

FOR

DINNER AT MIDDIPUT

To The Seniors

The time is short—soon you will leave us

To go out into the world to seek your fortunes.

Good luck to you—and may you remember

That the memories of good times and good friends you've given us
this year

Will forever be reminding us of the most wonderful Senior Class

Ever seen at W-B.

Goodbye dear Seniors—don't forget us,

And take good care of our hearts

For they are with you always.

THE MIDDIES

Gulliver-Senior's Travels in Middiput

by
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There was in the land of Middiput
A castle called Ward-Belmont
And here lived a giant named Gulliver
Who had come from across the sea.

The Middiputs were a little people
Who were looking for a new home
They searched for many a day and night
Before they ceased roam.

The castle they saw from a distance
And they said "that will do just fine"
They didn't know that the castle
Was owned by Dr. Provine.

So they traveled on and on
Til they came to the castle moat
Cautiously they crossed the bridge
Their hearts were filled with hope.

Then with a gasp the Middies stopped
No longer were they cheerful
For there inside the castle was
A giant who looked so fearful.

The giant was lying on his back
The Middiputians thought him dead
Suddenly he groaned and gave a sigh
The little people turned and fled.

However, the Middiputians soon returned
In spite of Gulliver, still asleep
For curiosity got the best of them
And inside the castle they must peek.

1st Mid - "The castle is a perfect home"
Narrator - On this they all agreed
2nd Mid - "But if the giant should awake"
3rd Mid - "On us he'll probably feed!"

Why don't we tie him up? one cried.
Then he couldn't harm us
So they did and guarded him
To make sure he'd cause no fuss.

The giant Gulliver soon awoke
And found himself a captive
Surprised at this, he broke his bonds
And sat up, now quite active.

The little Mids were so afraid
They tried in vain to hide.
Gulliver was amused at them
"Come back, my friends," he cried.

Slowly the Middiputians crept
Back to the draw bridge of W.B.
Where they made friends with Gulliver
And no one was happier than he.

For their new friend, the Emperor
of Middiput
Gave a banquet royal
With food and good fellowship
and best of all
Toasts from the subjects loyal.

The castle rang with music
When the eating was all done
For the Prince and Princess of Middiput
Sang as they never before had sung.

Next came the court dancers
Dressed in gorgeous array
And Gulliver's visit was a success
Considering what he had seen that day.

Fast came the Emperor's jester
Whose antics pleased everyone
His joking and teasing were comic
And even at Gulliver he poked fun.

For many months they lived together
The Middiputians and their dear Gulliver
They worked and played and helped each other
Not a single dispute did occur.

Gulliver taught the Middiputians
To care for W.B.
And they in return, did labor
To be worthy of the castle key.

But at last Gulliver felt
That the time had finally come
For him to return to his home far away
For his work at W.B. was done.

So he went away
After saying goodbye
To the faithful little Middiputs
Who were so sad at his going
That many did cry.
The Middies will never forget their Gulliver.

Program

Emperor of Middieput.....JANE FAULK
Gulliver Senior.....JACQUELYN KOON
High Chancellor.....CHARLIE THORNTON
Chief Scribe.....JUDY HENSON
Chief of Finance.....SOPHIE GOUNOS
Keeper of the Keys.....DOROTHY FRANK
General of the Army.....JUAN STROUBE

GULLIVER-SENIOR'S VISIT IN MIDDIEPUT

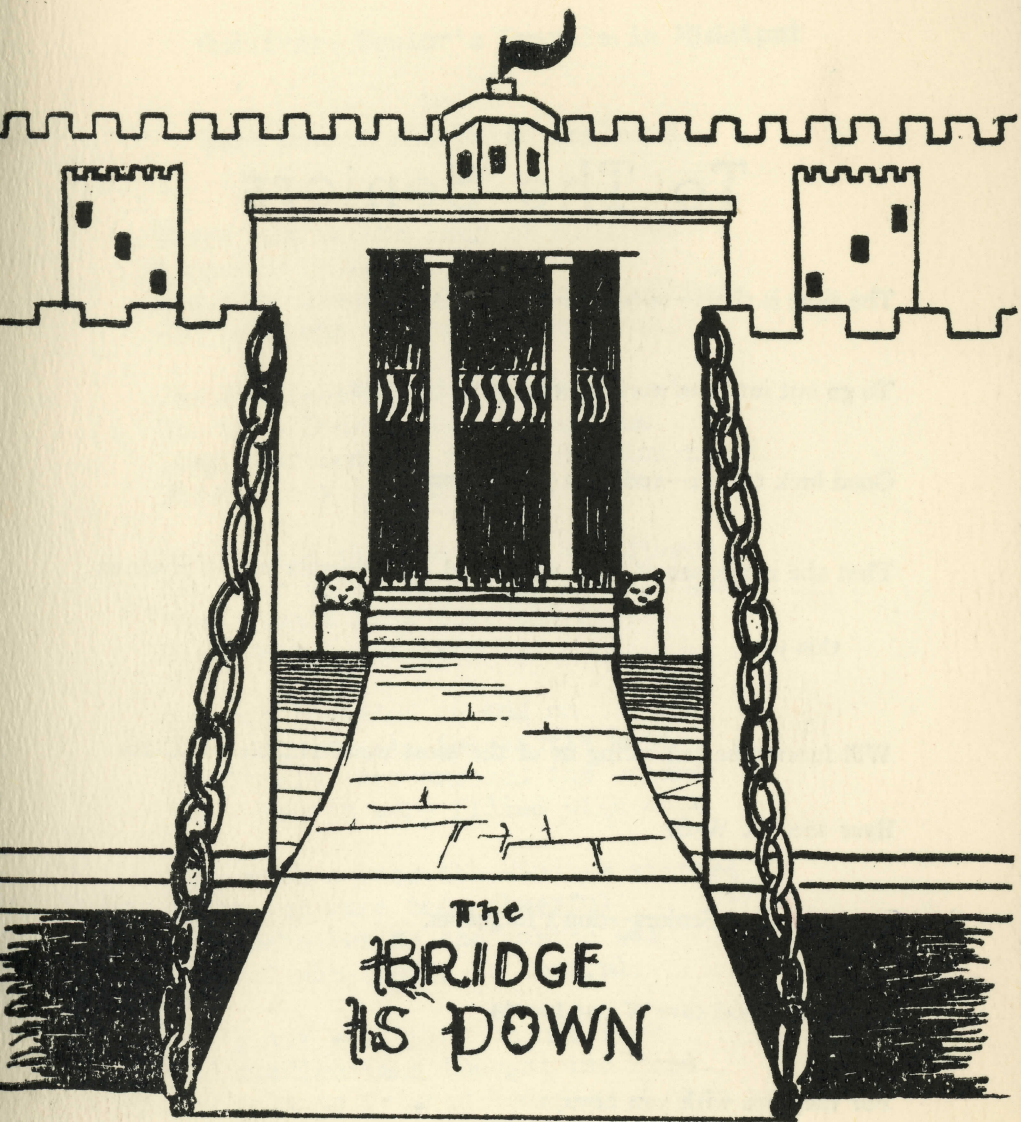
CAST

CAROLYN HENDERSON, BETTY RHEA, BESS BENSON, JACKIE BETZ,
JULIA MCHENRY, BEVERLY WALLACE, SUE WALLER, PEGGY
PITTMAN, BETTY BUCKNER, FAITH CHALMERS, IMOGENE SPORRI,
JACQUE THADY, MARY CLIFFORD MAJURE, NANCY BROYLES,
MOLLY SHANKS, STEVE ANN AKIN

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Owner of the Castle.....DR. PROVINE

The Bells of Ward-Belmont



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