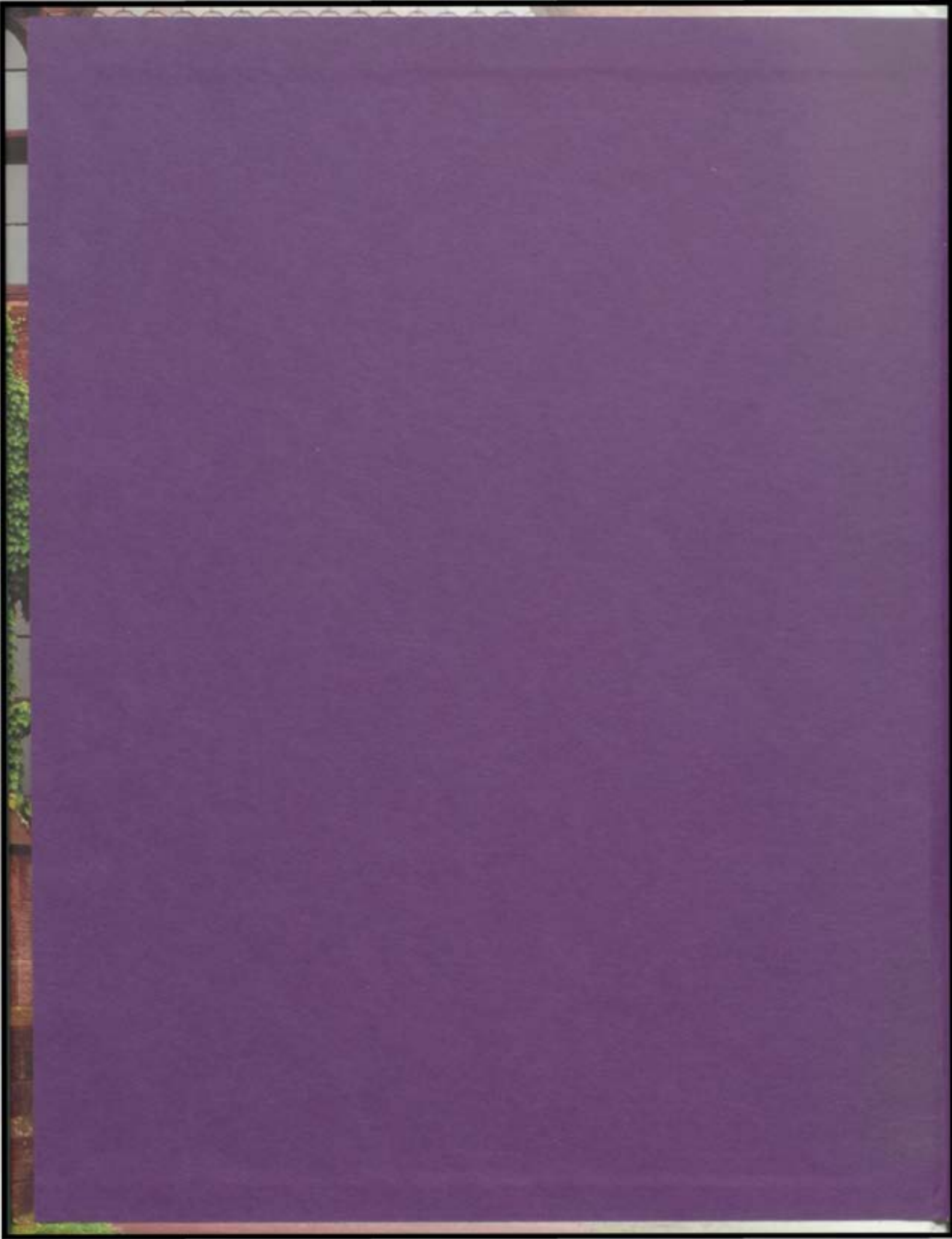
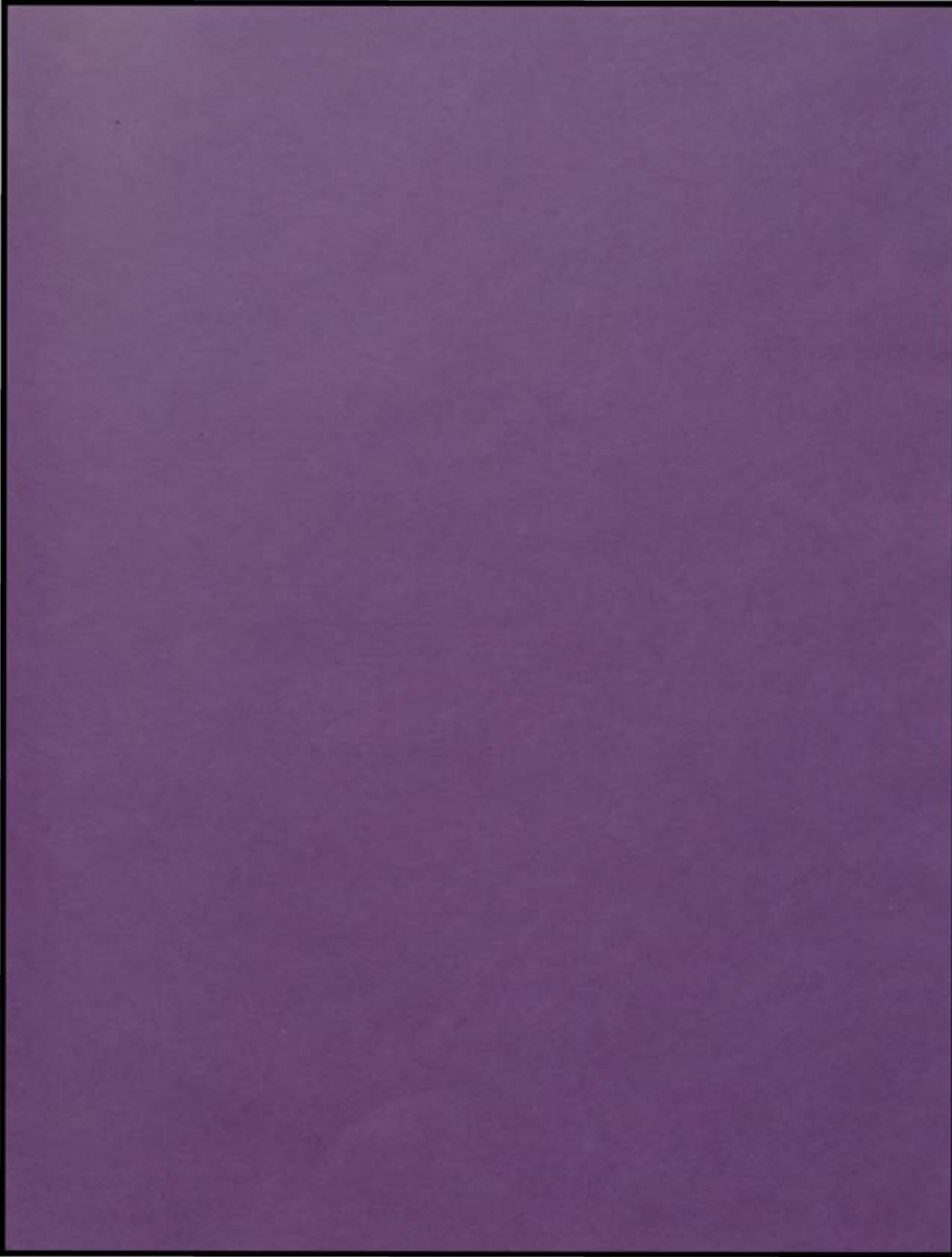


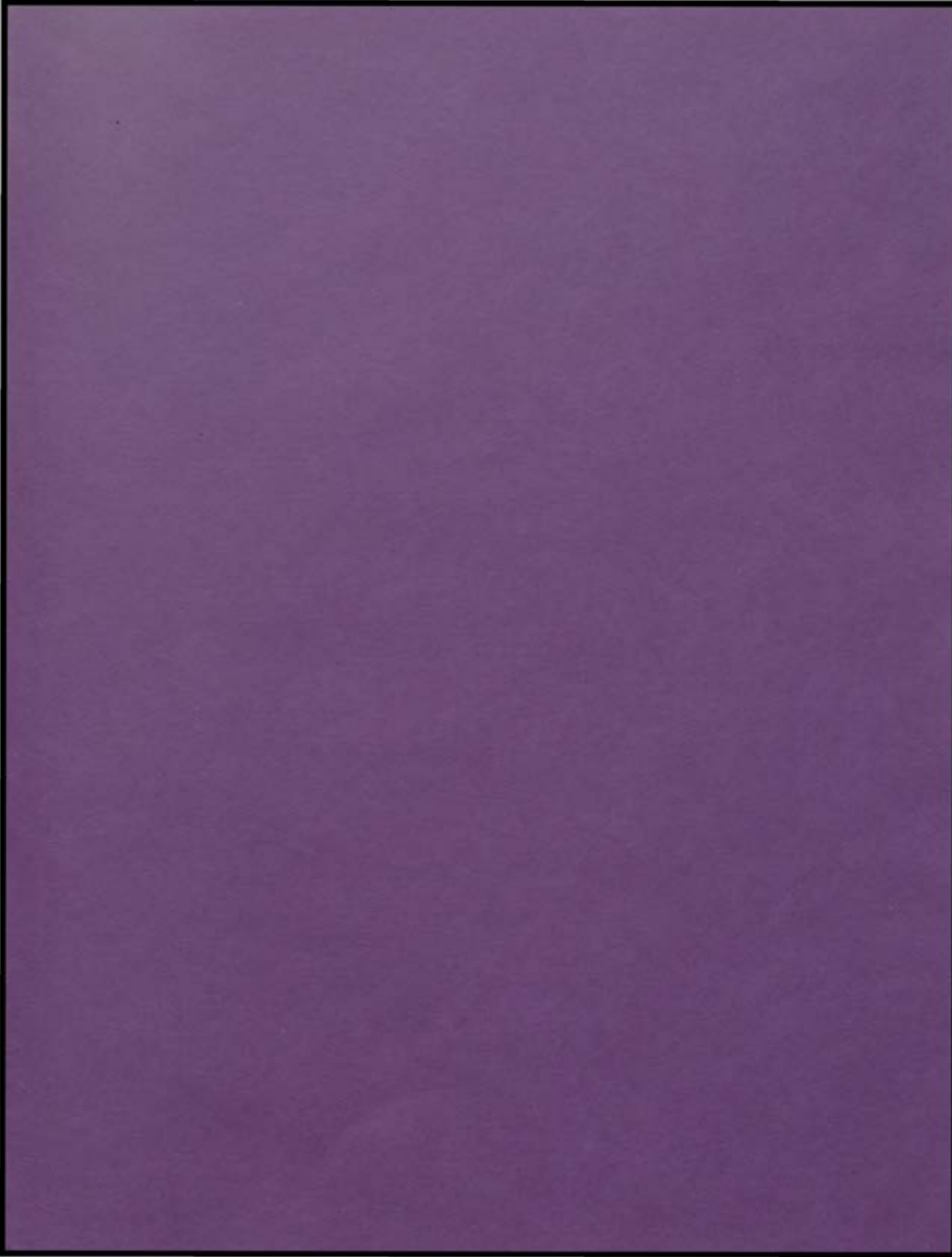
The image shows the entrance to Hoosac School, a Gothic Revival style building. The main feature is a large, red double door set within a pointed archway. The archway is framed by dark wood or stone. Above the door, a small stone sculpture of a seated figure is centered. Two black lanterns with white glass panes are mounted on the brick wall, one on each side of the door. The building is constructed of reddish-brown bricks. To the right, a vertical strip of green ivy is visible. In the foreground, there are three stone steps leading up to the door, flanked by two small potted plants with colorful flowers.

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Headmaster's Greeting



Dear Members of the Class of 2013,

First and foremost, Congratulations!

I am so very proud of all of you and the great things you have accomplished here at Hoosac School. Your hard work and dedication have helped you succeed and accomplish what is by no means an easy task, earning your diploma from Hoosac School.

You should be proud of yourself and your class; the effort that you have put forth has laid the groundwork for the rest of your life. You now have a foundation on which you can build not only a successful college career, but also a successful life. Take the lessons that you have learned in the classroom, on the athletic fields, the dining hall, or anywhere you had a Hoosac experience and use them to make good decisions.

Work to better yourself each and every day.

I leave you with just one phrase, often spoken, but rarely followed, *"Carpe diem quam minimum credula postero"* -Horace

The generally accepted translation of the first two words is, "Seize the day," but I have included the rest of the line, which means "for the future is not known." This is not a call to ignore the future, rather an insistence that your future can be shaped by your actions today.

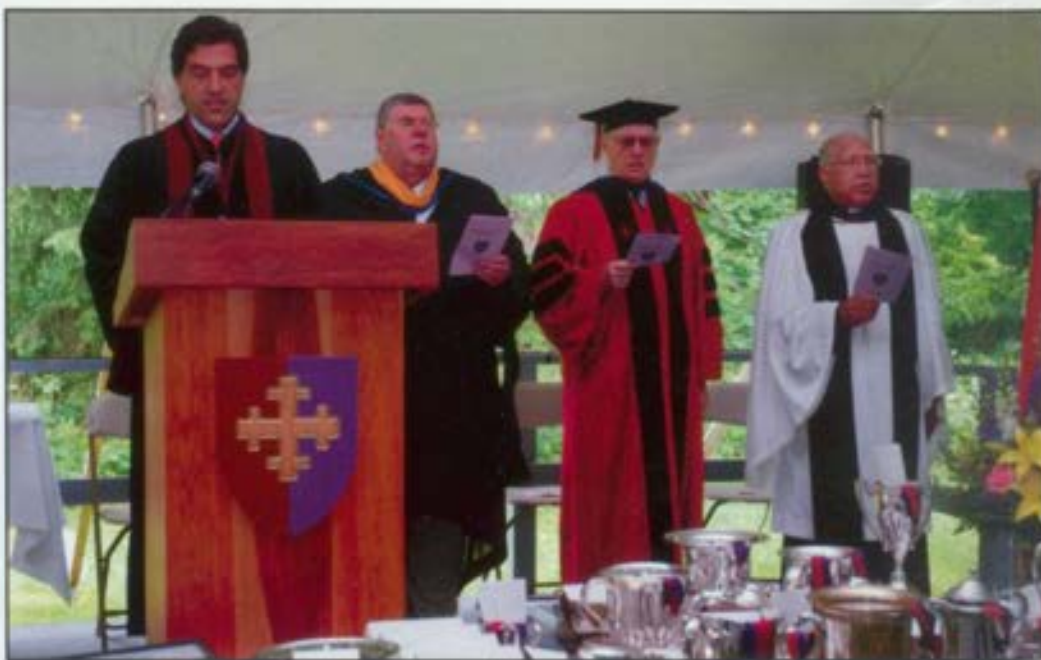
Shape your future well.

I have all the confidence in the world that you will continue to grow and learn and I look forward with great expectation to word of your future successes.

Thank you for the opportunity to help you move forward. Stay in touch. Remember, you are now, and will be forever a part of Hoosac.

Sincerely,

Dean S. Foster
Headmaster



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(Librarian)



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Axel Barora



To Mom: "No language can express the power, and beauty, and heroism, and majesty of a mother's love." Nothing in this world is worth more than what you provide to me, how hard you work and the love that you cherish. We have been through a lot together and we will always stick together no matter what and we'll rise Inshallah. There's no way I can pay you back but it is my duty to make you proud each and every day.

To Aunty Toto: you're like my best friend, My sister, my second mom and you gave me a place where I can call my second Home which I appreciate very much. Much love!

To Grand Mother: I can't thank you enough for what you taught me, the high quality food you provide and the love. I'm sorry that we don't talk often because of the distance and sometimes you wonder what I'm up to, but truthfully you have nothing to worry about, because your grandson is doing something great with his life.

To Cousins: To my boy Asman, thanks for being a Great friend. To my homie Reagan, Thanks for the motivation, big up to my son Ally thanks for entertaining me, good looks to Anisa for being exemplary and thanks to Alida for being there for me. Shout out to Amir, Salha, Talli, Paradis, Bebe, Abdul, Shadia, Arafat, Berton, Daniella, Sapin, Espoir, Prince, Sandrine, Moira, bebe and the rest.

To Djoha Akrahi: Jojo you're my aunt but we are so close like best friends, you never fail to make me smile, I appreciate your support, the motivation and how you always been there for me since day one. We have big plans and the future is surely ours!

To Basketball teammates: Y'all my second family, we had Great moments together, we started all the way from the bottom and now we champions. I wish you the best next season! "Cookin' is the habbit Hommies!"

To Miss Klein: You're the wisest person I met at Hoosac and I can't thank you enough for everything you taught me, advice you gave me about life - It was a lot of fun working with you to help kids with cancer. Thank you very much!

To Family: your support and love made me the person I am today. I'm so thankful. Shout out to Fuad, Faiz, Samira, Faisal, Mutoni, Benne, Denys, Chris, Gisele, Aunty Ruth, Tantine Marie and each every one of my family memebers.

To Close People: Samantha, Pamela, Emily, Yvan, Michel, Thierry, Kevine, Ashley, Alejandra, y'all are like best friends anyone would ever wish to have, Y'all been there when I needed you most. Big up to the basketball team too, I enjoyed cooking y'all, especially Damani, Jabari, Benas and Unique. lol. God Bless You All.

To Faculty and staff: I would like to thank you very much for everything y'all been doing for me, the education and the care. Shout out to Miss E, Miss Kelly, Mr. Scott, Mr. Colling, Ms. Pine and everyone else! Thank you very much!

Travis Bobb



Joshua Byion-Cox



Jiaxin (Angela) Chen



Louis: After spending one year and two months together, I realize how much I need you. However, we have to continue our life seperately now. But this doesn't mean an end to us. I won't give up, and I hope you won't give up as well. Please remember how hard we tried to understand each other, and how valuable these past days were. Work hard and get in a nice college. I will always be waiting for you.

Rocher: Hey! My love! College life is waiting for us! Although I'm not going to the same school as you, we could still spend our vacations in Shanghai! I know I put you on the second place sometimes, but I believe you can understand how much I value the limited time I can spend with him. Without you, my life here would be boring and lonely. Again, congratulations for being admitted by your dream school! No matter how hard the life is, we have to live it up!

Alice: I can't stop laughing when I typed in your English name! Thanks for your comfort when I cried. I always relaxed when I was with you, because I regard you as one of the people who could understand me and my interests well. Playing with bobcat, having food secretly during fifth period, and watching movies, we enjoyed our last year in Hoosac together. See you in Shanghai!

Sofia, Sandy, Maggie, Karena, Jasmine Laura, and Xbi: My loves! Thanks for sharing happiness with me! I will miss you! Seniors, congratulations! Juniors, fight for senior year! ~ ~

Amy, Vivian, Karen and Linda: I love you! You are so helpful, especially Karen! ;p

Jayden and Tony Lin: Lovely Jayden and "Zhong er" Tony, Congratulations for colleges! See you at Davis, Jayden!

Karl, DH, Geoff, Billy, Tony Xu, Jason and Potter: I am so glad that I have spent two years with you guys so happily. Karl and DH, cherish the present one. Geoff, cheer up, senior year! Billy, Tony, Jason and Potter, I know we'll remember forever!! :D



Mr.B: You are by far the best adviser; you have been on my side in times of prosperity and dark times. I want to thank you for welcoming me 3 years ago and for truly connecting with me.

Mr.Uhl: You have inspired my passion for music, and given me everything a teacher should. You are always cheerful and kind. You made Hoosac a better place for me.

Mr.B, Mr.Cochran, Mr. Uhl: It is a rare quality to be both respected and loved; to me you are both

Taylor and Gerard: Words cannot not describe. We are one whole! I truly love you more than anything else in Hoosac School. <3

Evan Yan: Simply the best roommate a Russian can ask for. You will know what I mean when I say "I am honored that I was able to show you; now you understand." Love you. <3

To all: Preparation beats expectation; Always be prepared.

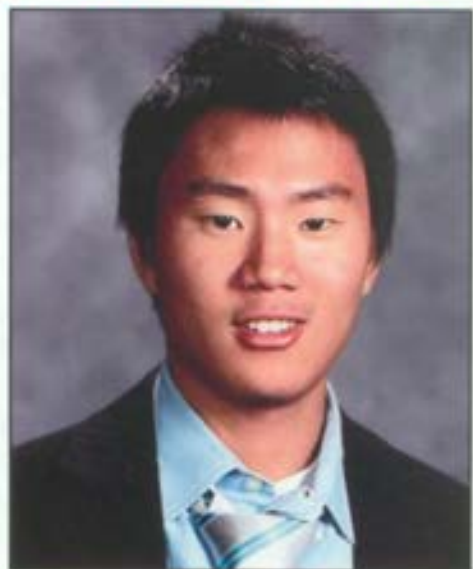
Yaroslav Egorov



Wenyong (Potter) Dai



Edward Franz



Shen (Rocher) Guo



It's an honor for me to present 2013's Best of Hoosac. For this, I want to thank my parents for creating such a wonderful world for me and giving me the freedom to make my own decisions. I, hereby, on the behalf of myself, will announce the following list of rewarded individuals:

To Ms. Kelly: Sunshine award. You are the best dorm parent!!! Always helpful and pleasant! Love your taste of movies btw.

To Mr. Kurland, Mr. Cochran and Mr. Uhl: Academic award. The three most intelligent and insightful teachers on campus. I'll miss your classes.

To Ms. Stulz: The Helpful Hand. If I were given the choice to choose my advisor, you would still be my first choice!

To Mr. Robichaud: The Lovely Face. To tell you the truth, the only reason some of your students didn't hit you in the face is your cute face.

Last but not least, to all my friends: I survived Hoosac because of you!

Yaqin (Alice) Jin



Rocher: My bestie :) Thank you for staying with me even i was in my worst time. I don't have too much to say, you know me. I will miss you, see you in Shanghai!!

Angela: Hi, Oqinqin. You are such a hard worker. We have never been very close but we know we are friends, not the best but the one we cannot lose. Miss you, we should go to comic exhibition in summer together.

Haylee: we missed a lot. We misunderstand each other but we are fine. You have your best friends now, you are not alone anymore. I want you to know that I am always with you. I will miss you.

Karen: We were so close at the first year!!!!!! But things change.. Anyway, you will always be on the top of my important people list!

Vivian&Karen&Linda: You are always my best friends:)

Mandy&Sophia&Tiffany: GROW UP!

Cathy: You are too simple sometimes but it's what makes you special. I will miss you.

Ms. Wilson: Thanks for listening to me. You are so nice.

Ms. Roemischer: I know you are not here and I'm not sure if you can see it. I miss you, always. You help me to find my dreams, you are my family.

Mr. Randel: We are in a hurry for yearbook! But if we can see the things I wrote that means we did it! LOL

Ms.Kelly: I know something is making you feel upset. I believe everything will be okay. I saw you're changing to be a good dorm parent. I will miss you.

Lang Kai



Meng (Tony) Lin



Marc-Antoine Larcharite



Special thank you to my **mother** and **father** for the support and inspiration they gave me so I could succeed through the good and bad moments.

Tyler: Thanks for all, bro! So many good memories, and crazy fun playing around like two idiots.

Gwen: Think we had good time as roommates, hockey partners, and friends, so thanks for all of these!

Newman: Diddy where to start with you? Man unreal friends, lots of fun bud.

Tiefang (Jayden) Li



First of all, I want to thank **my parents** for all years' supporting and the great atmosphere they created for me.

Second, thanks to **my friends at Hoosac School**, you are the most precious things I have here.

To Mr. Kurland, Mr. Robichaud, Mr. Polley, Ms.P and Mr.Cochran: thank you for the classes and knowledges from you.

Mr. Uhl, it's my pleasure to live in your dorm, Dudley is a great home!
I wish every **senior** good luck in colleges!

Taizu (Bryan) Lu



Miikka Majava



Blair Manners



To Schmer: Bro have a good last year at the sac. So many good times this year bro. Thanks heaps for the hospitality at your house as well.

To Greg: Thanks for a solid year. You still had all the girls and I am topping you. But good job keeping your side of the room cleaner than mine.

To Conor: Good times in the shower committee this year. Enough said

To Benas: Have a good time wherever you end up next year. Also stop being such a Russian dude. Because that is a negatory.

To my actual son Eric: I want to come back to school and see you running it, and you better play baseball.

To the committee: You know who you are all the best to you boys and never forget. Teddy Bear, Bubble Pop, Bobble head, lenses, Old Faithful, Red Dress, That one and Snips.

To the Pitt crew: Thank you for all the laughs, and allowing me to chill in your apartments at times this year. Special thanks to Mr. Polley for all the help you gave me this year with basketball, college and all the other things. It was very much appreciated.

Stephan (Gwen) Mata



Tyler Proctor



Minwoo (Gerard) Park



Mr.Foster: I like Hoosac and I like the people here. I had great high school years at Hoosac and learned so much. I will never forget what I learned here. I've experienced many things that I could not have in different places.

Mr.Cochran: You are more than a teacher to me. I have learned so many things from you. You are one of the most sage people I have ever met. Thank you for your generosity.

Mr.Ult: You have been my advisor for 3 years and my dorm parent junior year. I liked how you teach students and was motivated by it. I learned English skills from you.

Mr.Kurland: My favorite teacher in Hoosac, you seriously thought about my college apps and gave me advice that helped so much. Even when I said I am going back to Korea you told me things that made me want to stay in USA.

Mr.Robichaud: I had your classes for 3 years and you were my dorm parent my first year. I still remember when my door was locked and I went to Whitcomb with only my boxers on, and you were laughing and unlocked my door.

Mrs.Pekalski: I had your biology class and you inspired me to concentrate. Without your help, I would not be so interested in biology and the medical field. So Thanks Mrs.P!

Taylor Bae: I hope you enjoy next year and don't do gogi that much. When we lived in Dudley, it was the most fun I ever had. Study SAT. Go to college and become the best. See you in Korea!

Yaroslav: This year was great with you; we hung out. I liked you as my rival and my friend. You are one of my closest friends at Hoosac and someone I can trust. I'm sure you'll enjoy college and hope you meet other Koreans and play LOL with them. I will go to Europe for traveling later and visit your town. So, see you later bro.

Sandy Yang: You are like a light in a dark room. You take care of little dambae when I hear him saying 'mom' to you it makes me smile. You are smart and brave. I was happy to have you at Hoosac and I hope you had a good time.

Sungbin Ryoo: I had good time with you during the long weekend; it is one of my precious memories. You will be a great leader, I see the potential in you. I hope you enjoy Hoosac.

Kyle Hong: I will never forget your jokes. It was fun to have you in my Korean group. You are becoming a real man, I liked how you took responsibility when you were in trouble. Be confident. You can do more than people think.

Eric Pak: little dambae, you grew a lot, your English is way better now. Your basketball ability has become outstanding—AKA sharp shooter. Stay strong!

Evan Yan: You grew up a lot, I like you as a friend and I hope you enjoy Penn State. Keep working out man, you can do it.

To Lavino Boys: Guys, it was a fun time this year, I enjoyed Lavino this year!

To old Koreans: I'm finally out of here!! see you all in Korea!



Muqing (Emma) Qi



Yuexin (Amy) Qian



Ruoxi (Sara) Sun



To Maggie: I LOVE YOU!

Fan Wang



Tianya Wang



Haiying (Bily) Wu



Yulei (Cathy) Wang



FP Jin: Dear roommate, we came to Hoosac at the same time, and we have been friends for three years. I always share the moment I feel sad with you, thanks for listening my stories. Hope that you will enjoy your life in college, remember, I will visit you! Haha! You know what I mean!

Ms. Kelly: Sweet adviser I have had lots of fun in your health class.

Maggie: pretty girl. See you in Beijing and keep in touch. Momo! ~

Amy and Linda: thanks for helping with my HW! lol

Liang jie: coolest girl in the school. Have a good college experience with Sister Ying.

Mr. Rob: Thanks for teaching me math for 2 years. And I have to say: Yes! You are handsome.

Mr. Colling: I like you a lot Mr. Colling. Thank you for being so kind with me.

Mr. Cochran: I miss my grandpa every time when I see you, don't worry you are younger than him. lol. I love spending time with you in Yemen.

Mr. R: It's been my pleasure that you were my dorm parents for a year. You are the coolest teacher. Thank you for everything.

Jayden: Thanks for teach me calculus and it's been a great time to spend time in NYC with our group during the long weekend. I will miss you my study here.

Jeffery Xu: Thank you for your help during my school years, and I'll be change to the way you guys hope so. And I will always remember you.



Kefan (Vivian) Wu



Dad & Mom: Thanks for everything you have done for me, not only material life, but also for being my spiritual guide. No matter where I am, I know you are there, providing everything I need. Please forgive me for some stupid thing I did.

Ms. Roemischer: Thanks for being my dorm parent. We had a lot of fun watching movies together. It's a special memory for me and hope you enjoy your new life.

Mr. Cochran: you are such a good person. Being one of your advisees is the happiest thing in my senior year. Enjoy your life on the farm when you retire.

Mrs. Kelly: You make me feel like family, thanks for your help, in everything.

Mr. Kurland: I appreciate your effort helping me apply to colleges. You are the funniest teacher I have ever seen. I had a lot of fun in your class.

Linda: we have been the closest friends since the first day I came to Hoosac School. Thanks for being an amazing friend, understanding me and supporting me all the time. We had disagreements and arguments, but both of us cherish our friendship. Good luck next year, Work Harder!

Amy: Sometimes you behave like a kid, but when I need help, your advice is always helpful. I am so glad we met. You are a close friend. Enjoy your college life and keep in touch.

Alice: we spent a lot of time together, but some misunderstanding made us not as close as before; however, I am so happy that in the last moment, we reunited our friendship. You are such a unique girl who always brings me surprises, take care of yourself.

Reney: Thanks for helping me when I was needy. I saw a different side of you when I visited your hometown. You are talented at negotiating. Keep confidence as usual.

Huitong (Jason) Wu



Tianyu (Tony) Xu



Keyi (Karen) Wu



Linda: you are such an adorable baby. We are closest friends since the first year we attended Hoosac. You are my most precious memory in Hoosac. I really hope we can meet earlier. Since Vivian's college is near to Amy's college, I have made decision for you- either come to my college or go to college in NY. Anyway, keep in touch and work harder in your senior year. XOXO.

Amy: What a pity! We are not going to the same college! Two years are really short for us. I miss the times we shared secrets, arguing, fighting and reconciling. I hope we can keep in touch and not drift apart. Don't forget to welcome me to your luxurious villa, haha. XOXO.

PP: I will never forget the time we spent together. You are so sweet and funny and unique. Although we are not as close as before, I always consider you as one of my best friends. XOXO.

Reney: I really appreciate that you accompany me on my saddest time. You comforted me and did me lots of favors. Good luck in your senior year and hope you can make into your dream school. XOXO.

Mrs. Roemischer: My favorite dorm parent. I will always remember the time you took care of me when I was really sick the first year. Also, I will miss your ice-pops, ice-cream during summer, movie nights in your apartment and our heart-to-heart talks.

Mrs. Kelly: Thanks for lending me your ski pants. Thanks for my birthday ice-cream. I really enjoy playing volleyball with you. By the way, your doggies are annoying. Ha-ha.

Mr. Cochran: You are such a nice person. I wish you a good life with your wife, on the farm when you retire.

Ms. Kelly: I will miss your cupcakes and three birthday parties you made for me.

Mr. Kurland: Thanks for helping me with all the college stuff. Thanks for your patience to fix thousands of essays for me. I really appreciate your help. By the way, your jokes make me laugh all the time.

Minruijun (Jeffery) Xu



Ode to the West Wind
If I were a dead leaf thou mightest bear;
If I were a swift cloud to fly with thee;
A wave to pant beneath thy power, and share

The impulse of thy strength, only less free
Than thou, O uncontrollable! If even
I were as in my boyhood, and could be

The comrade of thy wanderings over Heaven,
As then, when to outstrip thy skiey speed
Scarce seem'd a vision; I would ne'er have striven

As thus with thee in prayer in my sore need.
Oh, lift me as a wave, a leaf, a cloud!
I fall upon the thorns of life! I bleed!

A heavy weight of hours has chain'd and bow'd
One too like thee: tameless, and swift, and proud.

By Percy Bysshe Shelley



Yu Fan (Evan) Yuan



Xiqing (Xixi) Yang



Fangjian (Andrew) Yuan



Chen Zhang



Rongzhen (Louis) Zhang



To **every teacher**: I came to Hoosac school almost 3 years ago, and am thankful to all of you. In my first year, I could not speak a full sentence in English. Now, my English is better than before.

And I thank **Miss E.** very much, because you never fret talk with me.

And **Mr. Cochran**, you are so kind to every student, and you're like my grandpa because you take care of us.

Secondary, I'll really miss **Lavino guys**, I had many wonderful times in Lavino! - crazy dormmates, and funny dorm parents—**Mr. Kurland!!**

And finally, I want tell **Angela**: If I know what love is, it is because you .

Thank you **Hoosac**, thank you **USA!**



Looking back at
The Class of 2013
we've come a long way!









Form V



Alejandra Rueda
Anderson



Alex Anderson



Jae Ryol Bae



Alec Barre



Guillaume Belec



Gregg Brathwaite



Zifan Gao



Chen Chen



Lu Chen



Yiwen Chen



Ethan Clifford



Eve Dagenais



Frederique
Desgagnes



Trevor Farrell



Bailey Foster



Damani Guscott



Mitchell
Holdsworth



Daniel Lepage



Daniel Levinov



Dudley Dorm

Tibbits Dorm





Wely Lu



Yingting Ma



Haylee Manktelow



Benas
Maslauskas



James McGarr



Lea Meng



Jiaqi Mu



Daniel Newman



Rulqing Ni



Xinrong Ni



Ville-Valtteri Reini



Jason Rogers



Jonathan Schmer



Trent Tabor



Conor Thomson



Junkai Wang



Mary Katherine
Whitesell



Kaer Wu



Seungbee Yang



Jiajia Zhang



Juncheng Zhong



Pitt Mason Dorm



Cannon House Dorm

Form IV



Alexander Atsaldis



Blake Barnill



Guillaume Beaulieu



Kimberly Chow



Min Du



Andrew Flynn



Jingbo Gu



Yunki Hong



Kaigiang Hu



Joyce Huang



Chuanhao Liu



Jabari Noel



Nolan Porcelli



Tiffany Ray



Sungbin Ryoo



Chen Wang



Sheng Chao Wang



Charles Wingate



Han Wu



Whitcomb Dorm



Xiaotao Wu



Zongken Xia



Huafeng Yuan



Dinghao Zhang



Lavino Dorm

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Parker Bellemare



Dominic Chamard



Boyvan Chen



Jung-Yi Chen



Adam Desgagnes



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Wei Huang



Brandon Kloc



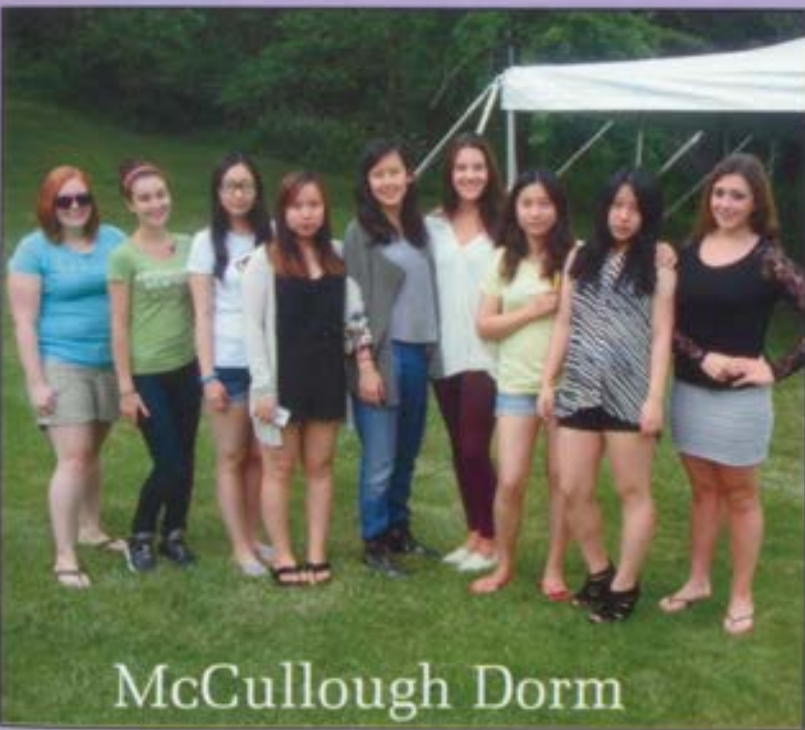
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Unique McLean



London Niles



McCullough Dorm



Atrael Pinelro



Jeremy Valois



Shengbo Wang

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Oliver Crawford



Andrew Diamond



Wood Hall Dorm



Seungjun Pai



Taylor Schnoop



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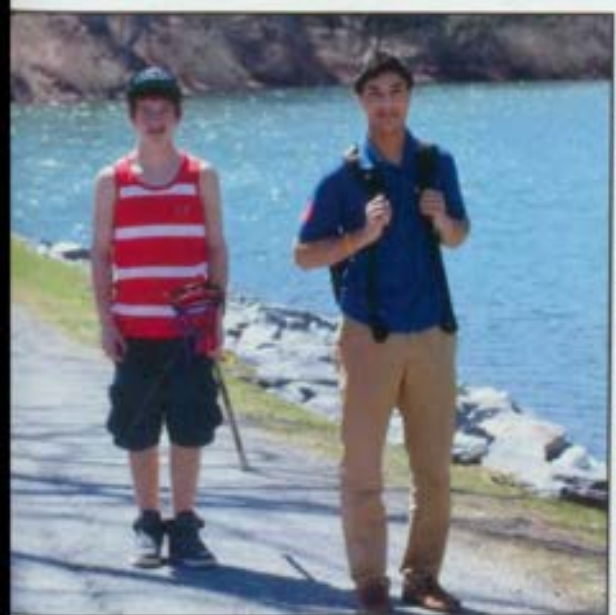


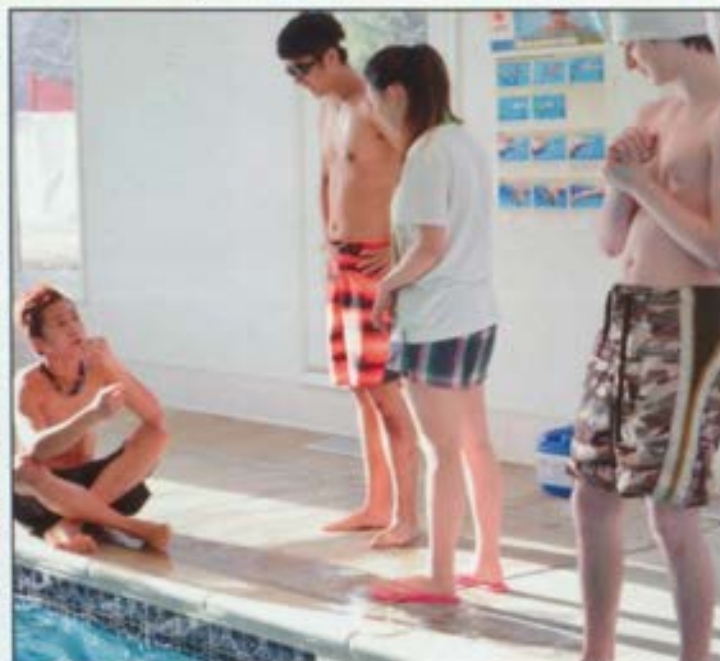












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(Back L/R) Jeff Xu, Jenkins Wang, Haylee Manktelow, Laura Xia
 (Front L/R) Vivian Wu, Amy Qian, Karen Wu, Linda Chen, Rocher Guo, Alice Jin
 (Not-pictured) Julia Kopala, Mr. Randel (Yearbook Adviser)



Boys' JV Soccer



Girls' Varsity Soccer



Boys' Varsity Soccer



Ping Pong



Volleyball



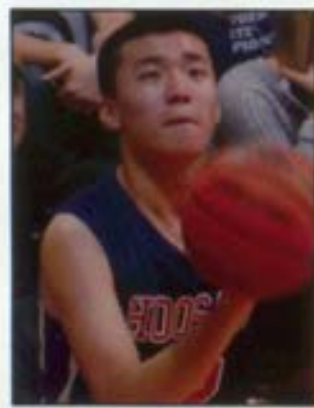
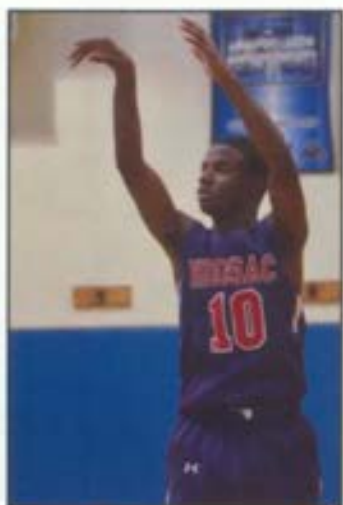
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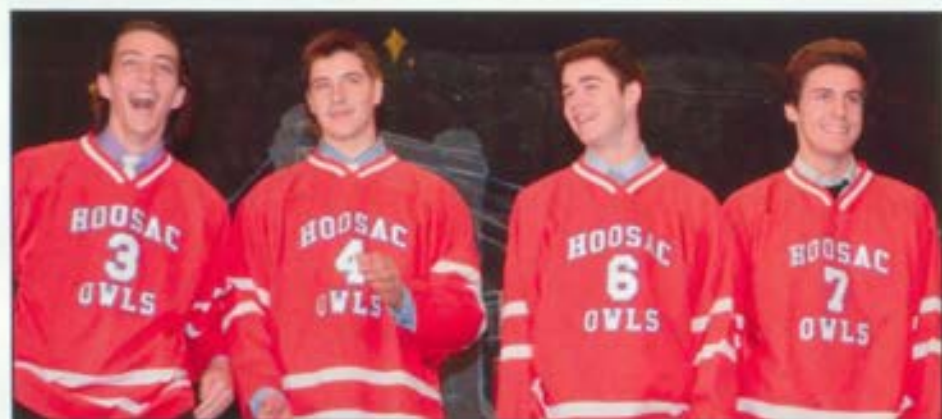
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Basketball**



Girls' Varsity Basketball

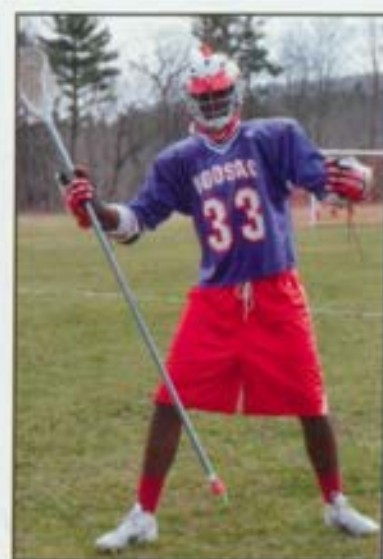


Boys' Varsity 2 Basketball



Hockey

Girls' Varsity Lacrosse



Boys' Varsity Lacrosse

Boys' Baseball



Keeping Fit



Tennis

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Holdsworth	Hong, Kyle
Majava	Sun, Sara
Belec, Guillaume	Ryoo, Sungbin
Beaulieu, Guillaume	
Reini, Ville	
McGarr, James	
Chow, Kim	
Yan, Yufan	
Wang, Chen	

Cross Country

Tony Lin
 Chen Wang
 Damani Guscott
 Jabari Noel
 Charles Wingate
 Unique McClean
 Benas Maslauskas
 London Niles
 Stephen Mata
 Nolan Porcelli
 Brandon Kloc





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ASADO DAY







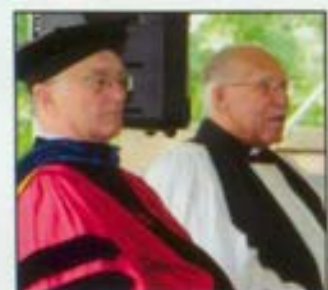


Adviser Groups





Prize Day & Commencement GRADUATION WEEKEND





ONE-HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH PRIZE DAY EXERCISES - JUNE 8, 2013

BOOK AWARDS

ENGLISH For outstanding performance and sustained excellence:

- ... UPPER LEVEL -JAXIN CHEN
- ... LOWER LEVEL -JULIA KOPALA

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE Awarded to that English as a Second Language student who has most

improved his or her English while at Hoosac School:
... WEN LI

HISTORY For outstanding performance and sustained excellence:

- ... UPPER LEVEL -HAYLEE MANKTELOW
- ... LOWER LEVEL -JULIA KOPALA
- ... CONTEMPORARY GLOBAL ISSUES -BAILEY FOSTER

MATHEMATICS For outstanding performance and sustained excellence:

- ... UPPER LEVEL -TIEFANG LI
- ... LOWER LEVEL -DINGHAO ZHANG

SCIENCE For outstanding performance and sustained excellence:

- ... EARTH SCIENCE -WILL CLIFFORD
- ... PHYSICS -WENYONG DA
- ... CHEMISTRY -HAYLEE MANKTELOW
- ... BIOLOGY -FREDERIQUE DESGAGNES
- ... MICROBIOLOGY -JAXIN CHEN
- ... PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY -DINGHAO ZHANG

LANGUAGE For outstanding performance and sustained excellence:

- ... FRENCH -ANDREW FLYNN
- ... LATIN -MAXX BARNHILL
- ... SPANISH -SHEN GUO

ETHICS For outstanding performance and sustained excellence - MIKKA MAJAWA

ART For outstanding performance and sustained excellence -SUNGBIN RYOO

MUSIC For individual achievement - RUDI SUN

TECHNOLOGY For individual achievement -JASN RODGERS

PHOTOGRAPHY For individual achievement -YAQIN JIN

THE WILLIAMS COLLEGE BOOK AWARD

The Williams College Book Award is given to a student who has demonstrated intellectual leadership and has made a significant contribution to the extracurricular life of the school. This award will be presented by Williams College alumnus, H. Ashton Crosby. - BLAIR MANNERS

THE RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE MEDAL AWARD: First presented in 1916 with two purposes: to recognize the superior academic achievement of young men and women, and to motivate students toward careers in science, engineering, and technology. The Medal is awarded to a member of the Vth Former who has distinguished himself in math and science. - ZIFAN CAO

THE CLARKSON UNIVERSITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD is given in recognition of outstanding leadership qualities and academic promise.

This award will be presented by Mr. Jay High. -JONATHAN SCHMER

THE CLARKSON UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP AWARD is given in recognition of outstanding leadership qualities and academic promise.

This award will be presented by Mr. Jay High. -JASN RODGERS

THE PRESIDENT'S EDUCATION AWARDS

Awarded by the President of the United States in conjunction with the Department of Education in recognition of students who have maintained the highest academic honors for the entire year. The President's Educational Awards Program recipients for the 2012-2013 year are:

- ALEX ANDERSON, JAXIN CHEN, LI CHEN, WILL CLIFFORD, OLIVER CRAWFORD, FREDERIQUE DESGAGNES, SHEN GUO, KEFAN WU, YUNKO HONG, KEYI WU, JULIA KOPALA, SEUNGBEE YANG, TIEFANG LI, MENG LIN, HAYLEE MANKTELOW, BLAIR MANNERS, YUEXIN QIAN, SUNGBIN RYOO

CUPS

THE ACCOMPLISHMENT CUP

Presented by the parents of Gregory C. Banks of the Class of 1992 to a member of the Sixth Form, selected by the Headmaster, who has met challenges at Hoosac with grace and style.

-EDWARD FRANZ

THE FACULTY CUP, presented by the 1957-1958 Faculty. Awarded to the student who has shown the greatest scholastic improvement during the current academic year. **THE FACULTY CUP** is presented to BENAS MASLAUSKAS

WOTKYN'S AWARDS: Prizes to the top scholars in each Form were established by bequest in the will of the late Dana B. Wotkyns of the class of 1919. The Wotkyns scholars are:
FORM I: WILL CLIFFORD
FORM II: JULIA KOPALA
FORM III: MIN DU
IV: JAMES MCGARR
V: KEYI WU

THE DUDLEY CUP is awarded to the top scholar throughout the school.

That student is: JAMES MCGARR

THE HENRY H. DICKIE AWARD, presented by the 1968-1969 Faculty in honor of their senior colleague, to the Athletic Team with the highest scholastic average: **GIRLS VOLLEYBALL** Accepting the Award for the Team: **CAPTAIN -BAILEY FOSTER**

THE DEUS REGIT AWARD, awarded for a significant contribution to the life of the School Chapel and an appreciation of the beautiful and good: **YAQIN JIN**

THE ROBERTS CUP presented by Col. and Mrs. Roberts, 1926-1931. Awarded to the student who throughout the year maintains the highest degree of neatness in personal appearance and dormitory room by vote of the Dormitory Masters. **JAXIN CHEN**

THE COMMUNITY SERVICE CUP, presented by the parents of John Poppolo III '88 to that member of the senior class, who in the opinion of the Headmaster, has shown the greatest growth and progress at Hoosac, both as a student and as an all-around constructive member of the School community, overcoming obstacles with spirit and heart as an example to all. **AXEL BARORA**

WILLIAM REIFSNYDER AWARD Vice Rector of the School 1963-1966. Awarded to the student who has maintained good qualities of standard written English in school work. **DANIEL NEWMAN**

DANIEL FRANCIS VERDERY MEMORIAL AWARD, Presented by the 2010-2011 Faculty in memory of their colleague Dan, to that student who during the year has written the best academic essay. By selection of the Chair of the English Department for his essay "The Value of Labor: The Disturbing Vision of Tennyson's 'Lotus Eaters.'" **MIKKA MAJAWA**

THE GUILFORD CUP (Antonian -Graftonian) Presented by the Rector (Dr. Tibbitts) 1905. Awarded to the Club which wins academic and team competition for the year. **GRAFTONIANS / TEAM CAPTAIN: BLAIR MANNERS**

THE BARRY CUP, presented by the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Kenneth Barry in 1959. Awarded for outstanding contribution to dramatic production for stage craft. **JUNDRENG ZHONG**

THE CANTERBURY CUP, presented by the late Frank Charles Butcher, long-time Director of the Boar's Head & Yule Log and member of the Faculty, in 1921. Awarded for faithful and contributing work to the music of the School. **YAROSLAV EGOROV**

THE SUNSHINE CUP, presented by the parents of Roxanna Strager of the Class of 2011, to a student who in the opinion of the Headmaster has brightened the daily lives of every member of the Hoosac Community by his/her ever present cheerful demeanor. **WENYONG DA**

THE RECTOR'S PITCHER, presented first in 1990 by Rector Donn Wright to the student who, in the opinion of the Headmaster, has done the most for the School. **TAIZH LU**

THE TIBBITTS CUP... Presented by William B.J. Tibbitts, Sr. in 1984. Awarded to that member of the 8th Form who throughout the year has displayed qualities of good citizenship to school and country. **JULIA KOPALA**

THE GENERAL INFORMATION CUP Presented first in 1914. Awarded on the basis of a examination on general knowledge in both scholastic and world affairs. **BLAKE BARNHILL**

THE OWL CUP. Given by the "OWL" Board of 1907-08. Awarded to the individual who has made the greatest contribution to School publications: **YEARBOOK -HAYLEE MANKTELOW**
NEWSPAPER -THE OWLET - GEDFREY TABOR

THE OPPORTUNITY CUP, presented by the late Mrs. Margaret Sibley, in 1929. Awarded to the student whom the faculty feels has made the greatest use of the intellectual & spiritual opportunities offered by Hoosac School for development both in academic work and personal growth. **KAER WU**

THE ARISTA CUP, presented by the Prefects of the year, 1922-1923, Messrs. Barn, Bukky, Howitt, Laughlin and Sears. Awarded to that member of the student body who in daily life is felt to have exemplified the characteristics of a lady or gentleman in relations with the School community. **LI CHEN**

THE E. GEORGE LAVINO AWARD, presented by the Board of Trustees in 1958 in gratitude to Mr. Lavino for his leadership of the Board for eleven years. Awarded to the member of the Vth Form whom the Faculty feels has done the most for the School. **JONATHAN SCHMER**

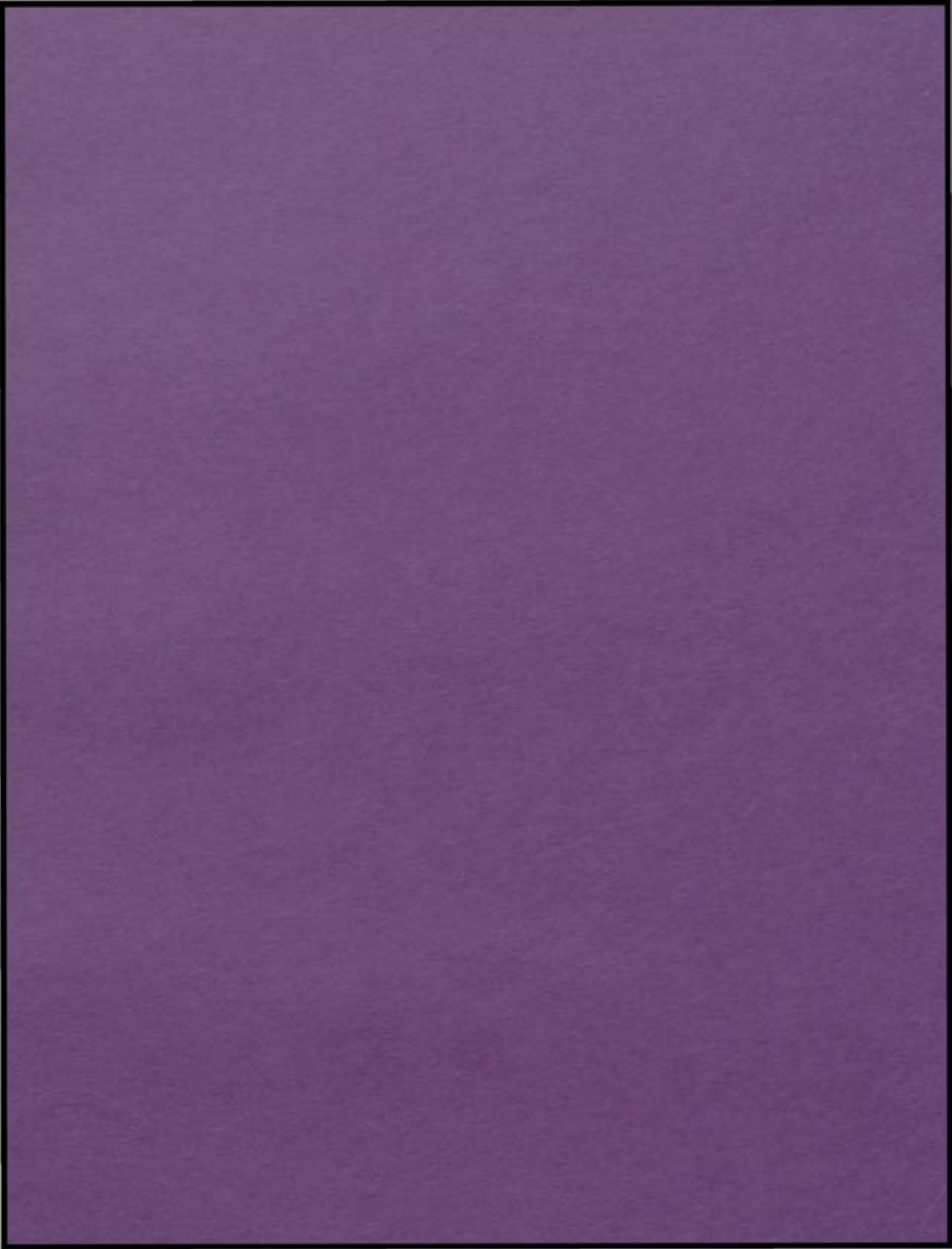
THE SAINT JAMES AWARD, instituted by the Reverend Clinton H. Blake in 1964. An award of \$100 given to that student who in the judgement of the Headmaster has demonstrated an unselfish capacity for hard work in the Work Program of the School and who by that work has added to the steadfastness and purpose of the School life. **SHENGBO WANG & MIN DU**

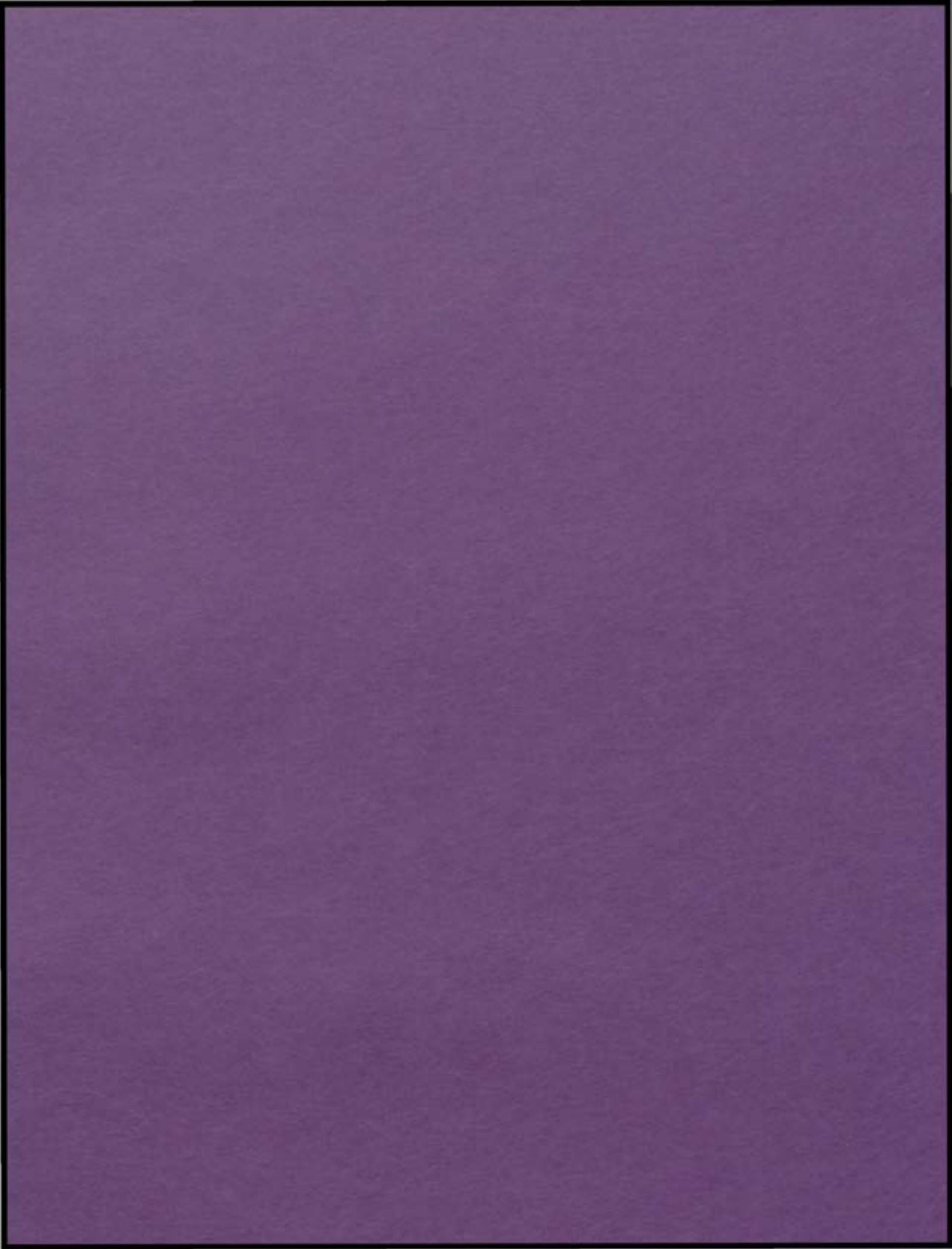
THE SCOTT JOHN KETCHAM MEMORIAL AWARD, presented in memory of Scott John Ketcham, member of the class of 1979, to that student, who like Scott, demonstrated a love and care for the natural environment particularly the forest and fields in the vicinity of Hoosac. **TYLER PROCTOR**

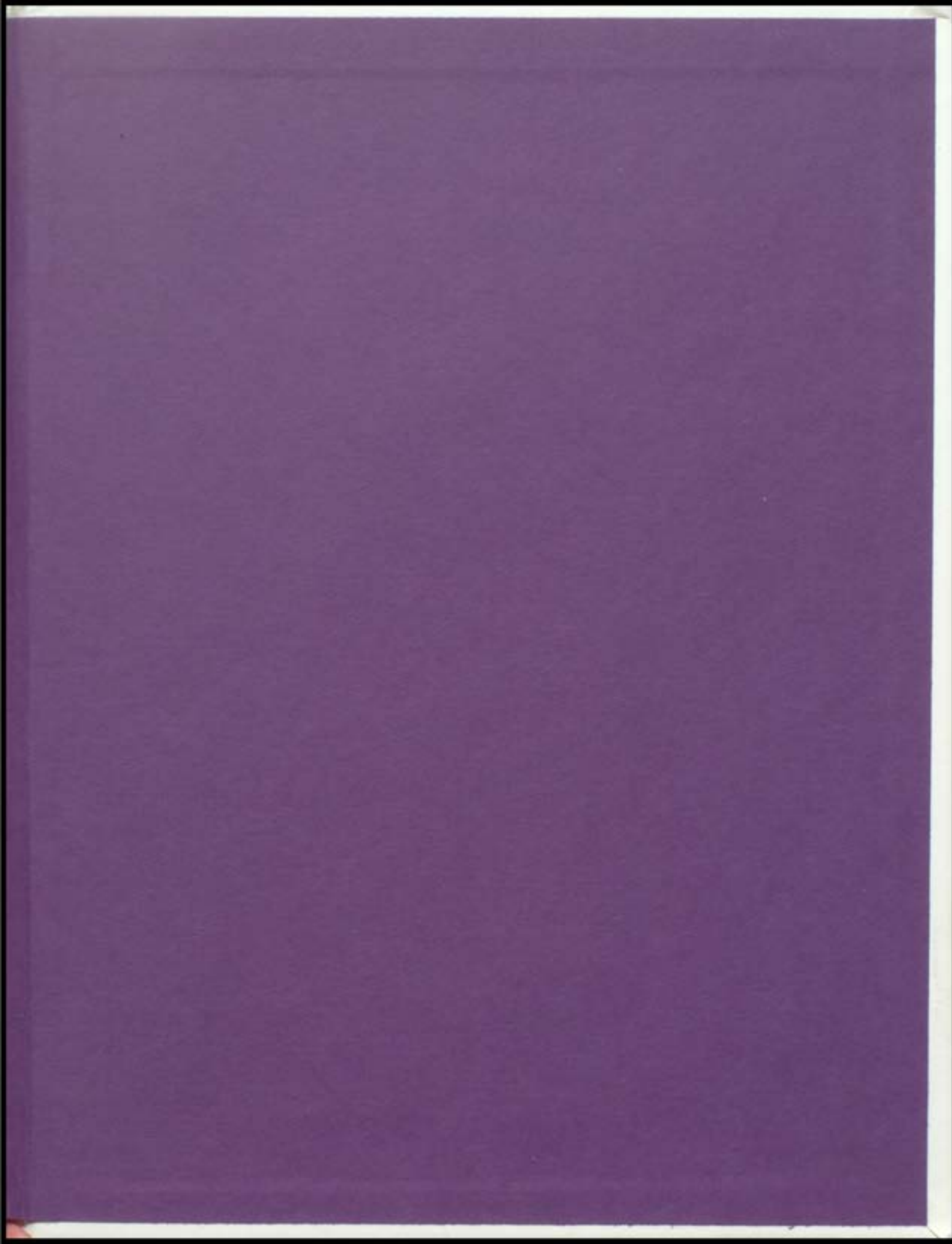
THE HEADMASTERS CUP, presented by the Headmaster Roger G. Cooley in 1958. Awarded to a member of the student body who, in the opinion of the Headmaster, has demonstrated an honest, conscientious and cheerful character in daily relationships and has ever been ready to serve the common good. **MINHAJUN XU**

THE ROBERT YOUNG BURNS AWARD, presented to **SEUNGBEE YANG**

THE REV. MEREDITH B. WOOD FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP, is a merit scholarship. Awarded to that Hoosac student who, in the opinion of the Faculty, is the embodiment of those qualities of honesty, loyalty, and commitment to hard work and service to God, community and country that Fr. Wood instilled in his students at Hoosac from 1941 to 1957. This award will be presented by David Bliet, class of 1954. **LONDON NILES**









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