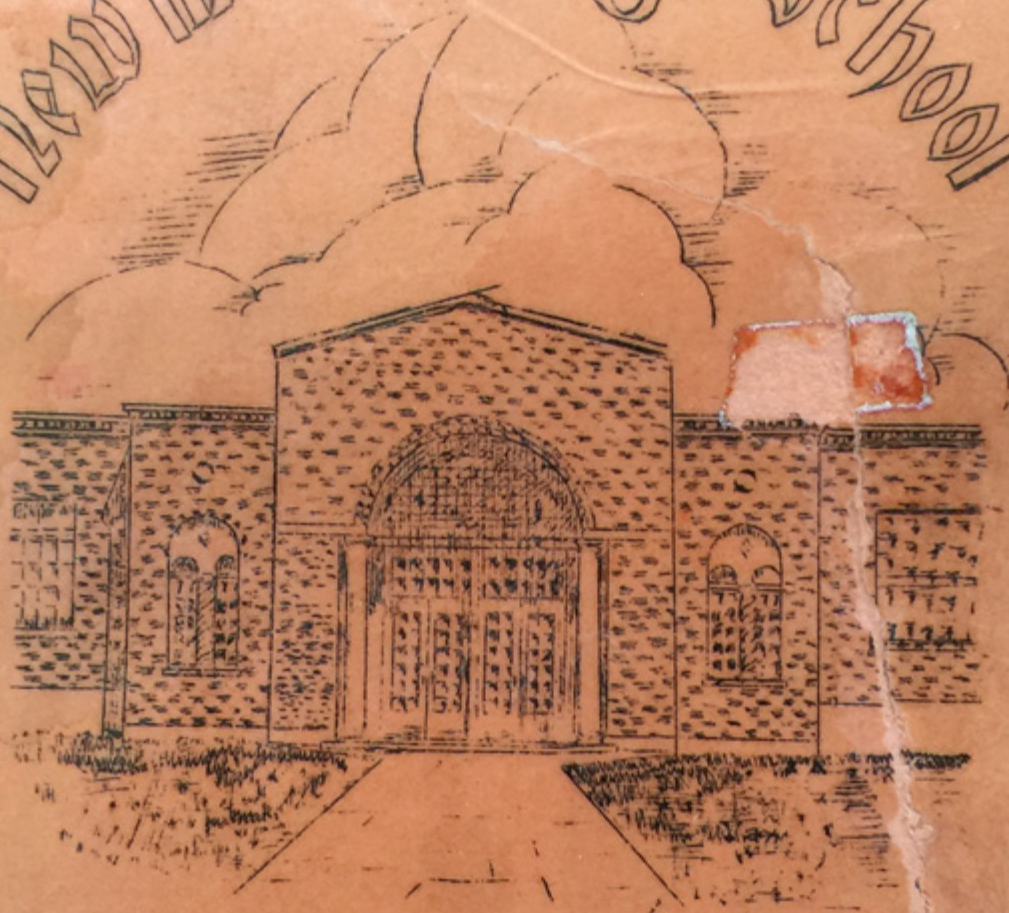


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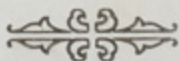
GRADUATING CLASS OF 1932
NEW MILFORD CONSOLIDATED HIGH SCHOOL



FRONT ROW—L. to R.—Frances Hankins, Faculty Advisor; Irenus Bajkowski, Doris J. Aldrich, Dorothy L. Wallace, Eleanor A. VanCott, Margaret E. Hand, Pres., Beulah L. Tanner, Geneva Gage.

BACK ROW—L. to R.—Ivan A. Ransom, E. Melvin Pittinger, John U. Yeisley, Clyde E. Lindsey, H. Ross Hall, Everett M. Clinton, J. Henry Linfoot.

Due to sickness two of the class were unable to attend school on the day the above photo was taken. They are Doris M. Miller and Edwin P. Summers.



- THE STAFF -

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- FOREWORD -

With this first edition of "The Echo" we, the senior Class of 1932, are setting an example which we hope will be carried on and improved by the Senior Classes of future years.

We realize that with this small volume we can not hope to compete with the annuals presented by some high schools but we have striven to develop a book that will be of interest to you and a credit to the class.

We hope that the class of 1933 will present a greatly improved volume. We realize that it can be improved in many ways.

With this thought in mind we, the class of 1932, present to you, this, the first edition of the Echo.

The work of the staff has proceeded under the direction of Mr. Carr, the teacher of the Senior English class. Some of the fundamental principles have, we hope, been well learned in the development of this little book.

We are particularly grateful to our advertisers. We hope that you will patronize them as we know that they can serve you as well as others farther away.

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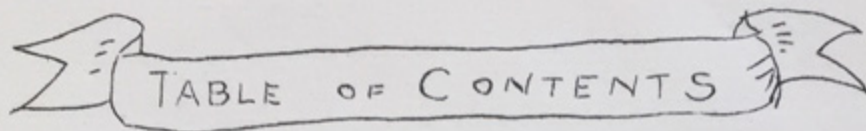


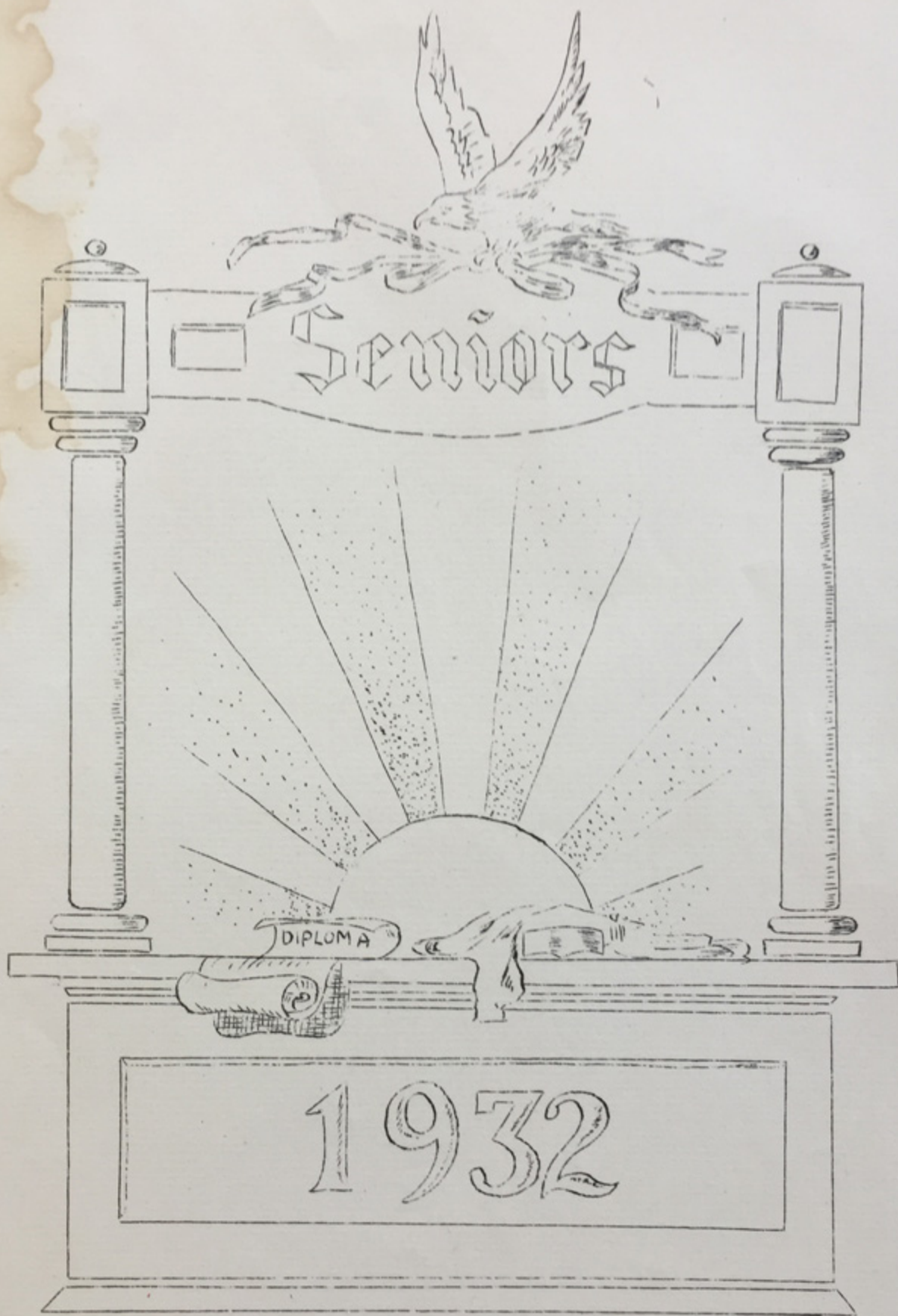
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The Class of 1932 gratefully dedicate this,
their year book, to

LYELL B. CARR

without whose unselfish aid this could not
have been.



Seniors

DIPLUMA

1932

SENIORS

ALDRICH, DORIS

Glee Club, Basket ball 4; Girl Reserves,
Class Vice-President 2;4; Track 4; "ECHO" 4.

"DOR"

- A- Ability
- L- Loyalty
- D- Dressy
- R- Reliability
- I- Initiative
- C- Courage
- H- Happiness



"REBUS"

BAJKOWSKI, IRENUS

"ECHO" Staff 4; Baseball 4.

Although "Renus" has been with us for only one year he has won his place by his ability along many lines, particularly, in the pitcher's box and as our artist for "THE ECHO".



CLINTON, EVERETT

Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 4; "ECHO" Staff 4;
Track 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4.

"SOCK"

"Sock" has been playing basketball for a number of years. Of course, he has his letters. Through his interest in law, the Guidance class received their notes on law this year.



"NEVA"

GAGE, GENEVA

Pres. Girls' Glee Club; Pres. Girl Reserves 4;
Capt. Girls' basketball 4; Track 4; Athletic
Association; Vice-President Glee Club 3,4.



- G enerous
- E fficient
- N eat
- E nergetic
- V icious
- A lert

- G ood basketball player
- A lways on time
- G ift of frankness
- E nroute to Lawsville

HALL, ROSS

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4;
Class treasurer 4; Hi-Y

"BILL"

No matter where it is, on the basketball floor, in school, or going to a fire, "Bill" takes the same old gait. Although not always first, he "gets there with the goods"!



HAND, MARGARET

"Peg"
Class Treas. 1; Vice Pres. 3; Pres. 4;
Vice Pres. A. A. 3; A. A. Treas. 4;
Glee Club, Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 4.

Efficient | Friendly | Honest | Jolly
Alert | "PEG" | Personality



LINDSEY, CLYDE

"SAILOR"
Baseball, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Hi-Y 3, 4;
Class Secretary 3.

Big, strong, dependable Clyde. Perseverance has played a large part in this boy's life, because he overcame the obstacle of walking to and from school. He brought home first place from the County Track and Field Meet in the shot-put, 1931.

LINFOOT, HENRY

"HANK" or "SHRIMP"
Hi-Y 3, 4; Secretary 4; Class Secy 2;
Class Treasurer 3.

Henry has been our cheerful friend and class-mate for four years. He is always ready for a good time and has been the life of more than one party.



MILLER, DORIS

"DOR"
Girl Reserves 3, 4; Basketball 4;
Glee Club 3, 4.

Doris is one of those girls who is always studying. She enters sports and works with a determination to be victor. Doris is a real friend whom we are glad to have in the Class of '32.



PITTENGER, E. MELVIN

Track 4.

"PITT"

"Pitt" has been with us only one year, but in that time we have learned to know and like this dark haired boy from York Springs. As the Professor Percival Courtwright in the Senior play, he scored indeed!



RANSOM, IVAN A. "Ransom"
Basketball 2; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;
Class Pres. 2, 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Hi-Y
Pres. 4; "Echo" Staff 4.

"Ransom" is truly an industrious student for he is our Salutatorian. His ability, however, is not all confined to text books. This apparently shy "chap" has a rare musical ability which will carry him far forward to success.



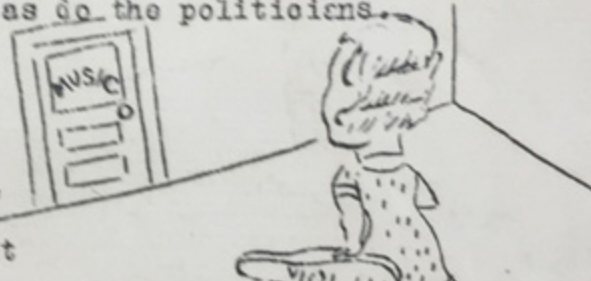
SUMMERS, EDWIN "EDDIE"
YO-YO Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4.

"Eddie" is a self-conscious, quiet and reserved person respected by his classmates. He is fond of nature and the great outdoors. As for his girl friends, -oh, well, - they are kept secret; he does no campaigning as do the politicians.



TANNER, BEULAH "GOLDIE"
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club
1, 2, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4.

From an English literature class to an orchestra rehearsal, wherever the duty, whatever the task, Beulah is always ready to engage in her pursuit with a suggestion of enjoying it.



VAN COTT, ELEANOR "ELLE"
Glee Club, basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Girl Reserves 3, 4; Class Pres. 1;
Athletic Association 3; Track 3.

"Elle" is the Valedictorian of our class, and a very good one too. She is cheerful, neat, and accommodating to her classmates and friends.



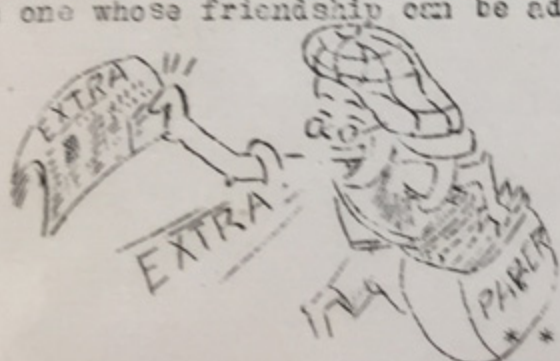
WALLACE, DOROTHY "DOT"
Track 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4;
Girl Reserves 3, 4.

Dorothy is one of those good-looking, ambitious students. She is a good sport, ready for fun, and willing to work with others. All in all, Dorothy is one whose friendship can be admired.



FRIENDLY YEISLEY, JOHN "JOHNNY"
Hi-Y 3, 4; A. A. 3; Orchestra 1,
3; Basketball 4; Track 4; ECHO 4.

"Johnny" came into high school just as green as any Freshman, but a little bolder. When he isn't peddling papers, he may be looking at pictures. Here is a good student who is always willing to be of service where needed.



-THE ECHO-

FACULTY SECTION

The gathering of the Faculty of the New Milford Consolidated school has been a matter of vital concern by the educational authorities. All teachers are fully qualified educationally to meet state qualifications regarding their assigned work; many have more than enough credits; all are interested in the ultimate welfare of the children under their supervision and will welcome parental consideration in all cases of possible dissatisfaction. No preparatory school has been favored, but the well-prepared teacher has been welcomed.

FACULTY ROLL CALL

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|--|---|
| Mr. L. B. Carr, Supervising Principal. English and Science.
Diploma, Edinboro High School; A. B., Bucknell University. Summer Schools, B. U. and Edinboro State Teachers College. | Eva L. Lloyd - Thompson, Pa. Grade Seven.
Diploma, Thompson High School, Bloomsburg State Teachers College. |
| Frances I. Hankins - Milford, Pa. Assistant Principal-Biology, History, and Social Sciences. Diploma, Milford High School; A. B., Syracuse University. Extension work, Syracuse U. | Mary E. Stevens - Nicholson, Pa. Grade Six.
Diploma, Nicholson High School, Mansfield State Teachers College. |
| Kathryn Pittenger - Lewisbarry, Pa. Latin, French, English, Girls' Diploma, Everett High School, A. B., Gettysburg College. | Elizabeth H. Hubler - Cordon, Pa. Grade Five - Girls' Athletics. Diploma, Ashland High School, Bloomsburg State Teachers College. |
| Raph G. Wilkinson - Wellsboro, Pa. Mathematics, science, boys' athl. Diploma, Charleston High School, B. S. in Education, Mansfield S.T.C. | Doris E. Empett - New Milford, Pa. B. B. Grade Four
Diploma, New Milford High School, Bloomsburg State Teachers College. |
| Mildred Golos - Geneva, N. Y. Supervisor of Music. Diploma, Geneva High School, B. M., Syracuse University. | Jessie G. Darrow - New Milford, Pa. Grade Three
Diploma, Harford High School, Mansfield Normal School, Twenty-two years experience in Susquehanna County Schools. |
| Walter R. Mosher - Lakeside, Pa., Grade Eight
Graduate, Lakeside Public School, Extension Courses: Syracuse U. and Penn. State College; Permanent Certificate. Twenty-two years experience in Susquehanna County Schools. | Romayne Casterline - Scranton, Pa. Grade Two
Diploma, Scranton Central High West Chester State Teachers Coll. |
| | May J. Mather - Springboro, Pa. Grade One. Diploma, Springboro High School, Clarion Normal School; Teacher Training, Chatauqua, N. Y.; Special work, Columbia University. |
| | Dorothy W. De Pew - New Milford, Pa. Grade One
Diploma, New Milford High School, East Stroudsburg Normal School. |

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CLASS ROLLS

CLASS OF 1933

Moshor, Jessie - Pres.
 Aldrich, Camilla-V. Pres.
 Aldrich, Jessie- Sec'y.
 Powers, Maude- Treas.
 Artley, Janet
 Clinton, Emma
 Darrow, Elmer
 Dearborn, Ruth
 Decker, Eva
 Cates, Lewis
 Griffin, Leona
 Lawrence, Mary
 Lindsay, Ruth
 Moshor, Edwin
 Pickering, Ivan
 Williams, Leona

MOTTO

Excelsior- Onward
 and upward.

COLORS

Black and White

FLOWER

White Carnation

CLASS OF 1934

Richardson, Rob't.- Pres.
 Gillespie, Donald-V. Pres.
 Hunt, Gertrude- Sec'y.
 Hunt, Rachel- Treas.
 Aldrich, Howard
 Brown, Marion
 Browning, Elizabeth
 Conrad, Dorothy
 Darrow, Esther
 Decker, Doris
 De Suba, Charles
 Donley, Paul
 Empett, Charles
 Hall, Doris
 Karpinko, Paul
 Moore, Linus
 Flickering, Louise
 Stanton, Audrey
 Stevens, Lloyd
 Summers, Selma
 Towner, Doris
 Tyler, Bessie
 Walworth, Geraldine

COLORS

Blue and White

FLOWER

Pink Tea Rose

CLASS OF 1935

Yeisley, Frank-Pres.
 Burlingame, Robert
 -Vice Pres.
 Banker, Eunice- Secy
 Morse, Grace- Treas.
 Anderson, Ethel
 Benson, Clifford
 Bierley, Fay
 Button, Ina
 Dexter, Donald
 Dexter, Lloyd
 Gunn, Fred
 Leese, Delphine
 Lewis, George
 Pickering, Harland
 Potter, Stanley
 Price, Jack
 Price, Jay
 Ralston, Maxine
 Russell, Agnes
 Schmoll, Alberta
 Tingley, Dorthon
 Tingley, Wilson
 Townsend, Irene
 Whitney, Isabelle
 Williams, Agnes
 Wilmot, Norma.

MOTTO

"Possunt qui a posse
 uidentur-"
 (They can because
 they think they can)

COLORS

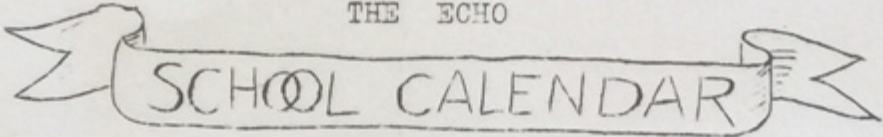
Blue and Gold

FLOWER

Yellow Rose

* NOTICE TO ALUMNI *

The reason for the absence of an alumni list from these pages is the fact that no complete records have been kept and no such list is available. We would like very much to hear from members of the alumni in regard to this book. If you have any comments please send them to a member of the staff. We would also appreciate it if you would register your present address with the school.


 SCHOOL CALENDAR

1931

September	21	School Opens for first time in new building.
October	2	Dedication of new building; address by F. M. Davenport, Class of 1882, N. M. H. S., U. S. Congressman for New York State, Clinton, N. Y.
October	23	First 20 day period ends. Dietric Company presents entertainment.
"	13	Institute Week begins.
November	6	First Grading Period ends.
"	11	Report cards issued for first time this year.
"	20	Second 20 day period ends.
"	23	Marionette Show, "Hansel and Gretel".
"	26-27	Thanksgiving Recess
"	30	School opens following Thanksgiving Recess
December	6	Basketball- Hallstead vs. New Milford H. S.
"	21	First game to be played on new gymnasium floor.
"	22	Second Grading period ends.
"	24-25	Basketball - Varsity vs. Alumni
"	28	Christmas Recess.
		School reopens after Christmas Recess.

1932

JANUARY	1	New Year Recess
"	4	School reopens for balance of the year.
"	7	Mr. Ramsay, newspaper man, gives lecture on Russia in auditorium.
"	12	Louis Williams gives lecture with tele-photo cell and gyroscope.
"	21	Eightieth day of school year.
"	29	Dance in auditorium for benefit of curtain fund.
February	5	Third grading period and first semester end.
"	5	Inter-class basketball contests.
"	19	Civic Club card party for benefit of first aid room equipment.
"	22	George Washington Bi-Centennial Celebration. Cast of over sixty pupils in all grades of the school.
March	29	School not in session due to heavy snowstorm blocking all roads.
"	30	Second Civic Club card party for benefit of First Aid room equipment. One steel cot and table for dressings already purchased. More to follow. More power to the Civic Club!
April	1	Dance in the gymnasium under auspices of Senior Class.
"	12	Illustrated lecture on National Parks of the Rocky Mountain Region.
"	8	Cafeteria Supper by members of Class of 1933.
"	22	Senior Cafeteria Supper.
May	6	Play by Class of 1932, - "Oh, Professor!"
"	30	Observation of Memorial Day with school in session.
June	5	Baccalaureate Sermon for Class of 1932.
"	10	Commencement for Class of 1932 in Auditorium.
"	13	School closes for summer recess.

ATHLETICS

BASEBALL

The following boys reported to Coach Wilkinson for baseball practice last fall; those marked with an asterisk (*) received letters for participation in more than half the total number of innings: Paul Donley* Everett Clinton, Charles Empott*, Paul Kerpinko*, Linus Moore, Ross Hall* Donald Gillespie*, Lewis Gatos*, Lloyd Stevens*, Charles De Zuba-, Robert Richardson*, Ellis Wilder, Ironus Bajkowski.

Results of the league games were as follows:

September 18		New Milford	0	Oakland	3
" 25	"	"	6	Harford	4
October 2	"	"	13	Thompson	3
" 6	"	"	8	Hopbottom	7
" 8	"	"	13	Great Bend	5

The final score of the inter-sectional championship game played at Hopbottom on October 23, 1932 was: Brooklyn- 18; New Milford- 13.

BASKET BALL:

The boys' basket ball squad for this season consisted of the following boys, (those who received letters are marked with an asterisk); Lloyd Stevens, Charles De Zuba*, Robert Richardson*, Everett Clinton*, Donald Gillespie*, Charles Empott*, Ross Hall*, Edwin Mosher, Linus Moore, and John Yeisley.

The girls' lineups contained the following names: Bossie Tyler*, Eleanor Van Cott*, Margaret Hand*, Maude Powers*, Geneva Gago*, Doris Aldrich*, Camilla Aldrich*, Doris Hall*, and Doris Miller.

Schedule for the season was as follows:

December 11, 1931	Harford	at	New Milford
January 15, 1932	Montrose	at	" "
" 22, 1932	Susquehanna	at	" "
" 29, 1932	New Milford	at	Harford
February 19, 1932	" "	at	Montrose
" 26, 1932	" "	at	Susquehanna.

TRACK:

Lack of space forbids the publication of any report of track activities except in tabular form. Taking the school as a whole we won third place in the meet in Class "A" as well as third in Class "C".

Class "A" Boys

Pittenger
Richardson*
Moore*
Yeisley*
De Zuba*
Stevens
Clinton, Mgr.*

(An asterisk denotes those who received letters.)

Class A Girls

Doris Hall*
Margaret Hand*
Ruth Dearborn*
Geneva Gago*
Geraldine Falworth*

Class "C" was represented by Ellis Wilder, Fredrick Wiseman, Dana Empott and Willard Felton. Class "C" Girls who took part in the track meet are Mabel Gillespie, Mary Kerr, Ina Stevens, and Mary Tiffany.

Mixed chorus in Class "C" won third place and the Class "A" Orchestra won second place.



Our
Commencement



O R D E R O F W O R S H I P

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE FOR THE
CLASS OF 1932 of NEW MILFORD
CONSOLIDATED HIGH SCHOOL
8:00 P. M., JUNE 5, 1932
SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

1. Entrance of the Class of 1932, the members of the Clergy, the Faculty, and the Board of Education.
2. HYMN - By the Congregation - "O WORSHIP THE KING"
 1. Oh, worship the King, all glorious above
Oh, gratefully sing, His pow'r and His love!
Our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned with splendor and girded with praise.
 2. Oh, tell of His might, oh, sing of his grace!
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space!
His chariots of wrath the deep thunder-clouds form,
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.
 3. Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light,
It streams from the hills, it descends to the plains,
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rains.
3. PRAYER - Led by Rev. William E. Yoisley of the Presbyterian Church.
4. SCRIPTURE LESSON - Reading by Rev. Henry L. Snyder of the M. E. Church. Romans, Chapter XII.
5. HYMN SELECTION SUNG BY THE GIRLS' GLEE CLUB OF THE HIGH SCHOOL, "SOFTLY NOW THE LIGHT OF DAY" - Miss Mildred Golos, Director.
6. OFFERTORY - Violin Solo - Ivan A. Ransom '32.
(Your offering will be for our speaker of the evening and for the relief of local misfortunes.)
7. SERMON - Rev. G. E. Van Woert, New Milford
8. HYMN - To be sung by the Congregation - "LEAD ON, O KING ETERNAL"
 1. Lead on, O King Eternal,
The day of march has come;
Henceforth in fields of conquest
They tents shall be our home;
Through days of preparation
Thy grace has made us strong,
And now, O King Eternal,
We lift our battle song.
 2. Lead on, O King Eternal,
In us thy truth increase,
Till holiness shall whisper
The sweet Amen of peace;
For not with swords loud
clashing,
Nor roll of stirring drums,
With deeds of love and mercy
The heavenly Kingdom comes.
 3. Lead on, O King Eternal,
We follow, not with fears,
For gladness breaks like morning
Wher-e'er Thy face appears;
Thy banner is before us;
We journey in its light;
The crown awaits the conquest;
Lead on, O God of might.
9. Benediction - Rev. H. L. Snyder.

The Commencement of the Class of 1932 will be held in the school auditorium June 10, 1932 at 8:00 P. M. All are welcomed.

COMIENCEMENT PROGRAMME

Commencement Theme:-"The Growth of Citizenship and Govern-
ment in America."

- March ----- N.M.C.S. Orchestra
- Invocation----- Rev. H.L. Snyder
- Salutatory Address----- Ivan A. Ransom
- Oration-"Growth of the American's
Responsibility as a citizen"----- Dorothy L. Wallace
- Class History----- Doris J. Aldrich
- Class Will----- Bulah L. Tanner
- Selection-----N.M.C.S. Orchestra
- Class Prophecy----- J. Henry Linfoot
- Everett M. Clinton
- Oration- "Present Day Failures in
Citizenship"----- John U. Yeisley
- Class Presentations----- Geneva Gage
- Melvin Pittenger
- (Assisted by "Jimmie" Lewis and Carol Virginia Carr)
- Selection----- Girl's Glee Club
- Mantle Oration----- Margaret E. Hand
- Response for the Class of 1933----- Jessie Mosher
- Valedictory Address- "Our Heritage in
George Washington"- Eleanor Van Cott
- Presentation of Eighth Grade
- Certificates of Promotion----Walter R. Mosher, Teacher
- Presentation of Diplomas--L.B. Carr, Supervising Principal
- Benediction----- Rev. W.A. Yeisley
- Selection----- N.M.C.S. Orchestra

JOINT BOARD OF EDUCATION, NEW MILFORD CONSOLIDATED
SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

- A. M. Summers, President.
- Glenn E. Tingley, Vice-President.
- Myrtle M. Moss, Secretary.
- F. A. Artley, Treasurer.

- Paul Walworth
- Gerald Tyler
- Homer Cobb

- Stephen E. Decker
- M. J. Fornane
- L. B. Wilder



THE CLASS HISTORY

By Doris Aldrich

September the fourth, 1928 was a memorable day to our group of twenty rather shy freshmen and-- according to the Senior Class of that particular year, we were hopelessly green! Of those twenty only twelve remain who have had sufficient initiative to withstand the toil of four long years.

Edna Chandler was the first to leave us. She did not return in the fall of 1929. She is now working at the Park View Hotel.

Ruth Dearborn is so enthusiastic over riding to and from Summersville in the new school bus that she has decided to wait until next year for graduation.

Eugenia Dennis left us October 1st, 1930 to become a Taylor. She is at present living in New Milford.

Helen Foster left us in 1929 to go to work. She secured a position and also a husband. They are residing in Beranton.

The next of our fast diminishing class to leave us was Margaret Wilson who decided that the joys of married life would outweigh those of school.

Elmer Darrow admitted to me that common ordinary laziness is his reason for not graduating with us.

Mary Lawrence declares that the depression is responsible for her absence from our group.

The last to leave us was Doris Gunn who did not return in the fall of 1931. She too has joined the ranks of happily married and is living in Thompson.

We are very grateful to the government of the United States for not levying an inheritance tax upon Beulah Tanner and Clyde Lindsey whom we inherited a year ago, for we fear that it would have taken all the money that our poor little treasury held.

Upon our return to school this year we were greeted by two additions to our class, an actor and an artist, namely Melvin Pittenger, from York Springs School and Irenus Bajkowski from Archibald. Melvin has proven his great ability as an actor by the success with which he played his part in the French play and "Oh, Professor", the Senior play. But as a class we feel that he has been considerably handicapped by having his sister on the faculty.

Irenus has been very entertaining, and has relieved the monotony of many classes by drawing cartoons of the teachers, students, and other interesting subjects.

During the first two years of our class organization money making events were few and far between, but in order to realize our ambition, a trip to Washington, we became energetic. During our last two years we have held several bake-sales, suppers and a dance. They turned out both successful and otherwise.

"Oh, Professor!" the play successfully given by the Senior Class under the direction of Miss Coles was presented on May 6th. and 10th.

Our last undertaking as a class is the year-book, the first to be published from the New Milford High School. Your support will determine its success.

On Wednesday June 16th. at six o'clock in the morning we will leave on our long anticipated trip to Washington. "It is hoped that this will prove an enjoyable conclusion to four years of High School life and that we will return home with the determination to be individually successful.

THE CLASS WILL

By Leulah Tanner

We, the Senior Class of New Milford High School, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this life do therefore make, ordain, and declare this to be our last will and testament, that is to say,-----

First-----, after all our lawful debts are paid and discharged we give, devise and bequeath

1. To the class of '33, our English assignments.
2. To the Sophomores the ability to be truly " Jolly Juniors."
3. To the Freshmen, a new supply of ambition and energy to maintain their high scholastic standard.
4. To the incoming freshmen, four years of hard labor.
5. To the School Board we will our sincere appreciation for their winning struggle to put the school on a firm foundation in spite of the many difficulties and hardships encountered.
6. To the townspeople. Our sincere thanks for their support and sympathy during the recent loss of the old school building.
7. We suggest that Jack Price be presented with a scooter so he will reach his destination more quickly.
8. Also that Jay Price be given a fresh supply of play things as the old ones are becoming somewhat worn.
9. To Miss Golos, we will Henry Linfoot's voice so she will be able to keep the Seniors together while in Washington.
10. To Mr. Carr, we will a pair of motor driven roller skates so he can get from one end of the building to the other in one-half second as he is constantly in demand.
11. We leave Lakeside pond as private property to Miss Hankins, for the purpose of supplying her laboratory with frogs, snakes, and fish.
12. To Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson we leave our best wishes for a happy and successful future.
13. To Miss Pittenger we return her voice which she wasted on Donald Dexter in Latin I. class.
14. To Mr. Norris, our janitor, a new broom.
15. Eleanor Van Cott wills her English marks to Leona Griffin.
16. Clyde Lindsey wills his sleeping powders to Leona Williams.
17. John Yeisley wills his ardor in his first love to Ivan Pickering.
18. Everett Clinton wills his ability as stage manager and general handy man to Robert Richardson.
19. Edwin Summers leaves his timidity and quietness to his sister.
20. Ivan Ransom wills his musical ability to Janet Artley.
21. Dorothy Wallace wills her ability to make goo goo eyes at Charles De Zuba to Doris Hall.
22. Geneve Gage wills to Elmer Darrow, a seat in which he will be completely ostracized.
23. Melvin Pittenger wills his curly hair to Edwin Mosher.
24. Ironus Bajkowski wills his artistic ability to Harland Pickering.
25. Ross Hall wills his knowledge of girls to Charles Embett.
26. Doris Aldrich wills all her boy friends to Eva Dacker.
27. Henry Linfoot wills his waistline to Emma Clinton.
28. Doris Miller leaves her smile to Jessie Mosher.
29. Margaret Hand leaves her ability as an athlete to Camilla Aldrich
30. To the oncoming classes we leave the pleasure of enjoying the new building for many years.

Likewise, we make, constitute, and appoint the faculty of New Milford Consolidated High School to be executors of our last will and testament.

THE PROPHECY



By
Everett Clinton
and
Henry Linfoot

Scene;-The editor's office of the large Chicago Newspaper. 1942. At the opening the first speaker is seated at a desk busily engaged in looking over manuscripts etc. Picks up phone in answer to call.

1.-Hello, Yes, this is Clinton. What? Hand gets big majority in the Pennsylvania primaries? O.K. Wire the complete story for this afternoon's edition.

Second speaker enters and approaches desk.

2.-At last I got into this office. Say, that's some secretary you have out there.

1.-What are you doing in here? I gave that secretary orders to keep every one out. (Finally recognizes him.) Well, well, if it isn't my old friend and schoolmate, Henry Linfoot.

2.-Righto, I was wondering if you would remember me. Say, this is some layout you have here. Getting to be quite a newspaper man aren't you? I suppose I should be proud to have such a distinguished schoolmate.

1.-Hold on there a minute, young man. I'm not the only one, I've been getting reports from you too. Any man that can ride three winning horses in the three biggest races of the year is no failure if I know anything about the records. By the way, I just received word from my Kentucky correspondent to the effect that you had resigned as a jockey. How'd you like a job covering the races for my paper.

2.-That would be fine. I've been looking for something easy that would keep me traveling around.

1.-Didn't I hear you say something about my secretary as you came in? Didn't you recognize her?

2.-Do you think I've forgotten all of the old class? Think again, that's Doris Miller. What I'm wondering is how she came to be your secretary.

1.-Well, she was graduated from business school about the time that I started this paper, and, as I needed a secretary, I saw no reason why I shouldn't give the job to one of the old class. I have another of the class on my staff too. You remember Ironus Bajkowski? He is the art editor of this paper now. He also runs an independent studio. He's made a number of covers for the Literary Digest and the Saturday Evening Post.

2.-While we're on the subject, how many of the old gang have you been able to keep track of anyway. Fanny how they just drop out of sight in a few years isn't it.

1.-It certainly is. I've been able to keep track of quite a few of them though through the paper. You know there are a lot of them in the public print. Take Margaret Hand for instance. Why for the last two weeks our front page has been covered with propaganda for her election to the Senate. I just received a call before you came that said that she won in the primaries. I think she'll make a good senator too. If you remember, she was a good class president back in '32.

2.-Talking of politics, Peg isn't the only one of the class who has entered that line. On my way up here I stopped off in the old home town of Summersville to see Eddie Sammers. He's really made quite a success of himself. He has one of the biggest truck farms in the country and besides that he's the mayor of Summersville.


1.- You don't say. I always thought that Eddie would amount to something some day.

Prophecy-continued.

- 2.-I saw Bill Hall on my trip up too. I stopped off in New York to see the Yanks play and what was my surprise to see Bill down there behind the bat pulling them down just like he used to do when Richardson was pitching. I went down and had a talk with him and the manager after the game and the manager told me that Bill is batting around 460 and has the best peg to second he has ever seen.
- 1.-I know Bill is getting to be quite a ball player. Of course I get all the sporting news for my paper so I can keep pretty good track of him. How is the old town looking anyway? The last time I was out that way Beulah Tanner had just opened a big resort at Lakeside. Didn't you hear about it while you were there?
- 2.-Sure, I was up there for supper one night. Harry Lindsey and his orchestra are playing there now. Quite an attraction.
- 1.-There is only one of the class that I have lost track of completely. What ever became of Eleanor Van Cott?
- 2.-Oh, she married a millionaire and is now living on Riverside Drive in New York. I had planned to see her while I was in New York but I happened to run on to Doris Aldrich and so I was a trifle late in my schedule and didn't have time.
- 1.-What's Doris doing now? I haven't heard from her in a dogs age.
- 2.-I thought you read the papers. She was a nurse in Farview Hospital until Flo Ziegfield, who was one of her patients, discovered her talents and now she is the biggest success of the year on the stage. I hear she is going to Hollywood soon to make a picture.
- 1.- You don't say. I'm certainly glad to hear it. By the way, I want you to stay over for the evening. Ivan Ransom is in town conducting the Chicago Symphony and we'll go to the concert. I already have the tickets so you simply must accept.
- 2.-Sure I'll accept. I'd like to see Ransom once more anyway. But I that he was touring Europe. The last I heard he was palying at the court of Saint James.
- 1.- He finished that tour about a month ago and came back to make another tour of the States. Here's an article that might interest you. Dorothy Wallace has just been appointed Dean of Brixton Academy. She went to Mansfield after high school and has been teaching at New Milford till she happened to get this job.
- 2.- (After reading article) I see here that Clyde Lindsey is the U.S. choice for the shot-put event in the Olympics this year. He always could heave that little iron pill.
- 1.-I'll say he could. I wouldn't be surprised if he broke the record. Geneva Gage is coaching the U.S. Girls Tennis team this year too. She married Don right after school was out you know, and now she has nothing to do but run around and enjoy herself. Some people have all the luck!
- 2.-Well, well. We have pretty well covered the class already. Let me see, oh yes, Melvin Pettenger went to India to civilize the natives didn't he? I hear he has the biggest colony on the continent.
- 1.-Yes, he's doing quite well too. John Yaisley went over with him. He is their chief engineer now. They tell me Audrey is the fastest talker in the colony. (Looks at watch) Well, we better be getting along now. It's nearly six already and we are due at the Opera House at eight. I wouldn't want to miss any of Ransom's program and if we get there early, maybe we can find him for a few minutes talk of old times

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