



1948

32 Members



*Freeland High School*

*Class of 1948*

*50th Anniversary Reunion*

October 9, 1998

Edgewood in the Pines

Drums, Pennsylvania

Fifty years ago, we donned our caps and gowns and gathered to say our good-bye's before embarking on new lives filled with our dearest hopes and dreams. This evening, we gather once again to celebrate those lives and the years that shaped them.





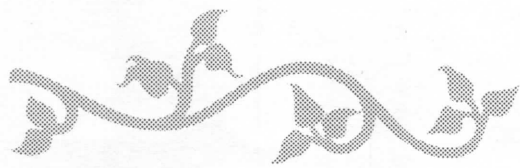
# Commencement

## PROGRAMME

- Selection, "March Militaire" .....Schubert  
High School Orchestra
- Invocation .....Reverend Alfred C. Fray  
Pastor Park Avenue Methodist Church
- Oration, "Our Schools and Our Communities" .....Cecelia Patricia Kavitskj
- Oration, "What America Means to Me" .....Marion Jane Petchel
- Oration, "The Unity of Mankind" .....William Joseph Rachilla
- Selection, "The Lost Chord" .....Sullivan  
High School Orchestra
- Commencement Address, "Aladdin Had a Lamp" .....Honorable Donald V. Hock  
Mayor of City of Allentown, Allentown, Pennsylvania
- Selection, "America The Beautiful" .....Ward  
High School Orchestra
- Awarding of Diplomas .....N. P. Luckenbill  
Supervising Principal
- Benediction .....Reverend Alfred C. Fray
- March, "Coronation March" .....Meyerbeer  
High School Orchestra









# *National Honor Society:*

Jean Goeppert

John G. Hodgson

Irving B. Horn

Cecelia Kavitsky

Marion Petchel

Elva Pierson

Pauline Potochney

William Rachilla

Stephen Sabol

Dolores Valagene

Rose Vitagliano

Anna Wursta

Dolores Yefchak



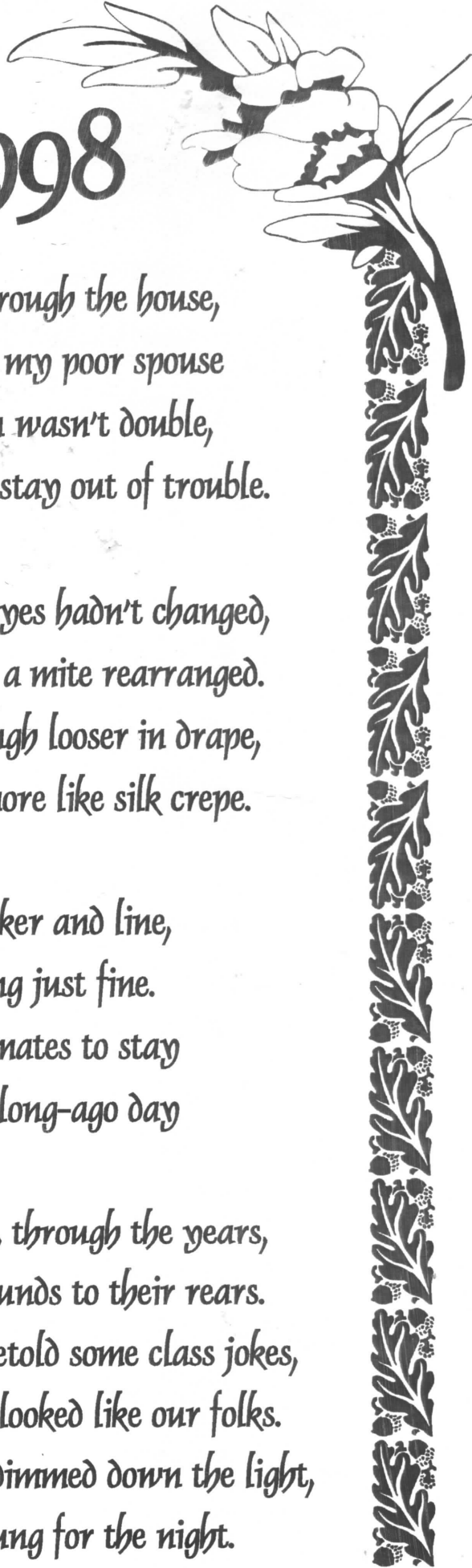
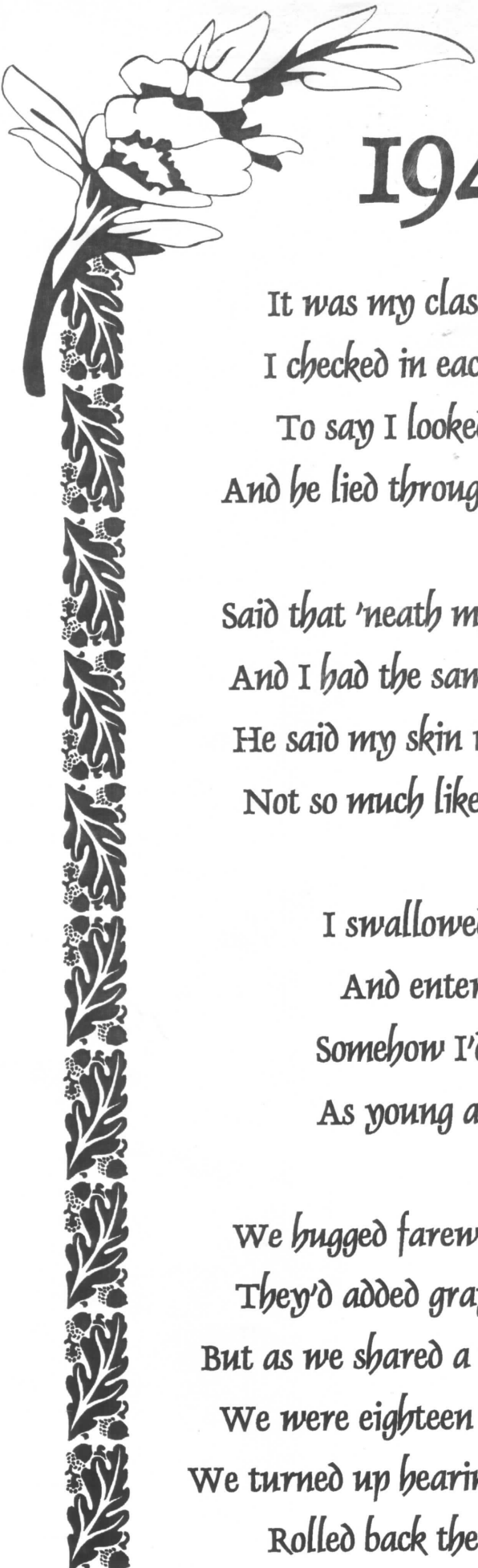


# Faculty:

George L. Feissner, Principal, Social Science  
Margaret Boner, General Science, Biology  
Mary Boyle, Home Economics  
Julia Chuckra, Commerical Subjects  
Louis E. Citro, Latin, Social Science  
Anna Corazza, Commercial Subjects  
Harold Domchick, Band and Orchestra  
Peter J. Gallagher, English  
Mary Greshko, English  
Howard F. Hontz, Physical Education  
Margaret Kringe, Mathematics, Social Science  
Thomas L. Roman, French, Spanish, Mathematics  
Edith M. Saricks, Music, English  
Robert F. Schultz, Science, Mathematics  
Helen E. Sims, English, History  
Anna Sweeney, History, English  
John B. Timko, Industrial Arts  
Susan Yuhas, Art

N. P. Luckenbill *Supervising Principal*





# 1948 - 1998

*It was my class reunion, and all through the house,  
I checked in each mirror and begged my poor spouse  
To say I looked great, that my chin wasn't double,  
And he lied through false teeth, just to stay out of trouble.*

*Said that 'neath my thick glasses, my eyes hadn't changed,  
And I had the same figure, it was just a mite rearranged.  
He said my skin was still silky, although looser in drape,  
Not so much like smooth satin, but more like silk crepe.*

*I swallowed his words, hook, sinker and line,  
And entered the banquet feeling just fine.  
Somehow I'd expected my classmates to stay  
As young as they were on that long-ago day*

*We hugged farewell hugs. But like me, through the years,  
They'd added gray to their hair, or pounds to their rears.  
But as we shared a few memories and retold some class jokes,  
We were eighteen in spirit, though we looked like our folks.  
We turned up hearing aid volumes and dimmed down the light,  
Rolled back the years, and were young for the night.*





This book is dedicated in loving memory  
to our departed classmates:

Margaret Delregno Butchko

Alfred Dallas

Doris Fisher Clark

William Houseknecht

Irving Horn

Theresa Kish

Helen Kimmel Demshock

Lillian Klopp Soika

William Mensinger

Rita Pecora Seybert

William Rachilla

Louis Ravina

Marie Sebula Sapar

Leonard Tulanowski

Lloyd Daubert





# *50th Reunion*

## PROGRAMME

Social Hour

Welcome and Greetings

Invocation

Toast to Class Members

Dinner

Introduction of Class Members

Memorial to Deceased Classmates

Communications

Benediction

Drawings

Closing Remarks

Social Evening and Refreshments






# *The Class of '48:*

Joseph Barna  
Francis Bereznak  
Regina Branz Daly  
Carol Bredbenner Schmeer  
Joan Cheppa Kotch  
Lucille Donato Domin  
George (Wm.) Evancho  
Mary Gallucci Ksanznak  
Jean Goepfert DeiTos  
Mildred Graziano Mariano  
Lois Heckler Down  
Bernadette Herness Tomari  
John Hodgson  
Cecelia Kavitski  
Anna Klopp Fenimore  
John Kondrach  
Martha Krull Machala  
Paul Kushmeider  
Dolores Lakitsky Farley  
Edward Lakovich

Martha Litchko Marshlick  
Margaret Lloyd  
Lawrence Maso  
Katherine McElwee  
Edward McGill  
Betty McGuire Hersker  
Frances McKiniry Rae  
John Mudrick  
Irene Palko Ferguson  
Mildred Perkosky Detweiler  
Marion Petchel Geering  
Elva Pierson Lychak  
Irene Pohida Malloy  
Angeline Romanelli Marsicano  
Pauline Potochney  
Joseph Rossi  
Stephen Sabol  
Alice Snyder Herring  
Thomas Sowa  
Elizabeth Speal Posey

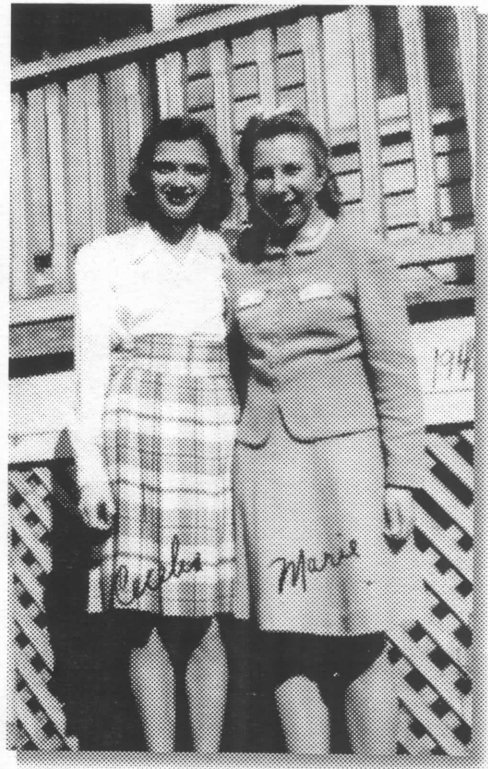
Edwin Spock  
Margaret Stefan Hnatuick  
Rita Swankoski Marsicano  
Anna Tomko Socha  
Dolores Valagene Gross  
Rose Vitagliano  
Anna Wursta Ravina  
John Witchin  
Theresa Yanish Stefanovich  
Helen Yanocho (Sister Salome)  
Dolores Yefchak Wilson  
Richard Yesilonis  
Stephen Evancho  
Joseph Molli  
Pasquale Vitagliano  
Alfred Yaskevich  
Victor Piazzi  
Pauline Lucas Chura  
Martha Konar Bogansky  
Joseph Hamershock





# Class Officers:

President .....Paul Kushmeider  
Vice-President .....William Rachilla  
Secretary .....Cecilia Kavitsky  
Treasurer .....Marion Petchel

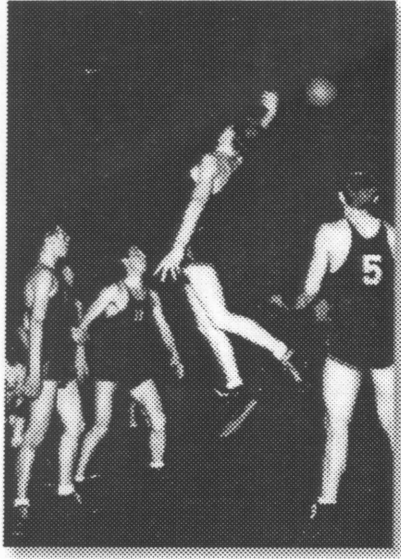


# Class Motto:

"Today we follow, Tomorrow we lead"







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