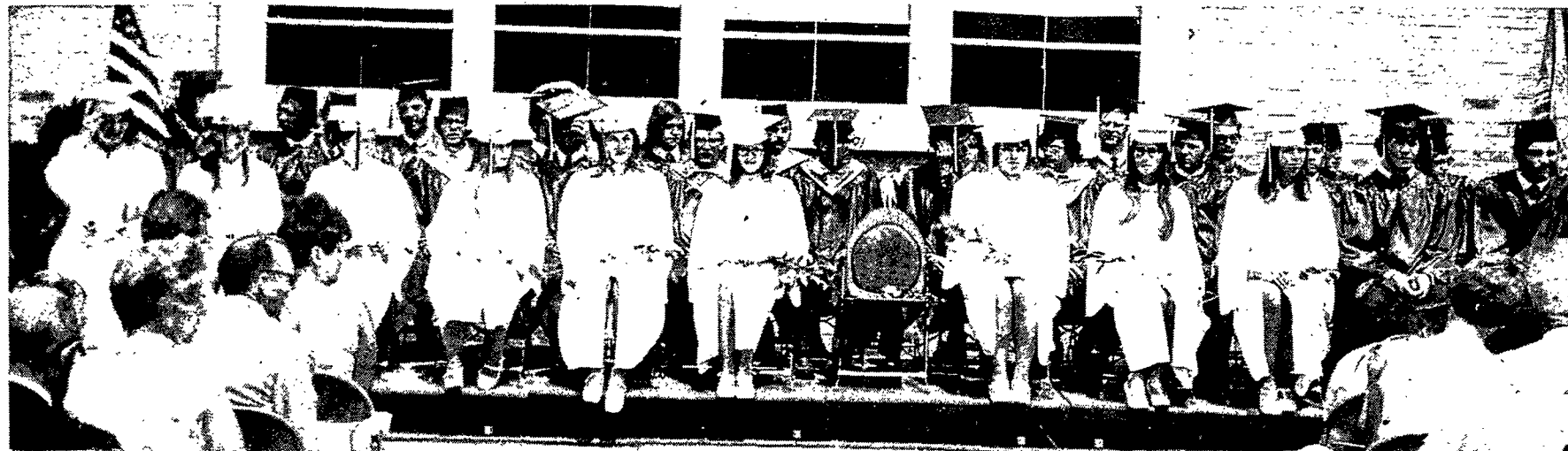


# Morristown Central Graduation Was Sunday



**AT MORRISTOWN SUNDAY** - Thirty-five seniors received their diplomas at Morristown Central School's Sunday graduation ceremonies. Richard Kropat, supervising principal, presented the awards. Guest speaker was Congressman Robert C. McEwen. Graduates are Philip Barse, Betty Barton, Brent Bellinger, Marcel Bertrand, Earl Bice, John Brooks, Vernon Bylow, Wayne Carney, Kevin Coats, Lee Crosby, George Devendorf, David

Durant, Jean Gladle, David Gilbo, Terry Heagle, Timothy Heagle, Raymond Hollister, Reginald Kemp, Renee Kropat, Ricki Kropat, Theresa LeBlanc, Cindy Moquin, Angela Perretta, James Phillips, Joyce Richardson, Jane Robinson, JoAnne Robinson, Stephen Sherry, Kevin Smith, Kit Smith, Stephen St. Dennis, Jeffrey Turner, Karen VanSchaick, Barbara Warren and Edward Wilson. (Como Photo)

## Morristown Graduates Presented With Awards

Morristown - Richard Kropat, Morristown Central School's supervising principal, presented the following awards to graduating seniors Sunday:

**Physics:** given by Morristown Teacher's Association for highest Regent's mark, \$3, Renee Kropat.

**Math 12:** given by Morristown Fire Department for most conscientious student, \$3, Tim Heagle.

**To a Business Major:** a special award given by the Citizen's National Bank of Hammond for the highest average, \$10 Karen VanSchaick.

**Chorus:** given by Pepsi-Cola as part of their Fine Arts Awards Program to the student who has rendered outstanding service during his four years in chorus, \$3, Ray Hollister.

**Art:** given by Pepsi-Cola as part of their Fine Arts Awards program to the student most improved in high school art, \$3, Barbara Warren.

**Senior Seminar:** given by Miss Grossman for the most improved student, \$3, Joyce Richardson.

**Non-teaching Association Awards:** for the greatest courtesy and cooperation shown toward the non-teaching staff, \$5 each to James Phillips and Kevin Coats.

**Farm Mechanic III:** given by PTA for highest grade, \$3, Lee Crosby.

**Highest Mark in English 12:** given by Phillips Insurance Agency to Renee Kropat.

**Highest mark in Russian History:** given by Phillips Insurance Agency to Kevin Coats.

**Awards presented to Valedictorian and Salutatorian:** Statuettes with their name, year and school engraved - Valedictorian, Renee Kropat and Salutatorian, JoAnne Robinson.

**Reader's Digest Award to Valedictorian:** a years subscription to Renee Kropat.

**PTA Scholarship:** awarded on Citizenship and character potential for success in college, \$200 to Renee Kropat.

**Ogdensburg Lions Award:** John Brooks.

**Knights of Pythias Award:** Wayne Carney.

**Father Connors Award:** Fields Office Machines Certificates of Achievement: bookkeeping, Karen VanSchaick, and typewriting, Kevin Coats.

**American Agriculturist Foundation Awards:** for outstanding work as a student of vocational agriculture to Philip Barse.

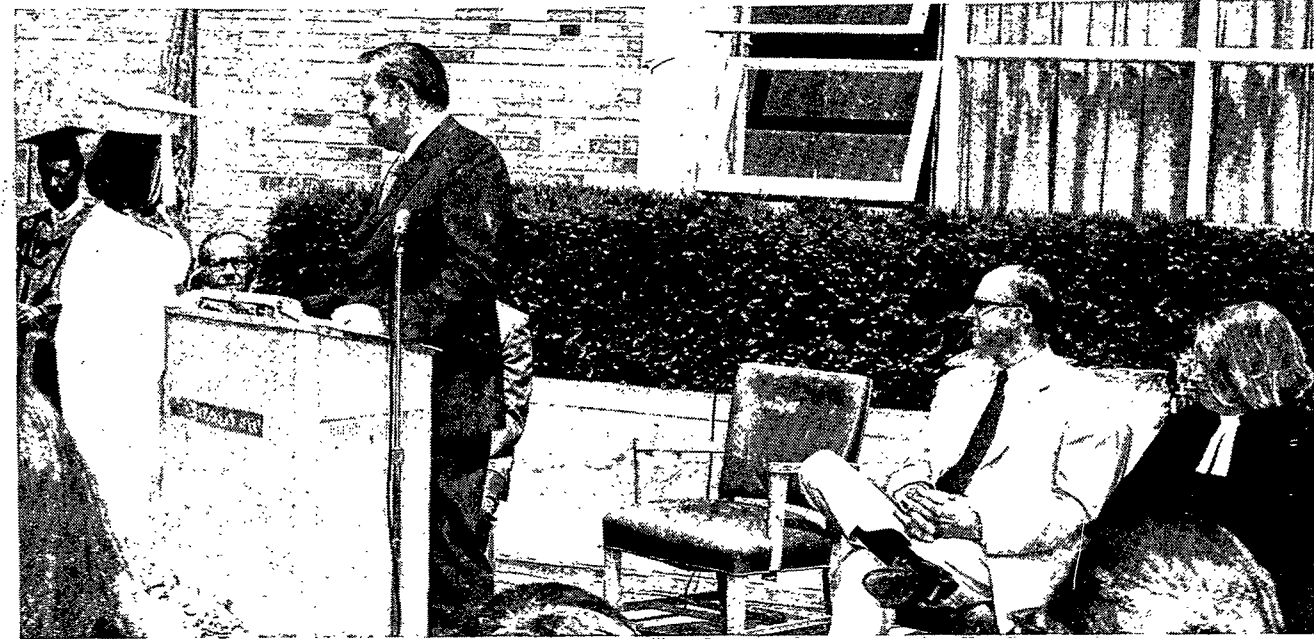
**Dekalb Ag. Research Inc:** Certificate of Agricultural accomplishment and pin in recognition of service and leadership in the FFA program to Lee Crosby.

**Elks Club Award:** in instrumental music, \$25 to Joyce Richardson.

**St. Lawrence County National Bank Scholarship:** to Karen VanSchaick.

**John Phillip Sousa:** award in music to the senior student or students who during four years of high school have shown outstanding ability, interest, and all other qualities which characterize the best in band musicianship. The recipients name or names will be inscribed on a permanent plaque in the trophy case, for 1971, Raymond Hollister and Kevin Coats.

**The Voice of Democracy Award** from the VFW: to Mary Lou Rogers, first in the school first in the county and third in the district; Robert Buchanan, second in the school and Jane Robinson, third in the school.



**RECEIVES DIPLOMA FROM DAD** - Renee Kropat, valedictorian at Morristown Central School, receives her diploma from her father, Supervising Principal Richard Kropat, during graduation ceremonies held Sunday afternoon. Left to right, are Miss Kropat, the Rev. Thomas

Votraw of St. John's Church; Richard Kropat, Congressman Robert C. McEwen, who gave the commencement address, and the Rev. Sesa Johnson of the Stone Presbyterian Church. (Como Photo)

## At Morristown Robinson And Kropat Tops

MORRISTOWN — Renee Kropat and JoAnne Robinson have been selected valedictorian and salutatorian of the Morristown Central School graduating class. Miss Kropat, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kropat of Brier Hill has participated in the student council, band, attended the Clarkson College Enrichment Program, Colgate University seminar. She has been a member of the National Honor Society for four years. She was the recipient of the Bausch and Lomb Science Award.

She plans to attend Ohio State University in September, majoring in physical therapy.

JoAnne Robinson, daughter of Mrs. Donald Robinson of the Black Lake Road, has been active in the Future Teacher's Association, attended the Enrichment Programs at St. Lawrence University and Clarkson College and has been a member of the National Honor Society for two years. She plans to attend Mater Dei College majoring in liberal arts.

## Morristown Graduates 35 Seniors

Morristown - Thirty-five seniors received their diplomas at Morristown Central School's Sunday graduation exercises.

After the Rev. Sesa Johnson offered the invocation, JoAnne Robinson delivered the Salutatory address.

Richard Kropat, supervising principal, presented the awards. (see accompanying story) and Edward Wilson presented a gift from the seniors to the school.

Congressman Robert McEwen presented the commencement address and James Phillips, president of the board of education, gave the seniors their diplomas.

Renee Kropat addressed the audience with the Valedictory and Father Votraw offered the benediction.

**Class of 1971**

Morristown's graduating seniors are: Philip Barse, Betty Barton, Brent Bellinger, Marcel Bertrand, Earl Bice, John Brooks, Vernon Bylow, Wayne Carney, Kevin Coats, Lee Crosby, George Devendorf, David Durant, Jean Gladle, David Gilbo, Terry Heagle, Timothy Heagle, Raymond Hollister, and Reginald Kemp.

Also, Renee Kropat, Ricki Kropat, Theresa LeBlanc, Cindy Moquin, Angela Perretta, James Phillips, Joyce Richardson, Jane Robinson, JoAnne Robinson, Stephen Sherry, Kevin Smith, Kit Smith, Stephen St. Dennis, Jeffrey Turner, Karen VanSchaick, Barbara Warren and Edward Wilson.

## Canton Graduates 116 Seniors Friday

Canton — Diplomas were presented to the 116 members of the graduation class of 1971 by Frederick S. Wilder, president of the Board of Education of the Canton Central School District at commencement exercises held in the school gymnasium at 8 p. m., Friday.

After the processional played by the school orchestra under the direction of Mrs. Nancy Kear, the Rev. Calvin Zimmer, former pastor of the Canton Methodist Church offered the invocation.

Senior Class President Linda Smith gave the welcome and did the speaker introductions. Student speakers chosen from the top honor group of the graduating class and their topics were as follows: Linda Hardy, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Hardy spoke on "Goal Toward Self-Improvement"; David Peckham, son of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Peckham spoke on "Education: Preparation for Life"; and Michael James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin James, spoke on "Adding Up The Years".

The Rev. Gerald Service, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church of Canton offered the benediction and the program closed with the traditional recessional.

Seniors who graduated with academic averages of ninety or above were: Laurel Clute, Linda Hardy, Carol Holladay, Michael James, Sharon LaRue, Anne Menard, Linda Molnar, Douglas Murray, David Peckham, Kimberly Smithers, Philip VanHorne and Barney Watson.

Senior Class members who attained an average of 90 or above in their Regents Examinations were: Laurel Clute, Linda Hardy, John Harrigan,

Carol Holladay, Michael James, Anne Menard, Linda Molnar, Douglas Murray, David Peckham, Kimberly Smithers, Philip VanHorne and Barney Watson.

**Class of 1971**

Lori Atkins, Christine Alexander, Clarence Amo, Jean Ayraasian, Randy Barkley, Rance Bell, David Besaw, John Besto, Sherry Bissett, Mary Blackmer, James Bowers, Kathleen Brackett, Alberta Briggs, Karen Bucklin, David Canneen, Melinda Cannon. Also, Barry Carson, Mark Cartmill, Leander Chase, Lisa Clark, Laurel Clute, Kurt Conant, Mike Collo, Mary Cosco, Marcia Cota, Alan Cunningham, Daniel Curry, Roger Dafeo, Christine Daniels, Juanita Daniels, Patricia Davis, Stephen Dawley.

Also, Michael Dean, James DeMaio, Scott Dittman, Patricia Dowe, Darcy Downing, David Durocher, Gary

Eggleston, Duran Field, John Flanagan, Michael Frank, Robert Freego, Pamela Garnsey, Peter Gilson, Sheila Gilson, Calvin Grant, Linda Hardy.

Also, John Harrigan, Robert Hazelton, Lawrence Hazen, Sharon Hill, Mark Holberg, Carol Holladay, Mary Holland, David Hollenbaugh, Lorraine Houk, Karl Hubbard, Patrick Hughes, Douglas Huntley, Donald James, Michael James, Mark June, Brian Kingston, Peter Knauerhase, Sharon LaRue, Richard LeDuc, Gregory Locke, Christopher Locy, Patrick Locy, Mark MacLennan, Thomas MacLeod, Thomas Mahoney, and Martha Maine.

Also, Maureen Martin, Anne Menard, Linda Molnar, Thomas Monteith, Douglas Murray, Michael Navan, Angela Nevaldine, David Newell, Susan Norton, David Peckham, David Peggs, Heather Pelkey, Mary Perkins, Jean-Marie Pomerat, Douglas Potter, Charles Powell, Joan Powers, Brenda Radway, Marcia Ragan, Larry Reasoner, Walter Rexford, Leo Richardson, Roderick Roca, Richard St. Andrews, Robert St. Andrews, and Ronnie Shepherd.

Also, Bruce Shick, Joan Smith, Linda Jean Smith, Kimberly Smithers, Arthur Snyder, Kimberly Taylor, Charles Terrillion, Neil Todd, Ruth Underwood, William Underwood, Marcella Van Brocklin, Paul Van Dyke, Philip Van Horne, William Votra, Wilma, Votra, Barney Watson, Jenary Weaver, David Willard, Kevin Williams, Robert Williams, Stephanie Hendricks Williams, Barry Winters, Gerald York, Gilbert York and Sharon Milliron York.



**JOANNE ROBINSON**



**RENEE KROPAT**

**Morristown Little League Practice**

Fran Holleran again will direct the Morristown Little League summer program.

The league will open on July 1 and will end on August 16. Playoffs will begin on August 18.

Practice schedule for the teams next week are as follows:

June 28 - Spilman's Hoot's.

June 28 - St. Lawrence Agency, Lodge

June 28 - Perettas, Bogardus and Frito's.

All practices begin at 6:30 p.m.

Little League rules will be followed. All games will begin at 6:30 p.m.

**MAJOR SPORTS THRIVE**

NEW YORK (AP) — Major organized sports shattered previous attendance records in 1970 with horse racing, football, baseball and basketball boasting increases of two million or more fans, according to the annual survey taken by The Morning Telegraph and Daily Racing Form.

Thoroughbred racing drew 44,854,675 fans while harness racing attracted 29,177,742 followers. Football, both college and pro, drew a record 40,486,217. Major and minor baseball league games attracted 39,727,256 people. College and pro basketball drew 30,327,414 fans.

It is believed auto racing drew an estimated 42.5 million spectators.

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