
"Sunsbinc Aıenue"
"Sunsbing Aıenuc" North Chelmsford
Academy basketball participant greets everyone with a smile.
. blond Former West ford Academy bask with a smile ... leaves Mr lawyer-to-be . . sreets everyone wimpbell speechless... senior newcomer .... capable student I sophisticate plans college career.



THERESA LENORA DAIGLE
5 Gay Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 Glee Club '45, ${ }^{46}$ Junior Red Cross '44, 45, 46 Glee Club Concerts '45, '46 "Ont of This World"
Appreciates a joke .... wears a friendship (?) ring . . . Terry
enlivens room 2. . . likes music allegro con and Jerry...e enlivens room 2.... likes music allegro con 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 "Squeaky" .... hard worker at school and post office . . .
motor bike speedtrer ... special delivery ... misogynist. . .
friendly friendly and quict ... hangs out with Eph and Johnny
never in trouble. . sure of success.


DANIEL WILLIAM DEXTER
6 School Street
West Chelmsford A.A. Member '44, '4s Junior Red Cross '45, '46 ${ }_{\text {tese }}{ }^{\text {Am }}$
Clast Motte Committee "Dan Harvard Book Club Award '47 Dann) adventure
Avid supporter of ... adventuresome experimenter questions theories of scientists .... blushes brightly ..."still




NORMA ELAINE DURRELL
102 Middlesex Street North Chelmsford $\begin{array}{lll}\text { A.A. Member '44, '45 Graduation and Reception Usher ' } 47 \\ \text { Glee Club '45, } 46, & 47\end{array}$ Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47 Glee Club '45, '46, 47 Yearbook Staff Glee Club Concerts '46, ${ }^{47}$ French Club ${ }^{46}$ "Golden Earrings"
"Ned" really enjoys classical music . . . extensive vocabulary - loves Connesticut, but dreams of sunny California lovely voice . . . cinema fan .... reads fo
hair in place . . interested in poychiatry.


RITA MARGARET GONSALVES
Carlisle Street
East Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, 41 Band '45
French Club 46
Glee Club '45, '46
Junior Red Cross '44 Reception Usher ${ }^{4} 47$

Glee Club Concert '45, ${ }^{46}$ Sport Dance Committee ' 47
Senior Prom Commmet Pretty little Miss from Enst "Hone)"
Pretty little Miss from East_...sparkling brown eyes . .
izzy's chum ...temperamental ideas. izzy's chum .... temperamental ideas ... an efficient clerk in
Bell's... pleasing personality ... Guy Lombardo enthusiast Bell's. . pleasing personality
proud of her only brother.

EDITH MAY HALL



DONALD ARTHUR HANKINSON
Middlesex Road Tyngsboro
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Senior Dance Committee
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
 Annual Band Concerts '45, 46, 47, 48 Class Ode Committee
French Club, Pres. '46 "Say It Witb Music" Helpful Hank ... Bernie's chauffeur ... adds oompah to Helpful Hank ... Bernie's chauffeur . . . adds oompah to the band . . a a good student . . . as a future florist he migh tregular fellow and a real gentleman.



THERESA LENORA DAIGLE
s Gay Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 Glee Club '45, '46
 "Ont of Tbis World"
Appreciates a joke . . . wears a friendship ( $\}$ ) ring . . . Terry and Jerry . . . enlivens room 2. . . . likes music allegro con spirito .... a tease ....charming saleslady . . . curly blond
locks . . clothes conscious.

ROBERT JAMES DESMARAIS
99 Acton Road
Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, ${ }^{45},{ }^{46},{ }^{47}$ Intramural Baiketball '46, 47 Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47
$\qquad$ friendly and quiet never in trouble

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { "No Lifter Today" } \\
& \text { ard worker at school }
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6 School Street West Chelmsford A.A. Member '44, '45 Harvard Book Club Award '47 Junior Red Cross '45, '46 American Legion Scholarship Award '47 Class Mote Committe "Danns R

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& \text { friendly and quiet . . . hangs out wit } \\
& \text { never in trouble . . sure of success. }
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Avid supporter of West ... dver Avid supporter of West . . . adventuresome experimenter ....
questions rheorier of scientists ... blushes brightly ...."still questions theories of scientists . ... blushes brightly . . "still
water runs deep". .. loves hunting . . sings bass in the church choir ...rides motor bike ...able studens.



NORMA ELAINE DURRELL
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Carlisle Street
East Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '4) Band ' 41
French Club 46
Glee Club '45, '46
Junior Red Cross '44 Reception Usher ${ }^{46}$

Pretty little Miss from "Hones"
Pretty little Miss from East ....sparkling brown eyes . . .
izzy's chum . . temperamental ideas an efficient clerk in Bell's...pleasing personality ... Guy Lombardo enthusiast in Bell's... pleasing personality
proud of her only brother.

EDITH MAY HALL
 Oo, la la" . . . movie frequenter . . . asset to nursing professio 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, ${ }^{\prime}$ Piano Concert '48 Annual Band Conch Club, Pres. ${ }^{46}$, 46, Yearbook Staff
'Say It With Music
Helpful Hank . . . Bernie's chauffeur . . . adds oompah to
take to saying it with flowers! . . .
regular fellow and a real gentleman



LOIS RUTH HARNISH
255 Chelmsford Street
A.A. Member '44, '45, ${ }^{46}$
A.A. Member '44, ${ }^{\text {A. }}$ Glee Club '46, 47 '45, '46, '47 "My Hero"

## Westlands

Reception Usher ${ }^{1 / 47}$
Senior Glee Club Concerts '45, 46, 47 Jenior Duncer Red Cross '44 "My Hero"

Rarely seen without Ray . . . aspires 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.

KATHLEEN ISABEL HODGSON




CLARENCE MILTON HEFLER
21 Oak Knoll Avenue

## East Chelmsford

 A.A. Member ' $44,245, ' 46,47 \quad$ Junior Dance CommitteeFootball '44,'45, 46,47 Glee Club Concerts '44, '45, '46, 47 Football '44, '45, '46, '47 Glee Club Concerts '44, '45, '46, '47
Basketball '45, '46, '47
Senior Dance Committee Basketball 4 , ${ }^{4}$, $46,{ }^{47}$ March of Dimes Concert '46 "Fun and Fancy Free"
Captain "Muff" Hefler . . . native of East . . . singing Santa Claus .... oh! for a car ... frequents the Oaklands. . . longs to work for the B. \& M. . . . enjoys life . . superb dancer . . . plays hockey in chemistry lab.


DORIS ROBERTA JOHNSON
135 Main Street West Chelmsford
GRADUATION SPEAKER
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46 Memorial Day Assembly '45 French Club Vice-Pres ' 46
Latin Club, Consul ${ }^{4} 46$ Senior Assembly '47 Grad Graduation
Junior Dance Committee ${ }^{-46}$ G
Senior Dance Committee 47
Graduation Committee '47
and Reception Usher ${ }^{2} 47$
Senior Prom
Senior Dance C
Glee Club '47

[^0]LUCILLE MARIANNE LAGASSE
39 Old Westford Road
Chelmsford Center Senior Dance Comm 4r, 4 Concert '45, '46 Banketball '4s French Club ${ }^{4}$ Glee Club '4s
Junior Dance Commirtee '46
Favorite pastime is "Beautiful dreaming . . . dances the latest steps
. does justice to Vogue fashions. . never troubles trouble ...
blushes easily . . a cheery outlook on life . . trim and tidy.


JEAN MARIE KILBURN
302 Chelmsford Street
Westlands A.A. Member '45, '47 Graduation and Reception Usher '47
 But One Heart"
"Is this a test, Miss Maynard?" . . . enviable tresses . . . per-
petual blush . . neat dresser . . . enjoys the movies . . fond of a senior . . . industrious worker . . . sincere and true friend.

JOANNE LORRAINE LAKIN
10 Dartmouth Street
North Chelmsford A.A. Member '4s, '46, 47 Reception Usher '47
 "Tm a Big Girl Now"
Always with Barb and Jean . .. first on the bus daily . . aninuous smile...ready for fun ... lunchroom chorister . frequently late for Period s . . . prefers black convertible.



ROGER ALAN LEWIS
17 Central Square
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47 Foortall ${ }^{146},{ }^{4}$
Junior Red Cross '4
Jriohman Member, A.A. Board
Senior Dance Committee
Annual Band Concert ' 44 Intramural Basketball 46 Christmas Concert '4 Junior Dance Committee
" I Haven't Got a Worry In Tbe World"
Laughing cavalier ...smooth dancer .... just loves English famos for Friday night camping trips ... Beau Brummel preference for North . . . Dartmouth aspirant.


JEAN HOCKING LOGAN
21 Cottage Row
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '45,
Glee Clubs Concerte '4,

Glee Clubs Concerts '45, "46 Intramural Basketball My Newswriting Group '47 Glee Club '45, " "Stars in Your Eya"
Snapping brown eyes ... "Come on, Jo!" . . . gum chewer - pretty hair . . ladylike charm ... proud of baby sister hidden sense of humor

JOSEPH ROBERT McDONALD

VIRGINIA LOIS LOGAN
15 Grey Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '46 Junior Red Cross ${ }^{\prime} 46$

Glee Club Concert '46 Glee Club ${ }^{46}$ Intramural Basketball 47

Barbara's sidekick "Haunted Heart"
Barbara's sidekick . . . Nashua interest . .. popular music fan ... sofe voice and gentle disposition ... brown-eyed blonde career as hairdresser.



HENRY ROBERT McENANY
12 Church Street
A.A. Member '45, '46
A.A. Member '45. 46 '4

MARY LORRAINE MERCIER
78 Middlesex Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '46, 4 $\qquad$ Glee Club Concerts '46, '47 Junior Red Cross '46
$\qquad$
Joyous giggle . . . devoted sister to twin brothers . . . pretty, petite, and peppy . . . naturally curly tresses . . will brighten any
dance floor . . many male admirers . . . will of fice . . . "Lollypop."


RUSSELL WINN MERRILL
2026 Middlesex Street
North Chelmsford A.A. Member '44, $45,{ }^{46}$ March of Dimes Concert '44, 4s Junior Red Cross '44, '45 Annual Band Concert '45, '46, '47, '48 Basketball '48 Intramural Basketball '46 Football '46, '47 Fand '44, '45, '46, '47
"You've Got to Be a Football Hero"
"Rusty" . . . smooth basketball player . . . fast with a knife and fork and not bad at football either . . . drummer boy physics his main sin of omission . . . does his good turn daily.



KENNETH MERRILL MILLER
17 Washington Street North Chelmsford A.A. Member '44, $45,{ }^{46}$, ${ }^{4} 47$ Senior Dance Committee ${ }^{47}$ Football '44, '45, March of Dimes Concert i4 March of Dimes Concert ${ }^{44}$ G4
Glee Club Concert ${ }^{44}$ Glee Club Concert
Intramural Baskerball
${ }^{44}$ Basketball '47

Cross '44, ${ }^{2} 4$
Junior Dance Committee '46
"Nobody Knows The Troubles Tre Seea"
"Kenny" loves to argue . . sports enthusiast . . . avid reader and born leader...practical joker................ays teasing .... on time for classes ... yearning for medical career.


Jane patricia mills
16 Westford Street
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46'47 Graduation \& Reception Usher '47 A.A. Member Club Concerts '46, 47, '41 Glee Club '46, '47, 48 French Club '47 Junior Red Cross '45, '46, '47, ${ }^{48}$ "If's a Grand Night for Singing"
Seen dashing about in a new convertible . . . songbird of our
class class . . a a faithful worker and cooperative student ... big sister . . a future nurse . . . chuckles betray a delightful
sense of humor.

ELIZABETH GERTRUDE MINER
110 Princeton Boulevard North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club Concerss '45, Glee Club Concerts '45, '46, '47 Jun. Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47
Glee Club '45, '46, 47 Glee Club '45, '46, '47 Senior Dance Committer '47 Intramural Basketball '47 Reception Usher '47 Senior Prom Committee "Poppa, Don't Preacb To Mc" "Cuz" . . . at her best when chewing gum . . . lusty rooter - pint-sized mischief maker . . . forever dropping her compact .... easy to get along with . . . wants to be s Wave . . . "Oh, Mr. Callagy."



WILLIAM MARSHALL MORTHAM
74 Bridge Street
Chelmsford Center
A. A. Member '44, 45, '46, 47

Newswriting Group ' 47
" "A Merry Life"
Broad grin . . . jolly . . . used to own has a job ... Latin student of disticction a plopy . . . always for the berfit of a Lewrence disce corps . . blows a bugle for the benefit of a Lawrence drum corps

ARTHUR EDWARD NORTON 12 Woodlawn Avenue Westlands | 12 Woodiawn Avenue |
| :--- |
| Foorball 45,47 | Intramural Baketball '47, ${ }^{\prime 4}$

A.A. Member ${ }^{44}{ }^{-45}$
"Life Can Be Beantiful"
Speaks mind freely . . . beautiful curly hair $\qquad$ Lowell bound . . . salty sailor at heart . . . time for romance. . ${ }^{\text {en- }}$ ioys ease . . school girl complexion . . . changeable moods. .
early departure ( 2 o'clock sharp) . . frequent office visitor.



BARBARA MARIE MURPHY
22 Brouillette Street
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, 47
Glee Club '45, 46 $\quad$ Reception Usher '47
 Newswriting Group, Treas. '46 Glee Club Concerts '45, '46
Intramural Basketball 47 Intramural Basketbal 47 "Dark Eyr"
Inhabitant of the City Line village . . . does she remember
Hampton? Hampton? . . . one of Joanne's gang . . . appreciates a good
joke . . . known for her lunchroom antics . . always a pal joke . . known for her lunchroom and

## LOUIS ANTHONY OLIVER

37 Princeton Street
North Chelmsford A.A. Member '44, '45, $46,{ }^{\prime} 47$ Jun. Red Cross '44, '45, $46,{ }^{4} 47$ Football '44, '45, '46, '47 Intramural Basketball' '46, '47, '48 Junior Dance Committe:
Senior Dance Committee
"Louie" ... mooth dancer . . witty remarks and wei socks . . . allergic to neckties ... 200 pounds of man . . . tall,
dark, and handsome . . . all suburban guard ... Buckwhat's big brother . . refreshments in room 10 . . . universally popular.



THEODORE ALVARD OLSSON, JR. 122 Dalton Road Westlands A.A. Member '44, 45, 46 Football '4s, '46, 47 Class Motto Committee Baseball 48 ception Usher aseball $\quad$ Jntramural Basketball ' 4 "Swon" Wharll I Do" ${ }^{\text {" }}$

Swede" . . . math wizard. .. gets all homework done drives a new Studebaker . . . basketball at the "Y" . . . strong man .... mechanical gadgets. ...a real pal.... destination Northeastern.

## ROBERT PARLEE

135 Pine Hill Road
Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '44, '45, '46, '47
"Stont Hearted Men"

Toni home permanent .... hunter, trader, trapper , ... out current events..."What's the question, Mr. Campbell?" McHugh's chauffeur What's the question, Mr. Campbell? ducks.


AINSWORTH CARL PEDERSEN
160 Concord Road Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member '4
$1 \cdot 47$
Junior Varsity Basketball " 47
"Tbe Blond Sailor"
Navy bound ... always ready to sing . . . genius of Period 2 ... especially shy about tall girls ... anything for an argufriends and followers



BEVERLY ADAMS PICKARD
15 Perham Street

- Cheimsford Center STbe Waltz Yow Saved For Me"
Conspicuously quiet .... career uncertain ... Betty's chum frequents the Old Timers' Dances ... Center booster... sits in Room 10 sweet and demure . . . a wee, small voice sits in Room Church hoopster.

THOMAS HENRY RANDALL
308 Billerica Road
A.A. Member 47

Junior Dance Committee
Senior Dance Committee
Class Ode Committee Intramural Basketball '47, '48

Chelmsford Center Junior Varsity Basketball '47 Senior Prom Committee

Author of "The Randill Sioresque
Author of "The Randall Story" et cetera ... goes with a explanation erit
gentlemanly manners.



RAY PIKE, III

46 West ford Street
Band '44, '45, '46, '47
Band '44, '45, '46, '4,
Annual Band Concert $\cdot 45, ' 46, ' 47,{ }^{\prime} 4$ March of Dimes Concert ${ }^{46,147}$ "How Soon"

Chelmsford Center Piano Fund Concert ${ }^{\prime} 48$ French Club '46 | ench Club |
| :---: |
| Football 46 | Yearbook Staff really works

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. . . a teachers.... jumps


FERN AMANDA SCOBLE
Wildwood Street
Westlands
A.A. Member '44, ${ }^{45},{ }^{\prime} 46,{ }^{4} 47 \quad \begin{aligned} & \text { Intramural Basketball '46 } \\ & \text { Junior Red Cross }\end{aligned}$ Junior Red Cross '44, 45 Senior Prom Committe Softball " 46
"Ya-ta-ta, Ya-ta-ta"
Promptly delivers daily office reports . . . chatterbox . . delights in happy atmosphere of Kydds. . enthusiastic soft 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 4, ${ }^{\prime}$ Annual Band Concert ' 45 , $46,{ }^{\prime} 47$, 48 Senior Prom Committe Annual Band Concerts '45, '46, '47, 48
Scnior Dance Committee '47
"Heartbreaker
A-1 trumpeter and band member ....carefal driver knows some pretty good jokes . .. frequents mountains . . camera fan ....former Lowell office boy ...skiing .... al
ways ducking gym period $2 \ldots$ full of business ways
gait.

JOAN WHITNEY SHEA
118 Boston Road

Chelmsford Center A.A. Member '45, 46 | A.A. Member '45, |
| :--- | :--- |
| Latin Club, Consul | atin Club, Consul

Flench Club '46
Class Secretary '46 Graduation Class Motto Committe Cass Secretary '46GGaduation Decoration Committee '47
Graduation and Reception Usher '47 $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Graduation } & \text { Decoration Committee '47 }\end{array}$ Mem. Day Assembly ${ }^{\text {St }}$ Senior Prom Committee "Aren't You Glad You're You"
Erudite classmate . .. fourth year Latin student
aired colleen.... appreciates a joke ...smart clorhes dark
haired colieen . . . appreciates a joke . . . smart clothes . . Smith or Radcliffe . . . clever career awaits her.



MARY JOYCE SHEA
138 Main Street
West Chelmsford A.A. Member ' 46 French Club ' 46 Latin Club '46 Junior Dance Committee
Senior Prom Committee Senior Prom Committe

Misty dark "Mcmories"
Misty dark hair and eyes.... photogenic and pleasing miss models the latest in blousel . . . dotes on Shakespeare. delights in watchin

BETTY ELLEN STEWART
7 Sherman Street
North Chelmsford 7 Sherman A.A. Member '44, '45, 46
Banketball ${ }^{46,47}$
Senior Dance Committee '4, Genior Club '45, '46, '47
"Honce On Tbe Range"
A cheery smile for everyone... loves horses dreams of a dude ranch. as great attraction for music. appreciates a good joke . . . "Oh, that history!" . . cooking is her hobby.


ISABELLE FRANCES SOUSA
115 Gorham Street
A.A. Member '44, 45, 46

Junior Red Cron ${ }^{44}$
Jand 45
Graduation Decoration Intramural Basketball 47
"Izzy" "Personality"
"Izzy" . . . overflowing with energy ... life of the lunchroom . . . natural curls and wit . . . swell sport . . . contagious
giggle. . Rita's pal. causes near riots in period 3 giggle ... Ritas pal ...causes near riots in period
green eyes . stiends. . Who is Tony?


WALTER PAUL SULLIVAN
19 Westland Avenue
Westlands
A.A. Member '44, '45, '47 Senior Dance Committee ${ }^{47}$ A.A. Member 44, 45, Junior Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47
Football '47
"I'll Be Down To Get Yon In A Taxi, Honcy"
Never lost an argument...never overworked....iovial outlook on life ... tempted to sleep through physics drives a taxi for business and pleasure .... appreciative observer of feminine pulchritude ... many friend



ELMER GARFIELD SWANSON JR.
208 Dalton Road Chelmsford Center
A.A. Member 45, 46, 47 Band '45, 46, '47, '48 Annual Band Concerts '45, '46, '47 March of Dimes Concert '46
Junior Dance Committee '47 "Baby Face"
Comedian, vest pocket size . . . hails from the Westlands toots the clarinet in the band ... goes dancing every Friday ...a perennial in junior English.... determined to take it

KENNETH EDMUND VINAL
1s Highland Avenue
North Chelmsford
A.A. Member '43, '44, '45, 46 Jun. Red Cross '44, '45, '46, '47 "Ob, Jobnny" (Kenny)
Pink and white complexion ...ski cap....dry land sailor
. deMolay... serenaded every morning on the bus . . dry humor.... carries books forry moung lady ... good dancer - hard worker on hardware (?).



DOLORES MARIA TOEGEMANN
64 Richards Street
A.A. Member ' 46

Glee Club Concerts '46 Senior Dance Commitree ' 47 Cheerleader '47 Hick Hop Dance Committee '47 Intramural Basketball '46 Graduation Decoration Com. ' 47 Reception Usher '47 Senior Prom Committee "Look For The Silver Lining"
Always cheerful ...trusted confidante.... prefers the Navy . . . one of our few commuters . . . likes a good physics ioke . . . imaginative . . . "But, Mr. Hicks" . . . turns farmer in the summer . . . wants little, gives a lot . . . . future nurse.

GUY NELSON WHITWORTH, JR. 169 Chelmsford Street
A.A. Member '43, 44, 45, 46 Intramural Baske Junior Red Cross '43, 44, 4s Senior Prom Committee "My Heart's In Tbe Highlands"
Well! . cake sampler .... fond of chocolate Easter eggs . . . Bell Shop is his favorite hang out . . shines in math (?) .... class clown .... appreciates high school drinking fountains. ... seen in



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
Basketball '47, '48
Cheerleader '45, '46, '47 Graduation and Reception Usher Newswriting Group '46

Latin Club '46, Aedile '47
Chairman Ring Committee '46 Senior Dance Committee "Pal of Mine"
Consistently A student . . . cheerleader of renown . . . Kenny's girl . . . efficient on the basketball court . . "Say!" . . . loves math 2A . . . A plus popularity rating . . .strawberry blonde . . . willing worker . . . all around good sport.

## $U_{\text {pward and }} O_{n w a r d}$

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!

## Mpward 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.



Class of 1949

| President |  | James Buzzell, Jr. |
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| Adams, Doris | Gaudette, Victor | Nilson, Elsa |
| Barrows, Barbara | Gibbons, Raymond | Norton, Robert |
| Beausoleil, Doris | Gonsalves, Theresa | Palmgren, Phyllis |
| Bishop, Maureen | Greenwood, Constance | Petterson, Evelyn |
| Blott, Margaret | Guiney, John | Peverill, Louise |
| Buonopane, Edward | Hadley, Richard | Pihl, Roger |
| Campbell, John | Hamel, Ruth | Pope, Rita |
| Carr, Marjorie | Hardy, Elizabeth | Reid, Donald |
| Cashin, Charles | Hayes, Marie | Rose, Hazel |
| Clough, Marilyn | Hayes, Theresa | Russon, Jean |
| Colby, Phyllis | Hayward, Richard | Sargent, Sybil |
| Cole, Muriel | Hulslander, Irene | Scrizzi, Dawn |
| Crowell, Virginia | Jenkins, Margaret | Shea, Nancy |
| Cummings, Dorothy | Kelly, Chester | Shedd, Thomas |
| Curran, Christine | Lamb, Nancy | Spancs, John |
| Curtis, Nancy | Leach, Ronald | Staveley, Doris |
| Dexter, Lincoln | Lebrun, Harold | Staveley, Guy |
| Dinnigan, Walter | Leo, Concetta | Sweet, Patricia |
| Dryden, Joyce | Letteney, Ward | Valentine, Fay |
| Ducharme, Joan | Lind, Clark | Vayo, Paul |
| Dupee, Phyllis | Logan, Ralph | Welch, George |
| Durkee, Elizabeth | Mann, Joyce | Wilder, Elizabeth |
| Dutton, Claire | Marshall, John | Williams, Raymond |
| Edwards, William | McDonald, Rita | Wright, Charles |
| Falardeau, John | McMaster, Beverly | Young, Alva |
| Flynn, Patrick | Miller, Arthur | Zabierek, Eugene |
| Gadbois, Lorraine | Mills, Ann | Zouzas, Paul |
| Gannon, Elizabeth | Nadeau, Barbara |  |
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| Abrahamson, Jane | Lemay, Dolores |
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| Adams, Janet | Lovering, Dorothy |
| Avila, Louise | Lovering, Priscilla |
| Bailey, Joyce | MacDonald, Ruby |
| Barron, George | MacElroy, Robert |
| Bartlett, Virginia | Mackey, Charles |
| Bomil, Janet | Mainville, Omer |
| Bonura, John | Malloy, Malcolm |
| Bovill, Barbara | McHugh, Richard |
| Brooks, Lois | Molloy, Barbara |
| Brown, Evelyn | Moore, Loretta |
| Burne, Philip | Moss, Mildred |
| Burne, Richard | Noel, Irene |
| Burton, Lorna | Oliver, Vincent |
| Burton, Sylvia | Page, Robert |
| Burtt, Carolyn | Parker, Lester |
| Carlson, Edward | Parkhurst, Fred |
| Chagnon, William | Pedersen, Shirley |
| Clarke, David | Pelletier, George |
| Cochrane, Beverly | Petterson, Sally |
| Costello, John | Pickard, Carol |
| Courchaine, Ronald | Pickard, Donald |
| Croft, Joan | Poland, Janice |
| Daigle, Dorothy | Pomeroy, Connie |
| Dale, Joan | Proulx, Roger |
| Delorey, William | Reeves, Evelyn |
| DiRuzza, Clara | Reis, Allan |
| Donovan, Dana | Roberts, Joan |
| Ducharme, Barbara | Rose, Edna |
| Edwards, John | Sanderson, Jean |
| Eliasen, Donald | Shaw cross, Gail |
| Elwood, Robert | Sherman, William |
| Elwood, Ronald | Sidelinger, Jacqueline |
| Emanouil, Georgia | Simpson, Dorothea |
| Forest, Norman | Simpson, Jacqueline |
| Foster, Gertrude | Smith, Robert |
| Gadbois, Pauline | Spinazola, Mary |
| Gaudette, James | Talty, Ronald |
| Gervais, Alexander | Tansey, James |
| Gervais, Jean | Tousignant, William |
| Guerrero, Joan | Ullom, Marilyn |
| Hildreth, Nancy | Warren, Martha |
| Hollingworth, Joseph Jr. | Waterman, Shirley |
| Howard, Richard | Watt, Marilyn |
| Johnson, Edla | White, Robert |
| Kerrigan, James | Wright, Florence |
| Kilburn, Barbara | Yates, Stuart |
| Lakin, Marjorie | Zaher, Charles |
| Leaver, Richard | Zouzas, Elizabeth |
| L'Ecuyer, Elmer |  |

Adams, Ralph
Anderson, Richard
Ayotte, Claire
Ayotte, Lucille
Bailey, Ruth
Ballinger, Anne
Beaubien, Roland
Bell, Roberta
Bernard, Lorraine
Bicknell, Roger
Bishop, Robert
Blackie, Anne
Blott, Shirley
Bomil, Betty
Branch, Carol
Brodeur, Henry
Brown, Richard
Burke, Nancy
Carbonneau, Cecile
Carkin, Bruce
Carlson, Raymond
Carruthers, Robert
Chambers, Donald
Cody, Blanche
Collinge, Donald
Corfield, Frederick
Coughlin, Margaret
Cummings, Constance
Curran, Alice
Davis, Richard
DeSilvio, Louis
Dinnigan, Charlotte
Dulgarian, Stephen
Emanouil, Timothy
Farrington, Dorcas
Flavell, Eileen
Geary, Nancy
Gray, Wayne
Grondine, Theresa
Haberman, Allan
Hamel, Joan
Hardy, Raymond
Harrington, Kathleen
Hatch, George
Henderson, Joan
Henderson, Mable
Hicks, William
Hoyle, Richard
Hoyt, Eleanor
Jones, Barbara
Karafelis, James

Kelly, Harold
Kydd, Robert
Leaver, Donna
LeBrun, Florence
Mann, Isabelle
Manseau, Thomas
Marchand, Omer
Marcotte, Estelle
Matton, Rita
McCaffrey, Jean
Merrill, David
Mullen, Richard
Oates, Carole
Oczkowski, Edward
Oczkowski, Fred
O'Neill, Michael
Osborn, Carol
Ouellette, Joseph
Parlee, Henry
Peckham, Fenner
Peverill, Dorothy
Peverill, Laura
Pickard, Ann Louise
Pickard, Ronald
Pihl, Daniel
Pivirotto, Richard
Polewarczyk, Valenty
Proulx, Shirley
Reynolds, Sheila
Riley, Robert
Shepherd, George
Shuhany, Andrew
Stott, George
Suich, Peter
Sweet, Janet
Taylor, Milton
Tibbetts, Charlotte
Toms, Patricia
Tremblay, John
Valentine, Albert
Vennard, Elizabeth
Vennard, Thomas
Vinal, Harold
Wallis, Thelma
Warren, Fred
Wetherbee, George
Wheeler, Doris
Wyman, Eleanor
Yoachimciuk, William
Ziemba, Florence


Class of 1947
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 ParentTeachers' 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.



## Cheorleaders

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.


## Footall

The law of averages seems to apply even to athletic success, and certainly the Chelmsford High School football squad has proved no exception to this rule. After tying our first game with Punchard, we immediately ran afoul of bad breaks of all kinds. Many times we came close to victory, but when our hopes were highest, fate slammed the door, and we never quite achieved the desired end.

Captain Douglas MacElroy, who turns the controls over to Bruce Campbell, Captain-elect for ' 48 , feels confident that with the aid of the many underclassmen who are returning, next year's squad will turn the tables, and with their renewed efforts and valuable experience, change bad luck into good.

The scores:

CHELMSFORD

| Chelmsford | 6 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Chelmsford | 6 |
| Chelmsford | 13 |
| Chelmsford | 0 |
| Chelmsford | 0 |
| Chelmsford | 7 |
| Chelmsford | 13 |
| Chelmsford | 6 |
| Chelmsford | 6 |

## OPPONENT

| Punchard | 6 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Johnson | 19 |
| Tewksbury | 26 |
| Dracut | 12 |
| Maynard | 9 |
| Pinkerton | 26 |
| Weston | 27 |
| Concord | 33 |
| Howe | 13 |



## Girts' 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 copped 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.

The scores:

| Chelmsford |  | Opponents |  | Chelmsford |  | Opponents |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chelmsford | 24* | Wilmington | 8 | First team | 19** | Concord | 9 |
| Chelmsford | 19** | Alumnae | 30 | Second team | 15* | Concord | 11 |
| First team | 25* | Concord | 24 | Chelmsford | 18 | Pinkerton | 17 |
| Second team | 35* | Concord | 11 | Chelmsford | 26 | Dracut | 10 |
| Chelmsford | 32 | Dracut | 3 | Chelmsford | 38 | Burlington | 31 |
| Chelmsford | 20 | Johnson | 25 | Chelmsford | 29 | Howe | 26 |
| Chelmsford | 14 | Tewksbury | 10 | Chelmsford | 17 | Pinkerton | 11 |
| Chelmsford | 31 | Burlington | 17 | Chelmsford | 25 T | Townsend | 27 |
| Chelmsford | 20 | Johnson | 13 | Chelmsford | 19 | Tewksbury | 17 |
|  |  |  |  | Chelmsford | 23 | Howe | 27 |

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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.

The scores:

| Chelmsford |  | Opponents |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Chelmsford | 48 | Maynard | 25 |
| Chelmsford | 54 | Wilmington | 15 |
| Chelmsford | 39 | Alumni | 23 |
| Chelmsford | 41 | Methuen | 44 |
| Chelmsford | 23 | Maynard | 31 |
| Chelmsford | 24 | Dracut | 25 |
| Chelmsford | 37 | Johnson | 22 |
| Chelmsford | 46 | Tewksbury | 15 |
| Chelmsford | 18 | Methuen | 28 |
| Chelmsford | 49 | Burlington | 41 |


| Chelmsford |  |  | Opponents |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Chelmsford | 52 | Johnson | 30 |  |
| Chelmsford | 22 | Pinkerton | 53 |  |
| Chelmsford | 23 | Dracut | 44 |  |
| Chelmsford | 45 | Burlington | 26 |  |
| Chelmsford | 33 | Howe | 23 |  |
| Chelmsford | 41 | Pinkerton | 49 |  |
| Townsend |  |  |  |  |
| Tourney | 62 | Ayer | 33 |  |
| $\quad "$ | 33 | Milford | 47 |  |
| Small School |  |  |  |  |
| Tourney | 37 | Concord | 45 |  |
| " | 32 | Tewksbury | 38 |  |



## Bascall

Season's Schedule:
April 13
Westford , at Chelmsford
April 20
April 23
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May 1
May 4
May 7
May 11
May 14
May 18
May 21
May 28
June 1
June 4
Squad Members:
Axon, Gordon, Capt. Bishop, Edward Campbell, John Carlson, Raymond Carruthers, Robert Chagnon, William Clarke, David Davis, Richard

Marchand, Omer
Pickard, Donald
Polewarczyk, Valenty
Taylor, Milton
Tousignant, 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
Bomil, Janet, Capt.
Brooks, Lois
Burtt, 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




## Band

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.


## Glee Club

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
Miss Olive Littlehale, Director

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


## 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.B.C.'s of 1948

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, Reserved for a pretty, flaxen-haired lass.
W is for Wylie, who leads the cheers, Only in name is she in arrears.

Rita M. Gonsalves, '48


[^0]:    "Bobbie" . . . impish habitant of West
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[^1]:    * Non-league games T Tournament game

