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Foreword

In presenting the Alumni Record to the friends and Alumni Association of Freeport High School we find no small amount of pleasure. We firmly believe that this volume will fill a long felt want among those interested in the affairs of our school and hope that it may serve to stimulate a keener interest in the activities of both school and Alumni Association as well as bring back to memory the “good old undergraduate days,” thus binding the members of the Association together in more perfect union.

We wish to thank all those who have cooperated with us so heartily in our endeavor and the printers for many courtesies extended.

The accumulation of data and facts concerning the members of our Association has been no easy task, but if those who read our publication can derive pleasure therefrom our efforts will be amply repaid. Be that as it may—we have done our best—so—here’s hoping.

“What is writ is writ.
Would that it were worthier!”

G. C. C.
Dedication

TO MR. HIRAM R. SMITH, generous benefactor and former trustee, in recognition of his faithfulness and loyalty to Freeport High School, his devoted interest in its affairs and as a modest token of the esteem in which he is held by the members of the Alumni Association, this volume is respectfully dedicated.
HIRAM R. SMITH

HIRAM R. SMITH is a native Long Islander. He was born at Merrick, on November 22nd, 1859. His parents were Nelson H. and Catherine J. Smith, natives respectively of Merrick and New York City.

Mr. Smith received his preliminary education at the old Freeport Academy, and later took a complete course at Bryant & Stratton's Business College in Brooklyn. He was graduated from the International Business College in 1878 with high honors. In May, 1878, Mr. Smith went to New York and became a partner with George B. Raynor in the flour, grain and commission business with offices at 129 Broad Street. The nature of his vocation caused him to travel very extensively through the western states, receiving new impressions and new ideas. He soon acquired a knowledge of this country which is possessed by few.

In 1880 Mr. Smith was elected a member of the New York Produce Exchange with which he was connected for many years. He was Mr. Raynor's junior partner in business from 1886 to December, 1890, when he accepted the position of Cashier of the The Bank of Rockville Centre. Later he was elected President of that institution, which position he still holds. The Bank of Rockville Centre, during Mr. Smith's connection with it, has grown remarkably, and it is mainly through his efforts and ability that it is now numbered among the leading financial institutions of Long Island.

On June 29th in 1892, Mr. Smith was married to Miss Caroline E. Raynor of Milan, Ohio, daughter of William Raynor, a native of Freeport.

Among his many enterprises, Mr. Smith is a member of the Nassau Hospital Ass'n, a Director of the New York, Buffalo & Great Lakes Transportation Company, and the Nassau Bond and Mortgage Company. He is a member of the Masons, Odd Fellow, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, Freeport Club, Rockville Centre Club, Hempstead Bay Yacht Club, and numerous other organizations.

Mr. Smith has always identified himself with every worthy public enterprise—he was instrumental in the organization of the Freeport Fire Department, of which he was chief engineer for one year, served
for a number of years as President of Freeport village, President of the Freeport Public Library, and Superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School of Freeport.

As to his connection with the Freeport Schools, Mr. Smith served for fifteen years as School Trustee, as a member of the Board of Education, and was President of that body for ten years. In 1902 Mr. Smith offered the oratorical prizes to students of the High School, and for a number of years has presented prizes for perfect attendance at classes. The national emblems waving over the Freeport schools were, for a number of years, the gifts of H. R. Smith, who is known far and wide for his ardent patriotism and love for the flag. It may well be said that the Freeport schools have never had a friend like Hiram R. Smith.
SAMUEL R. SMITH
President of the Board of Education
LETTER FROM SAMUEL R. SMITH

All hail the Alumni Association of Freeport High and its initial year book! It will serve to keep up the high ideals set before the graduates on Commencement Day by valedictorian and class prophets as well as the speakers of larger experience. It will sweeten the lives of its members scattered throughout this broad earth by recalling scenes of happiness and memories of glad satisfaction over duties fulfilled and successes won. May its usefulness never cease, its influence broaden, and its numbers multiply with advancing years.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
LETTER FROM H. P. ROE

Members of the Alumni Association of Freeport High School--most hearty greeting.

It is not very long ago when we entered Freeport High School. We entered with a spirit of pride because we were glad to be members, and a part of that institution.

To recall the different incidents of our school life--the enthusiasm of our foot ball and base ball games and the fun of examinations twice a year is all as vivid as if acted yesterday.

In years to come when we are older men and women of the world it will indeed be a pleasure to look back and recall the happy days we spent at school.

The Alumni Association will surely accomplish its purpose, if instead of drifting apart we follow the example set by our school life, in living nearer, in seeing and thinking more of each other.

Henry Preston Roe
HENRY PRESTON ROE

President of the Alumni Association, 1911-1912
HISTORY OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF FREEPORT HIGH SCHOOL

In the fall of the year 1894 the members of the Classes of 1893 and 1894 met and organized the Alumni Association of the Freeport Union School. This meeting was arranged largely through the efforts of Albin N. Johnson, '93, who was elected President of the Association. Other officers elected were: Vice-President, Miss May Brotheridge; Secretary, Miss Nellie T. Hardwick, and Treasurer, Frank E. Hammond. Monthly meetings were held at the homes of various members of the Association when evenings were given over to literary discussions, debates and sociability. At this time no dues were levied upon the members, the incidental expenses being defrayed by assessments from time to time. Excursions by moonlight to such places as Point Lookout, Far Rockaway and Long Beach were held annually. On September 8th, '95, the following officers were elected:

President, Albin N. Johnson, '93
Vice-President, Ada M. Conklin, '93
Secretary, Olive Smith, '94
Treasurer, F. J. Heenan, '94

Directors: Kathryn Raynor, '95; and Maude A. Brotheridge, '93.

In 1896 the officers elected were:

President, A. N. Johnson, '93
Vice-President, Ada M. Conklin, '93
Secretary, Jesse F. Bedell, '94
Treasurer, Grace S. Paff, '94

On March 12th, 1897, the elections resulted as follows:

President, Francis J. Heenan, '94
Vice-President, Ada M. Conklin, '93
Secretary, Moses Da Silva, '96
Treasurer, Grace S. Paff, '94

Directors: Ada M. Conklin, '93; Clara L. Pearsall, '93; and Walter H. Bond, '93.
During the year 1898 the old officers were re-elected. On the 3rd of January in 1899 the following were elected as officers of the Association:

President, Wm. C. Pease11, '96  
Vice-President, Kathryn Raynor, '95  
Secretary, A. N. Johnson, '93  
Treasurer, Grace S. Paff, '94

Executive Committee: Kathryn Raynor, '95; Mattie Anderson, '96; and Francis Heenan, '94.

Meetings of the Association continued throughout 1899 with more or less regularity until interest in its activities diminished and the organization was dropped.

Not until the spring of 1907 was any effort made to reorganize the old Alumni Association or to form a new one. Freeport Union School in the meantime had been made a High School and six new classes had been graduated. Albin N. Johnson, '93, called a meeting of all graduates in the early part of June, '07, and the present Freeport High School Alumni Association was organized with the following officers:

President, A. N. Johnson, '93  
Vice-President, H. E. Brown, '03  
Secretary, O. M. Magnusson, '02  
Treasurer, J. L. Raynor, '01

Executive Committee: A. N. Johnson, '93; Mrs. B. F. Cogswell, '95; J. L. Raynor, '01; Helen W. Merrill, '01; O. M. Magnusson, '02; H. E. Brown, '03; E. H. Osterhout, '04; H. W. Cook, '05; G. C. Colyer, '05; W. M. Cutler, '03; Marietta R. Miller, '02; and O. J. Teeple, Jr., '06.

The first banquet was held at the Crystal Lake House in Freeport on June 27th, '07, and was a largely attended and highly enjoyable function.

Meetings are now held annually during the first week in June, while the annual banquet each June has become a fixture and is largely looked forward to by all loyal members of the Association. Also, the annual baseball game between the High School and Alumni teams, which has been played since 1909, is an interesting affair, and is instrumental in bringing about closer relationship between Alumni and Undergraduates.

The officers since '07 have been as follows:

'08—'09  
President, W. Burgess Osterhout, '01  
Vice-President, Nina B. Humphrey, '01  
Secretary, Leslie Brown, '05  
Treasurer, Marietta R. Miller, '02  
Historian, Helen W. Merrill, '01

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Executive Committee: S. F. Pearsall, '93; Mrs. Cogswell, '95; Mrs. Sealey, '97; Elizabeth A. Seaman, '02; S. F. Johnson, '94; Mabel Powers, '06; Jesse F. Bedell, '96; Mrs. A. T. Davison, '96; A. V. Johnson, '01; H. E. Brown, '03; Grace I. Walters, '05, and Beulah I. Humphrey, '07.

'09—'10

President, H. E. Brown, '03
Vice-President, Marietta R. Miller, '02
Secretary, H. R. Johnson, '06
Treasurer, Annie L. Smith, '04
Historian, A. N. Johnson, '03

Executive Committee: S. F. Pearsall, '93; J. F. Bedell, '94; Mrs. Cogswell, '95; Mrs. S. D. Smith, '96; Mrs. Dunbar, '97; A. V. Johnson, '01; W. R. Humphrey, '02; S. G. Miller, '03; S. F. Johnson, '04; R. S. Hamaker, '05; E. P. Ross, '06; Norma E. Sammons, '07, and P. L. Johnson, '08.

'10—'11

President, G. C. Colyer, '06
Vice-President, Norma E. Sammons, '07
Secretary, H. R. Johnson, '06
Treasurer, Helen W. Merrill, '01
Historian, S. B. Story, '08

Executive Committee: S. F. Pearsall, '93; J. F. Bedell, '94; W. M. Nichols, '95; Mrs. S. D. Smith, '96; Mrs. Dunbar, '97; W. B. Osterhout, '01; W. R. Humphrey, '02; H. E. Brown, '03; S. F. Johnson, '04; Leslie Brown, '05; Elliot P. Ross, '06; H. P. Miller, '07; H. P. Roe, '08, and J. F. Mulcahy, '09.

'11—'12

President, H. P. Roe, '08
Vice-President, Florence C. Stiles, '10
Secretary, H. R. Johnson, '06
Treasurer, A. V. Johnson, '01
Historian, Hazel C. Golder, '08

Executive Committee: A. N. Johnson, '93; J. F. Bedell, '94; W. M. Nichols, '95; Moses Da’ Silva, '96; Mrs. Dunbar, '97; W. B. Osterhout, '01; W. R. Humphrey, '02; H. E. Brown, '03; S. F. Johnson, '04; Mrs. Sutphin, '05; H. R. Tredwell, '06; Norma E. Sammons, '07; Mabel A. Hunt, '08; Fannie E. Devlin, '09, and Robert B. Paterson, '10.
"If you strike a thorn or rose,
Keep a-goin'!
If it hails or if it snows,
Keep a-goin'!
'Taint no use to sit and whine
Cause the fish ain't on your line,
Bait your hook an' keep on tryin'
Keep a-goin'!

"When the weather kills your crop,
Keep a-goin'!
When you tumble from the top,
Keep a-goin'!
S'pose you're out of every dime?
Gettin' broke ain't any crime!
Tell the world you're feeling prime—
Keep a-goin'!

"When it looks like all is up,
Keep a-goin'!
Drain the sweetness from the cup,
Keep a-goin'!
See the wild birds on the wing!
Hear the bells that sweetly ring!
When you feel like singing—sing!
Keep a-goin'!"
FREEPORT HIGH SCHOOL
HISTORY OF THE FREEPORT SCHOOLS

Historical sketch of Freeport School District delivered by Hiram R. Smith, President of the Board of Education at the opening of the Grove and Pine Streets School on March 9, 1894.

As to the original formation of School District No. 9 I have been unable to ascertain. Some of our older people inform me that they remember attending the District School as far back as 1827, in the building then located on the point where Van Riper's building now stands.

Mr. A. J. Smart has given the following as his recollections of the school in 1838 which will be of interest:

"My earliest recollections of the Raynortown School goes back to the year 1838. The location of the school house was then where Chas. W. Bedell & Co.'s drug store now stands. It was a low one-story building, about 18x22 feet, containing but one room, dimly lighted by two small windows on the north and two on the south, and one each on the east and west sides.

"The furniture consisted of stationary desks or inclined tables, made of pine boards, and fastened to the sides of the room. The desks or tables extended the length of the sides of the room, except a break at the west end of the north table, where there was a desk made of pine boards, standing at right angles with the north table on a raised platform. This was the teacher's desk. This desk had a drawer in it, the only one in the room.

"In front of the desks were board benches, as long as the desks upon which the scholars sat. There were no backs to these benches. To get seated the boy or girl had to climb over them, except at the ends. There were two lower benches running east and west through the middle of the room for the use of the smaller or primary scholars. These benches were like the others, without backs or supports for the children to lean against.

"In the centre of the room was a cast-iron box stove which burned wood—and I might say small children, when the weather was cold and
an effort was made to keep the scholars in the corners of the room from freezing. It burned wood inside and children on the outside who were near it.

"Behind the door, which was located in the east end of the south side, were nails driven in the board ceilings for the children to hang their hats on. On the floor was a pail of water with a tin dipper in it, and in the corner was a broom. Such was the home of education in Raynortown, now Freeport, in 1838.

"There was then teaching a Scotchman, by the name of John Rankin. He was a man of dissipated habits and often came to school under the influence of liquor. The man had the instincts of a gentleman, but had fallen from his better estate. He was a very good penman, and gave more attention to penmanship than any other study. He wrote with a goose quill, as did all the scholars; he also made or mended pens. When a pen got in a condition so it would not make a fine stroke, the boy or girl would walk up to the teacher's desk and say: 'Please mend my pen,' and by permission would leave it upon the desk and in due time it would be made or repaired and be as good and possibly better than any metallic pen of the present day, except the gold pen.

"The text books used at that time were 'Daboll's Arithmetic,' (spelled with a 'k'), 'Hale's History of the United States,' 'Webster's Elementary Speller,' and the 'Old English Reader.' These were the only books used at that time, except the so-called 'writing or copying book.' (A gentleman who read this description remarked that one branch had been left from the curriculum, viz.: 'Wood carving.' Any one who has seen the desks and benches in an old school building can appreciate this fact.)

"There was no effort at teaching; all was done perfunctorily. A class would read a chapter or part of a chapter in the history, each scholar reading a few lines, taken up by the next, and the next, until the teacher would say 'That will do,' when those who had been reading would climb over the benches to their seats. No questions would be asked and no effort would be made to impress the children that the object of reading was the acquired knowledge of the history of the United States.

"The whip was a good hard-wood twig that would bend before it would break, and was cut from the woods then at the west of the house.

"Very fair order was kept, but occasionally there would be a row with a 'big boy' that would require all the physical force the teacher could command, but he generally conquered.
"The hours in the winter were from 8 A.M. to as late as they could see to work in the afternoon; an intermission of an hour at noon, also about ten minutes in the morning and afternoon. In summer, school commenced at 8 A.M., closing at 5 or often as late as 6 o'clock in the afternoon. On Saturdays school would be dismissed at so-called 'noon' which meant 12 or 1 o'clock, as the teacher decided. These long hours were not the fault of the teacher, but of the parents of the children, who seemed to think that they would not get the worth of their money unless the children were confined in the dingy, cold, uncomfortable school room from ten to twelve hours per day; hence the length of the school day was ordered by the trustees.

“The changes of teachers were frequent and they were made much after the same pattern, making no change in studies and no improvement in mental training. There being a hotel directly in front and a tavern a little to the north of the school house, the boys when out at play saw much that would not have a tendency to lead them to a higher manhood. Indeed, I have seen the teacher send a boy for a mug of beer, which he would drink in the presence of the school—not Rankin but a teacher who followed him.

"About 1843-'44 there came a teacher—an Irishman named McGee—who made the first break in the order of the three R’s—'Reading, Riting and Rithmetic.' He introduced grammar, geography, and natural philosophy, and an advancement in mathematics. He also introduced the blackboard. Many of the older so-called winter scholars did not take kindly to the new innovation, and many children did not enter into the new classes, as their parents objected to the expense necessary for the purchase of the text books, but gradually the new studies were introduced until the old order of things was, as now, a thing of the past.

"In 1838 there was no church in the village or hamlet. Rev. Dr. Woodbridge, a Presbyterian, located at the village of Hempstead, occasionally preaching on Sunday afternoon in the school house, and out of the organization then formed grew the present Presbyterian Church. Dr. Woodbridge was a very eloquent speaker and succeeded in forming a congregation that built a small church on the east side of Main Street where he officiated on Sunday afternoons.

"At this time the people, as the school would indicate, were quite primitive; they saw but little of the outer world, their support being obtained principally by fishing and hunting in the Great South Bay. They knew no moral or religious restraint as a people; their highest pleasures were found in convivial associations and rough, physical sports
found in and about the taverns, which were very numerous. Sunday was the gala-day for field sports and a good time generally, but with the improvement of the school came the advent of the churches. First, the Presbyterian Church with Mr. Merrill as its pastor, fought for a time alone in its efforts to moralize and Christianize a crude and somewhat rough community and their efforts were very successful. Then came the Methodist Church, and the church influence advanced, and the people became enlightened, the hotel influence declined until today when the moral tone of the community is such as to cause every hotel in the village to close its front doors on Sunday—not because of any legal restraint, but because of the advanced moral sentiment of the community.

"The school has kept abreast of the times in this advancement; indeed, it has been the leader, and no doubt very much of the great improvement in the moral, intellectual and social standing of the people of the village of Freeport today is the result of the improvement in the educational facilities of your public school."

The school continued in this building, with but very little change, until about 1852; but here, as in all communities, and in every age since the days of Noah, there was an element that looked for better things, the leaven that was to work out a change in the old order.

After repeated and unsuccessful attempts to induce a majority of the voters to take action towards the erection of a new building, a few of the bolder spirits made a night attack on the old building, cut away some of the posts and otherwise demolished it so as to render the new building a necessity, a resort to physical force being the popular method in the earlier days to settle difficulties. A lot was purchased on Main Street from F. K. Benedict, and the building now occupied by Henry Gobetz was erected, first as a one-story building, the second story having been added about 1867-'68. Messrs. Wm. B. Raynor, Michael S. Edwards and Elbert Cox were Trustees at that time. The new building was occupied about December 1, 1852, with Wm. B. Raynor as Teacher.

While the new house was being erected a shop was hired of Andrew Rhodes, for which he received $8.00 for three months' rent. The old building was sold to Mr. Daniel Ellison for $50.00 and is still standing on Atlantic Avenue, as an extension to another building.

The number of scholars between the ages of 4 and 21 years in 1858 is given as 203; the total expenses for the year being $414.63.

Among the names of Trustees in the earlier days I find: Benjamin R. Raynor, Willet Charlick, F. K. Benedict, Elbert Cox, Wm. B. Raynor,
Michael S. Edwards, Alfred Abrams, Samuel S. Carman, Oliver Smith, and John A. Smith; and of teachers: John Rankin, John McGee, Wm. B. Raynor, Daniel Tredwell, David Merrill, Marshall Dibble, Charles Robinson, Elijah A. Smith, Vandewater Smith, Thomas H. Wheeler, (taught here in 1858 and again in recent years), Andrew Foote and Tony Waring.

Up to 1858 there appears to have been three trustees, but in 1859 the system of sole trustees was adopted and continued until again changed in 1883.

From 1860 to 1872 there is no record of any notable change, the district and the school growing as before noted. Again the accommodations, however, did not meet the ideas of the more progressive element in the village, and at the annual meeting in October, 1872, steps were taken towards the purchase of a new site and the erection of a new building. A considerable number of the voters, however, were not ready to accept the proposition of increased expenses, and every effort towards improvement was contested, so that for three years the struggle was waged, twenty-two meetings being recorded. Numerous committees were appointed, sites adopted and rejected, plans were also adopted and rejected. What a contrast between this and the action by which your present building was decided, when, at one of the largest and most representative school meetings ever held in this district, in one evening, after a careful and unprejudiced consideration of the question you decided that $30,000 would be necessary for a suitable building, and without further discussion, voted to appropriate that amount, taking the lead of all of the other districts for promptness of action along this line!

But to return. On January 8, 1875, the following building committee was appointed: Jacob B. Smith, Tredwell Smith and James B. Raynor. The site on Pine Street was purchased, plans approved, and the contract awarded to Carman Pearsall for $3,858.75 on April 9, 1875. John W. Clowes of Hempstead was the architect. The new building was opened October 7, 1875, School Commissioner G. J. Garretson and L. Bradford Prince being the speakers, and George Wallace being the Principal of the school. The old building was sold for $790.

In 1877 a uniform system of text books was adopted in accordance with a new law passed at that time. The work of the committee on this matter, Wm. Foreman, W. R. Webster, J. H. B. Denton and T. F. Burham, deserves notice, and its report shows a careful attention and investigation of the subject, and its conclusion could only have been reached after thorough study.
No change of note was made until 1883, when three trustees were again decided upon.

In 1887 the system of free text books was adopted in our district—a most beneficial measure in connection with free schools, making an excuse impossible for non-attendance—and by this action did one of the most liberal acts in their history up to that time.

At the annual meeting in August, 1888, it was found that the school had outgrown its quarters and was over-crowded, and that we must enlarge our borders. Carman Cornelius, John J. Randall, and D. Wesley Pine were appointed a committee on plans and at a special meeting held on December 11, 1882, it was decided to build an extension, which was done under the direction of the Board of Trustees, which brought the building to the size it was when burned.

On October 7, 1890, the people again advanced by making a Union Free School District and electing a Board of five members. Nothing of special interest occurred until the burning of our old building and the erection of this one, of which our Secretary will give a detailed report.

The Trustees serving since 1879 included: E. A. Bedell, 5 years; George W. Bergen, 6 years; Ditmus Pearsall, 3 years; Carman Cornelius, 1 year; Charles L. Wallace, 4 years; Platt Conklin, 2 years; J. B. Raynor, 3 years; H. R. Smith, 8 years; William Foreman, 7 years; George E. Rider, 6 years; H. Secor, 3 years; D. T. Bond, 1 year; H. P. Libby, 2 years; L. H. Ross, 1 year.

The Principals during that time were: 1870-'73, Thomas H. Wheeler; '73-'74, R. F. Peck; '75, George Wallace; '76-'79, M. S. Caldwell; '79, H. P. Libby; '80, Moses A. Bedell; '82-'83, Thomas H. Wheeler; '84-'91, L. M. Burdick; and from 1891 until the present time, C. W. Oley.

In following this account we find that there have always been advocates for improvements. This sentiment has been growing, and in recent years the majority has been on the side of improvement every time, and a greater willingness evidenced to adopt any change which could be shown to be for the advancement of the educational facilities of our school. And while there has been improvement in the temporal welfare of the scholars, the standard of teaching and teachers has been considered with a view to keep the school in it entirely abreast with the times. I am also glad to be able to note that during my term of office there has been a greater interest manifested by the parents, as shown in their attendance at the public anniversaries held in connection with the school—one notable event being the very successful commencement exercises held last June.
FACULTY OF FREEPORT UNION SCHOOL 1886

First Line—Cassie L. Odegard, Bertha C. Reed, Loma J. Carpenter (Addin Roper), Angeline Smith, Charlotte L. Easte, Caroline C. Allison

Second Line—Reba E. Crane (Keplar), Mary E. Miller (Baxter), Emma W. Oyer (Principal), Fanny E. Husted
What more can be said—the past is gone, the record made—the future, who can tell? In closing simply let me say to those of our school children present, that on you depends the making of new records for our school, and it can only be accomplished by earnest and persistent effort on your part.

Be sure that
"Each morning sees some task begun,
Each evening sees its close,
Something attempted, something done,
Has earned its night’s repose.

"Thus at the flaming forge of life,
Our fortunes must be wrought,
Thus on its sounding anvil shaped,
Each burning deed and thought."

1890—1911

At Commencement held on July 3rd, 1890, four pupils were graduated from the Freeport Graded Schools, as the district school was called at that time. They were the Misses Stella Raynor, Lila C. Denton, Lettie A. Rhodes and Annie B. Coons. Soon after these Commencement exercises, at the annual school meeting held on the 6th of August, in the same year, a petition signed by many of Freeport’s leading citizens was presented requesting the formation of a Union Free School. The project met with hearty approval on the part of the residents and at a special meeting held on the 7th of October, 1890, a motion was passed changing the District School to a Union Free School, and the following Board of Education elected:

HIRAM R. SMITH, President.
WILLIAM FOREMAN,
GEORGE E. RIDER,
HORACE SECOR, JR.,
DAVID F. BOND.

At this time the school enrollment was 340, and L. M. Burdick held office as Principal. The year 1891 saw a rapid development with Charles W. Oley as Principal. At the end of the 1892 term the enrollment of pupils had reached 528.

January 10th, 1893, will long be remembered by the residents of Freeport for on that night the school building was totally destroyed by fire.
The huge conflagration imparted a red glow to the sky for many miles around. It was appalling yet beautiful as one approached the scene to view the tall posts and beams enmassed in flames in striking contrast with the snow-clad landscape. The fire was both destructive and constructive, the old plot of ground was sold and a much larger one purchased on the southeast corner of Pine and Grove Streets. Here in 1893 a new ten-room structure of brick was erected at a cost of $30,000 to replace the old building which had stood on the opposite corner. The cornerstone was laid on July 29th, 1893, and the formal opening of the new school occurred on March 9th, 1894, when President Hiram R. Smith of the Board of Education delivered the address which precedes this article. The total registration on the opening day was 347, and the Board consisted of President H. R. Smith, Wm. Foreman, Geo. E. Rider, Horace Secor, Jr., and Henry P. Libby, with Charles W. Oley as Principal. In the following year W. G. Miller, W. S. Hall and L. H. Ross were elected members of the Board in place of Messrs. Foreman, Rider and Secor.

The year 1895 saw Freeport in second place among the schools of the town of Hempstead. Another year's work had been added to the "High School" as it was then called, so that the graduate must necessarily complete a full four years' course of academic work. The enrollment had reached 445. In 1896 the Academic Department of the Union Free School was granted a certificate by the Board of Regents admitting it as a school of Junior Grade to the University of the State of New York. This step marked the beginning of the High School, although the first class was not graduated until 1901, and the Department not formally raised to the grade of a High School until October 11th, 1899.

In 1897 R. H. Mayland replaced L. H. Ross as a member of the Board, and the first Regents examinations were held in January. On August 2nd, 1898, Dr. J. H. B. Denton was elected a member of the Board in place of H. P. Libby, and on the 5th of October the Academic Department was registered as a school of the middle grade with a total enrollment of 545. The following year in October, the Academic Department of the Union School was formally made a High School, and W. B. Osterhout and C. D. Smith were elected to the Board to replace R. H. Mayland and W. G. Miller.

At the school meeting held on August 7th in 1900, Hiram R. Smith refused nomination for office on the Board, after having served faithfully as Trustee for fifteen consecutive years. S. R. Smith and Dr. G. H. Hammond were elected, but Dr. Hammond refused to accept office. Accordingly H. I. Crandell was appointed, and Dr. Denton elected President of the Board. Charles W. Oley still held the office of School Principal and had
under him a corps of fifteen teachers. In 1901 the first High School class was graduated. Eugene F. McKinley was engaged as Principal, and Miss C. G. Atkinson engaged as a teacher for the eighteenth consecutive year.

The growth of the school had been so rapid that in 1903 the Assembly Room was partitioned and used for the various classes while store rooms in neighboring buildings were rented to accommodate pupils in the grades. An appropriation was made and in 1903-'04 a large addition was built to the school building at a cost of nearly $30,000. In 1904 J. K. Eldridge was elected a member of the Board in place of Dr. J. H. B. Denton, Eugene F. McKinley was made Superintendent of Schools, and Roy Leon Smith engaged as High School Principal. The year 1905 saw more changes when J. B. Cartwright and W. B. Cozzens replaced W. B. Osterhout and C. D. Smith as members of the Board. Eugene F. McKinley resigned and Lewis H. Carris was engaged as School Superintendent.

In 1907 another building was erected at the corner of Ocean and Seaman Avenues to accommodate the grade pupils in the northern section of Freeport. J. B. Cartwright resigned his place on the Board and C. M. Foreman was appointed to fill the vacancy. Also, A. E. Barnes replaced Lewis H. Carris as Superintendent of Schools. Growth continued rapidly and in 1909 a third building was erected at the corner of Long Beach Avenue and Archer Street in the southern section of the town.

At the school meeting held in August, 1910, Albin N. Johnson was elected a member of the Board of Education, Mr. Johnson being the first graduate of the school to be honored with a place on its Board. In 1911 W. H. Sammons was elected a member of the Board, making the organization of that body as follows:

S. R. Smith, President
H. L. Crandell, Secretary
W. B. Cozzens
A. N. Johnson
W. H. Sammons

Thus we have at present a Superintendent of Schools, three Principals and over forty-two teachers in charge of more than 1,200 pupils in the grades and High School, but a more accurate idea can be gained of the growth of our school by the following table of registration in the High School alone for the past six years.

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F. H. S. SONG

F. H. S. we love thee, we do, we do,
None there are above thee, 'tis true, 'tis true,
None with thee comparing,
None such honor bearing,
We the glory sharing
Of the F. H. S.

We of the F. H. S. are ready to win the race,
We of the F. H. S. are ready to fill the place,
Freeport will be there,
Freeport will be there,
For none there are that can compare
With the F. H. S.

Words and Music by Nellie J. Dailey.
ONE can easily picture the important moment in 1883 when the increasing number of scholars compelled our Freeport School Trustees to engage another teacher—the others being Mr. L. M. Burdick and Misses Phebe Tice and Louise J. Carpenter. Only their discussion as to the successful applicant interests us. Almost enviously Mr. Charles L. Wallace read the application and remarked, “This young lady writes a very good hand.” “Yes,” agreed Mr. James B. Raynor, “and this photograph shows her to be intelligent and capable.” To which Mr. Platt Conklin added, “Considering that she has just graduated from Albany Normal School, these recommendations are remarkably strong as to her proficiency, character and fitness for this position. We will be fortunate in getting her as a teacher.” And this unanimity of opinion is conspicuous because from that time to this (1911) the numerous succeeding Trustees have never deviated therefrom, and Miss Caroline G. Atkinson has always been regarded as an important member of its faculty.

She has been indelibly delineated in Memory’s Hall of Fame by her many scholars, to each of whom she has presented the chisel Ability and the mallet Opportunity to carve out of the marble Time, blow by blow, a thought, a word, a deed, a habit, a character, a destiny, until at last all the world shall behold in each:

“An upright spirit, cultured mind,
A man in love with all mankind.”

Quintilian agreed with Marcus Cato that an orator must be a good man. All who know Miss Atkinson agree that her unostentatious but high moral qualities contribute greatly to her success as a teacher. Her conscientious performance of every school task and the expectation of like conduct from her pupils, has impressed them with high ideals in the performance of life’s duties.

Goethe’s Wilhelm Meister exclaims: “The few glances (in reading his works for the first time) I cast over Shakespeare’s world incite me more than anything else beside, to quicken my footsteps into the actual world, to mingle in the flood of destinies that is suspended over it; and at length,
if I shall prosper, to draw a few cups from the great ocean of true nature and to distribute them from off the stage among the thirsting people of my native land." Likewise, Miss Atkinson has ever had a peculiar power of keeping the attention and regard of her scholars, and clearly imparting to them the regular lessons and also arousing their ambition to build "statelier places while the swift seasons roll."

While Miss Atkinson has ever courageously disagreed with Herbert Spencer that "in education the question is not the intrinsic value of knowledge so much as its extrinsic effect on others," she has not been able to avoid impressing her friends with her unusual literary talent, facile wit and varied knowledge.

Truly may each member of Freeport High School Alumni give sincere tribute and extend its best wishes to Miss Atkinson, whom to know was a liberal education."
BIographies

1893 -- 1911
BENJAMIN T. ABRAMS, '11.

Mr. Abrams started on his career in New York City on December 21st, 1893. He entered Freeport High School in '07, and was graduated with the 1911 class as President.

In 1910 Abrams was Class Treasurer, and served as both Associate Editor and Assistant Circulation Manager of The Student. The following year he edited The Student, and was Secretary of the Interscholastic Speaking Association.

After a year in Boys' High School, Brooklyn, he expects to enter Cornell University.

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ADA LOUISE BAKER, '11.

Miss Baker came to Freeport in 1901 from Brooklyn, New York, where she was born on February 16th, 1893. She was both Vice-President and Valedictorian of the 1911 Class, and served in her senior year as Associate Editor of The Student. Miss Baker was a delegate to the Interscholastic Speaking Association in 1911, and Secretary-Treasurer of the Girls' Athletic Association. She will enter Wells for a course in Arts this fall.

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HELEN BARRIE, '09.

Miss Barrie came to Freeport from Brooklyn in 1906. She was born in the "City of Churches" on the 10th of November in 1890.

At High School the Girls' Athletic Association and the German Club claimed Miss Barrie as a member. Since graduation she has devoted her time to the study of music.
MABEL S. BASSETT, '03

Miss Bassett was extended a most hearty welcome by the citizens of Melville, Long Island, April 8th, 1884. Coming to Freeport, 1901, she entered High School in the fall of 1902, and graduated as a member of the quartette. At commencement Miss Bassett read a cultured essay on "Jeanne D' Arc."

During her short stay in High School Miss Bassett was one of the most popular young ladies. Being an accomplished pianist she represented the High School creditably in several musicals held at Jamaica. Soon after her graduation Miss Bassett entered and completed a business course at Heffley Institute, Brooklyn. In 1907 she engaged in business with the B. M. Ewing Company, Wholesale Commission House, New York City.

At present Miss Bassett resides with her parents, Queens Court, Long Island.

EDITH M. BEDELL, '10

Edith M. Bedell made her debut on the 20th of June, 1891, at Freeport, New York. She entered High School in 1906 and was graduated as a member of the 1910 class. Miss Bedell was a member of the German Club and the Girls' Athletic Association.

At present Miss Bedell resides in Freeport and is devoting her time to the study of music.

HELEN D. BEDELL, '11

Miss Helen Bedell entered Freeport High in 1907, coming from Bellmore, where she was born September 22nd, 1891.

She was graduated with the Class of 1911, and now makes her residence at Hempstead, Long Island.
JESSE F. BEDELL, '94

Jesse F. Bedell was born at Freeport, April 30th, 1879. He entered the Freeport Union School in 1890 and graduated as a member of the Class of '94.

Immediately after graduating “Jesse” attended Pratts Institute for a year in preparation for advanced study. He entered New York University in 1898 and graduated with degree of LL. B. in 1900.

Mr. Bedell was married to Miss Viola Smith of Freeport on January 4, 1904.

At present Mr. Bedell is employed in the County Clerk’s office, Mineola, but resides in Freeport.

MARIE L. BOLTON, '09

Miss Bolton became a resident of Freeport in 1903, coming from Oyster Bay where she was born on August 17th, 1890. Entering High School in 1905, Miss Bolton took an active interest in school affairs. She was a member of the “Miss Fearless & Co.” cast and of the Girls’ Athletic Association as well as the French Club.

After graduation in 1909, Miss Bolton entered Columbia University, where she is now pursuing an Arts course.

GRACE BIGELOW BOND, '96

Miss Bond was born in the fall of 1883, and came to Freeport one year later with her parents. She was enrolled as a student of Freeport Union School in '93 and was graduated as salutatorian of her class, 1896. The title of her essay was “Earth’s Battle Fields.”

Soon after graduation Miss Bond took up college preparatory work at Pratt Institute.

In September, 1901, she entered Cornell University, having won the Queens and Nassau County Scholarship prize. During her college course Miss Bond was exceedingly popular, being well known in fraternity and society circles. She was an active member of many of the prominent clubs and societies. At her graduation in 1905 she received the degree of B. A.

Miss Bond resides on 111 South Elliot Street, Brooklyn.
WALTER HUNTINGTON BOND, '93

W. H. Bond was born in Waltham, Massachusetts, on April 6th, 1878, and came to Freeport six years later. He was graduated from the Freeport School in '93.

Mr. Bond was a clever athlete and in his "Prep. school" days devoted much spare time on the gridiron. He played on the old Monarch A. C. team of Freeport.

After a course at Pratts Institute, Brooklyn, Mr. Bond entered the University of Michigan to study law. He was graduated from this institution with honors and in 1901 was admitted to the Bars of both New York and Michigan. Counsellor Bond is now senior member of the firm of Bond & Babson of N. Y. City.

Mr. Bond has travelled extensively and has made mountain climbing his favorite sport. He has climbed Mt. Ranier, Mt. Hood and other peaks and in August, 1909, established the world's climbing record on Mount Blanc in Europe.

Counsellor Bond is very prominent in business, legal and social life in New York City and is a member of the Society of Colonial Wars, Sons of the Revolution, National Museum of Arts and many other organizations. His present home is at 170 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn.

EDWARD DOAK BOYCE, '11

Lynn, Mass., is "Dick's" birthplace and the date, January 4th, 1894, is when he registered smile number one.

Boyce came to Freeport in '08 and entered High School the same year. He graduated with the '11 class of which he was President during his junior year.

"Dick" was Advertising Manager of the Student in 1910 and on the Editorial Board the following year. He represented Freeport in the Prize Speaking Association and in the 1911 contest captured second prize.

Boyce was a member of the "Private Secretary" and "Facing the Music" casts, also a member of the German Club.
CLINTON H. BROWN, '11

Clinton H. Brown was born on July 10th, 1891, at 686 Hancock Street, Brooklyn. He has been a resident of Freeport since 1892 and was graduated from Freeport High School with the 1911 class. Brown was a delegate in 1910 at the Nassau Baseball League Convention and caught on both the 1909 and 1910 teams, being manager of the '10 aggregation.

In the fall of 1910 Brown entered New York University as a candidate for the LL. B. degree.

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CLYDE BROWN, '08

Brooklyn is the birthplace of Clyde Brown, the date being given as May 26th, 1891.

In June 1908 Brown graduated from Freeport High School, having charge of the presentation of gifts on Class Day.

He is at present an employee in the office of the Nassau County Review.

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HAROLD E. BROWN, '03

Harold E. Brown came to Freeport in 1892 from Brooklyn, New York, where he was born on May 23rd, 1887. He entered the Public School in September, '92, and was graduated from High School in June, '03. Brown was the first President of the Debating Society, a member of the first baseball team which represented Freeport High School, and on April 19th, 1902, won first prize in the school oratorical contest. He served very creditably as third President of the Freeport High School Alumni Association.

In 1903 Brown entered New York University where, as a student, he made an excellent record. In 1906 he received the degree of LL. M. and from the collegiate division of New York University received the degree B. S. in 1910. After pursuing graduate work in the Law School the University conferred upon him the degree Juris Doctor in 1911. He was admitted to the New York Bar in November, 1908, and is now practising law in New York City, with offices at No. 31 Nassau Street.

Mr. Brown is very active in Alumni affairs, and has been a speaker at several Association banquets. He is a clever musician and a tenor soloist of marked ability. Mr. Brown now holds the office of Superintendent in the Freeport Methodist Sunday School.
KARL BROWN, '10

Karl Brown or "Babe" as he is generally known, was born in Brooklyn on June 6th in '93. He came to Freeport in 1900, entered High School in '06, and graduated as a member of the 1910 Class.
Since graduation Brown has been with Combs, the electrician.

LESLIE BROWN, '05

Leslie Brown was born in Brooklyn on April 9th, 1888, and entered Freeport High School in 1901. He was a member of the '05 championship baseball team and graduated in June, '05, as both President and Valedictorian of his class.
In September, 1908, Mr. Brown entered the New York University Medical School and will receive his degree, M.D., in June, 1912.

PETRINA ALICE BURNS, '10

Miss Burns claims Rockville Centre, New York, as her birthplace, and gives the date as February 1st, 1891. She entered Freeport High School in '06, graduated in 1910, and afterwards took one year at postgraduate work. On Class Day, 1910, she had charge of the presentation of gifts. Miss Burns expects to enter the Jamaica Training School in the near future.

MARIE BYL, '07

Miss Byl's birthplace is Freeport, New York, and the date Sept. 27th, 1889.
She entered High School in 1904 and was graduated as a member of the Class of '07.
ADA CONKLIN CALLEY, '93

Mrs. Calley, formerly Miss Ada M. Conklin, came to Freeport from Bellmore, where she was born on July 22, 1877. In 1893 she graduated from the Freeport Union School as one of its first graduates.

After graduation Mrs. Calley attended Pratt's Institute, Brooklyn, and upon completing a course in millinery engaged in that business.

She was active in the early Alumni Association, being its first Vice-President for two years.

In June, 1907, her marriage to Mr. Clarence Calley was solemnized.

Mr. and Mrs. Calley now reside at West Palm Beach, Florida.

CHARLOTTE SOUTHARD CARL, '08.

Mrs. Carl, formerly Miss Charlotte Southard, was born on June 24th, 1889, at Rockaway Beach. She entered Freeport High School in 1905, and was graduated three years later. While at school Mrs. Carl was a member of the Girls' Athletic Association, and the Debating Society; she played on the Girls' Basketball team and served as Alumni and Exchange Editor of The Student.

On June 7th, 1911, she became the wife of William Price Carl of Baldwin, L. I. Mr. and Mrs. Carl reside on Grand Avenue, Baldwin.

FLORENCE E. CARPENTER, '10

Miss Carpenter came to Freeport in 1896 from Brooklyn, where she was born on December 16th, 1891.

She entered Freeport High School in '06, was graduated in '10 and took Postgraduate work the year following. She is still a resident of Freeport.
ALBIN N. JOHNSON, '93
1907-1908

W. BURGESS OSTERHOUT, '01
1908-1909

HAROLD E. BROWN, '03
1909-1910

DR. G. CLIFFORD COLYER, '06
1910-1911

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION—EX-PRESIDENTS
LOUIS STEPHEN CASSINS, '94

Mr. Cassins came to Freeport in 1890 from Brooklyn, New York, where he was born on November 5th, 1877. He entered the Freeport Union School in '91 and was graduated with the class of 1894.

Mr. Cassins was married to Miss May Russell of Freeport in 1896 and is now an employee of the United States Government in the postal service at White Plains, New York.

ADA ELIZABETH CHRISTIANS, '09

Miss Christians came to Freeport from Barryville, New York, where she was born on June 22nd 1892.

At Freeport High School she was Exchange and Alumni Editor of The Student, Vice-president of her class in Junior and Senior years, a member of the Girls' Athletic Association, the French and German Clubs and of the "Bachelor Hall" cast. She was '09's salutatorian.

In '09 Miss Christians won the Cornell scholarship and at present is taking the Arts course at that university. At college she is captain of the class basketball team and a member of the Girls' 'Varsity Basketball team, Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. Membership Committee, a member of the Executive Board of the Student Self Government Body and president of "Raven and Serpent," the Junior Honorary Society.

GEORGE WILLIAM CHRISTIANS, '04

George W. Christians started his career in Barryville, Sullivan County, August 1st, 1888. He entered Freeport High School in 1900, was graduated in '04, and took Post-graduate work in 1905.

In the fall of '05 he entered Polytechnic Institute, Brooklyn, and was graduated from that institution in 1909 with the degree E. E. At present he is connected with the Edison Company in New York City.
JOSEPH CLARK

"Joe" gave a grin of satisfaction at matters and things in general at Freeport on September 2, 1890. Clark entered High School in the fall of 1903 and at once took an active part in all activities. He was a member of the Athletic Association, and officer and member of the Debating Society. He graduated in 1906 as class poet.

Later "Joe" took a course in one of the business schools in New York City and upon its completion engaged in business there.

HERBERT WOODEND CLOCK, '07

Mr. Clock was born at Huntington, Long Island, on October 25th, 1890, and entered Freeport High School in 1903 soon after taking up his residence in Freeport. At the Class Day exercises in June '07 "Herb" had charge of the Class Epitaphs.

In the fall of '07 Clock entered Mercersburg Academy, graduating in '09 as Class Poet. At Mercersburg he served on the Weekly and Monthly Publication Boards. After his "prep" course at Mercersburg, Herbert went abroad and entered Oxford University where he has since made an enviable record. Clock possesses marked ability as a rugby player, having played on the Gloucester City Team, the best in England. He enjoys the unique distinction of living in the rooms at college formerly occupied by Dr. Samuel Johnson. Clock also has recently been honored by election into the Penbrook J. C. R., the oldest wine club in Oxford.

KATHRYN RAYNOR COGSWELL, '95

Mrs. Cogswell, formerly Miss Kathryn Raynor of North Main Street, was born in Freeport, on November 11th, 1877. She was both Historian and Prophet of the '95 class and after graduation was deeply interested in Alumni affairs, serving as a Director of the Association in '95 and as Vice-President in '99.

On June 10th, 1902, she became the wife of Benjamin Franklin Cogswell, Jr., of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Cogswell died at her home on North Ocean Ave., Freeport, on October 22nd, 1909.
E. VERNON COLYER, '09

"Vern" became a citizen of Freeport on December 18th, 1890. He entered High School in 1906 and graduated as class treasurer in '09.

Colyer was an exceedingly active and prominent undergraduate, being a member of the "Bachelor Hall" and "Miss Fearless & Co." casts in '07 and '08, a member of the Athletic Association Executive Committee in '08 and '09, and on Class Day in June '08 delivered the address to the Seniors in behalf of the Junior class.

"Vern" was a member of the baseball teams of '06 to '09 and of the football teams of '05 to '10. In 1909 he managed the football team and was captain of the '09 baseball team, "Colyer's Cubs."

This fall Colyer will study in Philadelphia, preparing himself as jeweler and optician.

GEORGE CLIFFORD COLYER, '06

"Kip" was introduced to the world in Brooklyn, on September 14, 1887, removing to Freeport a year later. He entered the Freeport schools at the opening of the Pine Street building and graduated from High School as Senior President in 1906.

Colyer was a delegate at the first Nassau County Baseball League Convention and later managed the '05 championship baseball team. He managed and played on the football team of 1905 and captured second prize in the Speaking Contest against Hempstead in 1906.

In 1905 "Kip" was one of the founders of the "Student" and was for two years its editor. He served as Alumni President in 1910.

After a year of post-graduate work, Colyer entered the University of Pennsylvania and was graduated from that institution in June, 1911, with degree of D. D. S. At college he was a member of the Penn. Varsity Band, Empire State Club, Houston Club, Sunrise Club, S. E. A. Reimold Society and Psi Omega fraternity. He was editor of the 1910 Class Record, Vice-President of his class his Junior year and served for two years on the Editorial Board of the Penn. Dental Journal. He is also the author of several campus and fraternity songs.

Mr. Colyer has been a member of the Freeport Club since 1904 and at present is studying at the Philadelphia Post-Graduate School of Dentistry. "Kip" is editor of the Alumni Record.
ROSCOE CONKLIN, '90

Mr. Conklin's birthplace is Woodsburg, New York. The date was August 16th, 1878. He entered the Freeport School in '92 and was graduated with the '95 Class. After graduation Conklin attended school Number 34 in Brooklyn for a year, then took a two-years' course at Boys' High School, Brooklyn.

Mr. Conklin for a number of years was in the lumber and bicycle business, but for the past six years has been a Messenger in the House of Representatives at Washington, D.C.

HAROLD WELCH COOK, '05

Harold W. Cook became a resident of Freeport in 1897. He was born in Brooklyn on the 5th of September, 1889. Cook entered High School in 1902, graduated in 1905, and took two years of Postgraduate work.

He was a charter member of the Freeport High School Athletic Association, and a member of the "Cook & Raynor" battery of the '05 championship Baseball Team. In 1905 he was Assistant Captain of the Football Team and Field Captain of that team two years later. Cook was Vice-President of the Debating Society, Assistant Manager of The Student in '05 and a member of the "Mr. Bob" cast in '07.

After leaving Freeport High School Cook attended college, for a time studying medicine, but abandoned his course to enter into business in New York.

On August 17th, '11, he was married to Miss Mary Ida Pitcher, '06.

MARY PITCHER COOK, '06

Mrs. Cook, formerly Mary Ida Pitcher, was born in Brooklyn on February 24th, 1889, and became a resident of Freeport nine years later. She entered High School in '03 and graduated as Class Salutatorian in June, '06.

Mrs. Cook was a member of the Girls' Basketball Team in '04 and '05, served as Associate Editor of The Student during '05, '06 and '07, and was a Speaker in the first contest against Hempstead in '06.

After a year of Postgraduate work Mrs. Cook became private secretary to the director of a mercantile house in New York.

On August 17th, '11, she became the wife of Harold Welch Cook, '05.
EDITH CRANDELL, '11

Miss Crandell was born at Drayton, North Dakota, on May 29th, 1894, and removed to Freeport with her parents five years later. She became enrolled in High School in January, '07.

Miss Crandell was Secretary of her class, a member of the Senior-Junior Banquet Committee in 1910, and read the Prophecy at the Class Day Exercises. She will study in Brooklyn at the Packer Collegiate Institute, commencing this fall.

RALPH LOCKWOOD CRANDELL, '08

Crandell came to Freeport from Drayton, North Dakota, where he was born on May 4, 1890. He graduated from Freeport High School in '08, and was President of the class his senior year. Crandell played on the football teams of 1907 and 1908, was Circulation Manager of The Student in '07, and edited that publication the following year.

The fall of 1909 found him in the Freshman Class at Wesleyan University. At college he was Assistant Manager of the baseball team in 1911, and was elected Manager for 1912. He was a member of the Cannon Scrap and Washington Banquet Committees his Junior year.

Crandell is also a member of Mystical Seven and Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity.

WALLACE M. CUTLER, '03

New York City claimed Cutler as one of its citizens on August 3rd, 1887. Four years later he became a resident of Freeport. Cutler entered Freeport High School in 1901 and was graduated with the 1903 quartet. He is an athlete and had an enviable reputation on the gridiron and track, both at Freeport High School and at Pratts Institute where he received the degree S. M. D.

Cutler is a very capable engineer and was interested for a time in railroad construction. At present he is senior member of the firm of Cutler, Betzig & Company of Freeport, contractors.
MARY BAKER DAVIS, '09

Yaphank, Long Island, is the birthplace, and July 7th, '93 the birthday of Mary B. Davis. She came to Freeport with her parents in September, 1904, and entered High School the following year. Miss Davis was a member of the “Miss Fearless & Co.” cast, and Secretary for two years of the 1909 Class.

In September, 1910, she entered Wilson College, taking a course in Arts.

NELLIE FOREMAN DAVISON, '96

Mrs. Davison is a lifelong resident of Freeport, having been born at that place on January 26th, 1881.

In 1896 she graduated from the Freeport School as Valedictorian of her class. Soon afterwards Mrs. Davison entered Packer Institute in Brooklyn, where she was elected President of the Glee Club and Class Secretary; she graduated in 1901.

On May 3rd, 1905, her marriage to Alfred Tredwell Davison took place.

MOSES DA SILVA, '96

Da Silva started on his career at Hewletts, Long Island, on Christmas day in 1881. Twelve years later he entered the Freeport School and was graduated with the '96 Class as its Secretary.

Mr. Da Silva is an expert in the cigar business, and for three years conducted a retail store at Rockville Centre. He was married on July 1st, 1904, to Miss Ella Cammann, and is now interested both in the advertising business and in the I. Da Silva store at Freeport.
FANNIE ELEANOR DEVLIN, '09

Miss Devlin was born on May 27th, 1890. She came to Freeport in 1903 and entered High School two years later.

Miss Devlin was a member of the "Miss Fearless & Co.'s" cast in '08 and of the Girls' Athletic Association. She graduated in 1909, took Postgraduate work in 1910, and after a business course at Brown's entered a New York office as stenographer.

HARRY CLIFFORD DIKEMAN, '11

Dikeman is a Freeporter and was born November 5th, 1893. He was a member of the '11 Class, and expects to re-enter Freeport High School for a Postgraduate course. Dickman was Assistant Circulation Manager of The Student in 1910, and Manager of the Circulation Department the following year. He was a guard on the 1910 Football team.

GRACE POWERS DUNBAR, '97

Mrs. Dunbar, who before her marriage was Miss Grace M. Powers, was born in Freeport on June 11th, 1880. Mrs. Dunbar was exceedingly popular, graduating as President of her class in 1897, and later joined the Alumni Association in which she took an active part. On June 25th, 1902, she became the wife of Forrest Spencer Dunbar, and still makes her home at Freeport.

MARIAN NELSON DUSENBURY, '09

Miss Dusenbury was born in the great Metropolis on September 20th, 1891. In 1907 she removed to Freeport from Cornwall-on-the-Hudson, and at once entered Freeport High.

At school she was a member of the "Miss Fearless & Co." cast in '08, and was elected poet of the '09 Class. She took Postgraduate work for a year after graduation. Miss Dusenbury resides at present on West Merrick Road, Freeport.
FLORENCE MAE FULLAGAR, '09

Miss Fullagar came to Freeport in 1906 from Brooklyn where she was born on June 19th, 1890. At High School she was a member of the Girls' Athletic Association, and the German Club. She took part in a preliminary prize speaking contest and was graduated as Historian of the '09 Class.

Miss Fullagar took a course at the Jamaica Training School and is now teaching in Ocean Side.

HARVEY JAMES GEORGE, '09

Harvey J. George began this life at Brooklyn on January 9th, 1891. In '05 he entered Freeport High School. After graduation in '09 Mr. George accepted a position in the offices of Counsellor Elvin N. Edwards. Later on he became connected with the firm of Edwards & Levy and expects soon to study Law at the New York Law School.

HAZEL CLARISSA GOLDER, '08

Miss Golder claims Freeport as her birthplace, and the date was December 16th, 1891. In 1905 she entered High School and was graduated with the Class of 1908.

In 1907 Miss Golder was elected to the office of Secretary-Treasurer of the Girls' Basketball Association. She is Historian of the Alumni Association.

JOHN R. P. GOLLER, '10

On July 31st, 1892, Goller was born in the "City of Churches," Brooklyn, New York. He came to Freeport in 1905, and a year later entered Freeport High School.

Goller was a member of the German Club, served on The Student staff, and played on the Football Teams of '09 and '10. He was Salutatorian of the 1910 Class, and won the Cornell Scholarship at the close of his Senior year at High School. Goller, at present, is attending Union College, Schenectady, New York.
HARRISON GUNNING, '07

Harrison Gunning dates his existence from December 2nd, 1889, having been born in Brooklyn, New York, on one of the coldest days of that festive month.

In 1902 he removed to Freeport with his parents and entered Freeport High School two years later. "Harry" managed the basketball team in 1908 during his post-graduate year and in '06 and '07 was secretary of the Athletic Association.

In the fall of 1910 he entered Union College where he is a member of the Glee Club and of Psi Upsilon fraternity.

WILLIAM CARROLL GUNNING, '08

Brooklyn, New York, gave W. C. Gunning his start in life on the 29th day of July in 1891. He came to Freeport in 1902 and entered Freeport High School in '04.

Gunning was a member of the '07 Basketball team and Treasurer of the '08 class. At present he is with the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.

MAY BROTHERIDGE GRIFFITHS, '94

Mrs. Griffiths, formerly Miss May Brotheridge, was born in Brooklyn, on the 16th of August, 1878. She entered the Freeport Union School in '93 and was graduated as Secretary of her class the following year.

After graduation she was elected Vice-President of the Alumni Association and in October, 1900, was married to Hubert D. Griffiths. Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths are now living at Sioux Falls, North Dakota.
REUBEN S. HAMAKER, '05

St. Paul, Minnesota, is the birthplace of Rueben S. Hamaker, the date having been March 16th, 1888.
Entering High School in 1901, Hamaker became a member of the Athletic Association and of the Debating Society. He played on the '05 and '06 baseball and football teams and graduated with the 1905 class.
Hamaker was compelled to abandon a course of study begun at Allegheny College in 1908 on account of illness. He now resides at Stockton, N. J., and is superintendent of the Sunday School at that place.

FRANK EDWARD HAMMOND, '94

Dr. Hammond was born on September 22nd, 1878, at Freeport. He graduated from Freeport Union School as president of the class of '94 and in the same year was elected Treasurer of the Alumni Association.
In 1896 he entered the University of Maryland and graduated in 1899 with the degree D. D. S., being the honor man of his class.
Immediately after his graduation from the University of Maryland Dr. Hammond sailed for South America. He is now one of the leading dental practitioners of Pernambuco, Brazil, his home city.

NELLIE T. HARDWICK, '93

Miss Hardwick was born in Freeport in 1876, and graduated from the Freeport School in 1893 as Secretary of her class. She was Secretary, also, of the first Alumni Society in 1894.
After graduation Miss Hardwick removed to New York and accepted a position with the Seigel-Cooper Co.
FRANCIS J. HEENAN, '94

Mr. Heenan was born in the "City of Brotherly Love", Philadelphia, Pa., on June 20, 1878. He became a resident of Freeport in 1894 and entered the Senior class in the same year. He was Treasurer of his class, held the same office in the Alumni Association in '95, was President of the Alumni in '97 and in '99 a member of the Alumni Association Executive Committee.

Mr. Heenan was married to Miss Dorothy Vernon Smith of New York on February 25th, 1911. He is now connected with the Doubleday, Page Company at Garden City, and resides on Rose Street, Freeport.

EDITH W. HEWLETT, '97

Miss Hewlett was born in Merrick, on March 29th, 1880, and still makes that town her home. While attending the Freeport schools she commuted to and from her home.

She graduated with the class of '97.

FLORENCE M. HEWLETT, '97

Merrick, Long Island, is the birthplace of Miss Florence M. Hewlett, also her present home. She was born on May 1st, 1879.

Miss Hewlett graduated from Freeport School with the Class of '97, being Class Salutatorian.

OLIVE WILLA HOMAN, '08

Miss Homan is a resident of Baldwin, Long Island, where she was born on October 28th, 1889. In 1906 she entered Freeport High School and graduated with the Class of '08 as Class Historian. She was a member of the Girls' Athletic Association.

JENNIE MADISON HORNBECK, '95

Mrs. Hornbeck is a native Freeporter. The date of her birth was March 19th, 1877. She was President of the '95 Class, and on April 11th, 1900, became the wife of Frank D. Hornbeck of Ellenville, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Hornbeck reside on College Place, Freeport.
BEULAH IDA HUMPHREY, '07

Miss Humphrey was born on July 16th, 1890, at Saratoga Springs, New York, and came to Freeport seven years later. She entered High School in '03, was Secretary of the '07 Class, and had charge of the presentation of gifts at Commencement.

In '08 Miss Humphrey entered Ohio Wesleyan University where she is Secretary of both the Student Volunteer Band and the Missionary Society of the Y. W. C. A.

MILDRED PAULINE HUMPHREY, '10

Mildred P. Humphrey claims Binghamton, New York, as her birthplace, the date of her birth being April 22nd, 1893.

Miss Humphrey entered High School in January, '06, and graduated with the Class of '10. On Class Day in June, '10, she read the Class Will.

In 1911 Miss Humphrey entered the Ohio Wesleyan University.

NINA BELLE HUMPHREY, '01

Miss Humphrey was born on December 5th, 1883, at Saratoga Springs, New York. In '98 she entered Freeport High School, and graduated as Secretary and Salutatorian of the 1901 Class.

Miss Humphrey graduated from Jamaica Normal School in 1904 and has since been a substitute teacher in the Freeport Schools. She is Soprano Soloist in the Methodist Episcopal Church of Freeport.

OWEN WILBUR HUMPHREY, JR., '06

In 1896 Mr. Humphrey came to Freeport from Saratoga Springs, New York, where he was born on March 24th, 1889.

At High School Humphrey was an accomplished speaker, winning first prize in the contest against Hempstead School in '06. He played on the Freeport High School Football Team from '04 to '06, and edited The Student in '06-'07.

Humphrey graduated as Valedictorian of his class in 1906, and has since been connected with the firm of O. W. Humphrey & Co., contractors.
WALTER ROBERT HUMPHREY, '02

"Rob" Humphrey was born at Saratoga Springs, New York, on December 10th, 1885. He entered High School at Freeport in 1899, and was graduated with the '02 Class. While in school Humphrey played on both the Football and Baseball teams, and won second prize in the Speaking Contest of '02.

Humphrey is now connected with the Bank of Rockville Centre.

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ELLA BEDELL HUNT, '01

Mrs. Hunt, formerly Miss Ella A. Bedell, received a most hearty welcome as a resident of Freeport on November 19th, 1882.

Entering the High School in 1898 and graduating with the Class of '01, Mrs. Hunt was one of its most popular and active members. She was not only Historian and Prophetess, but Vice-President as well.

On March 11th, 1910, her marriage to Stephen W. Hunt of Freeport took place. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt now reside on Church Street, Freeport.

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MABEL ARLINGTON HUNT, '08

Mabel A. Hunt came to Freeport in 1894. She was born in Hempstead on September 8th, 1890.

Miss Hunt entered High School in 1904 and graduated as Valedictorian of the '08 Class. She was a member of the German Club and a winner of several prizes for perfect attendance at school.

In 1910 Miss Hunt took a Business Course at Heffley Institute, and is at present employed by the Doubleday, Page Company at Garden City, Long Island.
ALBIN NICHOLAS JOHNSON, '93

Albin N. Johnson was born on September 10th, 1874, in the city of Goteberg, Sweden. Ten years later he came with his parents to Jamaica, New York. In 1886 he removed to Freeport which has since been his home. Mr. Johnson was graduated as President of the '93 Class, having passed through two classes in a half year. He organized and was President for three years of the First Alumni Association, and to him belongs the credit of having organized the present Association.

Mr. Johnson was graduated from the Commerce Department of Pratts Institute in 1894. In 1898 he received the degree LL. B. from the New York University Law School. He was a member of the first Masters' Class of Brooklyn Law School, St. Lawrence University, and in 1905 received the degree of LL. M. from that institution. Later on Counsellor Johnson engaged in active law practice at Richmond Hill, Long Island, as a member of the Magee & Johnson firm. At present he is President of the Johnson Realty Exchange and Senior partner of the law firm of Johnson and Johnson, with offices on Railroad Avenue, Freeport.

Mr. Johnson was married to Miss Estelle Graham Van Riper on October 3rd, 1906.

In 1910 he was elected a member of the Board of Education of Freeport Schools, being the first graduate to attain this honor. He is Secretary-Treasurer and a Trustee of the Freeport Public Library.

In fraternal circles Mr. Johnson is exceedingly well known, being a member of Phi Delta Phi, Morton Lodge No. 63, F. & A. M., charter member of Freeport Chapter No. 32 Royal Arch Masons, a Past Grand of Freeport Lodge No. 600 I. O. O. F., a charter member and Past Regent of Fraternal Council No. 1962, Royal Arcanum, Supervising Deputy Grand Regent of the same order, Freeport Mutual Benevolence Association, Long Island Fraternal Association and a Past Archon of Jamaica Conclave No. 909 I. O. H.

He is a Steward and member of the Official Board of Freeport Methodist Episcopal Church, Associate Superintendent of its Sunday School, and was President for many years of the Epworth League Chapter.

Mr. Johnson is one of the Governors and Chairman of the Law Committee of the Freeport Board of Trade, was the first Secretary of the Freeport Choral Society, and is serving as Assistant Manager of the Freeport Baseball Team. He is also a member of the Freeport Club, Nassau County Bar Association, and the Phi Delta Phi Club of Brooklyn.

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AUGUST VICTOR JOHNSON, '01

It was in far-off Sweden that August V. Johnson was born, on May 15th, 1881. He has resided in Freeport, however, since '83 and entered High School in '97. Mr. Johnson was President of the 1901 class and delivered the commencement oration “United we Stand, Divided we Fall.”

After graduation he attended Bryant and Stratton’s Business College, in Brooklyn, for a year then entered the employ of the Long Island Railroad, at the present time holding the responsible position of Assistant Paymaster of that corporation. He is Treasurer of the Alumni Association.

On December 20th, 1905, Mr. Johnson was married to Miss Georgianna Olin, of Freeport.

CLEMENT BOYNTON JOHNSON, '05

Johnson was born on September 3rd, 1889, at Freeport, New York, and entered High School in 1901. He graduated in June, '05, as Salutatorian of his class.

After graduation Mr. Johnson attended Heffley Institute for one year, and is now pursuing a course of study at Cooper Union, New York.

ELIZABETH POST JOHNSON, '94

Mrs. Johnson while attending the Freeport School was Miss Elizabeth Post. She is a lifelong Freeporter, having been born November 13th, 1879. After Mrs. Johnson’s graduation in '94 she spent a year in Post-Graduate work at school and on August 1st, in 1897, became the wife of Myron Johnson of Freeport.
GEORGIANNA ALICE JOHNSON, '02

Mrs. Johnson in her High School days was Miss Georgianna Okie, of Pine Street, and was born in Brooklyn, on July 23rd, 1884. Twelve years later she removed to Freeport, entering Freeport High School in 1899. Mrs. Johnson was Vice-President of the '02 class and won first prize in the '02 Speaking Contest.

On December 20th, 1905, she became the wife of A. V. Johnson, '01.

HILBERT ROLIN JOHNSON, '06

H. R. Johnson was born in Freeport, on November 8th, 1888. In 1903 he entered Freeport High School and was graduated as Treasurer and Prophet of the 1906 class. Johnson played first base on the '05 and '06 baseball teams, was Treasurer of the Athletic Association, and for two years President of the Debating Society.

In 1906 Johnson entered New York University, where he was a member of "The Assembly." He managed the baseball team in '08 and '09 and was graduated in June, '09, with the degree LL. B. Johnson was admitted to the New York Bar in 1910.

Mr. Johnson is junior member of the law firm of Johnson & Johnson, with offices on Railroad Avenue, Freeport. He is Secretary of the Alumni Association, which office he has filled very capably for the past two years.

MARTHA CORNELIUS JOHNSON, '95

Mrs. Martha Johnson, formerly Miss Martha A. Cornelius, came to Freeport in 1886, from Seaford, Long Island, where she was born, February 9, 1878. Upon coming to Freeport she entered the Freeport Union School, and was graduated as both Secretary and Valedictorian of the '95 class.

Soon after the completion of her academic work Mrs. Johnson entered Pratt's Institute, Brooklyn, taking a business course. Two years later she engaged in business in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Johnson was married to Mr. John Johnson of Brooklyn, September 14, 1899. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson reside on Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn.
PAUL LORING JOHNSON, '08

Paul is another Freeporter. He was born in that town on November 23rd in 1891. In 1903 he entered High School and was graduated in 1908. At school he was Circulation Manager of The Student, played on the Basketball Team and claimed membership in the German Club, Athletic Association and the School Band.

Johnson entered Cooper Union in 1909, and will graduate in '13 with the degree E.E.

SIGFRED FREEMAN JOHNSON, '04

Johnson was born in Freeport on March 20th, in 1888. He was President of the '05 Class of Freeport High School. In 1905 Mr. Johnson entered Heffley Institute in Brooklyn, and after graduation in 1907 became connected with the A. S. Johnson Company of Freeport. In July, '11, he sailed for Milan, Italy, where he will spend several years studying.

MATTIE ANDERSON KELSEY, '96

At Merrick, Long Island, Mrs. Kelsey was born on June 8th, 1879. She entered Freeport School in '94 and graduated in '96, reading at Commencement an interesting essay on "Libraries."

During '96-'97 Mrs. Kelsey took a business course at Heffley Institute in Brooklyn. On April 27th, 1901, she was married to James Hiram Kelsey and has since made her home at Stough, Mass.
HAROLD SEAMAN KROPP, '07

Kropp was born in New York City on the 6th of September in 1889. At High School Kropp was a member of the Football team, Athletic Editor of The Student, Manager of "Bachelor Hall," and a member of both the "Mr. Bob" and "Bachelor Hall" casts. He graduated from High School in '07, took Postgraduate work in '08, and entered Lawrenceville School in the fall of the same year. In 1910 Mr. Kropp entered the New York Law School, and is at present studying law in the offices of Sproule, Harmer & Sproule in New York.

WILLIAM FREDERICK KRAFT, JR., '10

Brooklyn, New York, is "Billy" Kraft's birthplace, and the date was December 23rd, 1892. Eight years later he became a resident of Smithville South. He entered Freeport High School in 1907, and was graduated in 1910. Kraft was an excellent student and was Valedictorian of his class. He won first gentleman's place in the '09 Prize Speaking Contest.

At present Kraft is employed in the First National Bank of Freeport.

GEORGE MORTON LEVY, '04

The counsellor calls Seaford his birthplace, and began his career on June 26th, 1888. In 1901 he entered Freeport High School, graduated in '04 and took Post-Graduate work the following year. He was Vice-President of the Debating Society in '02 and Secretary of the same organization in '03. Levy played at shortstop on the '05 championship baseball team and captained the football teams of '04 and '05.

Entering the Wallace offices in Jamaica, Long Island, after leaving Freeport High School, Levy began the study of law. He graduated from the New York Law School in 1908, with degree of LL.B., took up Postgraduate work in 1909, and was admitted to the New York Bar in October of that year.

Until 1911 Mr. Levy was a member of the law and real estate firm of Smith and Levy. In 1911 he entered partnership with Counsellor Elvin N. Edwards, with offices on Railroad Avenue, Freeport. At present the counsellor is interested in the litigation with the Street Railway Corporation regarding fares and service.
CHARLES DRIGGS LEWIS, '09

On April 6th, 1890, Lewis was born in Brooklyn, New York, coming to Freeport in 1906. Lewis was very active in school affairs, having been President of the Nassau County Baseball League in '09, Treasurer of Freeport High School Athletic Association the same year and a member of the "Bachelor Hall" cast in '08. He played on the baseball and football teams of '06-'07-'08-'09 and '10, having captained the '08 football team.

Charles graduated in June, '09, but took Post-Graduate work for a year after, coaching the football team in the fall of '10.

At present he is employed by the Standard Oil Company in New York, but is registered at the New York Law School which he will enter in October.

OLAF M. MAGNUSSON, '02

O. M. Magnusson was born in Antwerp, Belgium, on May 3rd, 1886. He entered Freeport High School in 1899 and was graduated as President of the '02 class.

After a course in Brown's Business College Mr. Magnusson became secretary to Dr. Lewi of the State Board of Medical Examiners. He served as secretary to Senator Burr at Albany in '07 and '08. Magnusson was graduated from Brooklyn Law School with the degree LL. B. in '09 and served as secretary to Senator Hubbs in 1910. He is now connected with the Nassau County Treasurer's office and was admitted to the New York Bar in February, 1911.

Mr. Magnusson served several years as organist in the Church of the Transfiguration in Freeport. On January, 1910, he was married to Miss Adelaide Olcott of Sullivan County, New York.
HELEN WHITE MERRILL, '01

Miss Merrill was born on July 5th, 1885, and came to Freeport in 1897 from Brooklyn, New York, her birthplace.

She graduated from the Freeport High School in 1901 and in the following fall entered the Jamaica Normal School. At Jamaica Miss Merrill was secretary and treasurer of the 1905 class and a popular member of Alpha Delta Sorority.

Miss Merrill still resides in Freeport, but teaches school in Brooklyn, New York.

SERENO GLASSELL MILLER, '03

S. G. Miller was born at Islip, Long Island, on August 18th, 1885, and came to Freeport in 1901. He was graduated from High School in '03 and spent the following year at Post-Graduate work.

In the fall of '04 Mr. Miller, having won the Cornell scholarship for Nassau County, entered Cornell University and was graduated in 1908 with the degree of M. E. At college he was an officer in the Long Island Club and Business Manager of the Sibley Journal of Engineering.

He was married on December 31st, '08, to Miss Faynetta A. Markell of Ithaca, New York.

During 1908-09 Mr. Miller was connected with the Public Service Commission of New Jersey and at present is Principal of the Mechanical Department of the New Bedford (Massachusetts) Textile School.

HENRY POWERS MILLER, '07

H. P. Miller resides at Baldwin, but was born in Brooklyn, on October 18th, 1889. He entered Freeport High School in '06 and was graduated the following year.

At present Mr. Miller is engaged with a law firm and expects to study law at the New York Law School in the near future.
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HENRY L. CRANDELL

WALTER B. COZZENS

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WILLIAM H. SAMMONS
ISAAC W. MILLER, '93

Isaac W. Miller is a lifelong Freeporter, and the day of his birth March 3rd, 1878. At his class commencement in '93 Mr. Miller read an interesting essay on "Fugitives from Labor." He took a business course at Bryant and Stratton's in Brooklyn, and afterward was engaged in newspaper work for a number of years with the Brooklyn Eagle and the New York Times.

Mr. Miller was a clever athlete and won many handsome prizes on the bicycle track. He also played the centerfield position with the Freeport semi-professional baseball team in a very creditable manner. He is now connected with the Miller dry good house on Main Street, Freeport.

GEORGE SHAW MILLER, '05

G. S. Miller launched on his career in New York City on the 16th day of May in 1886. In 1902 he removed to Wantagh, Long Island, and enrolled as a student at Freeport High School.

Mr. Miller was graduated with the 1905 class. While in school he was connected with the High School Band and played on the '05 football team. After graduation he taught school on Long Island for two years, then entered the employ of the Igoe Company at Newark, New Jersey. Miller is now connected with the Igoe Company's Brooklyn office.

GRACE PAFF MORGAN, '94

Mrs. Morgan, who was Miss Grace S. Paff, was born in Hempstead on March 1st, 1878. She was graduated from the Freeport Union School in '94 and was Treasurer of the Alumni Association in '96, '97 and '99.

On November 11th, 1903, she became the wife of Wm. Ferguson Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan now reside at 673 Leonard Street, Brooklyn, New York.
JAMES FRANCIS MULCAHY, '09

Merrick, Long Island, July 15th, 1891, tells the story of the birth of J. F. Mulcahy. In 1905 "Jim" entered Freeport High School. He was a member of the Basketball team and played three years at football, '07-'08 and '09. Mulcahy was the '09 Class Prophet.

After spending one year at Heffley Institute, Mulcahy entered the employ of the Title Guarantee and Trust Company in their Mineola office.

WALTER M. NICHOLS, '95

Mr. Nichols was born in Freeport on August 29th, 1879. In 1895 he was graduated from Freeport Union School, having charge of the Class Will, and being Treasurer of his class. After graduation Mr. Nichols spent a short time in Post-Graduate work before entering into the dry goods business in New York.

Mr. Nichols is a Mason, a member of the Massapequa lodge of Rockville Center, and was Treasurer for six years of the Junior Order United American Mechanics No. 57 of Freeport.

THOMAS STEPHEN O’MARA, '08

O’Mara came to Freeport in 1905 from Brooklyn, New York, where he was born on December 16th, 1889.

"Tom" was a member of the Athletic Association and of both the French and German Clubs. Since graduation in 1908 he has devoted his time to the study of law.
E. H. Osterhout made his initial bow to the public on March 15th, 1889, at Yorktown, New York. Entering Freeport High School in 1900 he was graduated as a member of the 1904 class. At school Mr. Osterhout was a brilliant student and probably did more to promote athletics at F. H. S. than any other graduate of the school. He was instrumental in the formation of the Nassau Baseball League, several times a delegate to the meetings of that institution, and played throughout his High School course on the baseball, football and basketball teams. He was captain of the 1905 baseball team and deserves great credit for his efforts in making that team the best which has ever represented Freeport High School on the diamond. Mr. Osterhout was an active member of the Debating Society, one of the founders of The Student, serving as Athletic Editor of that publication.

At Columbia University Mr. Osterhout has made an enviable record both in study hall and on the athletic field. In 1910 he received the degree B. A., from Columbia, and in June, 1912, will have conferred upon him the L.L. B. degree.

He has played for four years on the 'Varsity Baseball team, being captain in 1911, a member of the Freshman (championship) Basketball five, the Senior Football team and assistant manager of the '09 'Varsity Basketball team. Mr. Osterhout served as President of the Columbia Y. M. C. A., as a director of the Athletic Association, Business Manager of his Class Book, and chairman of the Republican Club Executive Committee. In 1910, at the Class elections he was voted the best all around man in college and was awarded the Alumni Prize of $50 to the most faithful student in the Senior class. On class day he made the Presentation speech.

The following organizations claim Mr. Osterhout as a member:—Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, Student Board, University Committee, Politics Club, "King's Crown," "Nacons" and "Black Avenger."
WILLIAM BURGESS OSTERHOUT, '01

W. B. Osterhout was born at Tunkhannock, Pa., on September 15th, 1886, and moved to Freeport with his parents in the winter of 1890. He entered the Freeport School in the lowest grade and graduated from the High School with the first graduating class in 1901.

Mr. Osterhout was the second President of the Alumni Association. At Pratts Institute, Brooklyn, New York, from which institution he graduated in 1904, Mr. Osterhout played on the baseball team.

Mr. Osterhout graduated with the class of 1908 from Columbia University, and in June, 1910, received from Columbia University Law School the degrees LL.B. and A. M. He was admitted to the New York Bar in the fall of 1910.

While at college Mr. Osterhout rowed on the Freshman Crew, was a member of King’s Crown and the Societe Francais, Business Manager of the Senior Class Book and a member of Alpha Chi Rho fraternity.

Mr. Osterhout still resides in Freeport and at present is practicing law in the office of Frank Harvey Field at 135 Broadway, New York.

MARIE ELEANOR PARKERSON, '09

Miss Parkerson was born in the City of New York, on the 27th of March, 1891. Nine years later she removed to Freeport and was enrolled at the High School in 1905.

Miss Parkerson was a member of the German Club, the Girls’ Athletic Association and the “Mr. Bob” cast in 1907. At present she is engaged in business in New York.

ROBERT BURNET PATERSON, '10

Mr. Paterson was born in Brooklyn on May 12th, 1892. He entered Freeport High School in 1908 and was graduated in June, 1910.

Mr. Paterson was Associate Editor of The Student in 1910, a member of the Athletic Association, “Facing the Music” cast, manager of the 1910 football team and was treasurer of the German Club.

In 1910 he entered Worcester Polytechnic Institute where he is now studying.
EDITH SEAMAN PATRICK, '97

Mrs. Patrick was born in Merrick, on the 4th day of January, 1882. She came to Freeport in 1894 and entering the Freeport Union School graduated as Secretary of her class in 1897.

In the fall of 1898 Mrs. Patrick entered Heffley Institute, completing a business course. From 1900 to 1907 she was a diligent and faithful employee of the Title Guarantee and Trust Company.

On November 26th, 1910, she became the wife of Robert B. Patrick of Rockville Centre, Long Island.

Mrs. Patrick after a short but painful illness, closed her eyes in the dreamless sleep of death on Sunday, August 13, 1911, at her home on Yale Place, Rockville Centre. She was a loving and beloved wife and cherished only the finest and noblest of thoughts.

FRED SMITH PATTERSON, '08

Freeport saw Mr. Patterson ushered into this world on August 7th, 1891. He entered Freeport High School in '05, and was graduated with the '08 class, taking part in the Class Day debate.

Fred played on the basketball team for two years, was a member of the Athletic Association, and of the German Club. He attended Heffley Institute for a time, but is now studying engineering at Cooper Union in New York.

SMITH F. PEARSCALL, '93

S. F. Pearsall is a Freeporter. He was born on October 5th, 1880. At Commencement in '93 he read an instructive essay entitled "A Modern Invention."

After graduation Mr. Pearsall engaged in the grocery business for a short time but for the past fifteen years has been identified with the printing business. At present he is Editor and Proprietor of "The Nassau County Review," also Manager of "The Messenger."

Mr. Pearsall is a Royal Arch Mason, Third Vice-President of the Long Island Editorial Association, a member of Freeport Club, South Shore Yacht Club, Junior Order United American Mechanics and of the Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company.
WILLIAM CARMAN PEASELL, '96

Mr. Peasell was born in North Bennington, Vermont, on November 7th, 1879, coming to Freeport in 1886. He was Treasurer of the '96 class of the Freeport Union School, attended Pratts Institute for a year and then entered business with his father at Freeport. Mr. Peasell was Vice-President of the Alumni Association in '99 and in '01 graduated from an Embalming College.

He expects shortly to sail for England where he will engage in business.

ANNA MARJORIE PITCHER, '11

Anna Marjorie Pitcher calls Brooklyn, New York, her birthplace, date having been February 19th, 1893.

At High School she was Vice-President of her class in 1910, Class Reporter in 1911 and Vice-President of the Girls' Athletic Association in her Senior year. Miss Pitcher expects to take up Post-Graduate work at Freeport High School.

FRANCIS WALTER PITCHER, '10

Brooklyn, New York, was "Frank's" birthplace and January 11th, 1891, the date on which his existence began.

Mr. Pitcher entered Freeport High School in '05. He was a member of the "Bachelor Hall" cast, served as Athletic Editor of "The Student" in 1910, captained the Football team in '09, and the Baseball team in '10. In his Senior year Mr. Pitcher was a delegate and treasurer of the Interscholastic Prize Speaking Association of Nassau County. He is now with the Title Guarantee & Trust Co. in New York City.
EDITH POST, '02

Miss Post came to Freeport in 1889 from Lawrence, Long Island, where she was born on November 18th, 1885. She graduated with the Class of '02, but took a year of Postgraduate work before entering Jamaica Normal School. From the latter institution she graduated in 1906 and is now teaching in a Queens County school.

LUCY HELEN POST, '11

Miss Post was born in Rockville Centre on the 6th of February, in 1892, but removed to Freeport a few years later. While at Freeport High School she was a member of the German Club and on Class Day, in 1911, had charge of the "Lantern Ceremony."

Miss Post expects to enter Business College in the near future.

SMITH J. POST, '93

Smith J. Post was born at Merrick, Long Island, on October 12th, 1876. In 1884 he came to Freeport and entered the school in 1890. At commencement, in '93, Mr. Post read an essay on "The Black Diamond."

Mr. Post was employed by the Ontario & Western Railroad until his death, on November 25th, 1906, at his home in Freeport. Diligent and honest, Mr. Post was ever a respected and valued friend.

MABEL POWERS, '06

Miss Powers first became a resident of Freeport on November 10th, 1888, and still continues her birthday allegiance. While in High School Miss Powers was a member of the Girls' Basketball Team. She graduated as a member of the 1906 Class.

After graduation Miss Powers attended Heffley Institute of Brooklyn, where she took a course in business training.
IRENE LOUISE PROVOST, '09

On May 4th, 1891, in the city of Brooklyn, Miss Provost was born. She removed to Freeport in 1905 and entered the High School the same year, graduating in 1909 as Valedictorian of her class. At High School Miss Provost was a member of the Girls' Athletic Association and of the Girl's Basketball Team.

She attended the Jamaica Training School, where she became a member of Zeta Chapter of Alpha Delta Sorority.

Miss Provost has successfully passed both the New York State examinations for teachers and the Maxwell examinations. She will begin teaching in New York City in the fall of 1911.

CLARA PEARSALL RAYNOR, '93

Mrs. Raynor, formerly Miss Clara Pearsall, came to Freeport in 1901 from Brooklyn, where she was born on January 22nd, 1877.

She was Prophet of the '93 class and on June 11th, 1900, became the wife of Mervin M. Raynor of Freeport.

JOHN LAWRENCE RAYNOR, '01

Freeport claims J. L. Raynor as a lifelong resident, the date of his birth being December 19th, 1887. Ten years later Mr. Raynor entered the High School and was graduated with the '01 Class.

Mr. Raynor is at present Treasurer of the Freeport Club and connected with the auditing firm, Griffin & White, of Paul Street, Brooklyn.
MILTON DENTON RAYNOR, '07

Bellmore, Long Island, is the birthplace of Milton D. Raynor, where he first became serious and persevering on August 16th, 1889. One year later, with his parents, he removed to Freeport, and entered Freeport High School in 1904.

“Pilly’s” athletic record is one to which every loyal Freeporter points with pride. He earned the school insignia more times than any other graduate of the school and was honored with several captaincies during his course. He played on the Baseball team from '04 to '08, being captain in '07; on the Football team from '04 to '07, leading the '05 team, and played two years of Basketball, '05 and '06, being captain of both teams. Along with athletics and school work Mr. Raynor found time to serve most creditably on the Student Staff, as Assistant Manager in '06 and as Business Manager in '07. He was Vice-president and Salutatorian of the '07 Class.

In 1909 Mr. Raynor entered Syracuse University for a course in mechanical engineering. He was a member of both Syracuse Freshmen teams in Football and Baseball, and in the spring of 1911, playing with the 'Varsity team, was considered by experts the best third baseman in the college world.

Mr. Raynor's sterling qualities as a student, his modesty and unassuming manners, make him one of the most popular men Freeport High School ever has graduated.

NELSON S. RAYNOR, '97

Mr. Raynor was born in Freeport on July 20th, 1880. He entered the Freeport School in '94 and was graduated as Treasurer of the '97 Class.

In the fall of '97 Mr. Raynor entered Pratts Institute in Brooklyn, and was graduated from that institution in 1900. On July 20th, 1902, he married Miss Edith M. Raynor.

Mr. Raynor died at his home in Freeport on September 12th, 1908.
STANLEY RAYNOR, '11

Stanley Raynor is a brother of "Pilly" Raynor, our popular athlete. Stanley was born in Freeport on the 19th of December, in 1891. He entered High School in 1907 and graduated with the '11 Class.

While in school Stanley served as Business Manager of "The Student" in 1910, and as Assistant Advertising Manager in 1911. He intends taking up electrical engineering as his life's work.

C. WINFIELD RAYNOR, '10

Raynor was born in Freeport on January 20th, 1893. In 1906 he entered the High School and was graduated in June, 1910.

Since graduation Winfield has been engaged in business in the city of New York, but continues to make Freeport his home.

MAUDE BROTHERIDGE ROGERS, '93

Mrs. Rogers before marriage was Miss Maude Brotheridge of North Main Street, and was born in Brooklyn on July 16th, 1876. She was Valedictorian of the '93 Class, and a Director of the Alumni Association in '95.

On October 21st, 1900, she was married to Ernest William Rogers, and at present lives in Hempstead, Long Island.

HENRY PRESTON ROE, '08

Henry Preston Roe was born on December 9th, 1890, in Brooklyn, New York. Ten years later he removed to Freeport with his parents. At High School Preston attained much popularity and was a speaker at the Senior-Junior Banquet in '08. He also delivered the address to the Juniors on Class Day of the same year.

After graduating from High School in June, '08, Mr. Roe entered into business in New Jersey. In June, 1911, he was elected President of the Alumni Association, enjoying the distinction of being the youngest member of the Association to hold that office. Although one of its youngest members Roe is a conscientious worker on behalf of the Association, a popular and efficient officer.
ARThUR E. BARNES, B. A.
Superintendent of Schools
C. ELLIOTT PELL ROSS, '06

Mr. Ross was born in Brooklyn, New York, on March 1st, 1889. At High School he was a member of the Athletic Association and Vice-president of the '06 Class.

Mr. Ross entered the University of Pennsylvania in 1907 and graduated in June, 1911. At college he was a member and Secretary of the Empire State Club, member of Whitney Engineering Society and Mu Phi Alpha Engineering Fraternity.

He is now employed in the factory engineering department of the Western Electric Company in New York City.

NORMA ERIKSEN SAMMONS, '07

Brooklyn, New York, claimed Miss Sammons a resident on November 1st, 1891. Four years later she removed to Freeport, and in 1904 entered Freeport High School. After graduation in '07, of which class she was Valedictorian, Miss Sammons took two years of Post-graduate work. While in High School she served for a year as Editor of “The Student,” was Treasurer of the Interscholastic Prize Speaking Association, a member of the Girls’ Athletic Association and of the French and German Clubs. In '09 she captured the school spelling prize.

Miss Sammons is now one of the most popular young ladies of Adelphi College. She is Secretary and Treasurer of the La Cercle Francais, a member of the Y. W. C. A. Athletic Association, Dramatic Association, and of the Executive Committee of Student Self-Government. She was in the cast of the French Club, Class and College Plays and is well known in Delta Gamma Fraternity circles, of which organization she is a member.

Miss Sammons was Vice-president of the Alumni Association in 1910, and has been a speaker at two Alumni banquets.
OLIVE SMITH SCHWITZER, '94

Mrs. Schwitzer, formerly Miss Olive Smith, was born in Freeport on the 27th of November, 1880. She was a member of the Class of '94 and graduated as their Salutatorian. In the year following she was elected Secretary of the Alumni Association.

Mrs. Schwitzer graduated from Jamaica Normal School in 1900 and taught for six years in the schools of Brooklyn. In 1906, on the 1st of August, she became the wife of Frederick R. Schwitzer, and resides at present in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

BERTHA COMBS SEALY, '97

Mrs. Sealey was, before her marriage, Miss Bertha L. Combs, Vice-president of the '97 Class. She was born on February 28th, 1880, at Rockville Centre, Long Island. Mrs. Sealey has been a loyal member of the Alumni Association of Freeport High School.

On November 23rd, 1898, she became the wife of Albert Sealey of Brooklyn, and now resides at Hewletts, Long Island.

ELIZABETH ALICE SEAMAN, '02

Miss Seaman was born at Merrick, Long Island, on the 23rd day of April, 1886. In 1899 she entered Freeport High School, and graduated with the Class of '02. After a year of Postgraduate work Miss Seaman entered Cornell University, graduating in June, 1907. At college she was not only popular but very active in Undergraduate affairs, being President of the Wayside Club and Corresponding Secretary of her class.

During 1908-'09 Miss Seaman had charge of the English department at Freeport High School. She now resides at Wantagh, Long Island.
HELEN SEAMAN, '11

Miss Seaman was born in Brooklyn on August 1st, 1894; came to Freeport in '06, and became enrolled at High School a year later. In '09 she was Class Secretary, Class Historian in 1910 and Salutatorian of her Class at Commencement in June, 1911.

Miss Seaman intends to take a Postgraduate course at Freeport High School this fall.

PERCY V. SEAMAN, '09

Percy V. Seaman was born in Freeport on April 11th, 1892. In 1906 he entered High School and graduated in June, '09. He was a member of the Athletic Association, the French Club and the German Club.

On June 30th, 1909, ere the felicity of commencement became fond memories, God, in His wise providence, removed from this earthly existence one whose virtue of mind and heart won and retained the warmest love and true friendship of all who met him. Percy was kind and generous, noble and loyal.

WALTER GEORGE SHEARD, '09

Mr. Sheard came to Freeport from Calkins, Pennsylvania, in 1908. He was born in Calkins on May 20th, 1891. On Class Day, in '09, Sheard delivered the address to the Juniors. He was a member of the Athletic Association, and played on the Football team.

Sheard, entered Syracuse University in the fall of 1910, but still makes Calkins, Pennsylvania, his home.
ANNIE L. SMITH, '04

Miss Smith came to Freeport in 1892 from Brooklyn, New York, in which city she was born on January 24th, 1887. She entered High School in 1900, and was graduated in June, '04, as Treasurer of her class. During 1905 Miss Smith took a business course at Heffley School in Brooklyn, afterwards accepting a responsible position with C. Milton Foreman at Freeport, which position she still holds.

Miss Smith served very capably as Treasurer of the Alumni Association, and is one of the Association's enthusiastic members.

CARMAN MICHEL SMITH, '93

Freeport gave Carman M. Smith his start in the world on September 11th, in 1880. He entered the Freeport Union School in 1891, and was graduated with the '93 Class. At commencement Mr. Smith read an essay on "The Gulf Stream."

At present Mr. Smith is the proprietor and owner of the Manhattan Press in New York City.

CORAL MAY SMITH, '97

Miss Smith is a lifelong Freeporter. She was born on August 11th, 1881. On commencement day, in '97, Miss Smith read an essay on "The Girlhood of Queen Victoria." Her present home is on West Merrick Road, Freeport.

EUGENIA SMITH, '95

Mrs. Smith, formerly Miss Eugenia Smith, is a native Freeporter. She was born on June 14th, 1879. At graduation, in '95, Mrs. Smith read an essay on "Women of the 19th Century."

In November, 1900, she became the wife of Charles P. Smith of Freeport. Mrs. Smith resides on West Merrick Road, Freeport.
FLORENCE RANDALL SMITH, '96

Mrs. Smith, formerly Miss Florence Randall, came to Freeport in 1890 from Middle Island, Suffolk County, where she was born on November 30th, 1880. Mrs. Smith graduated from the Freeport School as a member of the '96 Class.

On September 5th, 1905, she became the wife of S. Dimon Smith of Freeport, and at present resides on Wallace Street.

HELEN VANDEVOORT SMITH, '09

Freeport, September 21st, 1892, is the place and the date of the birth of Helen V. Smith.

Miss Smith entered High School in '05, graduating in '09, and having charge of the Gift Presentations on Class Day. She was a member of the "Miss Fearless & Co." cast in 1908.

After a half year of Postgraduate work in Freeport High School Miss Smith entered Wilson College in 1910.

LINA RIDER SMITH, '93

Mrs. Smith, formerly Miss Lina Rider, was born in Freeport, and upon entering the Freeport Union School in 1900 graduated in 1893 as class salutatorian.

In November 1897 she became the wife of Albert George Smith and at present resides in Brooklyn, New York.

VALENTINE LEWIS SMITH, JR., '93

Mr. Smith was born in Freeport on the 19th of January, in 1877. Entering the academic department of the Freeport School in 1889 he was graduated in '93, taking a prominent part in the exercises on Commencement.

After graduating Mr. Smith attended Brown's Business College in Brooklyn. Toward the end of his course he contracted a severe cold, which resulted in his death, on October 21st, 1896.
MARIAN ELIZABETH SPROULE, '10

Miss Sproule was born in February 10th, 1890, at Syracuse, New York. In September, 1908, she removed to Freeport, and joined the Sophomore class at Freeport High School. Miss Sproule was a member of the French Club, Assistant Editor of The Student, Class Poet and one of the most popular young ladies of her class.

She entered the Nassau Hospital as a nurse in September, 1910, and was a popular member of the Hospital nursing staff.

Miss Sproule died suddenly at Mineola, on January 5th, 1911.

FLORENCE CHURCHILL STILES, '10

Miss Stiles was born in Saratoga Springs, New York, on the 21st of December, in 1891. She was among the most popular young ladies of the High School during her course from '06 to '10 and in June, '11, was elected Vice-President of the Alumni Association.

While an Undergraduate Miss Stiles was President of the Girls' Athletic Association, Treasurer of her class in '08, Secretary the following year and Vice-President at graduation. She was a member of the "Bachelor Hall," "Facing the Music" and "Private Secretary" casts and held the office of Alumni and Exchange Editor of The Student.

In 1909 Miss Stiles captured first prize in the annual contest of the Interscholastic Prize Speaking Association. She was Secretary of this organization in 1910.

Miss Stiles enters the Emerson College of Oratory at Boston this fall.
JAMES ESMOND STILES, '09

Mr. Stiles claims Saratoga Springs, New York, as his birthplace, and gives the date of his birth as August 1st, 1889. Freeport numbered him among its residents in 1905, when he enrolled as a student at Freeport High School. His activities at High School were numerous. "Jim" played for four years on the football team and was Manager of the basketball team in his Senior year. He was Treasurer of the Athletic Association for two years and managed the Advertising Department of The Student for the same length of time. Mr. Stiles was a member of both the "Bachelor Hall" and "Mr. Bob" casts. He was deeply interested in Oratory and Dramatics and did much to promote the interests of the Interscholastic Prize Speaking Association, of which organization he was the first President.

In 1909 Mr. Stiles was elected Associate Editor of The Student, but resigned in order to devote more time to other activities in behalf of the High School. He founded The Tattler, served very capably as a member of its staff and was graduated from Freeport High School as Class President in June, '09.

In the fall of '09 Mr. Stiles entered Wesleyan University, where he has made an enviable record. He is Assistant Manager of the Wesleyan Literary Monthly, a member and Secretary of the Wesleyan Dramatic Club and Secretary-Treasurer of the Class of '13.

At college, in 1911, Mr. Stiles won the Parker prize in Declamation. Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity claims him as a member. He is Manager and Publisher of the Alumni Record.

WILLIAM C. STORY, '08

W. C. Story, known in his High School days as "Keet," began this life on October 13th, 1892, in the village of Freeport. He entered High School in 1905, and served as Advertising Manager of "The Student" in '07. In '08 he was Business Manager of that publication. "Keet" played on the '07 Basketball team, and graduated with the 1908 Class as Salutatorian.

In the fall of '08 Story entered Lawrenceville School, and graduated in June, '09. He was a member there of the Class Basketball team. Entering Princeton in '09 he has been elected to membership in the Charter Club, New York Club and the Long Island Club.
STEPHEN BOND STORY, '07

S. B. Story, like many other members of the Alumni Association, was born in Brooklyn, New York. His birthday was January 26th, 1890. Ten years later "Steve" became a resident of Freeport, and entered Freeport High School in 1904.

Story was greatly interested in athletics throughout his entire High School course, playing four years at Baseball and three years at Football and Basketball. He managed the '06 and '07 Baseball teams and was captain of both the '07 Baseball and '08 Basketball teams. "Steve" was the first Manager of "The Student," the first President of the Undergraduates Association, President of the '07 Class, besides capturing three prizes for perfect attendance.

In the fall of 1910 he entered Union College, playing on the Freshman Baseball, Basketball and Football teams, besides making the 'Varsity Football squad. "Steve" is a member of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity.

GRACE WALTERS SUTPHIN, '05

Mrs. Sutphin, formerly Miss Grace Walters, came to Freeport in 1897, entered High School in 1902, and was graduated in '05. She was born at Elmhurst, Long Island, on May 3rd, 1888.

In 1904 Mrs. Sutphin won 1st prize in the Rev. C. A. Logue English Essay Competition; in '05 she was elected captain of the Girls' Basketball team, also Secretary and Treasurer of her class.

After graduating from Freeport High School Mrs. Sutphin entered Jamaica Normal School and was extremely popular at that institution. On December 10th, 1910, she was married to Mr. James A. Sutphin of Freeport.

J. KENNETH TAYLOR, '11

Cornwall, New York, was the birthplace of Kenneth Taylor, where he became one of its youngest citizens on January 30th, 1895. In 1907 he became a resident of Freeport, entering High School the same year.

Mr. Taylor played on the 1910 Football team, was a member of the "Private Secretary" cast in 1911 and Advertising Manager of "The Student" during the same year. On Class Day in 1910 he read the "Prophecy on the Juniors."
MARGARET WINIFRED TAYLOR, '10

Miss Taylor was born at Cornwall, New York, on June 20th, 1893, and became one of Freeport's residents in 1907. She was Vice-president of the Girls' Athletic Association and Secretary of the 1910 Class. In the fall of 1911 Miss Taylor entered Adelphi College in Brooklyn.

OLIVER J. TEEPLE, JR., '06

Mr. Teeple came to Freeport from Brooklyn, New York, where he was born on December 26th, 1889. He entered High School in '03, graduated in '06, and took Postgraduate work the year following. At High School he played on the Football team.

In 1907 Teeple entered New York University for a course in chemical engineering and graduated in June, '11. At college he was Assistant Manager of the 'Varsity Basketball team in 1910 and Manager the following year. He was Business Manager of "The Violet" in 1911, and a member of the Class Banquet Committee. He captured the class prize in chemistry.

Delta Phi Fraternity claims Teeple as a member.

LOIS LOTT TOOKER, '97

Mrs. Tooker, who before marriage was Miss Lois L. Lott, was born in Merrick on June 12th, 1881, and removed to Freeport eight years later. She was graduated as Valedictorian of the '97 Class. Mrs. Tooker entered Jamaica Normal in 1899, but left that institution before graduating.

On February 27th, 1904, she became the wife of Sumner B. Tooker and now resides in Flatbush, Brooklyn.
HERBERT R. TREDWELL, '06

Mr. Tredwell dates his existence from August 24th, 1890, and started it in Freeport. He entered Freeport High School in 1902, and was graduated with the Class of '06, taking a year of Postgraduate work in '07. While in school "Herb" played both Football and Baseball.

He is now engaged in the fire insurance business in New York City.

EDWARD WESLEY TREE, '11

"Ed" beheld for the first time the beauties of mother earth on November 24th, 1892, at Naugatuck, Connecticut. In 1909 he joined the Sophomore Class of Freeport High School and graduated in '11 as Class Treasurer. Mr. Tree was an active Undergraduate. He was Assistant Advertising Manager of The Student in '10, Athletic Editor in '11, and is Editor-in-Chief for 1911-'12. "Ed" managed and played on the 1910 Football team, and was a member of both '10 and '11 Baseball teams. In his Senior year he was President of the Nassau County Baseball League, and one of the cast in "The Private Secretary."

After a year at Postgraduate work at Freeport High School Mr. Tree will enter Cornell University. He is Assistant Editor of the Alumni Record.

MARIETTA MILLER WETMORE, '02

Mrs. Wetmore, formerly Miss Marietta Miller, was born in Brooklyn on October 26th, 1886, and began her residence in Freeport in 1889. In 1899 she entered High School, graduating as Secretary and Treasurer of her Class in 1902.

After graduating Mrs. Wetmore entered the Packer Collegiate Institute of Brooklyn and graduated in 1906. She took a prominent part in Undergraduate activities, becoming a member of several societies and clubs. Her sweet, cheery disposition and virtue of mind won the love and admiration of all who came in contact with her.

She became the wife of Frank J. Wetmore on January 11th, 1911, and now resides in New Orleans, Louisiana.
ROY LEON SMITH, B. A.
Principal of the High School
HAROLD CLARK WILSON, '08

Mr. Wilson is another Brooklynite. He was born there on February 14th, 1891, and removed to Freeport with his parents six years later. He entered High School in 1905, graduated in 1908, and in the fall of that year joined the Freshman Class at Wesleyan University. Mr. Wilson is a Beta Theta Pi man.

CHLOE RAYNOR WISNER, '08

Mrs. Wisner was born on March 17th, 1891, in Freeport, and entered the High School in 1905. She was a member of the 1908 Class, and delivered the Prophecy on Class Day. In 1909 Mrs. Wisner took up Postgraduate work at Freeport High School.

She was married to W. Lyle Wisner on June 17th, 1911, and still resides in Freeport.

LAWRENCE HULBERT WRIGHT, '10

Mr. Wright comes from Brooklyn, New York, at which place he first smiled on November 11th, 1891. In 1906 he entered Freeport High School, and was graduated as Senior President in June, 1910.

At High School Mr. Wright was Assistant Manager of The Student in 1909, and edited that publication in the following year. He played on the 1910 Football team and was a member of the "Facing the Music" cast.

Mr. Wright studied for one year at the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, but expects to continue his course at the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn.

ELSIE V. YOUNG, '11

Miss Young hails from Wantagh, Long Island, where she was born on July 26th, 1892. She entered Freeport High School in 1907 and graduated as Secretary of the Class of 1911. Her present home is at Wantagh.
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If you can keep your head when all about you
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you;
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
But make allowance for their doubting too;
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,
Or being lied about don't deal in lies,
Or being hated don't give way to hating,
And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise;

If you can dream—and not make dreams your master:
If you can think—and not make thoughts your aim,
If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster
And treat those two imposters just the same,
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,
Or watch the things you gave your life to, broken.
And stoop and build 'em up with worn-out tools:

If you can make one heap of all your winnings
And risk it on one turn of pitch-and-toss,
And lose, and start again at your beginnings
And never breathe a word about your loss;
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew
To serve your turn long after they are gone,
And so hold on when there is nothing in you
Except the Will which says to them: "Hold on!"

If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue,
Or walk with Kings—nor lose the common touch.
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,
If all men count with you, but none too much;
If you can fill the unforgiving minute
With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,
Yours is the Earth and everything that's in it,
And—which is more—you'll be a Man, my son!

—Rudyard Kipling.
The above are among the members of the alumni association who have won prominence in the college world.
PAST BANQUETS

First

JUNE 27TH, 1907

CRYSTAL LAKE HOUSE

TOASTS

Toastmaster, Albin N. Johnson, '93

Nation...............................................................Response by Singing
The State............................................................Prof. Roy Leon Smith
School...............................................................W. B. Osterhout, '01
Faculty...............................................................Rev. K. P. Ketcham, D. D.
Past.................................................................Miss Caroline G. Atkinson
Present..............................................................Prof. A. E. Barnes
Future..............................................................Mr. S. R. Smith
Welcome, Graduates!.............................................Harold E. Brown, '03

Second

JUNE 25TH, 1908

CRYSTAL LAKE HOUSE

TOASTS

Toastmaster, W. Burgess Osterhout, '01

The Nation...........................................................Response by Singing
The State............................................................Hon. Wm. G. Miller
The School............................................................Mr. S. R. Smith
The Faculty..........................................................G. C. Colyer, '06
The Alumni..........................................................A. N. Johnson, '93

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Third

JUNE 23RD, 1909

CRYSTAL LAKE HOUSE

TOASTS

Toastmaster, HAROLD E. BROWN, '03

“Wild Animals I Have Known”.......................... Prof. GEO. R. BODLEY
Examination Curios...................................... Miss NINA B. HUMPHREY, '01
Commercial Value of Education........................ Mr. HIRAM R. SMITH
Tombstones of Progress................................ A. N. JOHNSON, '93
A Plea for Clemency...................................... J. E. STILES, '09

Fourth

JUNE 22ND, 1910

CRYSTAL LAKE HOUSE

TOASTS

Toastmaster, CLIFFORD COLYER, '06

Selection.................................................. Alumni Quartet
Athletics.................................................... M. D. RAYNOR, '07
“Ships that Pass in the Night”.......................... H. E. BROWN, '03
The Village and the Schools............................. Mr. J. D. GUNNING
Welcome, 1910!........................................... Miss NORMA E. SAMMONS, '07
The Class.................................................... L. H. WRIGHT, '10

Fifth

JUNE 26TH, 1911

GARDEN CITY HOTEL

TOASTS

Toastmaster, HENRY PRESTON ROE, '08

Hyphenated Impressions................................. A. N. JOHNSON, '93
Athletics.................................................... S. B. STORY, '07

Nassau Quartet

A Professor’s Blotter..................................... Prof. ROY LEON SMITH
“A Harmony in Two Flats”............................... H. E. BROWN, '03
Welcome, Graduates!..................................... Miss NORMA E. SAMMONS, '07
Class of 1911............................................. B. T. ABRAMS, '11

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BASEBALL

The "old timer" smiles as he looks back upon the days of 1901-'02 and '03 when the great national game was in its infancy at Freeport High School. The first few seasons can hardly be called successful ones for the wearers of the Red and White although the defeats administered by opponents in those days served to awaken the team supporters and produce that spirit which is largely responsible for the championship teams of subsequent seasons. Before the formation of the Nassau-Suffolk Interscholastic League many difficulties had to be overcome in the way of schedule arrangement, all games had to be played with neighboring schools and even then many were lost or won by forfeit.

The real birth of Baseball at Freeport High School was with the formation of the Nassau-Suffolk High School League in 1904 when South Side High School carried off the championship honors and silk pennant which was given a permanent home on the walls of Freeport High School by the teams of succeeding years.

Reminiscences of the 1905 season bring joy to the heart of every loyal Freeporter, for in that year, under Captain Osterhout, F. H. S. swept everything before them and finished not only first in the League race with 1,000 per cent, but defeated Glen Cove for the Island Championship as well as several strong semi-professional teams. The success of the 1905 team was largely due to an efficient leader and hearty co-operation with a clever coach, Mr. Leo Fishel.

In 1906 Osterhout was re-elected captain of the team which again captured the League championship. During the seasons of 1907 and 1908 interest in Baseball grew at F. H. S. by the arranging of games with several of the High Schools of New York, Brooklyn and the Island, the League having been disbanded. Freeport succeeded in capturing over 75 per cent of games played during these two seasons under Captains Raynor and Lewis.

On February 26th, in 1909, the old League was reorganized under the name of "Interscholastic Baseball League of Nassau County," Amityville having withdrawn and Lynbrook having been given a place in the organization. During the '09 season Freeport, under Captain Colyer, won eleven of the fifteen games played, and brought home the championship honors for a third time.

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The League continued in 1910 when F. H. S., under Captain Pitcher, added another cup to our collection of trophies. At the end of the 1910 season considerable difficulty arose in the League regarding the constitution and the awarding of the cup. A new Constitution was prepared and on February 22nd, '11, Edward W. Tree of Freeport was elected president of the League.

The season of 1911 was not as successful as those preceding it and Hempstead High School managed to carry off the honors.

FOOTBALL

This branch of sport, like the national game, had many setbacks at its beginning in our school. Opposing teams outweighed the Freeporters to such an extent as to make contests almost impossible. Nevertheless F. H. S. supported a team and Captain Levy urged with such earnestness for candidates to report that at the close of his last season as leader, that of '04, the gridiron sport had obtained a decided foothold on our Alma Mater.

The 1905 team was led by Captain Raynor. Freeport High School, as before, played against teams of considerably more weight yet came through the year with but one defeat.

The fall of 1906 saw Cutler back in school for Post-Graduate work, also Cook of the '03 and '04 teams. Cutler was elected team captain and although kept out of the game some of the season by injuries, led our boys through a victorious campaign.

The 1907 team under Captain Hunt suffered defeat only on two different occasions, once by Flushing High School and again at the hands of Erasmus Hall.

The 1908 season was a most successful one, for with an enlarged schedule of games, Freeport High School came through the year without a defeat. The success of this team was largely due to the efforts of Coach Bodley and Captain Lewis.

Football received a setback during the '09 season owing to a heavy loss of old material caused by graduation. This team, nevertheless, under Captain Pitcher succeeded in winning two-thirds of the games played.

The 1910 team was composed largely of new and inexperienced men who were “whipped” into shape by Coach Lewis and Captain Randall. This aggregation is credited with five victories and was probably the lightest team that has ever represented Freeport High School on the gridiron.
BASKETBALL

Basketball at Freeport High School has not yet taken its place with Football and Baseball owing to the lack of floor space upon which to practice and to play games. The first Basketball team at school was organized in the fall of '05 and played a schedule of only three games, winning two of the three. In the following season, that of '06-'07, the schedule was enlarged. The wearers of the Red and White, however, succeeded only in capturing two of the games played. Interest in Basketball diminished during the 1907-'08 season, the team of that year being the last to represent Freeport High School upon the floor. During this year, however, Captain Raynor, re-elected for a second time, led his men to victory in two-thirds of the games played.

THE STUDENT

The High School publication made its initial appearance in January, 1905, its foundation having been largely due to the efforts of E. H. Osterhout, '04, S. B. Story, '07, and G. C. Colyer, '06. From time to time since its institution, changes have been made both in the nature of publication as a monthly and a bi-monthly magazine and in the size of the editorial staff. The principle remains the same, however, "A magazine published by and in the interests of the students of Freeport High School." The Student has done much to promote the interests of our school, to bring its undergraduates and Alumni into closer contact, to stimulate greater interest in school affairs and has always enjoyed the hearty support of the undergraduate body and friends of F. H. S.

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THE FRENCH CLUB.

The French Club sprang into existence in the school year 1906-07—the first year that French was taught at Freeport. Miss Cooper, our first French teacher, was responsible for its organization. The meetings alternated with those of the German Club. French conversation, games and songs made the Club a success socially and educationally. The succeeding French teachers acted as honorary presidents after French was made a part of the High School curriculum.

THE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

The athletics of Freeport High School are controlled by the Athletic Association. This is a voluntary organization of the students. Regular meetings are held the second Monday in each month. At the present three forms of athletics are recognized—football, baseball, and basketball. A captain and a manager for each have general charge of each branch for the season.
THE GERMAN CLUB.

The German Club of Freeport High School was organized about 1906 or '07 under the direction of Miss Waterbury. All students taking German courses at that time or having previously studied German were eligible for membership. The Club met every two weeks in the Kindergarten room. Once a month a supper meeting was held. The only rule of the organization was that all conversation at the meetings be in the German tongue. Although the program varied, the evening was usually passed in playing the games and singing the songs of the Fatherland.

During 1908 and '09 the Club was continued under the direction of the German teacher. Little interest was manifest in the Club and the meetings were discontinued throughout 1910.

The Club, however, was reorganized in 1911 largely through the efforts of Miss Hehr who had become instructor in the German department. A constitution was adopted and officers were elected, so that now the German Club is a permanent organization of Freeport High School.

The present officers are:

President, Edward W. Tree
Vice-President, Blanch V. Lynch
Secretary, Leroy Wells
Treasurer, Helen Seaman

FOND MEMORIES

Tonight we raise our voices high,
Till our glad songs shall reach the sky,
In praise to thee, our hearts so nigh,
Whom we love most, dear Freeport High.

Though time must swiftly onward fly,
While hearts are strong and hopes beat high,
Yet mem'rys still will backward fly,
To thee, to thee, dear Freeport High.

Words and Music by H. F. D. Kelsey.
THE INTERSCHOLASTIC PRIZE SPEAKING ASSOCIATION

The Interscholastic Prize Speaking Association of Nassau County was organized at a convention held at Freeport, Long Island, December 11th, 1908, with the High Schools of Rockville Center, Hempstead, Glen Cove and Freeport as members. Shortly after, the membership of the organization was changed by the withdrawal of Glen Cove and the substitution of Huntington in her place. The object of the Association is to encourage in the students of the schools represented a spirit of friendly rivalry in public speaking.

The first officers of the Association were:

President, J. E. Stiles, Freeport
Vice-President, Margaret H. Fortescue, Rockville Centre
Secretary, Hattie O. Wycoff, Hempstead
Treasurer, Norma E. Sammons, Freeport

At the first contest held at Sigmoid Opera House, Freeport, on April 30th, 1909, the prizes were awarded as follows:

Girls' First, Florence C. Stiles, Freeport
Girls' Second, Lulu M. Stowe, Hempstead
Boys' First, Wm. F. Kraft, Jr., Freeport
Boys' Second, Harold Haegney, Rockville Centre

In the following year the officers of the Association were:

President, J. Allan Nelson, Rockville Centre
Vice-President, John J. Dann, Huntington
Secretary, Florence C. Stiles, Freeport
Treasurer, Frank W. Pitcher, Freeport

The second annual contest was held in the Rockville Centre Club Auditorium on April 29th, 1910, and resulted as follows:

Girls' First, Miss Martha Ellison, Hempstead
Girls' Second, Miss Ella Newton, Huntington
Boys' First, CAMILLUS TRAINER, Huntington
Boys' Second, LYMAN COLLINS, Hempstead

During the third year officers were elected as follows:

President, ELLISON CORNWELL, Hempstead
Vice-President, SARAH FUNNELL, Huntington
Secretary, BENJ. ABRAMS, Freeport
Treasurer, HAROLD DURYEA, Glen Cove

At the contest held at Huntington in the High School Auditorium on April 28th, 1911, the winners were:

Girls' First, MARIAN MARSH, Hempstead
Girls' Second, EDNA BEATRICE VAIL, Freeport
Boys' First, FRANK J. LAUGHLIN, Hempstead
Boys' Second, EDW. D. BOYCE, Freeport

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And in the fight,
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To red and white.

Honor, love and loyalty,
These three in one;
Bind us together students of the grandest
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And when our course is over,
With tear-dimmed eyes
We will salute thee,
Old Freeport High.

—George Clifford Colyer, '06.
To our friends:

Around the name of Freeport High School there clusters a wealth of historic lore.

Since this organization was first perfected, it has been associated with the most important events, which have been chronicled in our village’s history.

The Alumni Association of Freeport High School may justly claim honor not only for the effort of its individual member, while a student, but for the part taken by the association in shaping and maintaining a standard of excellence second to none.

That there has never been, during the 10 years’ existence of the Alumni Association, any formal record made of the facts and incidents connected with the association, its individual members, and their career including High School life is an appreciable neglect.

Individual members of the Association have counseled me to collect and secure for preservation such of the facts and records of the Freeport High School and Alumni Association as will tend to stimulate among the members a fraternal spirit, and thereby inculcate a respect and reverence for the acts and principles of those indomitable men and women, which made a High School possible, and the unity of our Association a well-spring of love and good will to the end that all our members shall have and enjoy a deserved reward for their good works.

As this is the first record of the Association which has been published, it will readily be seen that an almost overwhelming mass of material presented itself for consideration.

The important question then was, not what could be got, but what should be taken.

A broad field lay before me filled with mingled tares and wheat, and I must cull from it what best suited the purpose.

In making my selections I have doubtless often been unwise, yet I have not attempted to put everything into the work that would interest everybody.

So this work, like all things human, notwithstanding my best endeavors, is doubtless scored with errors, marred by omissions and imperfections, and I beg the reader to pass them over with indulgent eye.
To those who have kindly assisted me I would like to mention all their names here, but want of space will not permit, and to name a part would seem invidious, and to all I return my heartfelt acknowledgment.

The production of this book has been made possible by the liberal support given it by the advertisers and their generosity should be appreciated and reciprocated whenever an opportunity may present itself, in the way of business patronage.

If the reader can find anything to approve we are sure his commendation will not be withheld.

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