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We respectfully dedicate this issue of "THE RIPPLE"

to

MR. JOHN E. GEE

in deep gratitude for his two and one-half years of cheerful constructive assistance and guidance.

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MARY ELIZABETH BOWMAN—"Mary"

St. Albans

Vocational

Softball 1, 2; Letters 1, 2; Cheerleader 2; Letter 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2; Library Club 3, 4; Officer 3; Senior Play 4.

Mary was our Mrs. Shultzhammer in the Senior Play and did a really swell job with her big red hat. She plans to attend a school of beauty culture in the fall.



ROSE MARIE BROOKER-"Rosie"

St. Albans

Classical

Softball 1, 3; Letter 3; Winter Sports 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; French Club 2; Assembly Club 2, 3; Officer 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Scholarship Award; Citizenship Award; Alumni Award; Delegate to Girls' State; Prize Speaking 2, 3; One-Act Play 3; Senior Play 4; Ripple Staff 3, 4; Class Officer 2, 4.

Rosie is one of the active girls in our class. She was a wonderful Mitzie in the Senior Play. She plans to attend the Maine Medical Center School of Nursing in September of this year.

TRESSA GERTRUDE BUBAR—"Tressa"

St. Albans

Commercial

Cheerleader 2; Letter 2; Chorus 2; Library Club 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Office Staff 4; Prize Speaking 2.

Tressa was our faithful F.H.A. member. We wish you the best of luck in your future plans with Dale.





NORMA DAWN BUCHANAN—"Norma"

Hartland

Commercial

Transfer from M.C.I. Office Staff 4; Class Officer 4; Senior Play 4.

Norma joined our gang this year, and we have certainly enjoyed her. She guarded our bankroll and did a really swell job. ORA VIRGINIA CARMICHAEL—"Ora"

St. Albans

Commercial

Chorus 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2; Library Club 3, 4; League Spelling 3, 4; Ripple Staff 3, 4.

Ora did an excellent job defending Hartland Academy in the League Spelling Contest, bringing home a trophy this year. Best of luck in whatever you may attempt.



ROGER RAYMOND COOLEN-"Roge"

Hartland

Civio

Basketball 2; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 2; Letter 2; Mathematics Award.

Roger was the worker of the Senior Class and the chief taxi-cab driver. We have had so much fun using his car for class activities. Roger was ambitious and held two jobs; one, learning; the other, working in Lovely's Garage.

EUGENE DOUGLAS EMERY—"Doug"

Hartland

Classical

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2; Letter 2; Cross Country 1, 2, 3; Letters 2, 3; Assembly Club 2, 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; National Honor Society 2, 3, 4; French Club 2; French Award; Science Award; Biology Award; Letan Award; English Award; Geometry Award; Chemistry Award; League Spelling 2, 3; Prize Speaking 2, 3; Winner 2, 3; League Winner 3; One-Act Play 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Ripplette Staff 1, 2; Ripple Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor-in-Chief 3; Class Officer 1, 3.

Doug, one of the class leaders, was the "Herb Shriner" of the class with his wit and sense of humor.





VONDELL KAY ESTES—"Bonnie"

Palmyra

Classical

Softball 1, 2, 4; Letters 1, 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Assembly Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; French Club 2; Student Council 3; Ripplette Staff 2; Ripple Staff 2, 3, 4; Editor-in-Chief 4; Winter Carnival Candidate 2, 3; Kennebec Valley Chorus 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3, 4; State Office 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3; Citizenship Award; Senior Play 4; Class Officer 1, 3, 4.

Bonnie is the all round sport. She is one of the hard working leaders of the Senior Class. We will never forget her as our mother in the Senior Play. Best of luck.

ROBERT JAMES GETCHELL-"Bob"

St. Albans

Classical

Assistant Baseball Manager 2; Baseball Manager 3; Winter Carnival Candidate 1, 3; Chorus 2, 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Assembly Club 2, 3; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Latin Award.

Bob is the studious "quiet" boy of the Senior Class. We hope Bob won't try to elope in real life as he did in the Senior Play. Best of luck from us all, Bob.



WILLIAM H. GOULD-"Willie"

Palmyra

Vocational

Band 1, 2; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Winter Sports 1, 2; Letter 2; Cross Country 4; Senior Play 4.

Willie was the quiet boy of the Senior Class and never disturbed anyone. He always took a great interest in agriculture and participated actively in F.F.A. We wish the best of luck to a swell guy.

DENNIS FLOYD HUFF—"Mr. Duff"

Hartland

Civic

Assistant Basketball Manager 3; Library Club 3, 4; Office Staff 3; Senior Play 4.

Dennis did a wonderful job as Oogie, a typical mixed up teenager, in the Senior Play. Maybe it's because he acted so natural. May you always keep your sense of humor in your future life.





ROXENE CLOVER HUGHES-"Rocky"

St. Albans

Classical

Assistant Softball Manager 2; Softball Manager 3; Letter 3; Basketball Manager 4; French Club 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; Assembly Club 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Pianist 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Prize Speaking 2, 3; Winner 3; League Prize Speaking 3; Senior Play 4; One-Act Play 4; Ripple Staff 4; History Award 3; Chorus Award 3.

Roxene is the musician of the Senior Class. She was our famous Judy in the Senior Play. Her future plans include training at the Maine Medical Center School of Nursing in Portland.

JO-ANNE KELSO-"Jo"

Hartland

Vocational

Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 4; Senior Play 4.

Jo-Anne can always be found arguing with the teachers. She made a swell Susie in the Senior Play. We wish her the best of luck in her future plans, in which Farmington State Teachers College is included.





ROSE MARIE LeVASSEUR-"Maxie"

St. Albans

Commercial

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3, 4; Assembly Club 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Office Staff 4.

Rose was our chipper little cheerleader from the Senior Class. She has vim, vigor, and life. Rah! Rah! Best of luck in your future plans.

ELEANOR MAE LITTLEFIELD—"Ellie"

Hartland

Vocational

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 1, 2, 3, 4; Winter Sports 1, 2, 3; Letters 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Kennebec Valley Band 4; Band Award; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3; Assembly Club 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Office Staff 4; Senior Play 4.

Ellie is another of our sports players, and H.A. will really miss her when she leaves. Best of luck, Ellie.





ESTHER ANN McNALLY-"Esther"

St. Albans

Civic

Band 1; Letter 1; Chorus 1, 2; Softball 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Award.

Esther was the class farm girl. We are wondering if perhaps this will be her future vocation instead of the nursing career which she is now planning.

EUGENE ALLEN MORRISON-"Gene"

Palmyra

Vocational

Cross Country 1, 2, 3; Letters 2, 3; Winter Sports 3; Letter 3; Assembly Club 3; F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; Officer 3; Library Club 1, 2; Baseball 1; Prize Speaking 3; Senior Play 4.

Gene is another boy in the Senior Class who has shown an interest in agriculture. He always liked to stump the teachers with his questions. Next year, he hopes to be at the U. of M.





VIRGINIA FAYE NICHOLS-"Sis"

St. Albans

Commercial

Softball 2, 3; Letters 2, 3; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Prize Speaking 2, 3; Winner 2; League Spelling 2; Assembly Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Office Staff 3, 4; Ripple Staff 3, 4; Citizenship Award; Senior Play 4.

Sis plans to enter the Air Force this June. We know that she will keep the service flying. We wish her luck in "hooking" her rich man.

MARIE THELMA PATTERSON-"Marie"

St. Albans

Civic

Chorus 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Prize Speaking 2, 3; Winter Carnival Candidate 1; French Club 2; Officer 2; Ripple Staff 3; Student Council 4; Senior Play 4; Class Officer 2.

There is an old adage that beauty is only skin deep, but because of Marie's charm and personality, we feel that it is much deeper than that.





PHYLLIS MAE PEASLEY—"Phil"

St. Albans

Vocational

Chorus 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Softball 2, 3; Letters 2, 3; Senior Play 4.

Phil is our "flutterby." If it had not been for Phil ringing bells, clanging cans, and sounding buzzers, our Senior Play would surely have been a flop.

NOREEN CHRYSTALL RUSSELL-"Sis"

Hartland

Civic

Chorus 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Class Officer 1, 3; Ripple Staff 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Officer 4; Mathematics Award; Marshal for Prize Speaking 2, 3; Senior Play 4.

Noreen was our washed-out wash woman in the Senior Play, and she did a swell job. She plans to attend a school of beauty culture so that she won't look washed-out again. Good luck to a happy-golucky gal.





RONALD ALLEN TASKER-"Tiger"

St. Albans

Civic

Chorus 2, 3; Assembly Club 2, 3; Prize Speaking 3; Cross Country 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Letters 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Letters 3, 4; Senior Play 4.

Tiger is one of the two fighting basketball players from the Senior Class. H. A. will never be the same without his unusual sense of humor. Best of luck in the future.

ALENE MARIE TAYLOR-"Leny"

Palmyra

Commercial

Assembly Club 2, 4; Officer 4; Class Officer 2; One-Act Play 3.

Alene is the smallest and quietest girl in the Senior Class. If it weren't for her smile, we would hardly know she was around. Best of luck.





GLORIA JEANNETTE WARNER-"Glo"

St. Albans

Commercial

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Shorthand Award; Office Staff 4.

Gloria was the class worrier, although she usually wore a smile instead of a frown. There may be a millionaire in the family soon, we hope. We wish her luck in Portland and hope that she will make the perfect secretary.

LITERATURE

CHARLES

Charles Emery is the envy of the town of Hartland. He moved here about two years ago and has been doing well ever since. However, when he first arrived in Hartland he would not try to get acquainted with anyone in the neighborhood. This seemed strange, for he was very friendly and talkative on the farm. I mentioned earlier that he was the envy of the town, didn't I?

Charlie is a well-educated young fellow in his field. He now gets around and meets every fellow and gal in town (maybe a little too much so), and when he goes to see them, he sometimes doesn't return for two or three days. Maybe that's because he has to walk everywhere he goes. Charles has the most beautiful red hair you have ever seen! Funny-all the other Emerys have brown hair. Maybe we have a red-headed ancestor somewhere. Frankly, I'm worried about Charlie-he's lost a lot of weight since we moved to town. He isn't staying home much now, and he isn't eating very regularly. Goodness! I hope he isn't smoking on the sly, or something like that. In spite of losing weight, Charlie is built well enough so that it isn't too noticeable. For the last two or three years, he's had a terrible crop of red hair on his chin. I've tried to make him shave, but he just won't do it.

Last year, a very unfortunate incident occurred. Charlie was injured in a fight. Someone hit him in the right eye with something; he never would tell us who did it. Anyway, we rushed him to the doctor, and he had to have his eye removed. Since we couldn't afford a glass eye, the doctor

just sewed his eyelid up and let it sink back in. Charlie doesn't seem to mind it too much; he just doesn't look in the mirror as much as he used to. Many people think he looks terrible, but it doesn't even show when he's asleep.

You're probably wondering where Charles works. Well, he doesn't work now. He used to work on the farm, but he just can't seem to get used to working in town. I don't think he likes to work indoors anyway. He never has said anything about it, but I can tell by the way he acts. You know how it is, anyway—bad eye and all. Really can't blame him.

Charles gets very annoyed at me, I think. He usually stays home to watch the fires; yet I never take him home anything. Can't blame him, for he hates to go to a store. People never wait on him.

Charlie gets very angry when I shut his tail in the refrigerator door. Oh, my goodness—tail reminds me! I bet I forgot to tell you that Charlie was my cat. You probably thought he was a dog or a billy goat, didn't you? You didn't think he was human, did you? You did? Oh—oh! Charlie will kill me when he finds out about this. He hates to be the subject of a conversation!

Douglas Emery '55

THE TOWERS OF NATURE

If you have ever walked through the forests, you have seen them. If you have strolled through the parks of your city, you have seen them. If you have ever rolled along the highway in the family car, you have seen them. By now you must have drawn some conclusion about what I'm writing. Yes, the poplar, the elm, the pine, the birch, the beach, the maple, the oak, the fir—these are the Towers of Nature.

Have you ever been for a walk through the forests near your home in the winter? If you have, you must have seen the majestic pine, with its green sprills protruding from the ivory white snow. This scene undoubtedly made a picture in your mind that no artist could reproduce. The pine and the many other members of its family are a good example of evergreen trees. The name gives you a vivid idea of what they are. The evergreen trees stay green all the year.

Then there is the mighty oak, identified by the rough bark which covers it and by the acorns that cluster its branches. The oak in the fall of the year is a beautiful sight to view, with its leaves turned to all the colors of the rainbow by the first early frosts. Then in mid-winter its monstrous limbs are bare and outstretched like the arms of a mighty blacksmith pleading for mercy. This is an amazing sight. The oak is a good example of the trees that do not stay green all the year long, losing their leaves in winter.

If anyone ever took the trouble or, I should say, the pleasure to list all the different names and descriptions of the trees, it would take a book of a thousand pages to condense the material.

The reason why I speak of them as the Towers of Nature is that they rise above everything else in the forests. They range from three feet to several hundred feet in height; however, whether they are three feet or three hundred feet high, they all have a certain beauty that captivates all men at one time or another.

Jack Dyer '56

The following essay was written to show the value of vocabulary study.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY— A SCOURGE TO THE WORLD

The people of the world are by nature a heterogeneous lot, because each person has his own personality. The chief aim of the Communist Party is to make the peoples of the world into a squalid aggregation of homogeneous slaves. They will place a few mercenary leaders in command of each country and let the rest of the populace starve. The world will then fall into a chaotic state, seething with internal strife. They will corrupt the people with their odious beliefs. They will place the intelligentsia at sedentary jobs, and the average people will be reduced to menial labor.

I cannot comprehend why a person of even average intelligence can be convinced to join this movement. These insidious men, with their myriads of tiny subtleties and subversive ways, are able to usurp a country to the extent that it becomes a mausoleum for political prisoners and an abattoir for the common people. If a few men achieve key positions, their voluminous speeches may add several thousand renegades to their numbers.

The atrocities that would be committed under a Communist regime

are illustrated by those committed in the part of the world that is under Communist rule. There is no such thing as a fair court or a legal subpoena. When they want a person in court, the leaders usually send two secret policemen with machine guns after him. When one goes to court, there are vast amounts of superfluous evidence against him. He might just as well be in Siberia, a heinous place to which people are ostracized. People convicted by these purges are taken as far as the Ural mountains, where they begin the long, precipitous march to Siberia. This is not exactly salutary to their constitution. The prisoners are fed twice a day. usually cold meat and dark bread. The tenacious cold kills many before the destination is reached. The food in these concentration camps is far from succulent, for it is so full of garlic that it could be considered downright toxic. One becomes incredulous when he sees how senile some of the prisoners are; however, they still must gather their quota of wood every day.

We have received a patrimony of freedom from our ancestors. Should we lose this precious heritage by trying to placate Russia and then letting her conquer our great nation? If we permit this tawdry belief to enter our country, we can never redress the wrong. Leading sources prognosticate that if we do not assert ourselves some time soon, we shall be overrun by these scions of the devil.

THE FAMILY DOG

Some time in our life we all have had something that we cherished dearly. So did the Emerson family. Their cherished possession was Colonel, the collie dog.

They had this dog long before I went to live with them; in fact, they had had it since it was a puppy.

Betty, the only child of the Emersons, learned to walk by the help of Colonel. He would slowly walk across the floor and lead Betty along. In this way she learned to walk much more quickly than other children her age. Betty grew up loving this dog just as dearly as did her folks.

Colonel had not only been a good companion for Betty, but he had also saved her life. One summer afternoon Betty and Colonel were out in the cow pasture near the pond, and, as many children do, she went too near the edge and fell in. Colonel did not jump in, but he did help to save her. He ran across the pasture and straight to the Emerson home, barking constantly. The barking brought the family outside, and Colonel led them to the pond where Betty was struggling to keep herself afloat. Mr. Emerson rescued Betty and found her to be unharmed. After this heroic deed, the Emerson family called Colonel a hero.

As in all lives, there are happy moments and sad ones. To the Emerson family, the saddest one was when their hero passed away. Since Colonel was a member of the family, they gave him a funeral. He is not forgotten, and on each Memorial Day, Colonel receives a wreath in remembrance of his wonderful deeds and the joy he brought to the Emersons.

The following was the winning essay in a contest sponsored by a local merchant.

WHY LOCAL WAGE EARNERS SHOULD TRADE IN HARTLAND

A community's appearance tells travelers whether it is prosperous or not. If wage earners trade locally, merchants can keep their stores attractively painted, neat and clean, with decorative windows, showing that it is a prosperous town. Also, this trade is the storekeeper's sole way of securing a living for himself and his family.

The more trade the stores secure, the more they can expand in merchandise and lessen expenses. This will produce lower prices for customers.

When a new project is started, merchants are the ones who contribute generously of their money and merchandise, and stand by the project until completed. The merchants have helped finance such things as the new school building, hospital, and numerous organizations, with help from their patrons, all of which makes better future citizens.

Many worthy and needy families have been helped through cooperation from local merchants.

The Baxter Canning Plant and the Hartland Tannery wouldn't have been located in Hartland had they not been backed by local merchants. Now, these industries are the livelihood of many. When people patronize their local stores, prosperity moves in cycles, and everybody concerned benefits.

Storekeepers help pay a good part of a town's taxes, which support schools, roads, fire departments, lighting, and water systems.

Vondell Estes '55

FOREST DRAMA

I went to the forest the other day,

I watched frisky squirrels at their play.

Top to bottom, bottom to top, Don't those squirrels ever stop?

I saw a white rabbit run through the fir green,

And hot on his trail a fox was seen.

After losing the fox, he struck a sly

Rose up on his hind legs and wiggled his nose.

A white weasel ran up the brown bark of a fir,

At the top sat a partridge; he will surely get her.

But at the last moment the bird realized her plight.

Spread out her short wings and took off in swift flight.

Byron Connell '56

HARTLAND ACADEMY

H is for the happy hours spent at old H.A.

A is for the athletics in which we like to play.

R is for the reasoning of all the teachers here,

T is for the teachers that we all love so dear.

L is for the *love* among the many friends we've made,

A is for the adventures we've all had at old H.A.

N is for the *number* of different things we do, D is for the *dances* that are held in our school.

A is for the awards the students of H.A. win,

C is for the *cheers* that our cheerleaders sing. A is for the *action* the students always have,

D is for the doings of the students; none are bad.

E is for the excitement that all the students cause,

M is for the many projects, when doing we never pause.

Y is for the youths that go to this fair school. They always are cheerful and obey every rule.

Carlene Hubbard '58

SENIOR PLAY



Front row, left to right: M. Patterson, M. Bowman, N. Russell, J. Kelso, Mrs. Parker, E. Littlefield, V. Estes, R. Hughes.

Second row: V. Nichols, R. Brooker, E. Morrison, D. Emery, D. Huff, R. Getchell, R. Tasker, R. Coolen, N. Buchanan

The Senior Play this year, "A DATE WITH JUDY," was presented at the Avon Theatre on November 18, 1954. Under the able coaching of Mrs. Parker, the play was a great success, especially the unrehearsed parts. The whole cast gained experience from presenting it, and the play netted a fine profit for the class. The following is the cast of characters:

Judy Foster, a teen-aged miss	Roxene Hughes
Melvin Foster, her father	Eugene Morrison
Dora Foster, her mother	Vondell Estes
Randolph Foster, her brother	Douglas Emery
Hannah, the maid	Virginia Nichols
Barbara Winsochet, Judy's friend	Marie Patterson
Oogie Pringle, the man in Judy's life	Dennis Huff
Mitzi Hoffman, another of Judy's friends	Rose Brooker
Mr. Martindale, a theatrical producer	Ronald Tasker
Mrs. Hotchkiss, the laundry woman	Noreen Russell
Eloise Hotchkiss, her daughter	Eleanor Littlefield
Mrs. Shultzhammer, a member of the P.T.A.	Mary Bowman
Rexford Meredith O'Conner, a new boy in toy	vnRobert Getchell
Suzie O'Conner, his sister	Jo-Anne Kelso

Robert Getchell '55

JUNIOR CLASS



Front row, left to right: Mrs. Parker, D. Glavine, G. Banks, R. Seekins, E. Crowell, J. Dyer, N. Estes, S. Southard, P. Deering, K. Marson, D. Goforth.

Second row: E. Sherburne, D. Neal, V. Goforth, M. Hart, R. Lewis, H. Sawyer, B. Connell, K. Griffith, D. Nelson, W. Weeks, R. Babnaw, E. Knowles, O. Knowles, W. Elliot.

A class of twenty-five jolly juniors came back to H. A. with smiling faces the first day of school.

At our first class meeting, the following officers were elected:

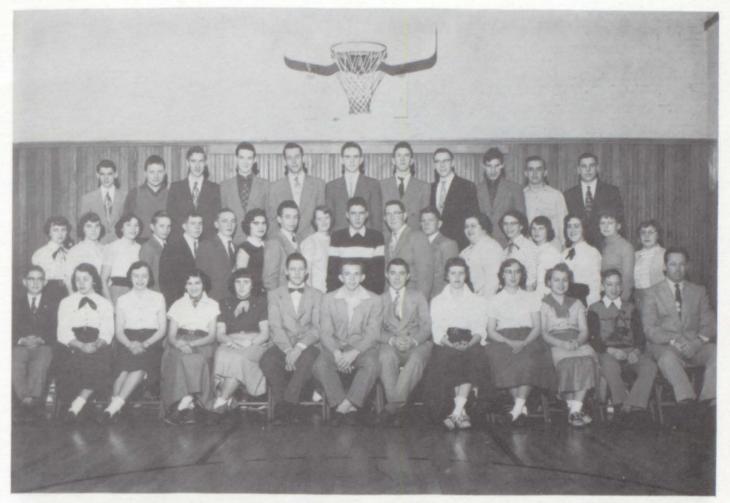
President				. Jack Dyer
Vice-Presid	ent			. Nancy Estes
Secretary				Sandra Southard
Treasurer				Elizabeth Crowell

We have had a Halloween party and an April Fool's dance, both of which were very successful. We made approximately \$60 on the two entertainments.

The annual Junior Prom will be held May 20, and a good time is in store for everyone who attends.

Earl Sherburne '56

SOPHOMORE CLASS



Front row, left to right: W. Patterson, E. Littlefield, D. Phillips, A. Crowell, D. Lovely, P. Smith, P. Seekins, K. Dunton, W. Connell, R. Winchester, K. Hart, R. Taylor, Mr. Osgood.

Second row: L. Nichols, S. Webber, M. Hart, F. Brown, R. Bubar, P. Bowman, B. Spaulding, R. Tweedie, S. Sawyer, R. Kelso, E. Bowman, P. Hubbard, V. Walker, P. Humphrey, P. Rice, E. Hubbard, N. Fox, J. Davis.

Third row: M. LeVasseur, R. Stedman, D. Hughes, H. Buchanan, J. Morgan, B. Buker, R. Martin, R. Fisher, W. Hewins, D. Pratt, W. Frost.

The Sophomore Class started the school year with forty-two eager students. The officers elected for the year were as follows:

> President Phillip Seekins Vice-President Kenneth Dunton Secretary Willma Connell Treasurer . Paul Smith

The Sophomore Hop was held November 19, with a very good crowd attending. The affair was very successful and netted the class a profit of approximately \$20.

FRESHMAN CLASS



Front row, left to right: Mr. Lenentine, G. Luckman, J. Connelly, J. LeVasseur, J. Tweedie, C. Webber, N. Winchester, M. Campbell, C. Hubbard.

Second row: B. Giles, J. Pease, R. Cromwell, R. Nutter, H. Cooney, J. Cromwell, E. Moore, M. Estes, R. Tompkins, C. Hall, D. Nadeau.

Third row: L. Elliott, R. McFarland, P. Hall, D. Bell, D. Huff, D. Butler, A. Simpson, D. Grant, P. Parson.

In September, 1954, twenty-eight new, eager students were welcomed by Hartland Academy. We elected the following officers to serve throughout the school year.

President				. John Tweedie
Vice-Preside	ent			Christine Webber
Secretary				Joan LeVasseur
Treasurer				John Connelly

The big event of the school year for us was the Freshman Reception. We have also had dancing classes this year, with Miss Nelson and Mr. Lenentine as our instructors.

The Freshman Class placed second in the magazine drive. Roger Mc-Farland, one of the freshman students, was the leading salesman in the school.

The class members have participated actively in sports and other school activities. We are looking forward to three more enjoyable years at H. A.

Joan LeVasseur '58

STUDENT COUNCIL



Front row, left to right: V. Nichols, E. Sherburne, Mr. Trask, D. Emery, R. Brooker, N. Russell, E. Crowell, M. Patterson.

Second row: J. Tweedie, J. Dyer, D. Hughes, P. Seekins, D. Glavine.

The Student Council met shortly after school started and elected the following officers:

President				Douglas Emery
Vice-Presid	ent			. Rose Brooker
Secretary				Earl Sherburne
Treasurer				Noreen Russell

We have held meetings throughout the year for discussing school problems and making plans concerning the regular business of the Student Council.

Earl Sherburne '56

JUNIOR PRIZE SPEAKING



Front row, left to right: E. Crowell, P. Deering, S. Southard, G. Banks. Second row: D. Glavine, Mrs. Parker, N. Estes.

The Hamilton Prize Speaking Contest was held in the Hartland Academy Auditorium on April 6. It was attended by a large and appreciative audience.

Introduced by Ruth Seekins, the speakers gave the following selections:

"Herve Riel"	Gloria Banks
"Rich Guy"	Elizabeth Crowell
"The Revolt of Mother"	Nancy Estes
"Lily"	Sandra Southard
"My First Date"	Priscilla Deering
"Lawd, Be Merciful"	

Dorothy Glavine of St. Albans won first place; Nancy Estes of Palmyra won second. Medals were awarded both girls.

We deeply appreciated the musical selections that were provided, and we wish to thank Mrs. Parker for her time and patience in coaching us.

Elizabeth Crowell '56

SOPHOMORE PRIZE SPEAKING



Front row, left to right: W. Patterson, D. Phillips, P. Rice, L. Nichols, K. Hart. Second row: P. Hubbard, R. Fisher, B. Buker, Miss Nelson.

The Burton Prize Speaking Contest was held in the Academy Auditorium on March 31. The speakers and the selections were as follows:

Lorraine Nichols
Bradford Buker "Just a Simple Cold"
Deborah Phillips "At the Lace Counter"
Wendall Patterson "The Flea Gang's First Cigars"
Pauline Rice "Ma's Monday Morning"
Phillip Hubbard "Si's First Football Game"
Kathleen Hart "Keeping the Office for Papa"

Music was furnished by Eleanor and Ethelyn Littlefield and Roxene Hughes.

Mr. Trask presented prizes of ten dollars to the winning girl and ten dollars to the winning boy. The winners were Pauline Rice and Bradford Buker.

Everyone did an excellent job, thanks to our coaches, Miss Nelson and Mrs. Trask.

Kathleen Hart '57

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



Reading clockwise: R. Fisher, V. Nichols, R. Getchell, R. Seekins, N. Russell, V. Estes, N. Estes, D. Emery, R. Brooker.

The National Honor Society is a nationwide society sponsored by the principals of the secondary schools of the United States. A student with high scholastic standing, ability for leadership, a willingness to serve the school, and outstanding character is eligible for election to this organization. The membership is limited to a certain number from each class who have excelled in these four requirements.

Mr. Trask announced the newly elected members this year as follows: Noreen Russell, Vondell Estes, Nancy Estes, Ruth Seekins, and Robert Fisher.

Members who were elected previously and who are still in school are Robert Getchell, Douglas Emery, Rose Brooker, and Virginia Nichols.

The initiation of the new members will be held at Newport, May 13, at 8:00 p. m.

Virginia Nichols '55

LEAGUE SPELLING



Left to right:

Mrs. Earle

O. Carmichael

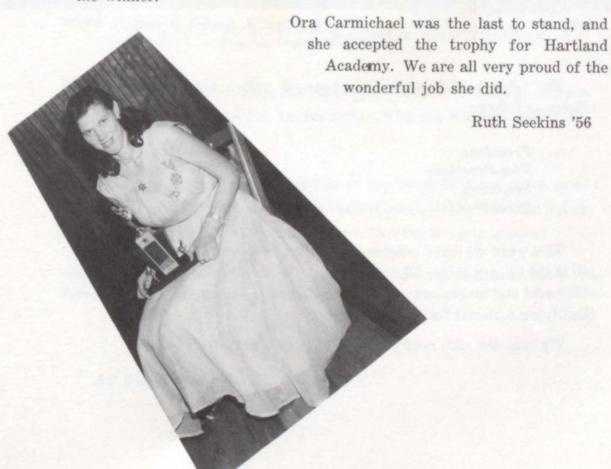
R. Fisher

R. Seekins

L. Nichols

The League Spelling Contest was held at Newport High School, November 4, 1954, with the following schools participating: Carmel High, Corinna Union Academy, East Corinth Academy, Hampden Academy, Hartland Academy, Hermon High, and Newport High.

The first person to misspell a word was seated and given the number twenty-four; the second was given twenty-three, and so on, until all had been spelled down. The school receiving the smallest number of points was the winner.



LIBRARY CLUB



Front row, left to right: W. Patterson, J. Davis, E. Littlefield, P. Peasley, R. Hughes, N. Russell, P. Seekins, Mrs. Parker.

Second row: R. Seekins, P. Deering, S. Southard, J. Dyer, R. Getchell, D. Huff, H. Sawyer, O. Carmichael, V. Walker, R. LeVasseur.

The Library Club started the year off with a big bang and elected officers as follows:

President				Roxene Hughes
Vice-Preside	ent			Phyllis Peasley
Secretary				Noreen Russell
Treasurer				Phillip Seekins

This year we have nineteen members, who are doing a remarkable job at the library table. The club, as a group, has been studying the available books and magazines, trying to find a better system for arranging and classifying material for another year.

We hope the club next year will have as successful a year.

Noreen Russell '55

OFFICE STAFF



Front row, left to right: E. Littlefield, G. Warner, T. Bubar, R. LeVasseur. Second row: V. Nichols, Mr. Osgood, N. Buchanan.

The members of the Office Staff this year are Rose LeVasseur, Norma Buchanan, Eleanor Littlefield, Tressa Bubar, Virginia Nichols, and Gloria Warner.

The purpose of the Office Staff is to run errands, type, carry messages, answer the phone, and perform various other tasks. All these duties tend to acquaint the commercial students with office work in general.

Norma Buchanan '55

ASSEMBLY CLUB



Front row, left to right: K. Marson, R. Hughes, G. Luckman, A. Taylor, J. Dyer, W. Patterson, N. Estes, R. LeVasseur, K. Hart, Mr. Trask.

Second row: V. Estes, D. Nadeau, F. Brown, P. Deering, B. Giles, P. Bowman, V Nichols, E. Hubbard, S. Southard, E. Crowell, E. Littlefield.

Third row: G. Banks, R. McFarland, R. Stedman, D. Hughes, O. Carmichael, M. LeVasseur, D. Glavine, K. Dunton.

The Assembly Club was organized at the beginning of the year under the supervision of Mr. Trask.

At the first meeting the officers were elected as follows:

President .			. Jack Dyer
Vice-President			Wendall Patterson
Secretary .			. Alene Taylor
Parliamentaria	r.		. Nancy Estes

In March, the resignation of Jack Dyer was accepted, and Vondell Estes was elected to serve as president.

With the co-operation of approximately twenty-eight members, we have presented some successful assemblies.

Alene Taylor '55

ONE-ACT PLAY



Front row, left to right: R. Hughes, N. Estes, Mrs. Parker, D. Glavine, R. Seekins. Second row: E. Sherburne, R. Lewis, D. Emery, R. Tasker.

The Central Maine League One-Act Play Contest was held at Corinna on March 11, 1955. Hartland Academy's participating production was "The Happy Journey."

The characters were as follows:

Ma Kirby	Nancy Estes
Pa (Elmer) Kirby	The state of the s
Arthur (thirteen)	
Caroline (fifteen)	
Beulah (twenty-two)	
Stage Manager	
Prompter	

The play was unusual in that no props were necessary on the stage.

The cast had an enjoyable time working together on the play, and to Mrs. Parker, our coach, we express our sincere thanks.

BAND



Front row, left to right: R. Winchester, V. Estes, N. Estes, Mr. Garenani, R. Hughes, E. Littlefield, E. Littlefield.

Second row: C. Hall, P. Hall, R. Fisher, A. Simpson, D. Grant, D. Nadeau.

The band was organized in September under the direction of Mr. Garenani. The present Freshman Class furnished four new members.

Eleanor Littlefield and Clifton Hall were members of the Kennebec Valley Band this year.

The band consists of the following twelve members:

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Trumpet Clarinets

Trombone Bass Drum Bell Lyre Denzil Grant Dean Nadeau

Robert Fisher

Ethelyn Littlefield Anthony Simpson

Vondell Estes Nancy Estes

Clifton Hall

Philip Hall

Eleanor Littlefield Roselyn Winchester

Roxene Hughes

Ethelyn Littlefield '57

Kennebec Valley Chorus and Band



Front row, left to right: D. Nadeau, E. Littlefield, C. Hall, N. Estes, W. Patterson, R. Winchester, V. Estes, Mr. Garenani.

The Hartland Academy Chorus sent five students to participate in the All Kennebec Valley Chorus. Two students represented the Hartland Academy Band in the Kennebec Valley Band, also.

After two all-day rehearsals, concerts were presented in Madison, Waterville, and Gardiner.

The following are members of the chorus:

Vondell Estes	1st Alto
Nancy Estes 2nd	Soprano
Roselyn Winchester 2nd	Soprano
Wendall Patterson	st Tenor
Dean Nadeau	1st Bass

The following members participated in the band:

Eleanor	Litt	efield	Trombone
Clifton	Hall		Clarinet

We not only gained much experience in participating in these organizations, but we enjoyed meeting the boys and girls from other schools.

We all wish to thank Mr. Garenani and Mr. Clegg for making this enjoyable experience possible.

Nancy Estes '56

CHORUS



Front row, left to right: R. Hughes, R. Winchester, V. Estes, N. Estes, Mr. Garenani, W. Connell, L. Nichols, K. Hart, R. LeVasseur, W. Patterson.

Second row: D. Nadeau, G. Warner, S. Sawyer, R. Martin, D. Huff, J. Tweedie, P. Humphrey, S. Webber.

This year, under the guidance of Mr. Garenani, we had many a pleasant chorus practice.

We presented a Christmas Concert in December, and we are now rehearing for graduation.

Roxene Hughes was our accompanist and did a laudable job.

The chorus sent five people to the Kennebec Valley Chorus. Representing Hartland Academy were Vondell Estes, Nancy Estes, Roselyn Winchester, Wendall Patterson, and Dean Nadeau.

We wish to thank Mr. Garenani for his patience and guidance.

Vondell Estes '55

Future Homemakers of America



Front row, left to right: Miss Nelson, R. LeVasseur, N. Winchester, B. Spaulding, M. Bowman, N. Estes, S. Southard, J. Davis, V. Estes, N. Russell, R. Brooker, M. Campbell, C. Hubbard.

Second row: G. Luckman, E. Crowell, J. LeVasseur, A. Crowell, L. Nichols, R. Winchester, P. Rice, M. Hart, E. Hubbard, S. Webber, P. Peasley, V. Nichols, J. Kelso, V. Walker, P. Deering, N. Fox, T Bubar, E. Littlefield, D. Lovely, D. Phillips, E. Littlefield, K. Hart, R. Hughes.

Third row: B. Giles, R. Nutter, S. Sawyer, D. Glavine, J. Cromwell, E. Moore, W. Connell, C. Webber, H. Cooney, D. Goforth, N. Estes, P. Humphrey, R. Seekins.

The first meeting of the Future Homemakers of America was held September 22, 1954, with approximately fifty attending. At this meeting we elected the following officers: President, Sandra Southard; Vice-President, Joyce Davis; Secretary, Nancy Estes; Treasurer, Vondell Estes; Reporter, Noreen Russell; Parliamentarian, Rose Brooker; Historian, Betty Spaulding; and Song Leader, Mary Bowman. Mrs. Edna Estes was elected to serve as our Chapter Mother. On October 12, 1954, these officers were installed in an impressive candlelight ceremony.

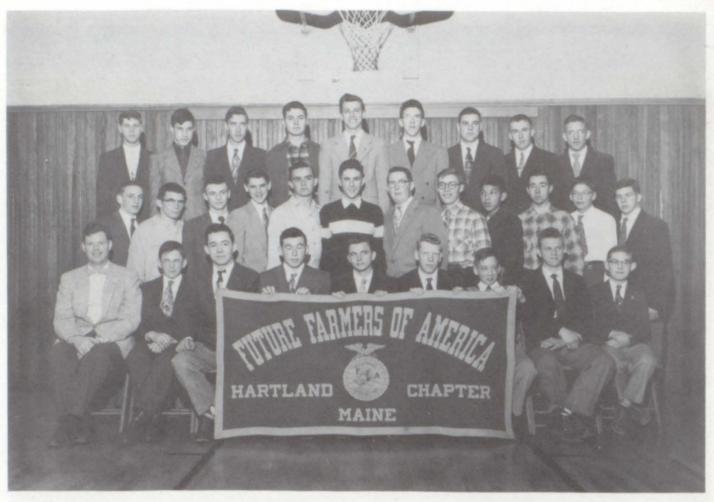
For projects this year, we made and sold Christmas corsages and earrings. On December 22, we gave a Christmas party for the F. F. A. boys, which was very successful.

We are proud to announce that Vondell Estes served as State F. H. A. Treasurer this year. She was also on the State F. H. A. Public Relations Committee.

We all wish to thank Miss Nelson for the help and co-operation she has given us in order to make this year a successful one.

Nancy Estes '56

Future Farmers of America



Front row, left to right: Mr. Gee, J. Pease, H. Sawyer, M. Hart, E. Sherburne, W. Weeks, R. Taylor, V. Goforth, W. Patterson.
Second row: P. Bowman, W. Elliot, E. Morrison, M. LeVasseur, D. Pratt, R. Kelso, E. Bowman, P. Parsons, R. Tompkins, O. Knowles, R. Cromwell, R. Bubar.
Third row: D. Butler, W. Hewins, D. Hughes, D. Nelson, K. Griffith, R. Martin, W. Frost,

D. Neal, D. Bell.

Last year the F. F. A. purchased a new tractor and equipment. We plan to raise crops to pay for our new equipment and also help pay for other expenses incurred by the chapter.

Wesley Hewins obtained the highest rank in the local Farm and Home Electrification Contest and went to the U. of M. with our instructor. While there, he and Mr. Albert heard many different speakers, who talked on electricity and its uses.

All of the Junior and Senior F. F. A. boys attended the Farm and Home Week for one day. While there, we attended two meetings; one was a movie entitled "The Ruman Story," and the other was a talk entitled "Pipe Line Bulk Milkers."

The Chapter has weekly meetings to discuss any problems that might arise.

The F. F. A. officers are as follows:

President				Earl Sherburne
Vice-President				. Wayne Weeks
Secretary				. Myron Hart
Treasurer				. Reynal Taylor
Reporter				Hartley Sawyer
Sentinel				Vincent Goforth
Adviser				Mr. Kenneth Albert

After Mr. Gee's resignation, Mr. Albert became our new adviser.

Hartley Sawyer '56

FIRE AND SAFETY SQUAD



Left to right: Mr. Trask, W. Elliot, R. Coolen, K. Dunton, W. Frost, K. Griffith.

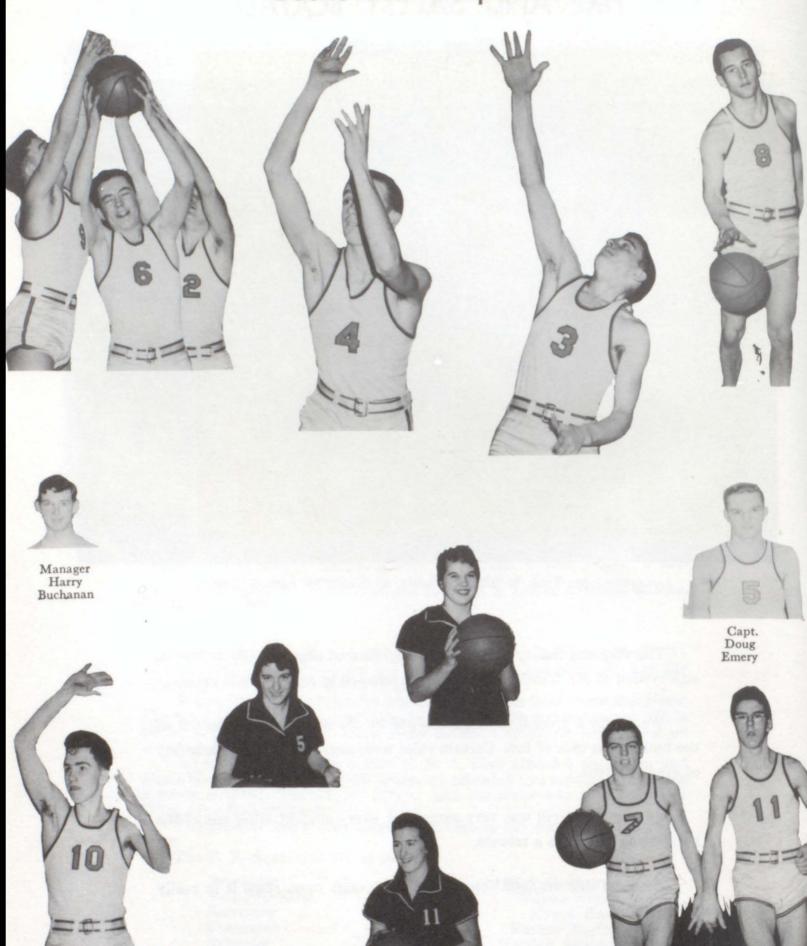
The Fire and Safety Squad is a newly formed organization under the supervision of Mr. Trask. Six boys were selected to serve in this group.

We set up a procedure to be followed by the students in filing out of the building in case of fire. Certain rules were also planned for the safety of every student.

Our first fire drill was very successful, every student filing out of the building in less than a minute.

We hope this organization will improve each year, since it is really worthwhile.

Basketball Snapshots



VARSITY BASKETBALL





Mr. Varney.

Front row, left to right: J. Morgan, E. Sherburne, D. Emery, B. Buker, P. Seekins. Second row: D. Nadeau, R. Martin, H. Sawyer, R. Lewis, R. Tasker, H. Buchanan, Mgr.

Our basketball season ended when we lost our tournament game to Hallowell. Although we had a low average of points per game, we were given a very good rating as far as sportsmanship was concerned. We won two games and lost sixteen.

We had four high scorers this year, all of whom were veterans. They were Bradford Buker, with 229 points; Phillip Seekins, with 195 points; Douglas Emery, with 177 points; and Earl Sherburne, with 145 points. Ronald Tasker and Ronald Lewis were also veterans from last year. We had an average score of 48.4 points per game.

The boys and the school all wish to thank Mr. Varney for the fine job he did in coaching, in spite of the fact that he had to drive up here every night, through all kinds of stormy weather.

LETTERMEN

Douglas Emery Ronald Tasker Hartley Sawyer Earl Sherburne Bradford Buker Phillip Seekins

H. A. VARSITY BASKETBALL RECORD FOR 1954-1955 SEASON

Hartland	45	Corinna	75
Hartland	40	Hampden	57
Hartland	31	M.C.I.	64
Hartland	51	Carmel	37
Hartland	39	Hermon	63
Hartland	43	Newport	59
Hartland	58	Alumni	66
Hartland	56	Clinton	58
Hartland	42	East Corinth	75
Hartland	41	Newport	62
Hartland	45	Hampden	74
Hartland	56	M.C.I.	79
Hartland	59	Hermon	61
Hartland	55	Clinton	72
Hartland	40	East Corinth	60
Hartland	61	Corinna	76

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Hartland	65	Erskine	59
Hartland	44	Hallowell	81

Harry Buchanan '57

J. V. BASKETBALL



Left to right: Mr. Trask, R. Bubar, W. Elliot, P. Bowman, K. Dunton, M. LeVasseur, E. Knowles, D. Hughes, W. Hewins, J. Connelly, B. Connell, R. Kelso, A. Simpson, Mgr.

We gained much experience in playing basketball this year, although we lost most of our games. With this useful experience, we should win more games next year.

The boys displayed extraordinary sportsmanship and played their best under the able coaching of Mr. Trask. We hope some of the boys will be playing on the varsity team next year.

The games and scores were as follows:

36	Corinna	46
17	Hampden	54
29	Carmel	27
11	Hermon	28
29	Newport	38
25	East Corinth	49
15	Newport	23
14	Hampden	57
21	M.C.I.	41
31	Hermon	48
30	East Corinth	38
35	Corinna	39
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GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Kneeling, left to right: D. Phillips, C. Hubbard, J. LeVasseur, E. Littlefield, S. Southard, E. Littlefield, B. Spaulding, V. Estes, M. Hart.
Standing, left to right: R. Hughes, Mgr., P. Deering, S. Sawyer, S. Webber, D. Goforth, N. Estes, Miss Nelson, C. Webber, P. Humphrey, R. Nutter, W. Connell, P. Rice, R. Seekins, Asst. Mgr.

The basketball season opened the first of November with nineteen girls turning out for practice. We had some girls who had never played before, but they were doing very well as the season progressed.

Sandra Southard was elected captain, and Roxene Hughes served as manager, with the assistance of Ruth Seekins.

Under a new ruling, we played all of our league games in the afternoon. Although we did not win the championship, we had a good season.

The following number of points were scored by each forward: Sandra Southard, 252; Vondell Estes, 168; Nancy Estes, 139; Rebecca Nutter, 28; Patricia Humphrey, 18; Donna Goforth, 8; Mavis Hart, 6.

We all enjoyed the season under the able direction of Miss Nelson as coach, and are

looking forward to next year's season with even greater enthusiasm.

H. A. GIRLS' BASKETBALL RECORD FOR 1954-1955 SEASON

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Hartland	66	Corinna	38
Hartland	41	Hampden	54
Hartland	43	Carmel	44
Hartland	53	Hermon	41
Hartland	46	Newport	41
Hartland	43	Clinton	22
Hartland	53	East Corinth	61
Hartland	48	Newport	39
Hartland	40	Hampden	38
Hartland	46	Corinna	47
Hartland	29	Hermon	28
Hartland	42	Clinton	26
Hartland	62	East Corinth	48

Sandra Southard '56

CROSS COUNTRY



Front row, left to right: W. Hewins, R. Bubar, W. Elliot, P. Bowman, P. Parsons, Mr. Lenentine,
Second row: D. Nadeau, Mgr.; P. Seekins, B. Buker, R. Kelso, R. Tasker.

The 1954 Cross Country team, in spite of its poor record, did a very fine job.

We had two veterans from last year, Weston Elliot and Robert Kelso.

Captain Phillip Bowman received a medal for placing third in the League meet at Corinna.

We wish to thank Mr. Lenentine for his patience and time in coaching the team this year.

Dean Nadeau '58

SOFTBALL



Front row, left to right: E. Littlefield, P. Peasley, R. Brooker, E. Littlefield, E. McNally, V. Nichols, R. Hughes.
Second row: E. Hubbard, S. Webber, S. Sawyer, W. Connell, N. Estes, S. Southard, M. Hart, L. Nichols. Absent from photo: R. Wheeler.

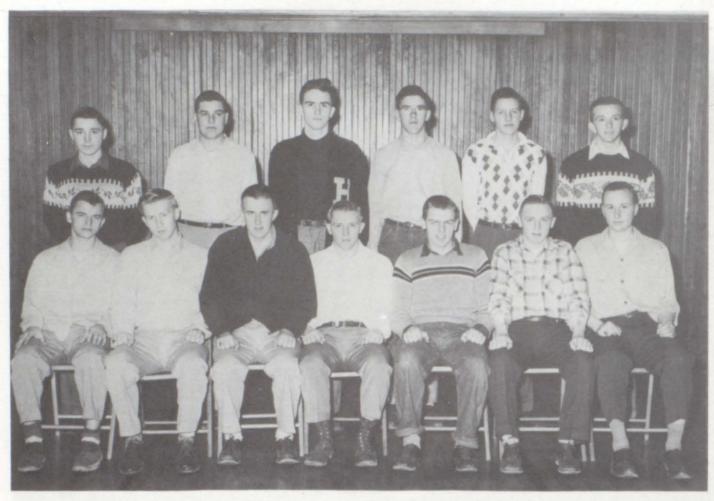
The softball season last year was not too successful. The rain kept us from playing our usual number of games. Scores of the two games played are as follows:

H. A.	40	East Corinth	17
Н. А.	13	Corinna	23

The last game was played in the pouring rain, as all of the girls remember.

Miss McKiel did an excellent job coaching us, and we enjoyed the season very much. Roxene Hughes served as our manager.

BASEBALL



Front row, left to right: E. Sherburne, Asst. Mgr.; E. Knowles, D. Neal, R. Coolen, R. Tasker, P. Bowman, R. Getchell, Mgr.

Second row: K. Dunton, W. Frost, B. Buker, R. Martin, P. Smith, P. Seekins. Absent from photo; R. Webber and E. Ballard.

Under the able coaching of Mr. Poliquin, the baseball team of '54 enjoyed a very successful season, with a record of nine wins and two losses in league play. In the State Baseball Tournament, Hartland lost to Orono by a score of 4-3.

On the opening day, Elmer Ballard, Hartland's crafty right-hander, chalked up the first no-hitter of his high school career against East Corinth. He pitched several other good games.

1954 SEASON RECORD

Hartland	9	East Corinth	0
Hartland	8	Carmel	4

Hartland	16	Newport	5
Hartland	5	Corinna	2
Hartland	24	Newport	2
Hartland	1	M.C.I.	5
Hartland	8	Hermon	0
Hartland	8	Carmel	6
Hartland	7	M.C.I.	3
Hartland	12	Hermon	7
Hartland	1	Corinna	8
Hartland	3	East Corinth	5

CENTRAL MAINE LEAGUE TOURNAMENT

Hartland	4	East Corinth	1
STAT	E TOU	URNAMENT	
Hartland	3	Orono	4

Robert Getchell '55

CHEERLEADERS



Front row, left to right: E. Crowell, K. Hart, R. LeVasseur, J. Kelso. Second row: E. Hubbard, D. Glavine, V. Nichols.

This year we had seven cheerleaders: two Sophomores, two Juniors, and three Seniors. Rose LeVasseur was selected to serve as head cheerleader.

We learned more new cheers and made use of them when we cheered our basketball teams on to victory this past season.

The girls were very co-operative, and we all had a delightful season.

Rose LeVasseur '55

ALUMNI

CLASS OF '52

Luella Bailey, living in Cambridge. Ida Mae Buker, employed in Pittsfield.

Donald Deering, living in Ripley. Gordon Deering, employed by Hartland Tanning Co.

Philip Emery, employed by Hartland Tanning Co.

Marjorie Hart Hayden, employed in Skowhegan.

Ronald Hughes, attending Providence Barrington Bible College.

James Jamison, attending Colby College.

Robert Lucas, Air Force.

Shirley Merrill, attending Simmons College in Boston.

Hazen Mills, Navy.

Patricia Scribner Arno, living in Madison.

Daniel Snowman, Air Force. Kenneth Southard, Army.

Dolores Stedman Gardner, living in Hartland.

Audry Wark Cook, living in Clinton. Ethelyn Wheeler, living in Hartland. Turney Taylor, living in Palmyra.

Barbara Whitten Morse, living in Clinton.

CLASS OF '53

Roberta Brawn, employed in Pittsfield.

Clark Connelly, attending U. of M. Jacquelyn Cool Johnston, living in Waterville.

Chester Carson, Jr., Air Force.

Jeanne Crocker, attending Sisters Hospital in Waterville.

Nellie Crocker Tibbetts, living in St. Albans.

Marie Cromwell, employed in Portland.

Philip Deering, attending Colby College.

Eldora Dow, living in Caribou.

Merlon Emery, living in St. Albans. Marilyn Green DeRaps, living in Hartland.

Raymond Hall, employed by Hartland Tanning Co.

Richard Martin, Army. Paul McNichol, Marines.

Jesse Merrill, Jr., living in St. Albans.

Jacquelyn Monroe Welch, living in Pittsfield.

Basil Peasley, employed by Hartland Tanning Co.

Linwood Soule, Maine Vocational Technical Institute.

Ruth Stanhope, living in Hartland. Juanita Taylor, living in Palmyra.

Douglas Tibbetts, living in Palmyra. Helen Vining Springer, living in St. Albans.

Vera Weir, attending Johns Hopkins University.

Virginia Winchester Soule, living in Portland.

CLASS OF '54

Robert Allen, attending Husson College.

Carolyn Brawn, employed in Pittsfield.

Marilyn Cromwell, employed in Portland.

Leland Deering, Air Force.

John Dow, attending Michigan State. Jean Dow, attending Caribou Hospital.

Gloria Glavine, living in St. Albans. Frances Goforth McNeill, attending Sisters Hospital in Waterville.

Joan Griffith, attending Skowhegan Commercial School.

Marlene Hart Bubar, living in Corinna.

Darthea Hubbard, attending Husson College.

Ernest Hughes, attending Farmington State Teachers College.

Gail Jones, attending Husson College.

Marjorie Jones Neal, living in St. Albans.

Elwin Littlefield, living in Hartland. Shirley McNeil Bowman, living in Pittsfield.

Carol Moore, living in St. Albans. Meredith Post, attending Skowhegan Commercial School.

Levi Pratt, Navy.

Marjorie Raymond, living in Palmyra.

Alfred Roberts, living in Hartland. Earl Sprague, attending U. of M. Merton Stanhope, Air Force.

Alden Stuart, attending Husson College.

Eugene Webber, attending U. of M. Roland Webber, Air Force.

Ramona Wheeler, living in Hartland.

SENIOR STATISTICS

Name	Biggest Failing	By-word	Ambition	Most Fitting Song
N. Buchanan	Men	Big Deal	To be a secretary	Mr. Sandman
M. Bowman	Dieting	What a riot!	To be a beautician	Five Foot Two
R. Brooker	Keeping a guy	C'mere	To be a nurse	Heart and Soul
T. Bubar	(Richard) Dale	Yes, dear	To get married	Open the Door, Richard
O. Carmichael	World History Class	Uh-huh	To be a secretary	Open Up Your Heart
R. Coolen	Cars	Sure	To be a mechanic	Crazy Otto
D. Emery	Kelso gasoline	Wow!	To be a chemist	High and Mighty
V. Estes	Flirting	Yeah?	To be a teacher	It's a Sin
R. Getchell	Making decisions	Sure	To marry an heiress	I'm Always Chasing Rainbows
W. Gould	Girls	Yeah?	To be a farmer	Old MacDonald
D. Huff	Keeping out of trouble	Gosh!	To get out of school	Sh-Boom
R. Hughes	Hunting	For Pete's sake	To marry a rich doctor	Teach Me Tonight
J. Kelso	An Emery	(Pretty sneaky)	To be a teacher	I'll Walk Alone
R. LeVasseur	Bookkeeping	Chip Chip	To grow taller	Five Foot Two
E. Littlefield	Fouling out of a basketball game	Let's go!	To play a whole basketball game	Take Me Out to the Ball Game
E. Morrison	Getting enough sleep	I guess so!	To be an agriculture teacher	Down Behind the Barn
E. McNally	Physics	Oh great	To grow taller	Oh Happy Day
V. Nichols	Getting days mixed up	Huh! Who done thunk it	To marry a rich oil man	Cold, Cold Heart
M. Patterson	Making mind up	No kidding!	To be an x-ray technician	Vagabond Lover
P. Peasley	Going steady	Well now!	To stay single	Let Me Go, Lover
N. Russell	Men	Son-of-a-gun	To be a hairdresser	The Naughty Lady From Shady Lane
R. Tasker	Studying	Gee!	To graduate	Tiger Rag
A. Taylor	Typing	I don't care much	To travel	Let Me Go
G. Warner	Opening mouth at wrong time	Holy cow!	To be a secretary	This Old House

H. A. SUPERWOMAN

Hair	Willma Connell
Eyes	Alice Crowell
Teeth	Mary Bowman
Smile	Alene Taylor
Height	Ora Carmichael
Wit	Rose Brooker
Athlete	Vondell Estes
Complexion	Marie Patterson
Dancer	Sandra Southard
Disposition	Sandra Sawyer
Figure	Betty Spaulding
	Noreen Russell
	Rebecca Nutter
Manners	Gloria Banks
Brains	Nancy Estes
Legs	Rose LeVasseur
Ambition	Ruth Seekins

H. A. SUPERMAN

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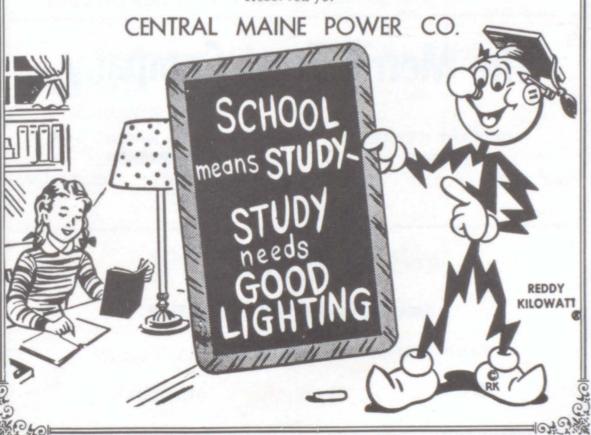
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