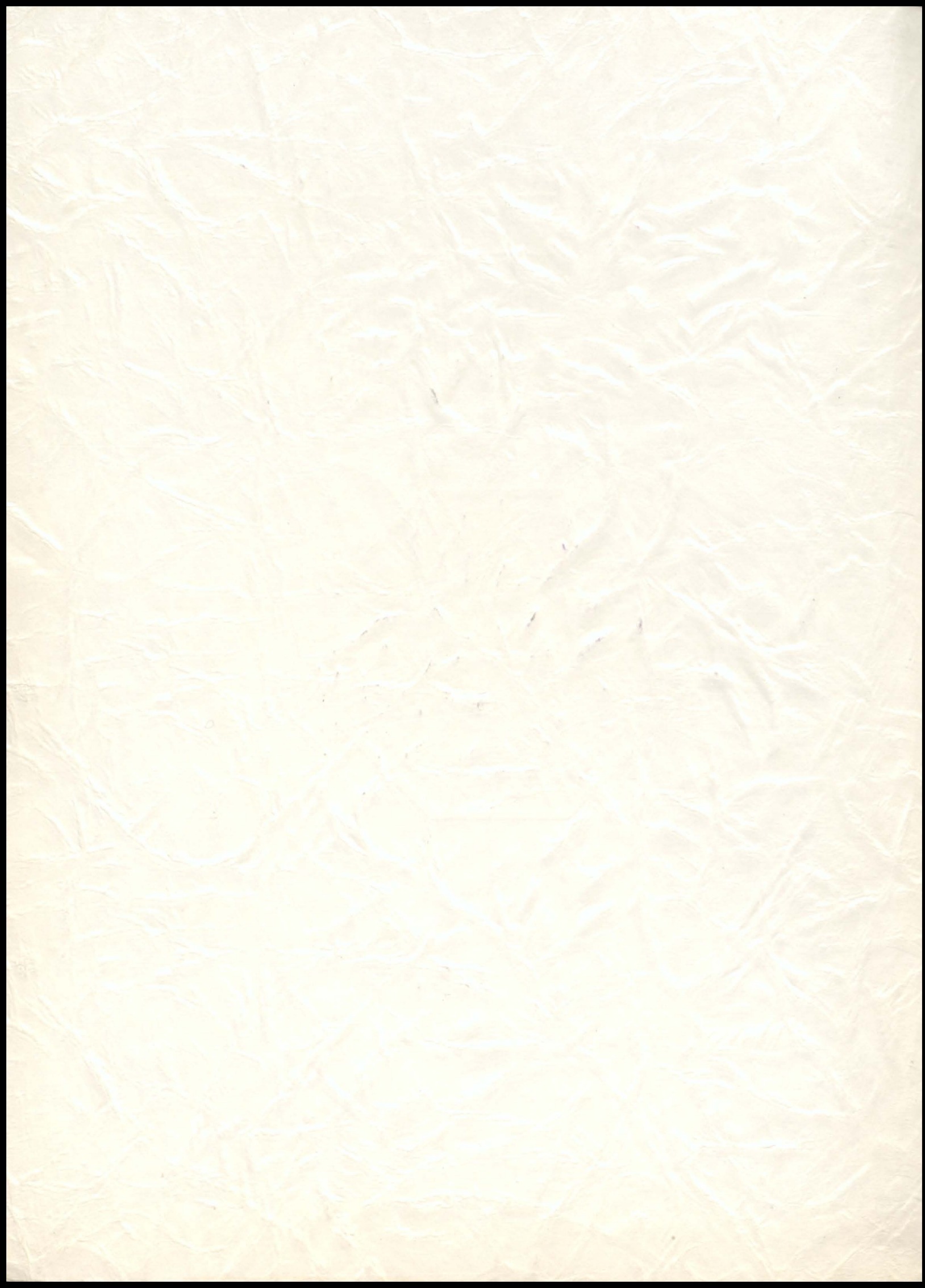


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DEDICATION



We, the class of 1956,
wish to show our appreciation
for her sound guidance
and constant patience
by dedicating this issue of

THE RIPPLE

to

MRS. HAZEL M. EARLE

EDITORIAL

SPECIALIZATION IS BECOMING TOO DOMINANT

The scarcity of good leaders in our world today is prominently evident. The modern world is providing people with specialized training, particularly in technical fields, but it is not producing the world leaders we need in guiding our nations. Technical experts are essential to our form of civilization, but our equally essential type of citizen is conspicuously lacking.

The greatest leaders of our country lived when specialization was scarcely known. Washington, Jefferson, and Hamilton, only to name a few, cannot be equaled in character today. Leaders of ancient Athens and Italy came from communities devoted to general rather than specialized knowledge.

Leaders are not being produced solely because they must be men of broad-ranging interests and knowledge, while our modern tendency is to educate our intellectuals along specialized lines. Consequently, the individual learns one thing well but is ignorant in all other fields. He is trained to limit his interests, and this in turn narrows his abilities. One man learns to design a bridge; another, to perform a complicated brain operation; and still another, to invent an engine for demolishing the atom — all of which are important, but we are left without men who have a general knowledge of everything.

It is obvious that our educational methods should be broadened and an attempt should be made to seek out, early in their school or college careers, students who have a capacity for leadership. These students should be offered careers leading toward social service.

No one can argue that specialization does not give larger bank accounts, but is it money we want, or freedom and peace?

NANCY L. ESTES
Editor-in-chief

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SENIORS

GLORIA HAZEL BANKS—"Glo"

St. Albans

General

Transfer from Northridge High School, Dayton, Ohio. Prize Speaking 2, 3; Spear Speaking 3; Band 2; Chorus 2, 4; Kennebec Valley Chorus 2; Assembly Club 2, 3; Office Staff 4; League Spelling 4; Senior Play 4.

Glo was the apple of our eyes and the Bonnie-Mae of our Senior Play. She never could stay out of the projection room of the Dexter Theatre.



BYRON RICHARDS CONNELL—"Bones"

Hartland

General

Prize Speaking 2; Winner 2; F.F.A. 2; Ripple Staff 3; Basketball 2, 3; Winter Sports 2; Class Officer 1; Senior Play 4; Class Will.

For four years now Byron has argued with the teachers and his classmates, and shall continue to do so throughout life. We hope you win one of those arguments some day, Byron.

ELIZABETH ANN CROWELL—"Liz"

Hartland

General

Second Honor Essay

Chorus 1; Student Council 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Assembly Club 3; Prize Speaking 2, 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Letters 3, 4; Library Club 4; Athletic Association 4; Class Officer 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Citizenship Award; Class History.

Liz was the money-handler of our class. She could always be found getting checks made out and paying bills.



PRISCILLA JEANNE DEERING—"Pussy"

Hartland

General

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Library 1, 3, 4; Prize Speaking 3; Assembly Club 3; Ripple Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Letter 2; Basketball Manager 4; Letter 4; Athletic Association 4; Den Staff 4; Senior Play 4; Class Gifts.

Priscilla was our dirty Ceelie in the Senior Play, who could never stop scratching after the play was all over. During her senior year, you could always find her and Sandra at home on week ends.



JACK WESTERN DYER—"Jackie"

Hartland

General

Salutatorian

Prize Speaking 2; Office Staff 2, 4; Assembly Club 2, 3; Officer 3; J. V. Basketball Manager 2; Ripple Staff 4; Student Council 3, 4; Officer 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Den Staff 4; Editor 4; Senior Play 4; Class Officer 3, 4; Alumni Award; Citizenship Award.

Jackie will always be remembered as the president of our class and the salutatorian. His willingness to type a letter, cut a stencil, or run the mimeograph was a delight to others as well as to himself.

WESTON ADELBERT ELLIOTT—"Moose"

Hartland

General

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Cross Country 2, 3; Letter 2; Assistant Baseball Manager 3; Winter Sports 2; Fire and Safety Squad 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; Senior Play 4.

Weston was the most likeable boy of our class, the "Moto" of it, and the best Cousin Zeke we have ever had.



NANCY LEE ESTES—"Nance"

Palmyra

Classical
Valedictorian

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Kennebec Valley Chorus 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3, 4; Ripple Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor-in-chief 4; Den Staff 4; Assembly Club 1, 2, 3; Officer 2, 3; Prize Speaking 3; Winner 3; One-Act Play 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; Officer 4; Winter Carnival Queen 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 3; Senior Play 4; League Spelling 4; Dirigo Girls' State Delegate; Activity Award 1, 3; Biology Award; D.A.R. Good Citizenship Candidate.

Nance was the brains of our class. She was active in most of the school's extra curricular activities as well as an outstanding student. Best of luck at the U. of M., Nancy!



DOROTHY MARIE GLAVINE—"Dotty"

St. Albans

Commercial

Chorus 1, 2; Band 2; F.H.A. 1, 3; Assembly Club 2, 3; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Officer 4; Student Council 3; Office Staff 4; Ripple Staff 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Letters 3, 4; One-Act Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Prize Speaking 2, 3; Winner 2, 3; League Prize Speaking 3; Senior Play 4; Den Staff 4; Shorthand Award; Dramatics Award 1, 2, 3; Address to Undergraduates.

Dotty was a "furener" (foreigner) in our country but a welcome one to us. We will always remember her for the dramatic ability she displayed in her four years at H. A.



DONNA-MAE GOFORTH—"Donna"

Palmyra

Vocational

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Letter 2; Softball 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 4; Chorus 1, 2; Athletic Association 4; Senior Play 4; Home Economics Award; Citizenship Award; Marshal.

Donna was the quiet girl of our class, but we all knew she was around when she began flashing that beautiful diamond in our eyes after Christmas vacation. She is looking forward to the fifteenth of June as well as anticipating graduation evening. Best of luck, Donna.



KEITH LORAIN GRIFFITH—"Tex"

Hartland

General

F.F.A. 3, 4; Fire and Safety Squad 3, 4.

Tex was the boy that cost his father more money for cars than any other one in the class. See if you can't take it easier on that new shiny Packard.

MYRON LEON HART—"Mike"

Hartland

General

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; Officer 3; Winter Sports 1, 2.

Myron is the hunter of the class who always hunted deer in the woods, but now hunts dears in the little town of St. Albans.



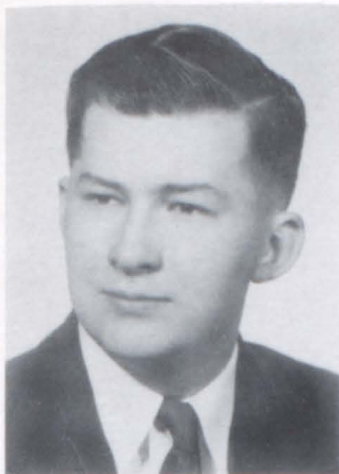
ELTON STANLEY KNOWLES—"Nut"

St. Albans

General

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 1, 4; Basketball 3; Prize Speaking 2; Student Council 1, 2; Ripple Staff 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; Senior Play 4; Class Officer 1, 2, 4; Class Prophecy.

Elton is the Don Juan of the senior class with his pearly white teeth and bleached hair. On week ends he can always be found heading towards North Hartland.



RONALD PRESTON LEWIS—"Joe"

Hartland

General

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 1; Winter Sports 1; Winter Sports Manager 2; Letter 2; Band 1, 2; Athletic Association 4; One-Act Play 3; Senior Play 4; Dirigo Boys' State Delegate; Activity Award 1; Class Gifts.

Joe was the sneakin' deacon of our Senior Play who for the first time in his life, and probably the last time, performed a marriage ceremony.

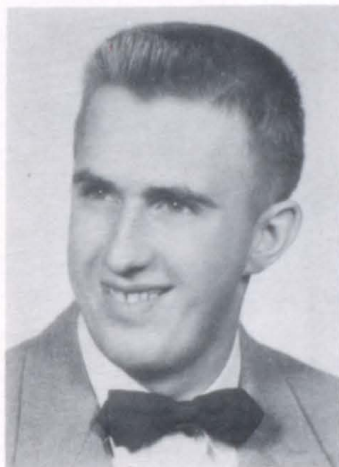
KATHLEEN MARIE MARSON—"Kathy"

Palmyra

General

F.H.A. 1, 2, 4; Office Staff 1, 4; Assembly Club 2, 3; Senior Play 4.

Kathy was the absence list typist who was always seen scurrying from room to room. Some times she blushed so hard that you'd think she was of Indian descent.



DONALD RICHARD NEAL—"Donny"

Hartland

Vocational

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Senior Play 4.

Donny's face was surely red when he kissed Ceelie in our Senior Play. We wonder if it is as red when he busses the girls from St. Albans.

RICHARD DALE NELSON—"Dale"

St. Albans

Vocational

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 1.

Dale was the taxi-cab driver of our class when noon hour rolled around. What he did on week ends, we don't know, but on Monday mornings his classroom seat was always empty.



HARTLEY DAWSON SAWYER—"Dorse"

Hartland

General

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 2; F.F.A. 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; Winter Sports Assistant Manager 2; Library Club 3, 4; Officer 4; Athletic Association 4.

Dorse, our mischief maker, was our best humored classmate. He was continually playing jokes on somebody. Good luck in Athens, Dorse!



EARL LESLIE SHERBURNE, JR.—"Earl"

Hartland

Vocational

First Honor Essay

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 3, 4; Assistant Baseball Manager 2; Baseball Manager 3, 4; Letters 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; Officer 4; One-Act Play 3; Winter Carnival King 2; Ripplette Staff 1; Ripple Staff 3, 4; Den Staff 4; Class Officer 2.

Earl will always be known as the President of the F.F.A. and one of the brains of our class. Never let your height get the best of you, Earl.

SANDRA JEANNETTE SOUTHARD—"Sandy"

Hartland

General

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letters 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Assembly Club 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Ripple Staff 2, 3, 4; Den Staff 4; Prize Speaking 3; Winter Carnival Queen Candidate 1; Student Council 4; Officer 4; Senior Play 4; Athletic Association 4; Officer 4; Class Officer 2, 3, 4; Class Prophecy.

Sandy was the busy girl of our class, always running from the typing room to the study hall because of her work on the school paper and yearbook. That was her excuse!



WAYNE EDWARD WEEKS—"Fireball"

St. Albans

Vocational

Cross Country 1; Winter Sports 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 3, 4; Science Award.

Wayne was the quiet boy of our class, but the one you should watch out for. You ought to patent your method for finding water with a crooked stick.

LITERATURE

THE MASKS WE WEAR

We are people who were born into an intelligent race; therefore, it is only normal for us to defend ourselves when we feel attacked. It is extremely fortunate that Mother Nature has provided us with excellent defenses. It is a known fact that the best defense we have received is that of disguise. If we look around, even at the common person, it is obvious that everyone wears a disguise to some extent.

You will find that one of our greatest disguises is personality. Personality—what does the word mean? Where did it come from? This word originated from the Latin word "*persona*"; this was the word which was used to describe the masks worn by Roman actors to indicate the characters they were portraying. The masks were used to conceal the identity of the person who was portraying the part. The audience would be shown only as much of the actor as the actor wished.

Yes, it is true that we, the people of today, are like the actors of old. We too wear special disguises to hide our own true selves. Why do we do this? What secrets are we trying to hold within ourselves? With the extensive use of these masks, we soon fool not only our audiences but also ourselves. This can prove to be very dangerous.

If someone does something to you, something you do not understand, do not think this person is trying to fool you. It is probably himself he is trying to fool. A human reaction must never be put aside as imaginary. There is always something which causes the reason for a person's particular behavior. Always place yourself in the other person's position.

It is obvious that everyone in this world of ours wants to be liked. We try our best to look acceptable in the eyes of other people. Most of all, we want to like ourselves. The most fundamental human drive is the need for self-respect.

We always turn aside any attack on the image of ourselves as important, intelligent people. When we do this, we use all the defenses which are at our disposal. One of these is alibi. The word alibi originates from the Latin word "*alius*". This word means any excuse, especially a poor or flimsy one. There are many people who would create imaginary circumstances to serve their purpose. Did you ever stop to think that it's the wall between us and a truth that would be too hard to take? If we attempt to destroy the masks of another, we might destroy *his* entire defense.

Do we ever stop to think what is behind one's mask? We know that we should stop trying to fool ourselves. If we didn't know what was concealed behind our mask, we would not try to hide our real selves. So heed this one piece of advice: "Be yourself and let others see you as you are."

ANNE OF GLOUCESTER

In the fishing village of Gloucester there lived a hearty New England fisherman with his daughter Anne.

Anne had grown up beside the sea and loved it deeply. Day after day she sat on a cliff over-looking the sea and listened to the roaring waters breaking against stones below. On days when the waters were calm, she loved to watch birds skim over the top of the water, looking for their daily nourishment.

One stormy day when the sea was in a great fury, Anne was preoccupied on the cliff with her day's dreams. She was astonished to see a figure struggling to keep from dashing against the sharp rocks below her. She watched intensely, praying that it would not be dashed to pieces upon the rocks.

Soon she made out the figure to be a man, and all her pity was extended to him. She called for him to keep on, but the roaring water swallowed up the cry of encouragement. Then he gained a new strength, and with a few swift, strong strokes, he freed himself from the grasp of the sea and was once more in calm waters. He swam toward shore, and Anne ran down to meet him. He dragged himself upon the sand and fell exhausted in a heap at her feet.

She ran for her father, and together they carried him home. When the man came to, Anne was bending over him, and when he looked up into her eyes, he knew she was the girl he would love. Anne returned his love; she had loved him from the moment he fell at her feet on the sand. Then love for each other grew daily, and when he asked her to become his wife and go west with him, she hesitated a bit. Could she leave the sea which had been a mother to her, and in which she had found consolation for all her childhood troubles?

At last she decided that her love for Clint was great enough to surpass even her love for the sea. Thus they were married, and she went to her new home in the western desert.

Among her sea treasures was a Conch shell which she took with her. Here she was happy and contented just to be near her husband, but she did miss the ocean back home and often felt as if she were a captive held by the grasp of the desert.

When her little girl was born, she decided the desert should never hold her captive. She crooned to her songs of the sea, and later told her thrilling tales of the seas, so that when the child grew up, she loved the ocean almost as intensely as did her mother.

Soon Anne's husband died. More than ever before did she now long for the ocean she loved.

Still she talked to her daughter of the sea, but there came a time when she could talk no more. She went to bed, pale and weak, and asked her daughter to bring the Conch shell that she might hear the rumbling of the ocean as she died.

THE OPPORTUNITIES OF OUR GENERATION

We, in our day and age, do not realize the opportunities we have over the pioneers of the past generation.

We, in the United States of America, have the opportunity to further our education to any degree we may desire. By so doing, we have the opportunity of following the pattern we have laid out for our life's ambition. We have the right to speak our minds in regard to the governing of our country. In the pioneer days, however, law and order was taken into the hands of the pioneers themselves. We are able, if we wish, to rest and worship God on the seventh day, but this was not so with some of the pioneers.

There are countless fields of work that we may choose to enter. One of the fields that tops the list, but neglected by so many, is the field of science. Men and women are badly needed in the scientific field because of the progress that has been made in the world today. The field of teaching is also badly neglected, yet teaching is a fine preparation for public life, commission in armed forces, all sorts of positions where intelligence and character are required.

As the generation grows, the ones that are now boys and girls in high school will, in the future, be parents, grandparents, and so on up the line. They will have the opportunity, as parents, to teach their children and bring them up by good discipline, love, and understanding to be doctors, nurses, scientists, teachers, lawyers, and politicians of tomorrow.

Whatever field one might have his heart set on he can reach out for and grasp if he really wants to. The opportunity is there. If he does not search for it, how will he find it?

I myself think we are living in a world today abundantly filled with opportunities.

ROWENA BUTLER '59

OUR TEST PILOTS

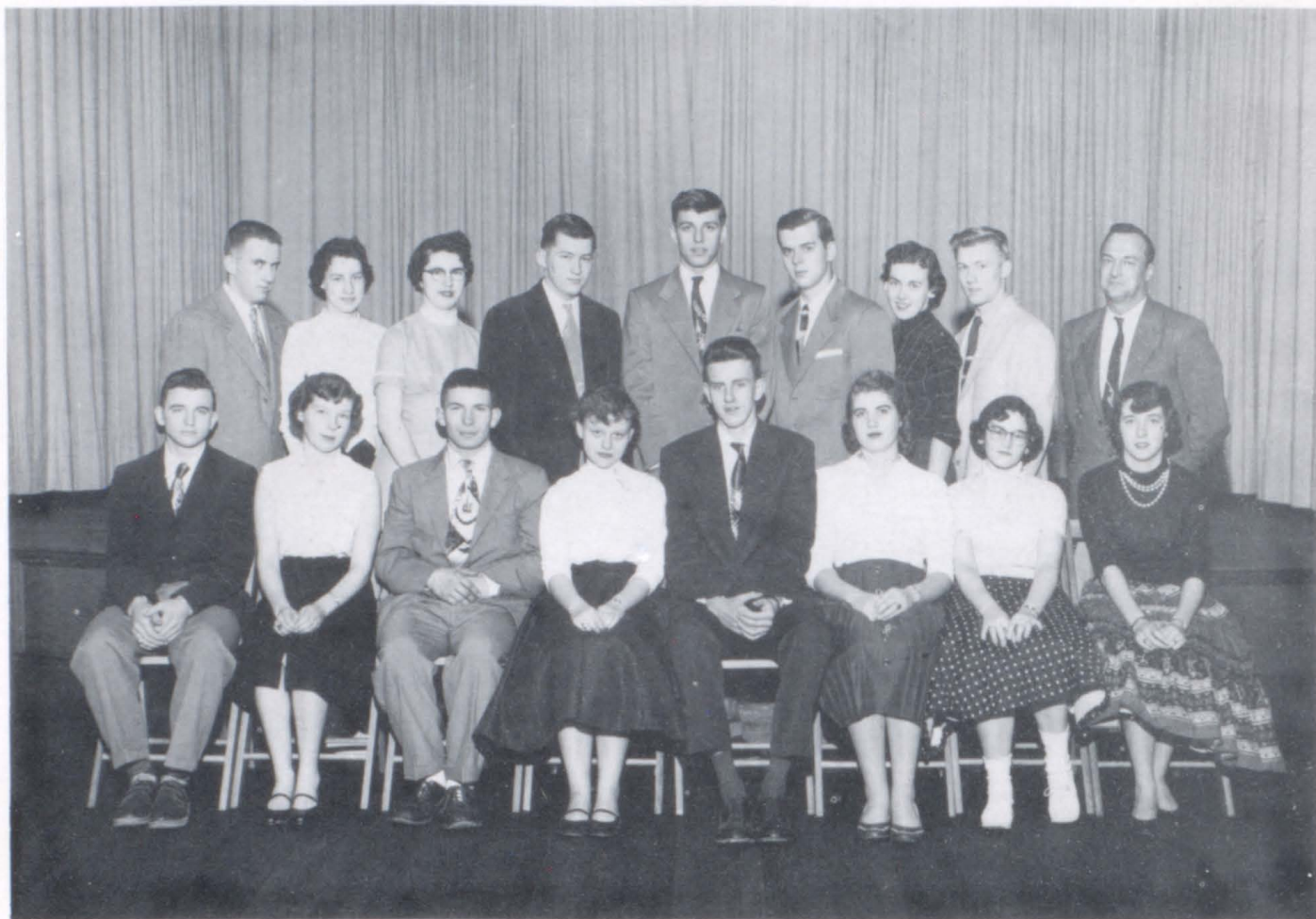
High above the earth a silver streak hurtles at tremendous speed through the thin atmosphere. Long white contrails pour from its exhaust as it makes a tight turn and does a barrel roll. After a few more turns and loops, it settles easily to the earth and comes rolling to a halt a few feet from the hanger. This machine is a new plane being tested maybe to serve in the vital defense and safety of our country at some future date.

From this mountain of steel emerges a smiling young man, dressed in a suit resembling that of a fictitious spaceman. He seems nonplussed as he strolls leisurely across the runway, but at close hand his face shows lines of tension and his eyes are as cold and hard as cold black steel. As he hurtled far above the earth, one thought went through his mind, "Will I make it back?" As the plane made a turn at forty thousand feet and a speed exceeding 750 miles an hour, unbearable torture was put upon his body. His eyes bulged out until they felt as though they must surely be wrenched from his sockets; his voice became dull and hoarse; his blood all rushed to his head, leaving him in a state of semi-coma. He saw his cockpit instruments through a red haze; and last of all, his body and facial characteristics became grotesque and hideous, as a force of nearly seven G's pressed his body.

He goes home and is strung with tension and nervousness. He is unfriendly to all he meets, and refuses to go from the house, becoming almost a recluse for two or three days. Inside of four days he has fully recovered and can enjoy his freedom, but by then it is time for him to fly again. Does he quit the job? No, for he knows that someone has to test these monsters so that 165 million other people can live in peace. He is a pioneer as surely as those who settled the West, and in his own way is every bit as great as Davy Crockett.

BYRON CONNELL '56

SENIOR PLAY



Front row, left to right: E. Sherburne, K. Marson, W. Elliott, P. Deering, B. Connell, N. Estes, E. Crowell, S. Southard.
Second row: D. Neal, D. Glavine, D. Goforth, R. Lewis, K. Griffith, J. Dyer, G. Banks, E. Knowles, Mr. Berry.

The Senior Play this year was "Hillbilly Weddin'." It was presented at the Avon Theater on November 16, 1955, under the able direction of Mr. Berry. The play was a decided success, netting the Seniors a large profit.

The members of the cast were as follows:

Paw Belsnickle	Byron Connell
Maw Belsnickle	Nancy Estes
Ceelie Belsnickle	Priscilla Deering
Bonnie Mae Belsnickle	Gloria Banks
Juney Lou Belsnickle	Dorothy Glavine
Four Belsnickle	Kathleen Marson
Five Belsnickle	Sandra Southard
Six Belsnickle	Elizabeth Crowell
Obeey Upschlager	Elton Knowles
Chiz Upschlager	Donald Neal
Ronald Maxwell	Jack Dyer
Lucy Maxwell	Donna Goforth
The Reverend	Ronald Lewis
Cousin Zeke	Weston Elliott
Advertisement Committee	Earl Sherburne, Hartley Sawyer Myron Hart
Stage Properties	Keith Griffith, Wayne Weeks, Dale Nelson

JUNIOR CLASS



Front row, left to right: M. Hart, J. Davis, L. Nichols, W. Frost, P. Bowman, S. Webber, E. Littlefield, P. Rice, D. Phillips, E. Hubbard.
Second row: Mr. Osgood, R. Taylor, F. Brown, P. Hubbard, E. Bowman, S. Sawyer, W. Connell, P. Humphrey, R. Tweedie, K. Dunton, V. Walker, W. Patterson.
Third row: P. Seekins, R. Stedman, W. Hewins, B. Buker, P. Smith, J. Morgan, R. Martin, R. Kelso, R. Fisher.

The Junior Class started the year with thirty-five eager students. Four of the thirty-five left us, leaving the class with the total of thirty-one members.

We had a very successful year under the careful guidance of Mr. Osgood.

We sponsored a Christmas Dance, December 23, in partnership with the Seniors, at the Academy Gymnasium, with Al Corey and his orchestra furnishing the music.

The Class officers elected for the year were as follows:

<i>President</i>	Phillip Bowman
<i>Vice-President</i>	Wayne Frost
<i>Secretary</i>	Sandra Webber
<i>Treasurer</i>	Ethelyn Littlefield

The Junior Class is represented on the Student Council by three members: Phillip Seekins, Ethelyn Littlefield, and Reynal Taylor.

We are looking forward to another successful year when we become Seniors.

SANDRA WEBBER '57

SOPHOMORE CLASS



*Front row, left to right: M. Campbell, B. Giles, B. Nutter, J. LeVasseur, J. Connelly, J. Tweedie, H. Cooney, G. Luckman, N. Winchester, C. Hubbard.
 Second row: Mr. Sirois, D. Nadeau, E. Moore, R. Cromwell, L. Elliott, C. Webber, D. Bell, J. Cromwell, P. Parsons, R. Thompkins, D. Fish, J. Pease.
 Third row: J. Smith, D. Butler, A. Simpson, D. Huff, P. Hall, C. Hall, R. McFarland.*

Twenty-nine happy sophomores returned to H. A. in September. We welcomed two new students, Dale Fish and James Smith.

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

<i>President</i>	Jack Tweedie
<i>Vice-President</i>	John Connelly
<i>Secretary</i>	Helen Cooney
<i>Treasurer</i>	Joan LeVasseur

The Sophomore Hop was held on November 4, 1955, and we made a profit of \$15. We also had a food sale at the local library on October 8, 1955, making a profit of \$21.66.

The Sophomore Class placed first in the magazine drive. Roger McFarland, one of the sophomore students, was the leading salesman of H. A. We are very proud of the wonderful job he did.

We hope our remaining years at H. A. will be as enjoyable as this one has been.

HELEN COONEY '58

FRESHMAN CLASS



Front row, left to right: A. Crowell, J. Seekins, R. Brooks, D. Emery, S. Laughton, G. Moore, A. LeVasseur, D. Clement, J. Arnold, W. Tweedie.
Second row: D. Smith, K. Williamson, V. Hewins, A. Giles, J. Carmichael, J. Griffith, R. Leavitt, R. Chambers, R. Spaulding, R. Landry, R. Hodgkins, P. Gerald, Mr. Berry.
Third row: G. Clement, S. Leonard, R. Butler, H. Chamberlain, J. Woodman, P. Green, J. Webber, J. Sawtelle, C. Staples, M. Withee, S. Knowles, J. Peterson, B. Neal, R. Phillips.

The Freshman Class started the year with forty members, but through the loss of three of its members, the class now numbers thirty-seven.

Mr. Berry has served as the class advisor.

At a class meeting held the first of the year, the following officers were elected:

<i>President</i>	Sherman Laughton
<i>Vice-President</i>	Geraldine Moore
<i>Secretary</i>	Anita LeVasseur
<i>Treasurer</i>	Duane Emery

In December, the class sponsored a food sale, which was held at the Hartland Library. A profit of nearly \$16. was realized from this enterprise.

The class cooperated with all other classes and organizations in sponsoring assemblies under the guidance of the Student Council.

Many members of the class have participated in the various clubs and sports of the school.

THE DEN STAFF



Front row, left to right: D. Glavine, H. Cooney, J. Morgan, J. Dyer, S. Southard, S. Webber, A. LeVasseur.
 Back row, left to right: Mr. Osgood, P. Deering, E. Sherburne, R. Fisher, R. Stedman, N. Estes.

Hartland Academy's school paper, previously called "The Ripplette," was, in December, changed to "The Den." Two editions of the paper have been published to date; one, in December and the other, in March.

The following members were elected to serve on the staff of "The Den:"

Editor	Jack Dyer
Assistant Editors	Dorothy Glavine Robert Fisher
Boys' Sports	Earl Sherburne James Morgan
Girls' Sports	Priscilla Deering Sandra Southard
F. H. A.	Nancy Estes
Lost and Found Department	Robert Stedman
Freshman Reporter	Anita LeVasseur
Sophomore Reporter	Helen Cooney
Junior Reporter	Sandra Webber
Senior Reporter	Sandra Southard

Next year we hope that "The Den" will be published at least once every month.

We would like to thank Mr. Osgood for all the patience shown and advice given us during the past year.

JACK DYER '56

STUDENT COUNCIL



Front row, left to right: R. Butler, S. Southard, E. Sherburne, Mrs. Earle, E. Littlefield, J. Dyer.
 Second row: R. Taylor, C. Webber, B. Connell, P. Seekins, J. Tweedie.

The Student Council was reorganized this year, resulting in the election of four members from the Senior Class, three from the Junior Class, two from the Sophomore Class, and one from the Freshman Class. The following officers were elected to serve throughout the school year:

President	Earl Sherburne
Vice-President	Ethelyn Littlefield
Secretary	Sandra Southard
Treasurer	Jack Dyer

Beginning January 27, assemblies were presented each Friday by the various clubs and organizations in school under the sponsorship of the Student Council. The guest speakers gave messages, informative and entertaining, and they were greatly enjoyed by both students and faculty.

Meetings were held on the first and third Mondays of each month, during which time the Constitution and By-Laws were revised and ground work laid for making the Student Council an organization that can speak for the student body, maintain the ideals, elevate the standards, and develop Hartland Academy through student co-operation with the faculty.

We wish to thank Mrs. Earle for the guidance she has given us during the year.

SANDRA SOUTHARD '56

LEAGUE SPELLING



*Front row, left to right: G. Banks, Mrs. Earle, G. Moore.
Second row: N. Estes, C. Webber.*

The League Spelling Contest was held at Newport High School, November 4, 1955, with the following schools represented: Carmel High, Corinna Union Academy, East Corinth Academy, Hampden Academy, Hermon High, Newport High, and Hartland Academy.

Representing Hartland Academy were Nancy Estes and Gloria Banks, both Seniors; Christine Webber, a Sophomore; and Geraldine Moore, a Freshman.

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

Hartland Academy came out victorious, winning over Newport by one point. Mrs. Earle accepted the trophy for the Hartland contestants.

LIBRARY CLUB



Front row, left to right: W. Patterson, R. Butler, P. Seekins, H. Sawyer, D. Glavine, W. Connell, S. Sawyer, R. Phillips, R. Brooks.
Second row: J. Arnold, E. Crowell, S. Leonard, E. Moore, H. Cooney, J. Dyer, D. Goforth, S. Southard, E. Hubbard, P. Deering, P. Rice, Mr. Trask.

The Library Club, in its ninth year of existence, elected the following officers:

<i>President</i>	Hartley Sawyer
<i>Vice-President</i>	Harry Buchanan
<i>Secretary</i>	Dorothy Glavine
<i>Treasurer</i>	Willma Connell

When the vice-president, Harry Buchanan, left Hartland Academy to attend Hermon High School, the club voted to have the secretary or treasurer serve also as vice-president.

We wish to thank our faculty advisor, Mr. Trask, for his assistance to the club during the year.

DOROTHY GLAVINE '56

OFFICE STAFF



*Front row, left to right: Mr. Osgood, J. Dyer, D. Glavine, C. Webber.
Second row: G. Luckman, B. Spaulding, G. Banks, K. Marson.*

The purpose of the Office Staff is to give commercial students an idea of what office work is like. Those who work in the office do required typing, assist the faculty, answer the telephone, and make necessary telephone calls, file correspondence, run errands, operate the duplicating machine, and help students to the best of their ability.

DOROTHY GLAVINE '56

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



First row, left to right: J. LeVasseur, E. Hubbard, E. Littlefield, J. Morgan, E. Sherburne, S. Southard, N. Estes, P. Deering, E. Crowell.
Second row: C. Webber, J. Dyer, R. Martin, B. Buker, D. Butler, R. Kelso, P. Seekins, D. Goforth, Mr. Sirois.
Third row: W. Elliott, S. Webber, K. Dunton, W. Frost, E. Knowles, D. Glavine, M. Hart, D. Nadeau.

The Athletic Association was reorganized this year and is composed of all boys and girls who have won a letter in any sport. Elected to serve throughout the year were the following officers:

<i>President</i>	Earl Sherburne
<i>Vice-President</i>	James Morgan
<i>Secretary</i>	Sandra Southard
<i>Treasurer</i>	Nancy Estes

In the future, Hartland Academy will be known in sports as the "Black Bears," a name decided upon by the student body. Chester Hubbard was chosen as the school mascot, and he is most striking as he assists the cheerleaders, dressed in his black bear suit.

To augment the treasury of the association, sweat shirts, kerchiefs, sweaters, and beanies with the Black Bear emblem were sold to the student body.

During the winter term a volleyball schedule, consisting of five teams made up of both boys and girls, was completed.

Mr. Sirois served as our faculty advisor, and we wish to thank him for his time and patience.

SANDRA SOUTHARD '56

Sophomore Prize Speaking



Front row, left to right: Mrs. Douglas, C. Webber, B. Giles, J. LeVasseur.
Second row: D. Nadeau, R. McFarland, J. Tweedie.

The Burton Prize Speaking Contest was held in the Hartland Academy Auditorium on March 14. The speakers and the selections were as follows:

Roger McFarland	"How George Washington Became the Father of His Country"
Christine Webber	"Going Down"
John Tweedie	"Papa and The Boy"
Joan LeVasseur	"Betty Does The Ironing"
Dean Nadeau	"I an' Columbus"
Beverly Giles	"Don't Tell Me No Gossip: I Won't Listen"

Music was provided by the Academy Band under the direction of Mr. Garenani.

Mr. Trask presented prizes of ten dollars to the winning girl and ten dollars to the winning boy. The winners were Beverly Giles and Dean Nadeau.

We wish to express our appreciation to Mrs. Douglas for the time and patience she gave in coaching us.

Junior Prize Speaking



*First row, left to right: Mr. Berry, W. Patterson, P. Rice, D. Phillips, M. Hart.
Second row: E. Hubbard, R. Fisher, B. Buker, P. Hubbard, P. Humphrey.*

The Hamilton Prize Speaking Contest was held in the Hartland Academy Auditorium on April 4. The speakers presented the following selections:

Phillip Hubbard	"The Kid in Upper Three"
Deborah Phillips	"The Darkest Hour"
Wendall Patterson	"Scratch, The Newsboy Dog"
Patricia Humphrey	"Kidnapping of Shirley"
Mavis Hart	"Lord's Prayer"
Robert Fisher	"Caesar's Friends"
Pauline Rice	"Penny"
Bradford Buker	"The Rider of the Black Horse"
Edrie Hubbard	"Aunt Sallie's Star"

Mr. Trask presented medals to the winning girl and boy. The winners were Pauline Rice and Bradford Buker.

They also represented Hartland Academy in the Central Maine League Prize Speaking held at Hartland, April 13, 1956.

To Mr. Berry, who was our coach, we now express our sincere thanks.

ONE-ACT PLAY



Front row, left to right: A. LeVasseur, D. Glavine, B. Buker, N. Estes.
 Second row: R. McFarland, Mr. Berry, P. Seekins, E. Littlefield.

The Central Maine League One-Act Play Contest was made up of two divisions this year. The contest for the western division was held at Corinna, on March 9, 1956, with Corinna Union Academy, Newport High School, East Corinth Academy, and Hartland Academy participating. The eastern division held their contest at Hampden on the same evening, with Hampden Academy, Hermon High School and Carmel High School participating. The winners of the two divisions were required to present their plays again in order to decide the winner in the entire Central Maine League.

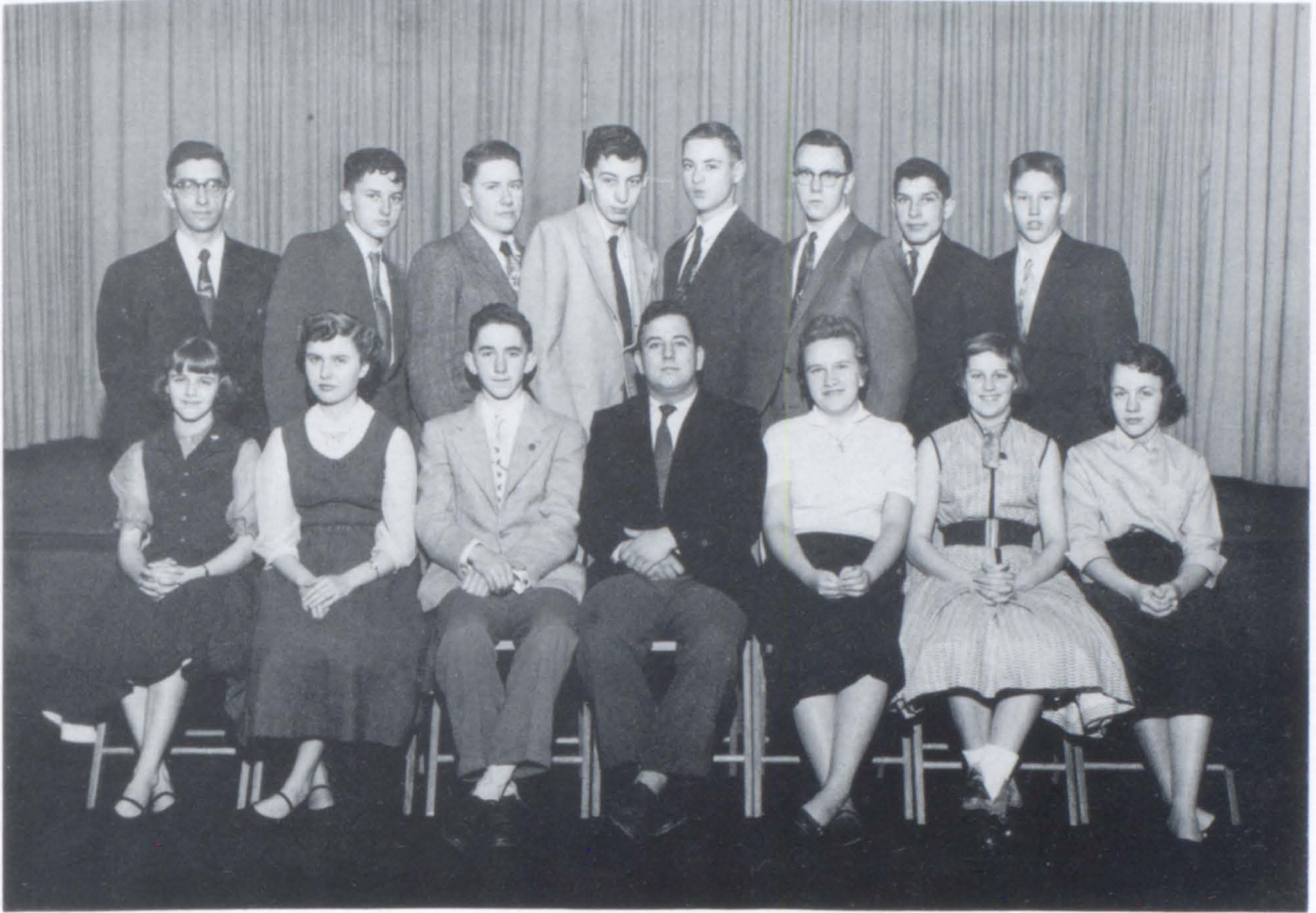
Hartland Academy produced very successfully a play entitled "The Orphans." The characters portrayed were as follows:

Alice	Anita LeVasseur
Jenny	Dorothy Glavine
Lester	Bradford Buker
Sadie	Nancy Estes
Cop	Phillip Seekins
Dr. Sherman	Roger McFarland
Prompter	Ethelyn Littlefield

Although Corinna captured the winning honors for this division, Bradford Buker was chosen the best actor.

The cast expresses its sincere thanks to Mr. Berry, our coach, who devoted so much time in developing the play successfully.

BAND



Front row, left to right: A. LeVasseur, J. Woodman, S. Laughton, D. Nadeau, J. Sawtelle, J. LeVasseur, E. Littlefield.
Second row: Mr. Garenani, R. Chambers, C. Hall, A. Simpson, P. Hall, R. Fisher, V. Hewins, R. Landry.

The band was organized in September, under the capable direction of Mr. Garenani, with six veteran members and eight new members.

Anthony Simpson and Clifton Hall represented our school at the Kennebec Valley Band this year.

The band consists of the following fourteen members:

Saxophones	Richard Chambers Robert Fisher
Trumpets	Anthony Simpson Vernon Hewins
Clarinets	Philip Hall Clifton Hall Sherman Laughton Joan LeVasseur
Trombone	Ethelyn Littlefield
Bass Horn	Robert Landry
Drums	Dean Nadeau Judith Sawtelle Anita LeVasseur
Bell Lyre	Jean Woodman

CHORUS



*Front row, left to right: N. Winchester, J. LeVasseur, R. Phillips, R. Butler, J. Stanchfield, D. Clements, E. Littlefield, A. LeVasseur.
Second row: J. Tweedie, E. Hubbard, J. Sawtelle, G. Banks, S. Sawyer, R. Martin, D. Huff, J. Morgan, W. Connell, N. Estes, P. Humphrey, S. Webber, D. Nadeau, Mr. Garenani.*

During this school year of 1955-1956, the Chorus members have been a selective group numbering twenty, chosen by our music instructor, Mr. Garenani.

We have spent the greater part of the year in development singing; however, we have appeared in a few student assemblies.

The five students who represented Hartland Academy in the Kennebec Valley Chorus were Dean Nadeau, Nancy Estes, Ethelyn Littlefield, Rowena Butler, and Dean Huff.

Ethelyn Littlefield has served as our accompanist, and to her we now express our sincere thanks. We also wish to thank Mr. Garenani for his constant patience and valued instruction.

BETTY SPAULDING '57

Kennebec Valley Chorus and Band



Front row, left to right: Mr. Garenani, E. Littlefield, N. Estes, R. Butler, D. Nadeau.
Second row: C. Hall, D. Huff, A Simpson.

Each year the Kennebec Valley Chorus, Band, and Orchestra present concerts in different towns. The people who plan these concerts are the music supervisors from the high schools in the Kennebec Valley. A certain number of students from each school is chosen to represent their school, according to the size of the band, chorus, and orchestra in the school.

This year Hartland Academy sent five students to participate in the chorus. They were as follows:

Nancy Estes	2nd Soprano
Rowena Butler	1st Alto
Ethelyn Littlefield	1st Alto
Dean Nadeau	2nd Bass
Dean Huff	2nd Bass

The band participants were as follows:

Clifton Hall	Clarinet
Anthony Simpson	Trumpet

Mr. Garenani and Mr. Landry took us to Waterville and Winslow on two different Saturdays for all-day rehearsals. By this time we were ready to present the annual concerts. Only two were presented this year, one at Winslow and the other at Skowhegan.

We all enjoyed this experience and gained much from it. All of us met new friends, both girls and boys. I think that anyone who would be interested in participating in these concerts would enjoy it.

We all wish to thank Mr. Garenani for making this opportunity possible for us.

Future Homemakers of America



Front row, left to right: G. Luckman, M. Campbell, C. Webber, E. Littlefield, E. Crowell, S. Southard, S. Webber, N. Estes, H. Cooney, S. Sawyer, A. LeVasseur, C. Hubbard.

Second row: L. Nichols, R. Butler, J. Sawtelle, P. Green, R. Nutter, P. Humphrey, E. Moore, D. Goforth, W. Connell, J. Webber, J. Cromwell, G. Moore, E. Hubbard, V. Walker, B. Giles, M. Hart, S. Knowles.

Third row: J. Arnold, J. Peterson, J. LeVasseur, S. Leonard, K. Marson, P. Deering, J. Davis, P. Rice, D. Clement, R. Brooks, G. Clement, J. Woodman, Mrs. Douglas.

On October 11, 1955, the following officers of the Future Homemakers of America were installed in an impressive candlelight ceremony: President, Sandra Southard; Vice-President, Sandra Webber; Secretary, Nancy Estes; Treasurer, Elizabeth Crowell; Reporter, Sandra Sawyer; Parliamentarian, Christine Webber; Historian, Helen Cooney; and Song Leader, Ethelyn Littlefield. Mrs. Edna Estes was again elected to serve as our Chapter Mother.

In the fall, the executive board organized the Chapter's calendar of work for the school year. Most of the projects planned were set up to reach the two goals the Chapter selected: first, developing greater understanding among the homes of the world, and secondly, training ourselves to be more democratic in all phases of life.

The Chapter went Christmas caroling, and they also made Christmas angels for hospital trays. Several members are corresponding with pen pals in foreign countries. The members are also selling UNESCO stamps for a United Nations project.

The Chapter made a special observance of National FHA Week. On November 19, the Chapter attended the District FHA Convention in Dexter, and we plan to attend the State FHA Convention in April. We are proud to announce that Sandra Webber was elected District FHA Secretary.

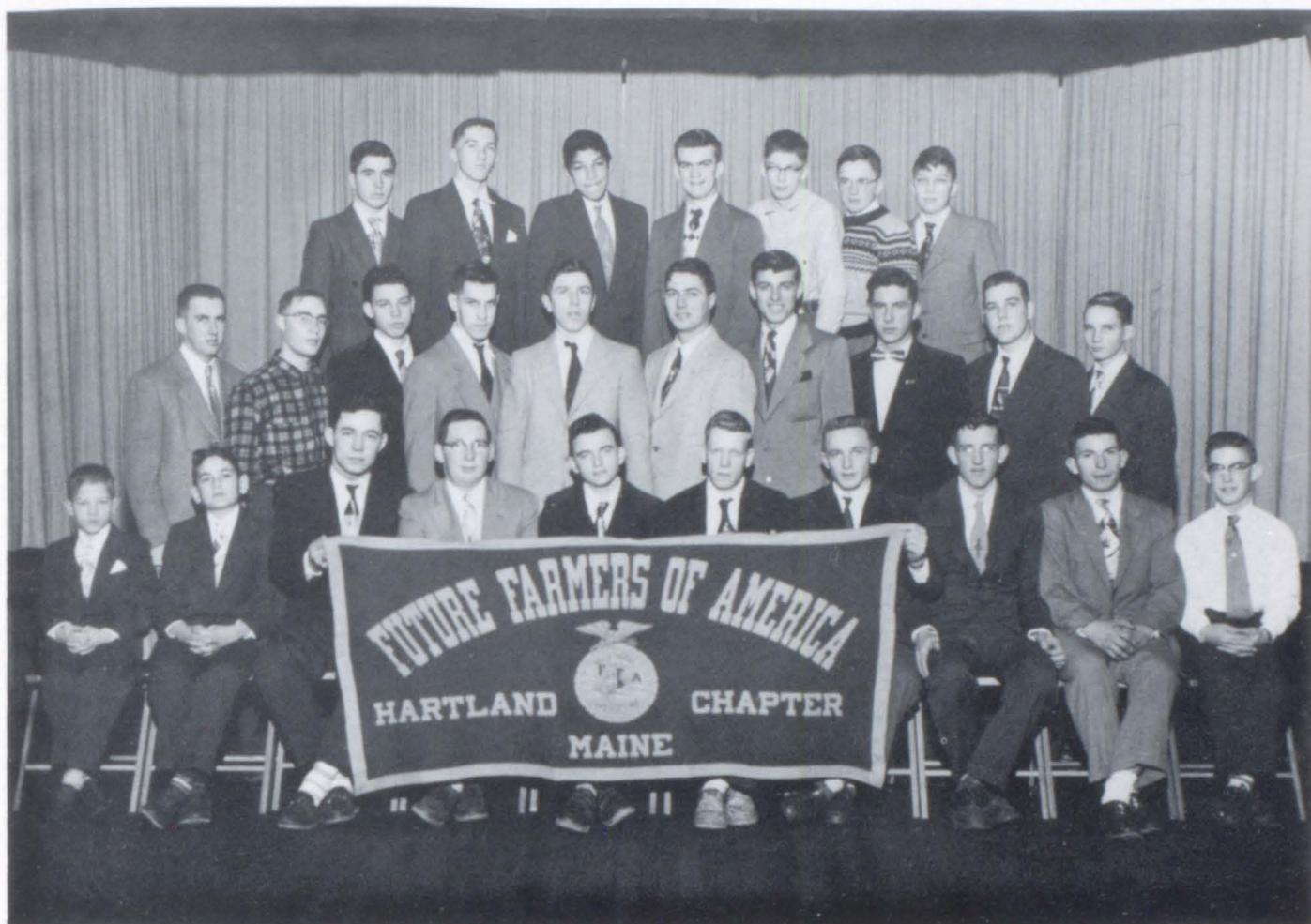
One of our most outstanding programs of the year was presented in February, at which time Mrs. Freda Willey gave a very interesting and informative talk on her native country of England.

This year the Chapter adopted a point system to determine the eligibility of members for nomination for future offices. This idea was adopted in order to stimulate participation in the Chapter's activities and meetings.

We now express our sincere thanks to Mrs. Douglas, who devoted so much time and work in making our Chapter much more active this year.

NANCY ESTES '56

Future Farmers of America



Front row, left to right: W. Tweedie, A. Crowell, H. Sawyer, E. Bowman, E. Sherburne, W. Weeks, P. Bowman, D. Bell, W. Elliot, W. Patterson.
Second row: D. Neal, P. Parsons, J. Carmichael, W. Hewins, J. Griffith, D. Nelson, K. Griffith, R. Kelso, W. Frost, F. Brown.
Third row: D. Fish, A. Giles, R. Thompkins, R. Spaulding, R. Cromwell, J. Pease, P. Gerald.

At the first meeting of the Chapter, officers for the year were elected as follows:

<i>President</i>	Earl Sherburne
<i>Vice-President</i>	Wayne Weeks
<i>Secretary</i>	Phillip Bowman
<i>Treasurer</i>	Errol Bowman
<i>Reporter</i>	Hartley Sawyer
<i>Sentinel</i>	Donald Neal

We sponsored a Christmas party for the F. H. A. girls, at which time there was dancing and refreshments served. A fine time was enjoyed by all who attended.

The Senior and Junior F. F. A. boys attended the Farm and Home Week at the University of Maine in April for one day.

Although we have not been too active this year, we have endeavored to work for the betterment of the organization.

PHILLIP BOWMAN '57

Fire and Safety Squad



*Front row, left to right: K. Dunton, D. Butler, W. Frost, W. Elliott.
Second row: K. Griffith, J. Morgan.*

This is the second year the Fire and Safety Squad has been organized and it was under the supervision of Mr. Trask. Six boys were selected to serve in this group.

The procedure for filing out of the building in case of a fire has been improved. The average time required to empty the building in an orderly manner is 38 seconds.

Plans are being formed for the safety of the students in case of an atomic bombing.

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

KENNETH DUNTON '57

VARSITY BASKETBALL



Standing left to right: R. Tweedie, Mgr., E. Sherburne, D. Butler, J. Morgan, B. Buker, R. Sirois, Coach, J. Connelly, R. Martin, P. Seekins, S. Laughtin, A. Simpson, Asst. Mgr.

The Black Bears started the season off with a bang by defeating Hermon and Hampden in the first two league games. The season ended with a 5-11 record.

The squad was smaller than usual this year, because some of the boys played with the J. V.'s to gain experience for next year. The outlook for the 1956-57 club is very good, since only one player will be lost through graduation.

In the play-offs, we won over Williams of Oakland but were defeated by Hallowell in the first game of the regional tournament. The game with Hallowell was a great improvement over last year's game.

The following number of points were scored by each player: Bradford Buker, 271; Roger Martin, 191; Phillip Seekins, 163; Darrell Butler, 117; James Morgan, 57; Earl Sherburne, 39; Sherman Laughton, 32; and John Connelly, 10. We had an average score of 48.8 points per game, while our opponents averaged 56.7 points.

The team wishes to express its gratitude to Mr. Sirois, our new coach, for

the time and work he devoted to the team during the basketball season.

H. A. VARSITY BASKETBALL RECORD FOR 1955-56 SEASON

Hartland	42	Hampden	40
Hartland	49	Hermon	39
Hartland	46	Clinton	51
Hartland	52	Carmel	62
Hartland	43	Newport	55
Hartland	62	E. Corinth	60
Hartland	53	Newport	51
Hartland	35	Carmel	53
Hartland	36	M. C. I.	40
Hartland	37	Hampden	48
Hartland	45	Hermon	41
Hartland	56	Corinna	68
Hartland	58	Clinton	72
Hartland	64	Corinna	93
Hartland	46	E. Corinth	57
Hartland	20	M. C. I.	59

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Hartland	79	Williams	51
Hartland	55	Hallowell	71

EARL SHERBURNE '56

J. V. BASKETBALL



Left to right: R. McFarland, Mgr., R. Leavitt, W. Hewins, R. Kelso, R. Chambers, J. Tweedie, K. Williamson, D. Nadeau, Mr. Sirois.

The junior varsity basketball team had their share of bad luck this season, losing the largest part of their games and winning only a few. In spite of this, the boys showed good sportsmanship at all times.

Some of the boys were unacquainted with the sport before this season began, but their ability to learn the sport was excellent.

The team wishes to thank Mr. Sirois, who very ably coached the team.

J. V. BASKETBALL

Record for 1955-1956 Season

Hartland	45	Hampden	23
Hartland	31	Hermon	29
Hartland	32	Carmel	62
Hartland	34	Newport	28
Hartland	25	Carmel	55
Hartland	30	M. C. I.	44
Hartland	38	Hampden	41
Hartland	24	Hermon	39
Hartland	29	Corinna	50
Hartland	39	Clinton	51
Hartland	54	Corinna	69
Hartland	26	East Corinth	46
Hartland	11	Newport	26
Hartland	20	East Corinth	36

GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Kneeling, left to right: D. Clement, C. Hubbard, S. Southard, J. LeVasseur, E. Littlefield, J. Woodman.
Standing, left to right: P. Deering, Mgr., R. Butler, R. Nutter, S. Webber, C. Webber, Mrs. Douglas, J. Webber, N. Estes, P. Humphrey, J. Sawtelle, W. Connell, Asst. Mgr.

The girls' basketball season opened the first of November with Mrs. Douglas as their coach and with nineteen girls participating.

We voted to elect a different captain for each game. The girls never gave up hope of winning the trophy all year long. The three games that they lost were only by a close margin.

Priscilla Deering was elected as manager, with Willma Connell as assistant.

The forwards with the respective points scored by each are as follows: Sandra Southard, 274; Nancy Estes, 146; Rebecca Nutter, 59; Sandra Webber, 48; Joan LeVasseur, 21; Patricia Humphrey, 15.

The girls wish to thank their coach, Mrs. Douglas, for the time and effort she

devoted to the team in making the season so successful.

H. A. GIRLS' BASKETBALL RECORD FOR 1955-1956 SEASON

Hartland	44	Hampden	38
Hartland	21	Hermon	15
Hartland	31	Clinton	14
Hartland	35	Carmel	20
Hartland	52	Newport	29
Hartland	33	East Corinth	27
Hartland	33	Newport	26
Hartland	35	Hampden	38
Hartland	33	Hermon	35
Hartland	66	Carmel	53
Hartland	27	Corinna	32
Hartland	42	M. C. I.	26
Hartland	53	East Corinth	22

SANDRA SOUTHARD '56

CROSS COUNTRY



*Kneeling, left to right: V. Hewins, P. Parsons, P. Seekins, W. Hewins.
Standing: Mr. Sirois, R. Martin, B. Kelso, D. Butler, D. Nadeau, Mgr.*

The 1955 Cross Country team had a successful season even though it did not win too many meets. The boys showed good sportsmanship at all times, something to be admired by any school.

In the League Meet at Corinna, Darrell Butler, a newcomer on the team, placed fifth.

We wish to thank Mr. Bradstreet, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Sirois, all of whom coached us at various times during the season, for their patience and guidance.

DEAN NADEAU '58

SOFTBALL



Front row, left to right: S. Southard, N. Estes, P. Humphrey, S. Webber, C. Webber, S. Sawyer, M. Hart, L. Nichols.
Second row: Mrs. Douglas, J. LeVasseur, E. McNally, V. Estes, E. Littlefield, R. LeVasseur, C. Hubbard, K. Hart, Asst. Mgr.

The softball team had a very good season last year, winning the C. M. L. softball championship with an undefeated season. The games and scores follow:

Hartland	18	Carmel	4
Hartland	13	M. C. I.	1
Hartland	22	East Corinth	5
Hartland	12	M. C. I.	5
Hartland	17	Hampden	14
Hartland	9	Corinna	7
Hartland	41	Newport	0

We lost several girls through graduation, but the prospects of having a good team this spring seem bright.

Our coach, Mrs. Douglas, did a splendid job in turning out such a fine team. Our manager was Roxene Hughes, with Kathleen Hart as her assistant.

BASEBALL



Front row, left to right: D. Butler, W. Weeks, E. Knowles, R. Coolen, K. Dunton, P. Seekins, P. Bowman, R. Tasker, P. Smith, D. Nadeau, W. Frost.
Second row: E. Sherburne, Mgr.; J. Morgan, R. Martin, D. Neal, J. Tweedie, Mr. Osgood, D. Hughes, W. Hewins, B. Buker, D. Bell, W. Elliott, Asst. Mgr.

The Hartland Academy baseball team captured the C. M. L. baseball championship for the seventh consecutive year without a defeat.

The team was led in hitting by Phillip Seekins, who had a very good batting average of .480, followed closely by Bradford Buker with a .419 average and Roger Coolen with a .375 average.

Roger Martin, Phillip Seekins, and Phillip Bowman collected home runs during the season, and Bradford Buker collected four triples. Jim Morgan, Wayne Frost, and Roger Coolen did a commendable job on the mound for the Academy nine. Frost and Coolen won three games each, and Morgan won one game, a fine relief job.

The outlook for next year is good, since only two players will be lost through graduation.

The boys were pleased with the guidance and the interest shown by our new coach, Mr. Osgood.

1955 SEASON RECORD

Hartland	15	Carmel	9
Hartland	15	M. C. I.	3
Hartland	10	Corinna	5
Hartland	6	M. C. I.	7
Hartland	6	East Corinth	0
Hartland	12	Hermon	0
Hartland	10	Newport	3
Hartland	12	Hampden	0

E. SHERBURNE '56

CHEERLEADERS



Left to right: E. Crowell, M. Hart, S. Sawyer, D. Glavine, E. Hubbard, P. Rice, A. LeVasseur.

We started the year off very successfully with seven cheerleaders who were chosen by the faculty. They were as follows: Dorothy Glavine, Elizabeth Crowell, Pauline Rice, Mavis Hart, Sandra Sawyer, Edrie Hubbard, and Kathleen Hart. Anita LeVasseur was elected as alternate.

The squad elected Dorothy Glavine to serve as head cheerleader for the season.

As the basketball season progressed, Kathleen Hart left school, but her position was capably filled by Anita LeVasseur.

New linen material was purchased, from which each cheerleader made a new jumper. These were complemented with white blouses and black ties.

MAVIS HART '57

ALUMNI

CLASS OF '46

Maxine Brooker Grant, living in Guilford.
Elizabeth Bunker Folsom, living in Cambridge.
Achshah Farrell Reynolds, living in Cambridge.
George Goforth, principal in a Rumford elementary school.
Mahlon Gray, training in Topeka State Hospital in Topeka, Kansas.
Maxine Jones Irving, living in Corinna.
Dorothy Lawrence Austin, living in Stoughton, Massachusetts.
Gene Lee Rollins, living in Hartland.
Edith Lord Lary, living in St. Albans.
Earl McLean, living in California.
Arlene McPherson Updyke, living in Pittsfield.
Marilyn Mills McCloud, living in Bangor.
Jack Neal, employed in Newport.
Robert Page, living in Ripley.
Ruth Pearson Susi, living in Pittsfield.
Thelma Philbrick Green, living in Hartland.
Evangeline Powers Merrill, living in Deep River, Conn.
Rae Jean Randlett Towle, living in Hartland.
Kenneth Russell, unknown.
Geraldine Sawyer D'Amico, living in White Sands, New Mexico.
Lois Seekins Brailey, living in Burnham.
Maxine Spaulding, unknown.
Shirley Stedman Whittemore, living in Skowhegan.
Velma Vandestine Boothaby, living in Skowhegan.
Ivan Welch, teaching in Rumford.

CLASS OF '51

Frank Bailey, Air Force, Florida.
Webster Baird, employed by Snowflake Canning Co., Hartland.
Patricia Bragg Picard, unknown.
Harold Carson, attending Boston University in Boston, Massachusetts.
Carolyn Davis, employed in Dexter.
Virginia Davis, unknown.
Priscilla Estes Small, living in Hartland.
Janice Frost, living in St. Albans.
David Dow, unknown.
Francis Getchell, employed in Naugatuck, Connecticut.
Diana Hardwick, unknown.
David Huff, employed in Perth Amboy, New Jersey.
Francis Knowles, Air Force, stationed in Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont.
Mabel Lawrence Stadig, living in St. Albans.
Opal Libby Greene, living in New Jersey.
Wayne Libby, Army, stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia.
Edwin Littlefield, attending Maine Vocational Technical Institute, South Portland.
Raymond Martin, contractor in Hartland.
Luther McDougal, employed by Hartland Tanning Co.
Marjorie McDougal Bubar, living in St. Albans.
Joan Morgan, living in Connecticut.
Franklin Morrison, living in Massachusetts.
Beverly Nichols Chute, unknown.
Kenneth Nichols, living in Naugatuck, Connecticut.
Evelyn Noble Farrar, living in Ripley.

George Soule, living in Dixfield.
Donna Tweedie Tozier, living in Hartland.
Ruth Watson Baird, living in Hartland.
Thomas Williams, Navy.

CLASS OF '52

Luella Bailey, living in Waterville.
Ida Mae Buker, living in Pittsfield.
Donald Deering, living in Ripley.
Gordon Deering, Army, stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey.
Philip Emery, employed by the Hartland Tanning Co.
Marjorie Hart Hayden, living in St. Albans.
Lloyd Hubbard, Jr., attending the U. of M.
Ronald Hughes, attending Providence Bible Institute, Providence, Rhode Island.
James Jamison, attending Colby College.
Robert Lucas, Air Force, stationed in Limestone.
Shirley Merrill, attending Simmons College.
Hazen Mills, living in Baltimore, Maryland.
Wynona Parker Rusgaitis, living in Naugatuck, Connecticut.
Clifton Russell, living in Hartland.
Patricia Scribner Arno, living in Skowhegan.
Daniel Snowman, Air Force, stationed at Washington, D. C.
Kenneth Southard, Army, stationed in the Panama Canal Zone.
Florence Stedman Gardner, living in Portland.
Turney Taylor, Army, stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.
Jacquelyn Vining Morrison, living in Hallowell.
Audrey Wark Cook, living in Newport.

Clarence Webber, employed by the Hartland Tanning Co.
Ethelyn Wheeler, Air Force, stationed at March Field, California.
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, Air Force, stationed in Denver, Colorado.
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Nellie Crocker Tibbetts, living in Pittsfield.
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Merlon Emery, living in St. Albans.
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Jesse Merrill, living in St. Albans.
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Ernest Hughes, attending Farmington State Teachers College.
Gail Jones, attending Husson College.
Marjorie Jones Neal, living in St. Albans.
Elwin Littlefield, attending Farmington State Teachers College.
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Merton Stanhope, Air Force, stationed in Salina, Kansas.
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Roland Webber, Air Force, stationed in Kansas City.

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Ester McNally, attending Nursing School, Presque Isle.
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Noreen Russell Willey, living in Hartland.
Ronald Tasker, employed by Hartland Tanning Co.
Alene Taylor, living in Palmyra.
Gloria Warner, employed by American Home Club Plan, Bangor.

SENIOR STATISTICS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Biggest Failing</i>	<i>By-word</i>	<i>Ambition</i>	<i>Most Fitting Song</i>
G. Banks	Dexter	Sure	To have a partnership in a Nash	Glow Worm
B. Connell	Nights	Get off my back	To get rich quick	Just Call Me Lonesome From Now On
E. Crowell	Curly haired boy	Large and heavy deal	To learn to drive a Buick	Open the Door, Richard
P. Deering	M.I.T.	No	To be a chemical engineer's wife	Saturday Night Is the Loneliest Night of the Week
J. Dyer	Blondes	Got 'nather one	To go to a commercial school	Eat, Drink, and Be Merry
W. Elliott	Pat	Why sure!	To own a good car	Good Old Mountain Dew
N. Estes	Sleep	Holy matrimony!	To diet	It's Almost Tomorrow
D. Glavine	M.C.P.	Mox Nix	To be a career girl	Wish You Were Here
D. Goforth	Air Force	Oh no	To be an Air Force Wife	Wedding Bells
K. Griffith	Cars	Huh!	To retire	I Forgot To Remember To Forget
M. Hart	St. Albans	Gosh	To get married	I'm In the Jail House Now
E. Knowles	North Hartland	Okay	To play pro baseball	Detour
R. Lewis	Pittsfield	Yeah	To be a bachelor	Don't Fence Me In
K. Marson	Boys	No Kiddin'	To be a beautician	Undecided
D. Neal	Women	You don't say	To sleep	Rock and Roll Song
D. Nelson	Attending school	I guess so	To buy a new convertible	Hawkeye
H. Sawyer	Athens	Three guesses	To go to the moon	Why, Baby, Why
E. Sherburne	Telephone poles	Look, Buster	To be a man	Mister Sandman
S. Southard	Ford cars and crew cuts	I heard it on the grape vine	To stop the draft board	My Boy, Flattop
W. Weeks	Oakland	I don't care	To make money	It's a Sin To Tell A Lie

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