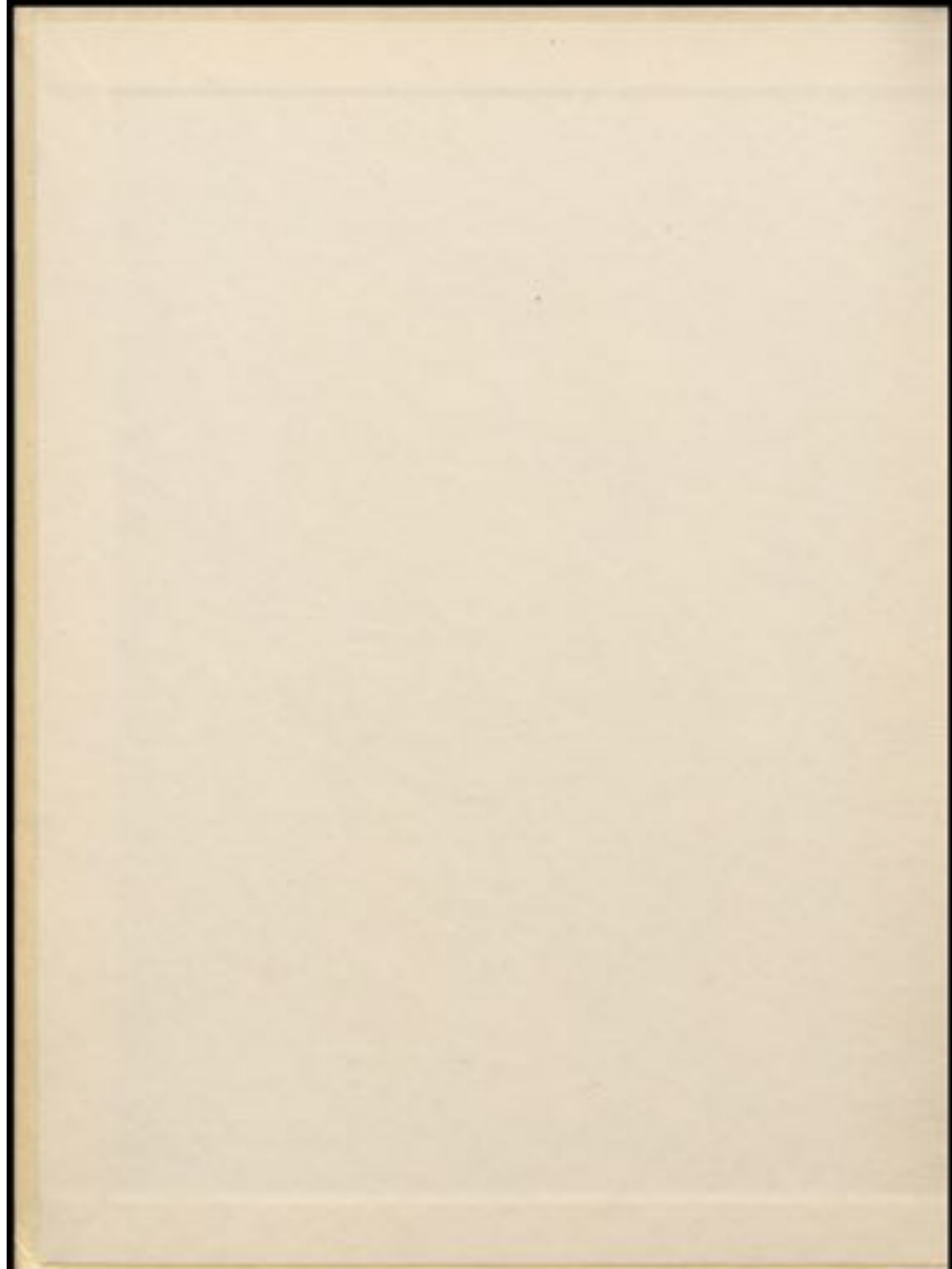


1946 TROJAN





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Forward . . .

We, the senior class of 1946, present this our edition of the "Trojan" to the underclassmen, our teachers and friends hoping that as they read it they will recall those "old school days" and revive the old school spirit which is instilled in their hearts.

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Dedication

To the Alumni and former students of this school who are serving or have served in our Armed Forces, we dedicate this annual, our last Senior project.

Especially do we wish to remember the boys who have given their lives for our country in the last world conflict.



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CLASS FLOWER

Gardenia

CLASS COLORS

Blue and Silver

CLASS MOTTO

"Not the end but the beginning"





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Board of Education

Meetings of the Board of Education are held the first Monday of each month. Members of the school board are elected every spring. We students never actually see this group doing the work that enables our school to carry on but we feel its guiding influence in the teachers they elect and the education we receive.



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Herbert Bauer

Class Play 2.



Mary Jean Bengford

Class Play 4, School Paper 4.

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Track 2-3-4, Annual 4.

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Girls' Glee Club 2-3-4, Class Play 4, F.T.A. 3, Cheerleader 4, Dramatics 1-2, Class Officer, Secretary 3.

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Girls' Glee Club 2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 4, Class Play 4, School Paper 4, Annual 4, Dramatics 2-3.

Ted Beums

Football 3-4, Class Play 3.



Gerald Buchanan

Concert Band 2, Mixed Chorus 1-2, Basketball 1-2, Track 2-3-4, Football 2-3-4, Class Play 2-3, Dramatics 2-4, Business Manager of Annual 4, Basketball Writer for Chronicle 4, Class Officer, Secretary-Treasurer 4.

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Bob Cornish

Concert Band 1-2-3-4, Marching Band 1, Cornet Trio 1-2-3-4, Brass Sextet 2-3-4, Brass Quartet 4, Chamber Group of Brass 2-4, Cornet Solo 2-3-4, Boys' Glee Club 3, Mixed Chorus 3-4, Basketball 3-4, Football 2-3-4, Track 3, Class Play 4, Annual 4, Class Officer, Vice-President 1, Secretary 2, Treasurer 2.

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Concert Band 4, Marching
Band 4, Class Play 4, F.F.A. 3,
Baton Teacher 3-4.



Lois Finger

School Paper 4.



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Football 3-4, Track 3-4, Class
Play 3, F.F.A. 3-4, F.F.A. Offi-
cer, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4,
Class Officer, Secretary 4.



Harold Gore

Football 4, F.F.A. 3-4, School
Paper 3.



Helen Louise Hannemann

Concert Band 1-2, Marching
Band 1-2, School Paper 4.



Douglas Hansen

Boys' Glee Club 3, Mixed Chor-
us 1-2, 3-4, Boys' Quartet 2-3-
4, Mixed Quartet 4, Solo 4,
Basketball 2-3-4, Football 1-2-
3-4, Track 1-2, 3-4, Class Play
2-4, Annual 4, Class President
3, Vice-President 2.

Barbara Hanson

Class Play 3, F.T.A. 3.



Duane Hoefling

Football 1-2, Track 1-2-3-4,
Class Play 3-4, F.F.A. 1-2-3-4.



Elaine Johnson

Girls' Glee Club 2-3-4, Mixed
Chorus 2-4, Sextet 4, F.T.A. 3.

Virginia King

Concert Band 2-3-4, Marching
Band 2-3-4, Woodwind Quintet
4, Horn Quartet 2-4, Piano Solo
2-4, Girls' Glee Club 2-3-4,
Mixed Chorus 4, Basketball 4,
Class Play 3-4, School Paper 4,
Annual 4.



Sally Mattox

Concert Band 1-2-3-4, March-
ing Band 1-2-3-4, Oboe solo 2,
Woodwind Quintet 1-2-3-4,
Woodwind Trio 2, Chamber
Group of Woodwinds 2-4,
Woodwind Quartet 3, Girls'
Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Mixed Cho-
rus 1-2-3-4, Vocal Solo 2-4,
Girls' Sextet 3, Girls' Trio 4,
Girls' Basketball 2-3-4, Class
Play 3-4, Annual 4, Homecom-
ing Attendant 2-3-4, Piano Ac-
companist for Vocal and In-
strumental Groups 1-2-3-4.

Crystal Moline

Girls' Glee Club 4, Basketball
4, Class Play 4, School Paper
4, Annual 4.



Irene McGee

Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Vocal Solo 1-2-3-4, Sextet 3-4, F.T.A. 3.

Bob Neville

Discharged Marine Veteran, Boys' Glee Club 1, Basketball 1-2-3, Football 1-2-3, Track 1-2-3, Class Play 3.



Elaine Olberding

Basketball 4, School Paper 4, Class Play 4.

Fred Rectoe

Concert Band 1-2-3-4, Cornet Trio 1-2-3-4, Brass Sextet 3-4, Brass Quartet 3-4, Piano Solo 1-2-4, Cornet Solo 3-4, Boys' Glee Club 1, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Basketball 2-3-4, Football 1-2-3-4, Track 2-3-4, Class Play 2-4, Annual 4, Class Officers, Secretary 2, President 1-3-4.



Darrell Schroeder

F.P.A. 1-2-3-4, Football 1-2, Track 1-2, Mixed Chorus 1-2.

Margie Schroeder

Glee Club 2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 4, Class Play 3, Cheerleader 3-4, School Paper 4.

Jimmy Scott

Boys' Glee Club 3, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Football 2-3, Track 1-2-3, Class Play 3-4, F.F.A. 1-2-3-4.

Lorraine Stock

Girls' Glee Club 4, Class Play 3-4, F.F.A. 3.

Carolyn Swanson

Concert Band 1-2-3-4, Marching Band 1-2-3-4, Woodwind Quartet 1-2-3-4, Chamber Group of Woodwinds 4, Saxophone Solo 3, Woodwind Quartet 3, Girls' Glee Club 2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 2-3-4, Girls' Sextet 4, Basketball 2-3-4, Class Play 3-4, Majorette 3-4, Layout Editor on Annual 4, Homecoming Attendant 4, Class Officer, Secretary-Treasurer 3.

Tom Taylor

Concert Band 1-2-3-4, Marching Band 1-2-3, Flute Solo 2-3-4, Flute Quartet 2-3-4, Boys' Glee Club 3, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Class Play 3-4, Manager of Boys' Athletic Team 4, Dramatics 3, Editor-in-Chief of Annual 4.

Clara Veit

Editor of School Paper 4, Annual 4.

Virginia Worrick

Concert Band 1-2-3-4, Marching Band 1-2-3-4, Flute Quartet 2-3-4, Woodwind Quartet 3-4, Chamber Group of Woodwinds 3-4, Girls' Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Girls' Trio 3-4, Mixed Quartet 4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Class Play 3-4, Copy Editor of Annual 4, Homecoming Attendant 3, Class Officer, President 1, Vice-President 3-4.





Class Will of 1946

We, the senior class of 1946, realizing the power of the atomic bomb, being mentally sound and of good health and judgment, do hereby make this our last will and testament:

To the class of 1947, we give the high and mighty title of "Seniors of G. H. S."

To the cynical underclassmen, we will our ability to get away with "murder".

Also the following possessions:

I, **Dan Ahrenschildt**, will my musty mustache to Wayne Johnson.

I, **Herbert Banet**, will my political background to Jerry Iversen.

I, **Mary Jean Bengtson**, bequeath my nonchalant ways to Dorothy Schneider.

I, **Wesley Berg**, will my bog raising ability to that true son of the soil, Kenny Wingert.

I, **Cornelius Bird**, give my Arthur class ring to Dicky Gardner for safe keeping.

I, **Murdell Blum**, bequest my teaching ability to Mr. Folsom.

I, **Beverly Boernet**, will my pleasing personality to Joyce Paulson.

I, **Theodore Bruns**, bequeath my "Charles Atlas physique" to Paul Simon.

I, **Gerald Buchanan**, will my cautious driving to the underclass members of Smith's Inc. Incorporated.

I, **Whitley Carlberg**, will my ability to get and keep my man to Mitze Horstman.

I, **Bob Coombs**, will my knowledge to the scatterbrained sophomore class.

I, **Dorothy Jean Currie**, give my quiet ways to Mitze Horstman.

I, **Janet Currie**, will my baton twirling ability to Jean Summers.

I, **Lois Finger**, give my collected thoughts in a classroom to Bob Kennedy.

I, **George Francis**, give my slim height to Aileen Linkquist.

I, **Harold Gare**, give my name to the bloody freshmen.

I, **Brian Hanselman**, bequeath my K. A. ability in American Literature to Aileen Linkquist.

I, **Douglas Hansen**, will my "timed and gats" attitude to Bill Chaffee.

I, **Barbara Hanson**, give my Swedish ways back to Sweden.

I, **Duane Hoefting**, will the cute Arthur basketball player back to the Arthur school faculty.

I, **Elaine Johnson**, will my blonde hair to Betty Dally.

I, **Virginia King**, give my Battle Creek class ring to all underclass girls who have the technique.

I, **Sally Mattes**, will my new Chevy pickup and cottage on on the lake to the wild sophomores for next year's Junior-Senior Prom.

I, **Crystal Molnar**, give my cooperative spirit to Jean Wagner.

I, **Irene McGee**, will my life Grove boy friend to the faculty for safe keeping.

I, **Bob Nesbitt**, will my experience and "man of the world" attitude to Bob Kennedy.

I, **Elaine Oebding**, will my green stacey to Gary Johnson.

I, **Fred Rechet**, bequeath my red hair and personality to Bill Bird.

I, **Darrell Schroeder**, will my ability with a slingshot to Duane Brown.

I, **Margie Schroeder**, will my height to Marybelle Hector.

I, **Jim Scott**, will my desire to grow to Jean Klingquist.

I, **Lorraine Stock**, give my interest in cattle to Duane Bettis.

I, **Carolyn Swanson**, in view of the present manpower shortage, have nothing to give away.

I, **Tom Taylor**, bequeath my girl to the Battle Creek school.

I, **Clara Veil**, will my typing ability to Duane Thayer.

I, **Virginia Worechek**, give Johnny Swanson back to the junior class with the right to borrow him at any time.





JUNIORS





First Row: (Left to Right) Hugo Conquist, Clyde Meyer, Jean Wagner, Bill Bye, Dorothy Schneider, Leonard Carstensen, Justina Bengford. Second Row: Jean Sommers, Donna Hanson, Charlotte Neville, Catherine Perry, Eunice Bihrer, Jeanette Story, Marjot Miller. Third Row: Austin Babcock, Dick Stephens, Mary Ann Godbersen, Phyllis Leach, Charles Heynhardt. Back Row: Don Rex, Vynola Peterson, John Swanson, Duane Thayer, Raymond Jockell.

JUNIOR CLASS

The Class of '47 has one more rung left in their climb up the ladder of knowledge at O. H. S. They are led by "Hono" Swanson, President, who advocates a "good neighbor policy"; "Pete" Peterson, Vice-president, the jitterbug of the class, and "Spirel" Rex, Secretary-treasurer, who doesn't like winters but likes Summers. Then there's "Dood" Bye, looking down at the sophomores; "Hopeless" Conquist and "Stub" Thayer-hepcats of the outfit; Charlotte Neville and Eunice

Bihrer—with the certain technique; Jean Wagner—her coyness(?); "Bango" Bengford, and "Blue Eyes" Sommers—the two queens of the junior class. "Elmer" Babcock—with his nose in a history book; Dick Stephens both eyes on women; Mary Ann Godbersen—honey colored blond; "Seub" Carstensen—silent, brainy type. And of course we have the best sponsors of them all in Miss "Jo" McCrory and Miss "Eadie May" Albert. It is a grand old class.





SOPHOMORES

SOPHOMORE CLASS



Top Row: (left to right) Kenneth Bengtson, Harold Anderson, Earle Murr, Miran Johnson, Earl Richardson, Daryl Stahr. Middle Row: Audrey Sarsbach, Carolyn Hildebrand, Frances Ruster, Marybelle Rector, Muriel Moffitt, Leona Veit, Bonnie Schneider. Bottom Row: Tim Sommer, Donna Mae Hachner, Betty Carlson, Donna Hachner, Mary Ann Dietrich, Jean Traugott, Kenneth Wingert.



Top Row: (left to right) Roger Linman, Bill Chaffee, Roger Kinsey, Bill Krausberger, Robert Schneider. Middle Row: Paul Rosen, Charles Gardner, Shirley Stahr, Betty Lou Elmspater, Leetta Schneider, Phyllis Fertig, James Carlin, Robert Kennedy. Bottom Row: Dolores Murr, Bonnie La Hachner, Lois Meyer, Beverly Williams, Betty Duffy, Marilyn Hartman, Carol Nelson, Carol Iys. Not in picture—Wayne Johnson, Irvin Hummel.



Freshmen

FRESHMEN CLASS



Back Row: (Left to Right) Robert Hansen, Hugh Cline, Ramon Dinges, Don Jackson. Middle Row: Duane Kinspale, Glenn Bernhardt, Douglas Barner, Mary Ann Burghoff, William Bird, Richard Gardner. Front Row: Robert Brown, Arda Lee Flignstad, Beverly Fries, Fernie Kessler, Dorothy Allrecht, Duane Olson.



Back Row: Richard Moor, Glenn Kennedy, Dallas Rohlf, Robert Moffitt. Middle Row: Clara Taphorn, Miriam Stephens, Beverly Wiet, Bill Ben, Robert Watts. Front Row: Donald Kennedy, Carol Youngren, Audrey Schultz, Alvera Larnick, Aileen Lindquist, Fayette Murr, James Kline. Not in Picture: Shirley Beckwith, Joan Elmgren, Roger Neville.



GRADES



EIGHTH GRADE Back Row: (Left to Right) Howard Howling, Charles Neville, Isabelle Ham, Joan Kim, Doyle Hannan, George Hammett, James Turner. Middle Row: Donald Rex, Joan Wilken, Lawrence Howling, James Barkley, Tom Reynolds, Jean Lindquist, Jo Ann Rye. Front Row: Donald Sorenson, Charles Gundersen, Charles Krasenferma, Jeanette Stephens, Jane Truogstad, Velma Paul, Barbara Marr, Jack Gundersen, Royce Hammett. Not in Picture: Eldon Olsen.



SEVENTH GRADE Back Row: (Left to Right) Lois Roth, Joyce Paulsen, Priscilla Francis, Donald Devesen, Ruth Treman, Nancy Witt. Middle Row: Inga Erickson, LaVonne Roth, James Marr, Marjorie Dingus, Kenneth Fastig, Dolores Hoebeek, Mary Lou Johnson. Front Row: Richard Swanson, Douglas Neville, Myron Devesen, Myra Devesen, Jack Norstrom, Janet Rudman, Mari Sorenson, Gordon Friday. Not in Picture: Ray Neville, Helen Beaber.



SIXTH GRADE

MRS. WESSMAN—First Row: (Left to Right) Joe Kipp, William Thorgaard, Georgia Hix, Helen Cranston, Janet Ogden, Joan McCorkindale, Ruth Krusenstjern. Second Row: Raymond Albrecht, Jerry Reynolds, Lawrence Kennedy, John Rex, Gerald Halverson, John Witt.



FIFTH GRADE

MISS HADE—Top Row: (Left to Right) Robert Moore, Vern Ogden, Dale Richardson, Danny Hansen, Donald Nusterman. Middle Row: Sharon Larson, Herman Scovsen, Dale Lange, Homer Paulsen, Gordon Haeftner. Bottom Row: Tullanna Challen, Marilyn Hoerling, Janice Brown, Peggy McGough, Marilyn Hansen, Audrey Baucke, Delores Meyer. Not in Picture: Cynthia Adams, Robert Hart.



FOURTH GRADE

MISS CHARLSON—Top Row: (Left to Right) James Kipp, Larry Purcell, Pat Svensson. Middle Row: Colleen Huby, Janice Turin, Dean Johnson, Larry Johnson, Ronald Bihren. Bottom Row: Yvonne Neville, Richard Treman, Dean Richardson, Shirley Elmgvist, Roger Duckley, John Kruusmatt. Not in Picture: Nancy Bostar, Josh Hummel.



THIRD GRADE

MISS BARBER—Top Row: (Left to Right) Charlotte Erickson, Mavis Wangle, Kay Baertner, Jeanne Huelter, Charles Huelter. Middle Row: Patry Huelter, Shirley Schaner, Ronald McGonigle, Lois Baerner, Phil Melhusen, Roger Gundersen. Bottom Row: Robert Hummel, Colleen Wiedersheim, Jerry Purcell, Ronald Flingsstad, Janice Gundersen, Warner Quick, Jerry Iversen.



SECOND GRADE MISS SWANSON—Top Row: (Left to Right) Donald Muir, Dennis Huff, Jimmy Nantzman, Craig Muir. Middle Row: Ellen Doranathia, Robert Girvan, Dick Hanson, Shirley Ruff, Howard Parry, Lela Allwright, Charles McWilliams. Bottom Row: Danny Hanson, Dorothy Hammel, Teddy Schuman, Claudia Fliegstad, Janice Richardson, Donna Buchler.



FIRST GRADE MRS. HELKENN—Top Row: (Left to Right) Nancy Neville, Clifton Albrecht, Richard Muir, Gloria Girvan, Billy Peters, Donald Muir, Richard Kennedy, Judy Ogden. Middle Row: Tommy Erickson, Marjorie Betts, Mildred Truluck, Larry Neville, Rochelle Dixon, Jean Hanson, Arlene Parry. Bottom Row: Franklin Cranston, Joyce Mandernach, Robert Deal, Jimmy Howard, Kyle McGonigle, Ronald Orendale, Tommy Morrison.



KINDERGARTEN Top Row: (Left to Right) Jane Leonard, Marylin Stripling, Curtis Nordell, Richard Thorpe, Rosalie Nusterman. Middle Row: Josephine Gunderson, Darrel Dahler, Pat Scanlan, Sandra Kay Highy, Karen Hummel. Bottom Row: Joyce Huff, Bernice Jean Ewasch, Gertrude Drenthaus, Jacquelin Quirk, Patry Scanlan, Richard Cranston, Judy Ann Wallam.



DRAMATICS





Carolyn, Marybelle, Bonnie, Donna

Declamation

The Home Declamatory Contest was held in the High School Auditorium, February 11, 1946. The two contestants in the oratorical division were Donna Mae Haefer and Phyllis Fertig. Entrants in dramatic were Alleen Lindquist, Mary Bengford, and Carolyn Huldeen. Marybelle Rector, Douglas Boerner, Bonnie Lu Haefer, and Joan Einspahr had humorous selections. Interpretative readings were given by Marybelle Rector, Marilyn Horstman, Betty Duffy, Paul Simon, Bonnie Lu Haefer, and Diane Thayer. Division one ratings were given to: Donna Mae Haefer, oratorical; Carolyn Huldeen, dramatic; Marybelle Rector, humorous; Marilyn Horstman, Marybelle Rector, and Bonnie Lu Haefer, interpretative readings. These winners competed against those from Deloit and Kiron in the first round of the State Speech Contest held in Odebolt.

Many students entered declamatory work this year. Much of the credit for this increased interest must be given to Mr. Fallesen and Mrs. Barkley, the coaches. Of the large number who entered the elimination contest February 4, most of the contestants were freshmen and sophomores.

It was quite a feather in the sophomores' caps that all five firsts given at the home contest were awarded to sophomore girls. Wayne Johnson, also a sophomore, won first in the Legion oratorical contest.

Marybelle has won the right to represent Odebolt in interpretative reading at the state contest at Oskaloosa by advancing through four speech contests. Here's wishing her good luck.

It is hoped there will be as much interest next year, and with all the promising freshmen and sophomores, Odebolt will have no lack of talent in 1947.



(Left to Right) Hope Compas, Jean Swanson, Don Rex, Eunice Hoyer, John Swanson

JUNIOR PLAY

CAST OF CHARACTERS

(In Order of Appearance)

Beverly Rains	Eunice Hoyer
Margaret Rains	Jeannine Story
Miss Hepplewhite	Dorothy Schroeder
Mrs. Ellington-Lewis	Hope Compas
Felix Heidler	Leonard Carstrom
Vincent Farnsworth, Jr.	Don Rex
Herbert Rains	Bill Hye
Ridney Rains	John Swanson
Julia Arnold	Jean Swanson
Jean Swanson	Joan Wagner
Vincent Farnsworth, Sr.	Don Rex
Mrs. Tracy	Charlotte Neville
Mr. Tierney	Clyde Meyer
Manuela Rodriguez	Jessie Bengford

SYNOPSIS

Herbert Rains, at sixteen, is already a musical genius. He and his friend, Vincent Farnsworth, are busy gathering materials to build a float, in which they are careful in keeping Beverly, who is Herbert's sister, from being involved. It is this float which causes Herbert to lose his audition with the famous music critic, Felix Heidler, to the despair of Mrs. Rains and Miss Hepplewhite, the music teacher.

Herbert falls in love with Jean Swanson, the pretty niece of Mrs. Ellington-Lewis, the leading aristocrat of his town. Jean promises to ride on the float, a miniature of the new high school building planned for the town.

During the parade the float collapses amid the merriment of the spectators.

Mr. Tierney, building contractor and competitor of Herbert's father, takes offense and threatens to sue Mr. Rains and Mrs. Ellington-Lewis, on account of the similarity of the model to his plans for the high school building.

Mr. Tierney is exposed as an unprincipled contractor who is endangering the children of the community by using inferior materials in order to underbid Herbert's father. Herbert is given another chance to play before the music critic due to the effort of Mrs. Ellington-Lewis.

REMARKS

Charlotte Neville was taken ill several days before the play was given, so her lines were given to Catherine Perry, who did a remarkable job of portraying Mrs. Tracy the night of the play. Two other members of the cast who had been able to take part in the matinee of the play became ill, and their parts were taken by Miss Holland in place of Jeannine Story in the part of Mrs. Rains, and Wynnie Peterson in place of Dorothy Schroeder for the part of Miss Hepplewhite.

Miss Holland and Mr. Fallesen directed the play.





Standing: (Left to Right) Shirley Carlberg, Fred Rector, Don Almonchotta, Virginia King, Bob Cornish.

Seated: Lorraine Stock, Gerald Buchanan.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

CAST OF CHARACTERS

George McIntyre	Don Almonchotta
Terry McIntyre	Shirley Carlberg
Mrs. McIntyre	Lorraine Stock
Professor McIntyre	Gerald Buchanan
Bepko	Elaine Johnson
Mrs. Patterson	Mardell Blum
Elsie Patterson	Virginia King
Traffic Officer	Jimmy Scott
Dutch	Fred Rector
Brian Stanley	Bob Cornish
Omar	Tom Taylor
Hal	Douglas Hansen
Pete	Duane Haeffling
Bill Atkins	Herbert Bauer
Sally Weber	Helen L. Hunsenmann
Prudence Darling	Carolyn Swanson
Patty Lorimer	Virginia Wierschick
Jane	Cystal Malone
Miriam	Sally Matthe
Vivian	Beverly Doerner

SYNOPSIS

The senior class of '46 presented a three-act comedy, "Growing Pains," as their class play. The stage action was directed by Mrs. J. C. Barkley with Mr. Follmer assisting.

The play deals with the problems of two growing children, Terry and George, and of the helpful intentions of their parents, Professor and Mrs. McIntyre. Terry, hitherto a loner, decides to give a party to show that she is a refined lady of mature years. George is possessed with the idea of owning a car and impressing a modern girl friend, Prudence Darling, who has just moved into the neighborhood. He meets much rivalry for the attentions of Prudence in his pals, particularly young Brian, who is the object of Terry's affections.

At the party George tries to monopolize Prudence but to his disgust he is sent to get refreshments by his mother. In his hurry to get back, he exceeds the speed limit and is subsequently arrested by the traffic officer and taken to jail.

Finally, George realizes that Prudence does not actually consider him seriously. Although this is a tremendous shock to him, he is ready to fall in love with Vivian, another newcomer, as the play ends.

MUSIC:





GLEE CLUB

Back Row: (Left to Right) Beverly Baerner, Leona Black, Elaine Johnson, Jeannine Story, Jean Sommers, Dorothy Schneider, Marybelle Rector, Virginia King, Carolyn Swanson. **Middle Row:** Marilyn Horstman, Irene McGee, Alison Lindquist, Eunice Bhrer, Phyllis Fretig, Sally Mattes, Virginia Warwick, Miss Albert. **Front Row:** Jean Wagner, Margie Schneider, Betty Enquist, Crystal Moline, Hope Cusquist, Betty Duffy, Lois Meyer.

VOCAL MUSIC

In our vocal work we have three divisions: large groups, small groups, and soloists, all of these under the able supervision of Miss Edythe Albert.

Our two large groups are a mixed chorus and a girls' glee club. These two groups have both had a schedule of two practices a week. Both groups have worked on some very difficult selections and turned out some fine work. The accompanist for these two groups this year was Sally Mattes.

There were four small vocal groups in our high school this year. They are the girls' trio, girls' sextet, mixed quartet, and boys' quartet. All of these groups performed at various local occasions

throughout the school year.

We have nine students doing solo work who will represent Odébolt in the district music contest. Singing first soprano solos are Mittie Horstman, Irene McGee, and Jeannine Story. The second soprano soloists are Sally Mattes, Jean Sommers, and Jean Wagner. The only alto soloist is Marybelle Rector. Three boys have done solo work this year: Doug Hansen, Roger Linman, and Clyde Meyer.

All of the students who participated in vocal work find it an interesting extra curricular activity and well worth their time.



SEXTET

Carolyn Swanson, Marybelle Rector, Jean Summers, Jeannine Story, Elaine Johnson, Irene McGee.

GIRLS' TRIO

Virginia Worwick

Sally Mattes

Marilyn Horstman





MIXED CHORUS

Back Rows (Left to Right): Jeannine Story, Elaine Johnson, Bob Hansen, Fred Rector, Roger Lissman, Maryville Bantier, Carolyn Swanson. **Third Row:** Beverly Bower, Jean Sommers, Don Alenhardt, John Swanson, Don Ben, Virginia King, Virginia Wornick. **Second Row:** Marge Schneider, Irene McFay, Dorothy Schreiber, Douglas Hansen, Bob Urich, Doyle Hansen, Duane Trayer, Sally Mattes, Lois Meyer, Miss Albert. **Front Row:** Marilyn Horstman, Jean Wagner, Clyde Meyer, Jimmy Runt, Charles Gardner, Paul Hinson, Hugo Campbell, Betty Duffy.

CONTEST RESULTS

The district music contest was held in Ida Grove Friday and Saturday, April 5 and 6. Instrumental competition was carried on Friday with Odebolt's small groups all winning a division one rating. These small groups were the woodwind quintet, flute quartet, brass sextet, horn quartet, trumpet trio, clarinet quartet, and drum ensemble.

The three instrumental soloists with top ratings were: Don Jackson, drum; Fred Rector, piano; Duane Trayer, baritone. The band, appearing in the standby uniforms of purple and white, put on their best performance to also gain highest honors. Saturday morning and afternoon the vocal soloists and small groups performed. The vocal soloists who rated first were Marilyn Horstman and Sally Mattes. The girls' trio, girls' sextet, and mixed

quartet were given one ratings in small groups. Saturday night, the large vocal groups were judged, which included Odebolt's mixed chorus and girls' glee club. These two large groups had the distinction of being the only two large groups from one town which both received firsts.

In the state contest to be held in Sac City, April 26 and 27, Odebolt will be represented by eighteen entries of soloists, small groups, and large groups. At this contest the band hopes to appear for the first time in the band's new uniforms. As this is the first year in several years that large groups have been allowed to go to state contest, the band, glee club, and mixed chorus are working to make the season end with even more success.



MIXED QUARTET

Roger Linman

Marilyn Horstman

Virginia Worwick

Douglas Hansen

BOYS' QUARTET

Roger Linman

Don Rex

John Swanson

Douglas Hansen





Odebolt High School Band

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

The followers of the Odebolt High School Band will not see the old familiar purple and white uniforms this year. By contest time new uniforms of navy blue and gold will have arrived.

The money for the purchase of the new uniforms was raised largely by student magazine sales and by the hard work of the local Band Boosters Club. Under the sponsorship of this club, benefit dances, card parties, and movies were held to raise the needed money. Other important sources of this money were the donations, for which every band member is grateful.

The band is now working to make it as easy on the ear as it will be on the eye when it attends the preliminary contest at Ida Grove in April. Mrs. Mabel Schoeberl, Odebolt band director, has chosen "The Student Prince" by Romberg and "The Second Norwegian Rhapsody" by Christensen to be the band's contest selections. Every member is busy "digging out" his part so that the band might have a good chance at a first rating.

Small groups to compete in the contest and with their eyes on the honors are: the trumpet trio, the brass sextet, horn quartet, drum ensemble, clarinet quartet, woodwind quintet, and the flute quartet.

Odebolt will also be represented by the following soloists: Harold Anderson, tuba; Tom Sommers, trombone; Tom Taylor and Alleen Lindquist, flute; Jean Sommers, Jo Anne Einspahr, and Eunice Bührer, clarinet; Charles Gardner, saxophone; Bob Moffitt and Duane Thayer, baritone; Don Jackson, drum, and Bob Cornish, cornet.

One of the highlights of the band season this year was the appearance of Karl King, conducting a massed band. The members were representatives of Sac City, Ida Grove, Schaller, Holstein, Arthur and Odebolt. The concert was much enjoyed by the participants and it provided good experience.

From all indications this should be a red letter year for the Odebolt band. A good contest season is all that is needed to finish the job.



Jean Sommers, majorette; Marybelle Rector, drum major; Carolyn Swanson, majorette.

OUR MARCHING BAND

The marching band under the direction of Mrs. Schoeberl with Marybelle Rector as drum major performed for all six home football games. Carolyn Swanson and Jean Sommers did an excellent job

as twirlers. No matter how cold the weather or how tight the uniforms fit, the marching band came through with color and spirit for the football games.

BRASS QUARTET

(Pictured to right)

Duane Thayer, baritone
Tom Sommers, trombone
Fred Rector, cornet
Bob Cornish, cornet









FOOTBALL SQUAD

Back Row: (Left to Right) Bill Krausmiller, Earl Richardson, Myron Johnson, Gerald Richardson, John Swanson, Don Rex, Douglas Hansen, Bob Connick, Fred Rector, Don Ahrenholtz, George Francis, Bill Bye. **Middle Row:** Tom Taylor, Manager; Austin Babcock, Bob Hansen, Duane Thayer, Raymond Jeckell, Raymond Dinges, Bob Schwallier, Kenneth Wingert, Clyde Meyer, Roger Kinsey, Charles Bernhardt, Kenneth Bengtson, Coach Forsythe. **Bottom Row:** Tom Summers, Duane Elmgahr, Bill Chaffee, Bob Watts, Harold Anderson, Wayne Johnson, Bob Muffitt, Hany Gore, Harold Gore, Earl Moor.

Football

The 1945 Trojan football team compiled the best record of any grid team in the history of Odebolt High School. The Trojans were one of eleven teams out of 274 in Iowa that turned in perfect records for the season. Besides bringing home a first-place trophy in the Maple Valley Conference, the Trojans were rated second best in the state in defensive averages.

Approximately 30 candidates reported to Coach Glenn Forsythe for the early season drills and before the end of the season the squad had increased to 42, indicating the high type of football interest and enthusiasm that prevailed in Odebolt for 1945.

In the first play of the opening game of the season, the Trojans gave a preview of their speed, power, and excellent blocking when Don Rex galloped through the Schaller eleven 72 yards for the first score of the season. The next two times Odebolt gained possession of the ball also resulted in touchdowns. Odebolt's "T" formation had bewildered

Schaller to the tune of 45-0.

Against Correctionville the Purple and Gold grid-ders ran into tougher opposition, but with excellent line play bottling up Morgan, Correctionville speedster, and Bill Bye getting loose for several long gains, the Trojans emerged victorious 26 to 0.

Glidden was the first team to cross Odebolt's goal line. However, Odebolt made a second-half comeback to submerge Glidden 27-12 for their third win. Duane Thayer provided the spark that kept the Trojans out in front. At Merville the local team defeated the '44 Maple Valley Champs in one of the hardest games of the season. Doug Hansen, Fred Rector, Clyde Meyer, and Don Ahrenholtz stood out in this important 20-0 victory.

Alta was our Homecoming guest, but the Trojans treated them in no hospitable style. Result: Odebolt 54, Alta 0. Over 30 players saw action and even the third stringers broke into the scoring column.

Playing an afternoon game on Dunlap's rough and unkempt field, Odebolt played their poorest game of the season. Stopped on the ground, Odebolt took to the air to win 12 to 0. Rector to Ahrenholtz was the passing combination that clicked for the touchdowns.

Climax of the season was the game with Sac City. The Indians, with a team that was able to tie Carroll and defeat Harlan, Cherokee, Ida Grove, Denson, and Rockwell City, were upset by the smaller band of Trojans who fought all the way to maintain a perfect record. The final score was 14 to 13 in favor of Odebolt. Sac City scored first to place Odebolt behind for the first and only time during the entire season. However, the Trojans took the next kickoff and with the aid of a few passes and quick-opening plays were able to score on Sac City. Rector's try for extra point was good, and the local team was ahead at the half, 7 to 6.

Fred Rector provided the greatest thrill of the season when he intercepted a Sac pass and ran over 65 yards to score in the third quarter. His attempt for extra point was good and Odebolt led 14 to 6. In the final stanza Sac City turned on all its power, but it was too late. The fighting Trojans refused to give up, and Sac was able to score only one more touchdown before the game ended.

In this crucial game, Odebolt played without the services of John Swanson and Don Ahrenholtz, regular right tackle and right end, who were out with injuries. Clyde Meyer, stellar guard, played less than half of the game because of an injury also.

After a slow start, the Trojans won their eighth game of the season by defeating Wall Lake 41 to 0. In their final game, they brushed aside Holstein, traditional rival, by the score of 41 to 12. Seven seniors played their last grid game for Odebolt and Coach Glenn Forsythe. The seniors were Bob Cornish, Don Ahrenholtz, Fred Rector, Doug Hansen, Gerald Buchanan, George Francis, and Ted Bruns.

Much of the success of the Trojans was due to fine blocking and excellent line-playing. Stand-outs on the line were John Swanson, Don Ahrenholtz, George Francis, Clyde Meyer, Bill Krusenstjerna, Bob Schwaller, Ted Bruns, and Gerald Buchanan. The line was ably supported by Roger Kinney, Myron Johnson, Earl Richardson, and Kenneth Wingert. The principal backfield performers were Fred Rector, Doug Hansen, Bill Bye, Don Rex, Bob Cornish, Duane Thayer, and Kenneth Bengford. Tom Taylor served as student manager for the undefeated and untied Trojans.



FIRST TEAM

Back Row: (Left to Right) Bill Bye, Don Rex, Fred Rector, Douglas Hansen, Bob Cornish, Kenneth Bengford. **Front Row:** Don Ahrenholtz, John Swanson, Bob Schwaller, Bill Krusenstjerna, Clyde Meyer, Gerald Buchanan, George Francis.



TIME OUT



KEEP GOING

FOOTBALL SCORE BOX

Odebolt 45	Schaller	0
Odebolt 26	Correctionville	0
Odebolt 27	Glidden	12
Odebolt 20	Marville	0
Odebolt 54	Alta	0
Odebolt 12	Dunlap	0
Odebolt 14	Sac City	11
Odebolt 41	Wall Lake	0
Odebolt 41	Holstein	12



LIGHT PRACTICE



HES TACKLED



Sally Mattes, Bonnie Jean Raasch, Muriel Moffitt, Juanita Bengford, Carolyn Swanson, Betty Duffy.

Homecoming

This year Homecoming was filled with more fun, noise, and enthusiasm than the students of O.H.S. have ever had. The success of the pep rally and bonfire, held the evening before Homecoming, is evident in the score of the next day's football tilt: Odebolt 34, Alta 0. As the fire burned, the band played, the crowd yelled, and encouraging pep talks were given by Frank Mattes and Ralph Swanson. After the fire had burned, everyone joined in a snake dance, led by the band through town.

The next evening Juanita Bengford, the junior representative, was crowned "Queen of Homecoming." The queen's attendants were Sally Mattes and Carolyn Swanson, seniors, and Betty Duffy and Muriel Moffitt, sophomores. The queen and her attendants were chosen by a popular vote of the students.

On arriving at the football field, the royal party entered through an aisle formed by the members of the two football teams. Juanita was escorted to the throne by the captain of the Alta team and Doug Hansen and Fred Rector, co-captains of the Trojans. The crown, which was carried by tiny

Bonnie Jean Raasch, was placed on the queen's head by Doug Hansen.

Presiding as "Queen of Homecoming," Juanita tossed the coin which determined who would receive the kick-off. After the victorious game, the Alumni gathered in the auditorium for coffee and doughnuts, thus ending an outstanding Homecoming for O. H. S.







Back Row: (Left to Right) Juanita Doughton, Carolyn Swanson, Sally Matten, Elaine O'Leary, Virginia King, Hope Chaslett, Lois Meyer. Front Row: Miriam Threeman, Virginia Woodcock, Jeannine Story, Betty Eassey, Crystal Malone, Mrs. Shogart.

Girls Basketball

After a slow start, the 1945-46 team began to play real basketball as the season came to a close. Of course, like every other team that comes out at the wrong end of the score, the Trojanettes could enumerate excuse after excuse as to the cause of defeat. It's not the defeats we want to remember though, but the fun we had playing.

Some Game Facts:

1. Phoebe hit the highest individual score in her 27 points in the game with Auburn in the semi-finals of the county tournament.
2. Ginny's average for the season was 15 points per game in the fourteen games of the season.
3. The Trojanettes averaged 25.5 points per game.
4. 39.4 per cent was the accuracy figure on free throws.
5. Juanita was our roughest player, averaging 4 fouls a game, with Sally close behind averaging 3.8 fouls. In the opposite was Carolyn who made .9 foul per game.
6. Carolyn attributes our victory over Kim to her clean socks.
7. Lois has decided to tape her glasses on next year rather than wear a glass guard. She says that her glasses were always falling off anyway.
8. Maybe Jeannine's and Juanita's good luck charms will get in the feel of things next year and cast a lucky charm.
9. What would the team have done without Marybelle to secure for us oranges, lemons, and hard to get gum, and to give us those wonderful massages after the games.

Every Trojanette gave her all for the team this year including the Mascot who ended the season with a bad neck. Just remember "It isn't whether you win or lose that counts, it's how you play the game," somebody said. Needless to say we've taken it for the motto of the Trojanettes.

Season's Record

Odebolt	19	Wall Lake	34	Odebolt	34	Wall Lake	39
Odebolt	16	Arthur	18	Odebolt	33	Kiron	18
Odebolt	19	Holstein	34	Odebolt	22	Schaller	43
Odebolt	20	Auburn	33	Odebolt	21	Galva	39
Odebolt	13	Arthur	27	Odebolt	14	Holstein	38
Odebolt	13	Arthur	30	Odebolt	29	Schaller	39
Odebolt	58	Auburn	76	Odebolt	45	Wall Lake	51





Back Row: (Left to Right) Duane Thayer, Douglas Hansen, Fred Rector, Don Ahrenholtz, Bob Cornish. Front Row: Austin Babcock, Charles Boenhardt, John Swanson, Bill Bye, Don Rex.

Boys Basketball

The Odebolt Trojans opened their 1945-'46 basketball season with a 37 to 21 victory over Wall Lake, and closed it when they were eliminated, 49-35 by Mason in the district tournament. During the season the Trojans won thirteen games, while losing seven, including runner-up in the county tournament, and trophy for district qualifier in class A. They did this by downing the strong Holstein quintet, 28-24 in the semi-final round of the sectional. The second team had the successful season of being beaten only once in five starts.

There were some high spots of the season that were not noticed by the average fan, but which meant much to the Odebolt team. For instance, the last game against Lake View, which Odebolt

won, 47-21, was the first win over a Lake View team in three years. The defeat of Battle Creek 34-25, was the first Odebolt victory in the history of competition between the two schools. The surprise win over Early in the county tournament, and two out of three against Holstein, especially that one in the sectional, all helped to make the season seem successful.

Four seniors, Ahrenholtz, Cornish, Hansen, and Rector, finished competition for Odebolt this year. However, prospects look good for next year, with an able quintet of juniors taking over, supported by good sophomore and freshmen prospects. Besides the four seniors, letter winners this year included five juniors: Bye, Rex, Swanson, Thayer, and Babcock.

SEASON'S RECORD

Odebolt 37	Wall Lake 21	Odebolt 41	Schaller 22
Odebolt 33	Arthur 31	Odebolt 30	Auburn 27*
Odebolt 17	Danbury 33	Odebolt 16	Nemaha 34
Odebolt 36	Lake View 39	Odebolt 17	Alta 29
Odebolt 34	Holstein 22	Odebolt 47	Lake View 21
Odebolt 36	Auburn 34	Odebolt 22	Holstein 42
Odebolt 35	Battle Creek 24	Odebolt 35	Schaller 24
Odebolt 28	Galva 47	Odebolt 46	Wall Lake 24
Odebolt 24	Arthur 23	Odebolt 28	Holstein 24
Odebolt 35	Early 28	Odebolt 35	Manson 49

* Overtime



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Don Ahrenholtz (8) Odebolt, takes the ball after an unsuccessful shot by Schaller in the Sac county basketball tournament. Others are John Swanson, (4) Odebolt; Fred Rector, (14) Odebolt and Arlis Carlberg, (11) Schaller. Odebolt won 41 to 22.

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Back Row: (Left to Right) Donald Dreessen, Bob Muffitt, George Hummel, Doyle Hansen, Howard Hoofling, Glenn Bernhardt, Don Jackson. **Front Row:** Myron Dreessen, Gordon Friday, Ruthe Rex, Dick Swanson, Kenneth Feurig, Dick Murr.





Back Row: (Left to Right) Don Rex, Bob Cornish, John Swanson, Fred Rector, Gerald Buchanan, Don Ahrenholtz, Douglas Hansen, Kenneth Wingert, Bill Bye. **Middle Row:** Bill Chaffee, Bill Krusentzjerna, Tom Summers, Harold Anderson, Leonard Carstensen, Charles Gardner, Don Jackson, Douglas Baertner. **Front Row:** Austin Hahncock, William Hied, Don Kourady, Dick Moen.

Track

TRACK SQUAD



The 1946 Trojan track squad started the season by placing fifth in the state indoor meet for Class B schools at Iowa City. The Trojans scored their points in the indoor meet when Bill Bye romped home first in the mile run, Don Ahrenholtz lead the field in the 880, and the medley and mile relay teams scored second and third places. The relay teams were composed of Doug Hansen, Fred Rector, Gerald Buchanan, Don Ahrenholtz, and Bill Bye. Bye ran his event in the state meet with just one shoe, having lost the other before the first quarter was over.

Besides the relays and distant running events during the season, the Trojans were able to gather points in other departments. Fred Rector scored consistently in the high jump, John Swanson



Back Row: (Left to Right) Gerald Richardson, John Swanson, Don Afenhardt, Fred Zector, **Front Row:** Bob Cornish, Douglas Hansen, Kenneth Wingert, Bill Byn.



racked up points by his hurdling. Doug Hansen was outstanding in the 440, and Harold Gore, Duane Hoefling, Duane Thayer, Kenneth Wingert, Don Rex, and George Francis also took part in the scoring. The Trojans were weak in the sprints, discus, shot-put and pole vault.

Thirty-nine candidates were on the squad. The Trojan thinclads took part in ten meets, including the state meets, Drake, Holstein, Tomahawk and Sac relays.

Other members of the squad were Clyde Meyer, Myron Johnson, Austin Babcock, Earl Morr, Harold Anderson, Bill Krusenstjerna, Tom Sommers, Bill Chuffee, James Currie, Dick Morr, Charles Gardner, Leonard Cantensen, Carol Youngren, Duane Einspahr, Glen Konrady, Don Konrady, Bill Bird, Doug Boerner, Raymon Dinges, Wayne Johnson, Don Jackson, Cornelius Bird, Kenneth Bengford, Dick Stephens, Bob Hansen and Huey Gore.





Annual Staff

Here's that annual you have heard so much about. Tom Taylor, editor-in-chief; Gerald Buchanan, business manager; Virginia Worswick, copy editor; and Carolyn Swanson, layout editor, comprised the main annual staff. Mr. Forsythe, having had journalism experience, became our sponsor. Also Mrs. Forsythe spent many hours that the "TROJAN" might go to press. Tom Taylor also doubled as photographer. (The outstanding cartoons of the annual were drawn by Richard Swanson Sp (x) Sc.)

The idea of having an annual was conceived by Gerald Buchanan, who wrote an editorial in the school paper boosting his idea. He brought the idea before the next class meeting and a committee composed of Gerald Buchanan, Tom Taylor, Virginia Worswick and Carolyn Swanson was appointed to investigate the possibilities. At the following class meetings this committee reported favorably and the class voted to have an annual.

The hard work began when the staff had decided what the annual was to contain. Virginia assigned the write-ups on various subjects. Carolyn started the complicated job of placing everything in the annual. Tom made sure everyone worked and he started the long job of taking and retaking pictures. Gerald's job was to make sure the annual would work out financially.

A pep skit on January 28 launched the two weeks campaign for subscriptions. The students were slow to respond but a high percentage of them bought annuals. Shirley Carlberg and Tom Taylor helped the business manager in this task.

Fred Rector and Don Ahrenbolts were appointed chairmen of advertisement sales by Gerald Buchanan. With a crew of twenty-two salesmen, they covered Odebolt and neighboring towns. The majority of the local businessmen contacted bought advertisements, but out-of-town reception was not so good.

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The School Chronicle news, which is published every week in The Odebolt Chronicle, is collected throughout the week by the staff and staff reporters. Journalism, to some extent is practiced in this way by the members of the stenography class. The school news in the local paper is edited by this class to inform the public as to what is being done from the first through the twelfth grades.

The editor of the School Chronicle was Clara Veit, who was elected to this position of responsibility by the members of the class. Clara says of the paper, "All the staff members and staff reporters worked with co-ordination and enthusiasm all year and if you have read the School Chronicle this school term of '45 and '46, you know they did a fine job, and I was proud to be the paper's editor."

The commercial class has also opened a public service program by doing work for anyone who wishes typing and mimeographing done. The class has done work for the high school office, for some of the teachers, and for the American Red Cross.





Back Row: Left to Right: Ted Brown, Raymon Dugas, Earle Murr, George Francis, Raymond Jordell, Mr. Hawk, Dick Stephens. Third Row: Darrel Bahr, Roger Linman, Don Ahrensoltz, Austin Belenck, Dallas Ruff, Duane Einspahr. Second Row: Kenneth Wingert, Wayne Johnson, Darrell Schroeder, Duane Hoeffling, Wesley Berg, Harold Gore, Roger Neville. Front Row: James Carrow, Bob Schwaiger, Robert Brown, Clyde Meyer, Jimmy Scott, Charles Gardner, Carol Youngren.

F. F. A.

The Odebolt Chapter of Future Farmers is composed of twenty-six members. The F. F. A. is a national organization of boys studying vocational agriculture in secondary schools under the provisions of the National Vocational Education Act.

The aims and purposes of the Future Farmers are to develop competent, aggressive rural and agricultural leadership, to create and nurture a love of country life, to strengthen the confidence of farm boys and young men in themselves and their work, and to create more interest in the intelligent choice of farming occupations. A further aim and purpose is the development of individual farming programs and establishment in farming; these encourage members to improve the farm home and its surroundings and to participate in worthy undertakings for the improvement of agriculture. Future Farmers also have as objectives: participat-

ing in cooperative community affairs, practicing of thrift, improving scholarship, and providing and encouraging the development of organized rural recreational activities.

The officers of the F. F. A. this year were: Don Ahrensoltz, president; Clyde Meyer, vice-president; Wesley Berg, treasurer; George Francis, secretary; Wayne Johnson, reporter.

The first and second basketball teams of the F. F. A. played nine games this year as one of the activities of the organization. The teams won four games from Sac City and lost two to Wall Lake. In the F. F. A. tournament held at Denison, the team won from Harlan but was defeated by Manning in the semi-finals. In the consolation round the Odebolt F. F. A. team lost third place by being beaten by Carroll only one point. George Francis was captain of the team.



F. T. A.—(Left to Right) Janet Currie, Elaine Johnson, Irene McGee, Lorraine Stock, Barbara Hanson.

F. T. A.

The Future Teachers of America were organized last year by the normal training class under the guidance of Kathryn Kelch. At the meetings, the program usually consisted of a discussion on current affairs, the teaching profession, or various phases of teaching. The meetings, which were held in the homes of the girls, were brought to a close by recreation and a light lunch.

This year the members of the F. T. A. and Miss Kelch decided not to renew their charter as Miss Kelch would be leaving and their meetings would be discontinued. However, the members all got

together at Christmas and had a farewell for Miss Kelch.

Mr. Lauterbach, county superintendent, comes around each year with state examinations which determine whether or not the F. T. A.'s are eligible to receive a teaching certificate. With the help the girls have received from Miss Kelch and Mr. Ogden, they are hoping that they will be successful teachers.

Members of the F. T. A. were Mardell Blom, Janet Currie, Barbara Hanson, Elaine Johnson, Irene McGee, and Lorraine Stock.



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