

## CLASS OF 1949, CARLTON SCHOOL

I was very happy at school in Carlton. From our end of the village we all walked to school together. On the way home we often called into the shop where Miss Dolly Alcock had sweets in a big jar which she shared out between us, making sure we all got the same amount. Special favourites were the liquorice sticks, the sherbet and occasionally orange or lemon kali. We had a number of teachers:- Miss Thompson, Miss Agar, Miss Belcher, Miss Mee and Miss Shaw. She lived next to Joan Orton (then Savage) and she walked to school every day from Station Road in Market Bosworth.

We loved the nature walks down to the railway bridge. In Autumn we picked berries and leaves to colour or paint on brown paper. In fine weather we played outside in front of the school, or across the road in the field. In Winter we had coal fires which were lit early by Mrs Price so that the schoolroom was nice and warm when we arrived. We all had a small bottle of milk for morning break and in cold weather we had to thaw them out in front of the fire.



Memories of my schooldays, by Daphne Jones.

Starting at the back, Daphne Jones, Bruce Milnthorp, Betty Dobson, Gillian Alcock, Janet Price, Edwin Milnthorpe, Judy Bailey, Jack Orton, Florence Hipwell, Graham Farren, Phillip Hunt, Peggy Jones, Elaine Hunt, Sandra Liddington, Richard Liddington, Marlene Birchall and Joyce Dobson.