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**New Bedford High School
Collection, 1827 to 1997**

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Extent: 2 linear feet (1 manuscript box and one print box)

Historical Note: New Bedford High School was established in 1827, with John F. Emerson principal, and was housed in a little green schoolhouse on Charles Street. It was abolished in 1829, and for eight years Mr. Emerson conducted a private high school. In 1837 the Public High School was revived under a mandatory state law, with Mr. Emerson at the head and met in the Elm Street Academy. The structure at County Street between Court and Morgan Streets was built 1910-1912, and in 1972 a new complex was built for the High School at 230 Hathaway Boulevard in the West End, its current location.

Scope and Contents Note: This collection primarily includes yearbooks, programs books for the annual R.O.T.C Drill and Ball gathering, school newspapers (The Crimson Courier), and a scrapbook compiled by Barbara Francis. It also includes report cards, photos, and newspaper articles relating to student Evelyn Hendricks, Class of 1937. The collection is an open series and may be added to at any time.

Dates: 1827 to 1997

Creators: New Bedford High School (New Bedford, Massachusetts)

Language: Materials entirely in English.

Source of Acquisition: Various donors

Restrictions on Access: None

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Box 1

Evelyn Hendricks (Class of 1937):

Photo of Evelyn Hendricks

Envelope of Evelyn Hendricks

Newspaper article "Coming Home to Help"

Newspaper article "Keepers of the Flame"

New Bedford High School: Graduation Exercises (1827-1937) (2)

Newspapers:

The Crimson Courier: April 1942

The Crimson Courier: January 18, 1946

The Crimson Courier: February 15, 1946

The Crimson Courier: November 21, 1946

The Crimson Courier: January 9, 1947

The Crimson Courier: February 27, 1947

The Crimson Courier: April 24, 1947

The Crimson Courier: June 11, 1947

The Crimson Courier: November 20, 1947

The Crimson Courier: January 20, 1948

The Crimson Courier: March 4, 1948

The Crimson Courier: April 15, 1948

The Crimson Courier: June 4, 1948

The Crimson Courier: November 18, 1948

The Crimson Courier: February 10, 1949

The Crimson Courier: December 1, 1949

The Crimson Courier: November 30, 1950

The Crimson Courier: March 15, 1951

NBHS publications:

Semi-annual Prize Drill and Ball: New Bedford High School Cadets December 29th, 1911

ROTC Semi-annual Drill and Ball: December 10th, 1937

ROTC Semi-annual Drill and Ball: December 14th, 1934

The Alpha: In Memoriam William Ervin Sargent, March 1910

High School Manual: New Bedford, Massachusetts 1924

Brochure: New Bedford High School: Dedication and Open House, October 29, 1972

Box 2

NBHS Yearbooks:

The Crimson Log: June 1949

N.B.H.S.: January 1937

N.B.H.S.: June 1929

N.B.H.S.: 1925

Cartoon Book: newspaper clippings and photos of the students at N.B.H.S.