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I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude and thanks to the members of the Mt. Pleasant High School Alumni, the Senior Class, the entire student body, and the school staff for the cooperation, support and loyalty which you have given me in my capacity as Superintendent of the Mt. Pleasant Schools over the past nine years. It is with many regrets that I leave so many people at the end of this school year You have always been a grand group with which to work. Any accomplishments which I might enumerate are largely due to the fact that we have worked cooperatively and enthusiastically together. To the Seniors let me extend my sincere best wishes for a bright and successful future. I know that you will bring honor and distinction

to your Alma Mater in the years ahead. To the under-classmen and staff, I extend my best wishes for continued success as you continue to work together I will cherish your friendships always.

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Chas. B. Park, Supt.

DEDICATION

The Senior class of 1948 gratefully dedicates the annual Senior issue of the Stude to Superintendent of Schools Charles B. Park. It is with mingled feelings of sadness and joy that we bid him

goodbye as he leaves to assume his new duties at Bay City. Sadness in that we, here in Mt. Pleasant, lose a leader whose paramount philosophy of education has always been the welfare of the student body. Joy in the fact that his new duties and responsibilities are of such a nature that his new theatre of activity will enable him to mount yet higher in the field of education.

So then-for constant dedication to duty, understanding, leadership and example of the highest type in all phases of scholastic endeavor, the Senior class wishes to say goodbye, Mr. Park, thanks and good luck.

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TO THE CLASS OF '48

Four years in high school, now Commencement; four years of trying on various personalties in the search for one which fits and which will mould and integrate your life and your character I've tried to be very tolerant in estimating talent, lest I be led astray by admiration for what might be called the negative virtues-those which keep a student out of trouble, and lest I assume that it is to be found in scholarship alone.

Our daily sessions in government class have revealed that the truths of democracy are not difficult to understand, they are only difficult cult to practice. They are the very simple truths of the "Golden Rule," the brotherhood of man and the social behavior which these involve. We have stayed quite close to the purpose of learning not what to think, as is emphasized in a totalitarian state, but rather how to think, and to discover the difference between truth and falsehood, knowledge and prejudice; to acquire facts and to practice the use of these facts, a growth in the ability to use the mind in what we call straight thinking.

BEST WISHES



L. C. Wendt, Principal

Mary J. Cascarelli—"A regular girl and best of pals." G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Norell Mahon—"Tho' I look like a tooth pick, I'm a match for anyone." Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football Manager 3, 4.

Betsy M. Peters—"Why speak unnecessary words?" Thunder-bird Club 1, 2; Library Club 3.



Marilyn Davis—"Any more at home like her?" Class Sec. 1; Dramatics Club 1, 2; Y-Teens 2, 3; Modern Dance 4; Student Council 1; Band 4; Majorette 4; Social Committee 2, 3; Senior Play.

Betty Jo Anne Jolly "Her brown eyes mirror a pleasant disposition" Dramatics 4; Transferred from Illinois.

Roy Bert Sunderman—"He stays up nights trying to figure out how he can get more sleep."

Betty M. Beal-"Few words are her motto." Chorus 1, 2, 3; F.H.A.

Leis E. Price — "Life surely is worth living." Transferred from Grand Rapids 4; Choir 4; Dra-matics Club 4; Ushers Club 4; Operetta 4; Madrigals 4.

Oliver S. McBride—"I wonder if anyone knows I'm here." Choir 1, 2; Football Reserves 1, 2; Varsity Football 3, 4; Voice Class 1; Basketball 2; Track 4.

Page Bellinger—"All great men are dead and I don't feel so well myself." F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; Stu-dent Council 2, 3, 4; Class Pres. 4; Elections and Constitutions (Chairman) 4; F.F.A. State Farm-er Degree 4; Citizenship Team 4.

Lorraine Morten — "A rolling stone gathers no moss." Trans-ferred from E. Detroit 4. Choir 4; Modern Dance 4.

Thomas Richmond—"Noré but himself can be his equal." Foot-ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3,4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Pres. 1; Vice Pres. Student Council 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Class Play 4.





Donna Roberts—"Always jolly, never sad." Joan A. Bailey—"Bashful, but not backward." G.A.A. 1; Band 1, 2; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4 Treas. 4.

Elizabeth J. Huguelet—"Ready to work, ready to have fun."

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Kathleen M. Gross—"Very good worker and a true friend." Sec. to Mr. Selby 4; Recorder for Hot Lunch Comm. 4.

Charles A. Dafoe—"Oh, well it takes all kinds of people to make a graduating class." Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Madrigals 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2; Sec. 3; Pres. 4; Youth Board 1, 2; Pres. 3; Cross Country 3; Assembly Comm. 2, 3; Student Council 1, 2; Pres. 4; Class Play 4.

Blaine Sebring—"He is wise who says nothing when there is nothing to say." Band 1; Bas-ketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3.

Junior Mogg — "Little but

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Star: **Roger H. Bragg**—"He has lived among us these several years, but yet we know him not."

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Charlene Westbrook "Stay as you are and be loved forever." G.A.A. 1; Student Council 1; Ushers Club 1, *2; Pres. 2; Girl Reserves 2.

Wilmer D: Mogg—"He's a trap-per. Who next will be caught in his trap?" F.F.A. 2, 3; Chairman School Forest Comm. 4.

Cecelia Scott, — "(What ever is worth, doing is worth doing well." Dramatics Club 1; Y-Teens 3, 4; Chorus 1; Choir 2, 3, 4; Accompaniest 1, 2, 3, 4; Io-lanthe 4; Vice Pres. Library Comm. 1; Assembly Comm. 4; Student Council 1; Modern Dance Club 4; Madrigals 4; Stude Staff 4-Quill and Scroll Assoc.; Am. Citizenship Quiz 4; Class Play 4.

Ralph Leonard—"Quiet in school, but, oh, outside." Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Dramatics Club 4; Clearing House 2; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Eagle Scout; College Band 3, 4; Stude 4; Sr. Play 4.



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Ralph J. Baughman—"I'm will- ing to be convinced, but I'd like to see some one try it." Hi-Y 3, 4, Sec. 4; Class Treas. 3; Cross Country 3; Student Council 4; Chairman Pep Squad 4; Assem- bly Comm. 2; Transferred from Bay City 2; Senior Play 4; Base- ball 2; Stude Staff 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Chairman Senior Prom 4.	Mary Small—"Don't try to es- timate what there is in a quiet person."
Markeith L. Perry—"Flint, here I come."	Eleanor VanOrden — "Quiet of manner and peaceful of mind." G.A.A. 1.
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Lorraine Fitzpatrick—"Being all that she is and nothing she is not." Ushers Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treas. 3; Pres. 4.	Robert Pope —"Facts are stub- born things."
Samuel P. Pishos—"Eat, drink, and be merry for tomorrow we may have an exam." Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Pres. Class 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Treas. 4; Dramatics Club 4; Camera Club 3; Ath- letics and Awards Comm. 3; Fi- nance Comm. 4; Assembly Comm. 2; Stude Staff 4.	Richard B. Ouderkirk—"Little, but, oh so powerful."
Martha A. Nickel — "Though her name is Nickel her value is high." Elections Comm. 4.	Della M. Earnest "She likes nice things, especially L. J." F.H.A. 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4.

Albert Moreno, Jr. — "A good steady worker." Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 3; Sr. Play 4.



Adella M. Huber—"She is en-gaged, she is lovely.





Pauline M. Cooley—"Her heart is like the moon. There's a man in it." Ushers Club 3, 4. Stanley Dole — "Oh, mind of mine, where are you roaming?"

Jane A. Clabuesch—"Reserved, but so nice." Band 1, 2; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Modern Dance 3, 4; Dra-matics 4; Class Vice-Pres. 1; Student Council 4; Elections and Const. Comm. 4.

Duane Pelletier—"Let silen e be for saints: I'm human." Hi-Y 4; Choir 1, 2, 4; Football 1; Track 1, 2; Student Council 1; Sr. Play

Jane G. Cluley—"A quiet gal, but nice." Transferred from Clare. Betty VanOrden — "Life was made to be enjoyed. Oh, don't I know it!" G.A.A. 1.

1 7 1 Allan L. Emery — "Still water runs deep." F.F.A. 2, 3; Vice-Pres. 4. Grant F. Davis—"I didn't come to school to study." Football 1, 2; Track 2, 3.

Warren Blewett than never." "Better late than never." "Better late Joanne E. Campbell—"An all round sports type." G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Ushers Club 1; Chorus 1; Home Ec. Club 1; Y-Teens 1; As-sembly Comm. 1, 2.

Rosalie M. Kullman—"Not very talkative." Home Ec. Club 1, 2; F.H.A. 3. 4; Girls Bowling Team 4.





Jane Thompson—"All work and no fun isn't for me." Band 1, 2; Y-Teens 2, 3; Cheerleader 2, 3,4; Stude Staff 4. Betty Ryder—"Why should the devil have all the good things?"

Bonnie Belle Todd--"The great-est pleasure of life is love."

Bernard J. Jones—"Beware the fury of a patient man." 1. 34

Emma J. Estes—"Small, but so is a stick of dynamite." Choir 1, 2; Pep Squad 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 2, 4; Modern Dance 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3.

Shirley A. McLachlin—"Grace-ful and useful in all she does."

Gwen Viet—"A friend to every-one, but an enemy to none. Chorus 2, 3; F.H.A. 3, 4. **Kendall Salvner** — "Take life easy; you live but once."



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Georgia Lewis—"The social life is the life for me." V-Teens 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 4; Student Council 2, 3; Home Ec. Club 2, 3.

Ronald F. Downing — "School ruins the whole day." F.F.A. 2, 3; Football 1, 2.

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Verda A. House—"The best of life is conversation." Ushers Club 2, 3, 4; Sec. 3; Treas. 4; A Cappella Choir 3.





Lawrence E. Foote-"Why study -the more you study, the more there is to forget."

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Betty Recker—"Oh! Those dark eyes." Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2; Choir 1, 2; Class Sec. 2; look at it for hours." Baseball Homecoming Attendent 1, 2; Stu-ent Council 1, 4. Jack Sharp—"I like work; it fascinates me. I can sit and look at it for hours." Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; Football 4.

Irene C. Klosowski—"Better to be short and shine than to be tall and cast a shadow." Library Comm. 3, 4.

Nancy Foltz—"Her achievements are great. Her friends are many." Assembly Comm. 1; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Vice Pres. 4; Modern Dance 3, 4; Treas. 4; Chairman Homecoming 4; Chairman Town Hall 4; D.A.R. 4; Student Council 4; Sr. Play 4.

Donald L. Moore—"Give me my diploma and you give me lib-erty." Student Council 2, 4; Scouts 1, 2, 3, 4.

Margaret Peters—"The gentlest Melvin J. Funnell—"I'm not heart and the best nature." lazy, folks, just in love with Band 1; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Stu-idleness." F.F.A. 2, 3. dent Council 1; Sr. Play 4.

Clarence B. Neeley—"He is a lad game for anything."

Patricia Anderson — "We hear rumors of her future." G.A.A. 1, 2; Choir 1; F.H.A. 3.

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Robert White—"Many the night he's burned the midnight oil, but not for study." Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Stude Staff 4- (Adv. man-ager; Class Play 4; Student Council 1.

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Mary L. Douglas—"Looks like an angel and acts like one too, but you never know what an angel will do." Transferred from Ionia 2; Band 2, 3, 4; Choir 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Election Const. Comm. 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Majorette 4; Modern Dance 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Sr. Play 4.

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Roger G. Chaffee-1"One of our Umm-m-m-men." Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Carsity 3, 4; Track 3; Student Council 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Treas. 4.

Richard Showalter "Fame is hichard Showalter "Fame is only a bubble; we know you can produce the soap." Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Vice Pres. Class 2; Student Council Comm. 2.

Idamae Parmalee—"A little bit independent." Transferred from Remus. F.H.A. 3. Marylou Galloway—"I just sit back and take notice." Modern Dance 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Sec. 3; Pres. 4.

10.0 Thomas G. Lawrence—"A good disposition is more valuable than riches." Football 4; F.F.A. 2, 3, 4. **Raymond J. Dedie**—"I'm not lazy; folks, just in love with idleness." F.F.A. 2, 3, 4.

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Dorothy J. Funnell—"Questions don't bother me, it's the an-swers." G.A.A. 1, 2; Ushers Club 3. Violef P. Decess — "Her name may be Violet, but her hair is red." G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2; Madrigals 2.

Jackie Preimsberg—"The origi-nal man killer." Y-Teens 3, 4; Student Council Alternate 4; Social Comm. 4; Operetta Or-chestra 3, 4; College Band 3, 4; Modern Dance 4; Transferred from Grand Haven. del to la rel

13 341.0 12 - . Leonard J. Percha—"Some think the world is for fun and frolic. So do I." Transferred from Chodsey High; Baseball 3; Foot-ball 2, 3; Track 3; Student Coun-cil 3, 4; Sr. Play 4.

Leon Dell—"Quiet, but a grand fellow.

Marjorie K. Allen—"It's nice to be natural when you're natural-ly nice." Band 1,2,3; Y-Teens 2, 3; G.A.A. 2.

Richard Snyder "For him everyday is ladies' day." Foot-ball 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 4; Hi-Y 4; Student Council 4; Stude Staff 4; Transferred from Melvindale.

Janice Jo Barnes—"She is gen-tle, she is shy, but there is mis-chief in her eye." Ushers Club 3. 4.

Katherine Howay "Give me the simple life." Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2; Girl Reserves 2; Ush-ers Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

Charlotte A. Harris—"Saying is one thing; doing is another." Band 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Ushers Club 3, 4.

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Jack Stahl—'A truly civilized man has no enemies." Basket-ball 3, 4; Football 4. Lorraine Kennedy— "Cleopatra was also small." Band 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 3, 4; Modern Dance 3, 4; Vice Pres. 4; Stude Staff 4.

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Shirley Coon—"All the world's a stage and I'm doing my part by acting up. Transferred from Big Rapids 3; Ushers Club 3, 4; Stude Staff 4.

Philip B. Holp—"I specialize in figures." Irene Adell Todd — "Rain or hsine, she is always the same." Chorus 4; F.H.A. 3; Homemaking Club 1.



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SENIOR WILL

Elizabeth Allen-Leaves her Southern accent to Mrs. Russell

Marjorie Allen-Wills her "Number Please" to Evona Harford

Pat Anderson-Leaves her Ponds face cream to Jackie Love.

LaVern Archey-Wills his auto to Rocky Jordan.

Warren Assman-Wills his voice to Dick Barnard.

Joan Bailey Leaves her coyness to Aileen Tribbey.

Janice Barnes-Leaves her quiet ways to Marcy Eddy.

Ralph Baughman-Wills his beard to Richard Pratt

Betty Beal-Leaves her shyness to Mickey Erwin.

Jane Beck-Leaves her "Swing" to any up and coming majorette.

Page Bellinger-Wills his ability to put work off on other people to David Koch.

Warren Blewett-Wills his appreciation for Brahms and Bach to Claudette Neal.

Eldonna Cairns-Wills her ability to get along with Mr. Carter to Herb Prior.

Roger Bragg-Leaves his modesty.

Janet Butterfield-Leaves her voice to Jean

Kennedy. Jo Ann Campbell-Leaves her driving ability to

Jo Wilson. Mary Cascarelli-Leaves her long skirts to

Chris Spires. Roger Chaffee-Wills his place on the football and basketball bench to Bob Roe.

Martha Chivington-Wills her pretty eyes to Barb Bowling.

Jane Clabuesch-Wills her cottage at Houghton to the class of '49.

Jane Cluley-Wills her pretty teeth to Marianne Schlemmer.

Robert Cluley—Wills his ability to get a B or C in chemistry without working to Gordon Sharp.

Pete Colias-Leaves his books behind for all the lucky juniors.

Pauline Cooley—Wills her man overseas to any body who has a big enough boat to get to him.

Shirley Coon-Leaves her many jokes to Mr. Muvskens.

Charles Dafoe—Wills his parts in the Gilbert and Sullivan operettas to Walt Kennedy.

Mariyln Davis—Wills her blond hair to Tommy

Jolly. Violet Decess—Wills her red hair to Aileen Tribbey

Jackie Dedie-Wills his dimples to Art Stinchcomb.

Stanley Dole-Leaves his good looks to Mr. Carter.

Mary Lou Douglas-Wills her long hair to any one who has time enough to put it up every night. Ronald Downing-Wills his wolfish efforts to

Doug Loveday. Della Earnest-Leaves to join to L. J. Pickins.

Walter Embree-Leaves, period.

Alan Emery-Wills his seat in American government to any one that can stand to sit on the tacks. (get the point?)

Jean Estes-Wills her dancing ability to L. C. Wendt.

Lorraine Fitzpatrick-Wills her manners to any one who can keep them up and still be nice.

Nancy Foltz-Wills her eye brows to Harriet Horn.

Lawrence Foote-Wills his ability to live up to

Jean Funnell-Leaves her bottle of H- 0 2 to Dana McDowell.

Melvin Funnell Is taking everything with him.

Marilou Galloway-Wills her office job to next year's girls.

Joyce Getchell-Wills her roller skates to Louise Roottier.

Eileen Gillett-Wills her friendliness to Tommy Jolly.

Kathleen Gross-Wills her job in Selby's office to any one who can type 3 words a minute and make 5 mistakes.

Pat Gothup-Leaves her idleness to Mr. Jones. Ruth Hall-Leaves with Jack.

Charlotte Harris-Leaves school to join Russ Smith.

Phillip Holp-Wills his curly hair to Bill Potter.

Verda House-Leaves Mt. Pleasant to go to Rosebush.

Kate Howay-Wills her ability to stick to one man to anyone who can do it.

Adella Huber-Leaves with a diamond.

Jo Ann Jolly-Leaves her pull with the teacheros to anyone who is strong enough to pull.

Bernard Jones-Leaves school to live on the farm.

Lorraine Kennedy-Wills her dimples to Connie Cole.

Irene Klosowski-Wills her shyness to Mort. Roslie Kullman - Wills her giggles to Miss

LaMore. June Huguelet-Wills her ability to keep house

and attend school to Mrs. Bonnell.

Tom Lawrence-Wills his mechanical ability to Ron Kirkwood.

Pauline Lentz-Wills her athletic ability to Marian Getchell.

Ralph Leonard-Wills his dad's dented fenders to Dave Bonnell.

Georgia Lewis-Leaves her pep to the freshman class with some left over for the sophomores. Don Lyons-Leaves his white dinner jacket to

Louis Beach. Oliver McBride-Wills his reddish hair to Jerry

Knight.

Rosie McGuirk-Leaves her rosy cheeks to Mr. Morris

Shirley McLachlin-Leaves her shyness to Mary Murphy.

JoAnn MacGregor-Leaves her inability to get along with the student teachers.

Norrell Mahon-Wills his figure to Jerry Orcutt.

Gerald Miller-Leaves with motorcycle.

Junior Mogg-Wills his ability to skip school to Larry Miller.

Wilmer Mogg-Wills his curly hair to Bruce Binkley.

Don Moore-Leaves his quiet ways with the teachers to Bill Atha.

Albert Moreno-Leaves his wavy hair to Mr. Varnum.

Lorraine Morten-Wills her shyness to all student teachers.

Martha Nickel-Wills her typing ability to Jean Stutting.

Clarence Neeley-Wills his way with the girls to Ron Finch.

Richard Ouderkirk-Wills his Model T to Kent Ward.

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Dear Chuck:

I jammed my hat on my head and rushed from the office of the Mt. Pleasant Times-News, which by the way has run the Chicago Tribune out of business and after hailing one of the Famous Leonard Percha Perfect Cabs, I sped to the scene of a gruesome accident on busy US-27 downtown in Mt. Pleasant.

As my cab approached the vicinity of the occurence two police officers, Roger Bragg and Melvin Funnell, who were directing traffice stopped us. It seems a bus and a once beautiful Buick convertible had met head on, demolishing both vehicles. The convertible, driven by Nancy Foltz, a now famous actress, had five other passengers, four of which were critically injured. The producer of her new picture, "The Man We Ate For Dinner," by Warren Blewette, is Warren Assman. He managed to escape injury but others less fortunate were Roger Chaffee, co-starring with Miss Foltz, Marilyn Davis hair stylist, Pat Anderson, and Lois Price, famous for their Speech Correction Movement.

The bus, under the licensed driver, Gerry Selby, was crowded with passengers, many of whom I knew very well.

Seeing that some were injured I rushed to the telephone asking a sweet voiced operator, who I knew was Betsy Peters to call the hospital for an ambulance. In the mean time Margaret Peters, who is now a registered nurse, was supervising first aid

The passengers that I knew were: Don Schuth, who is now a famous comedian, Don Downing who raises goats east on our fair city (phew), Stan Dole, now owner of a great horse opera, and Don Lyons, a celebrated playboy who continually demanded the attention of the nurses.

So to my relief all the injured were in the ambulance driven by Jack Sharp and were sped (as only Jack can drive) to the nearest hospital, Rosebush Memorial Hospital and Rest Home where they were treated for cuts and bruises and an occasional broken limb.

While at the hospital I encountered a surprizing amount of former school mates and found that they had entered many different walks of life.

First I saw my old friend Chuck Dafoe who I expected to be a doctor, but it seems that he changed his plans and is now mowing the hospital lawn waiting to see if the class of '48 was right about his being most likely to succeed.

Joyce Getchell is now happily married and living in the exclusive part of Shepherd, you guessed it, on a farm.

I was glad to see Lawrance Foote who was visiting some one in the hospital. He is now the man who asks the questions on the Quiz Kids Show.

Some other radio stars that came from M.P.-H. S. were: Dick Showalter who is Chief Jokster on the Borden County Fair, Dick Wilson who gives commercials for "Life Can Be Terrible," Jane Thompson who is in the Soap Opera "I Want To Be Alone," and Betty Ryder who has replaced Baby

I happened to be not watching where I was going when I bumped into Jane Ann Clabuesch who was carrying a tray of test tubes, for she is now a lab. technician. As she and I were picking the pieces of glass out of my legs, along came Norell Mahon who is coaching the football team at Central. He told me that after 10 years he has finally trained Jack Stahl so that he could make the first team.

I met Jane Beck who was in the hospital confined to a wheel chair. It seems that she has been playing a lead in "It's a Bully World" when she

sprained both ankles. She of course told me about some of the other people who were in our class.

Ruth Hall is now a physical education teacher who is holding classes for little boys just like her own Jack Junior Jo Ann Jolly is now a very prominent candidate in the "Miss World Contest." Sam Pishos has sold his name to a toothpaste concern called "Keep Smiling Sam," Pauline Cooley has married but now owns a diamond shop of her own. Robert Cowden has been promoted and now drives a bus with only adult passengers. Violet Decess sells popsickles at the Saturday movies at the Mt. Pleasant Bijou, Jack Dedie has been given his own private bench in the new park in Mt. Pleasant. Kathleen Gross has taken Lauren Bacall's place as "The Look". she is known as "The Peek" Ida Parmalee has taken Heda Hopper's place in radio work; Oliver McBride is selling used, and I do mean used. cars in his back yard at Midland. Pat Gothup is running for representative for Legislature from Leaton. Charlotte Harris has learned to knit at last and is making lots of little mitts all navy blue. Shirley McLachlin is making campaign speeches for poor Mr. Dewey who still hasn't won an election and Jackie Priemsburg is still waiting to hear from her screen test that she had shortly after graduation

As I moved on in the hospital hoping to find a human interest story, I heard two nurses, Marjorie Allen and Joan Bailey, saying something about quintuplets. So when I inquired about them To my surprise I found that Kate (Howay) Smith was the proud mother.

Cecila Scott, the famous lemon grower who sells a special lemon juice to orchestra leaders, was visiting two patients in the ward, Bonnie and Irene Todd who took a bad fall a short time ago. It was because of those hems in the skirts. In the same ward recuperating from their last game were: Mary Cascarelli, Pauline Lentz, and Jo Anne Campbell, members of the Women's American Baseball League.

SENIOR PROPHECY

Florence Yager chased me down the hall when I walked on the floor she was scrubbing. She too is a nurse in the new hospital.

Mary Small, another cabable nurse, was rubbing Robert Pope's back. Bob has finally decided that he isn't double jointed enough to ride horses in the circus.

Paul Stockman, who replaced Mr. Carter, is now a government teacher at a high school in Mt. Pleasant. He was visiting his wife, the former Jo Ann MacGregor who is suffering from a bite she acquired while teaching the kindergarten children of M. P. grade school. The child who bit her is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ouderkirk, the former Martha Chivington.

I was pleased to see and hear about my classmates and in hopes of finding more of them, I decided to go to the trial that was held in the traffic court the following week.

As I entered the hall I recognized an old familiar smile on the face of Don Moore who was industriously sweeping the court house steps. I quietly entered the chamber taking a back seat. Two stately police officers at the door who tried to keep order were Phillip Holp and Bert Sunderman. In the jury box were a dozen people I knew-

Della Earnest in a flowery hat, Violet Decess with blond hair, Pete Colias, Grant Davis, Walter Embree, Alan Embrey, Alda Hubber, Bernard Jones, Clarence Neeley, Rosalie Kullman, Lorraine Morten and Wilmer Mogg.

The judge of the court was Ken Salvner, with Senior Prophecy Continued on Page 27

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Best Dressed Best Physicque **Prettiest Eyes** Prettiest Teeth Cutest Nose Nicest Hair Most Popular Best Personality Most Handsome Most Graceful Most Scholarly Best Wolf Best Driver Most Fun Cutest Smile Best Disposition Most Bashful Most Masculine Voice 9.1: Most Pep Best Dancer Most Athletic Most Likely to Succeed Neatest in Appearance

Prettiest Most Scholarly Most Popular Nicest Lips Prettiest Eyes Best Driver Most Fun Nicest Complexion 'Best Figure Sweetest Smile Athletic Ability Prettiest Teeth Best Dancer Cutest Gayest Most Graceful Best Wolfess Wittiest Prettiest Hands Nicest Legs Nicest Voice Best Dresser Prettiest Hair Negtest in Appearance

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The following were elected as junior class officers at the beginning of the year: Dave Koch, president; Mary Park, vice-president; Mary Ann Chase, secretary; and Jean Darroch, treasurer.

Elected to represent the class at Student Council were Gordon Sharp and Nancy Pew.

Jean Kennedy by popular vote, was chosen as the junior attendent to the Queen's Court at homecoming.

With "Stormy Weather" as its theme, the Junior J-Hop took place on November 21 1947 The music was furnished by Lloyd Conley and his orchestra.

The junior class had an active part in arranging the all school party in April. Mr Dunbar has acted as class adviser this year.

THE JUNIOR CLASS



THE SOPHOMORE CLASS



The sophomore class enjoyed a profitable year under the leadership of their elected officers and councilors. At the helm was Pete Russell, with able assistance provided by Dave Bonnell, vice-president; Mary Murphy, secretary; and Richard Pratt, treasurer. Lindsay Morris acted as class adviser and Constance Stegenga as councilor To represent the class in Student Council the sophomores elected Nan Webster and Bill Potter.

Connie Giles served in the Queen's Court at Homecoming as representative of the tenth graders.

The Sophomore Shuffle, with "Sweethearts" as its theme, was successfully carried off. Doug Loveday acted as general chairman for this novel dance. Funds were raised for this activity by sponsoring sales after school hours under the chairmanship of Evona Harford.

The freshmen showed their ability to organize by handling successfully a mixer as their dance of the year Much of their energy went into balloons which served as the decorative scheme.

Rachel Rodriguez was chosen by her classmates to serve in the Queen's Court. The freshmen also provided a float for the homecoming parade.

A lemonade booth was the contribution of this class to the All-School Party

Officers elected were: president, Fred Park vice-president, Carol Wood; secretary, Clara Seiter; and treasurer Virginia Ward. Representatives to Student Council were Mary Ann Jordan and John Lamp. Fred Goodell and L. J. Ross were class advisers.

THE FRESHMAN CLASS



EIGHTH GRADE



The eighth grade, representing the Junior High of the Mt. Pleasant High School, has had a successful year. At the beginning of the first semester when petitions for candidacy were going around, there was always a big hubbub around the south end of the building, where most of the eighth grade classes are held. The fast and furious race finally ended with Jan Northway as President, James Koch, Vice-President, Gloria Matlock as Secretary and Don Cohen as Treasurer

The student council representatives who were elected also in the first semester have done a fine job during the school year. They are: Jimmie Roberts, Danny Allis, Lona Jean Miller, and Jenny Barton.

There were three parties held during the year, a Christmas party a Valentine party and one that was held as a result of a spelling contest of which the group winner was determined by the highest percentages added together of the weekly spelling lists. The 8-two group won, so they got to plan the party, which was held April 29 at the park.

There was also a paper circulating, the SCOOP that was issued only six times in the year. It featured the eighth grade news, with high school sports and activities given some mention.

The junior high basketball team took the highlights by winning the Big Rapids tournament, and came through victorious over such teams as Clare and Grand Rapids. The softball season started with a forfeit victory over the Academy Early in the first semester the Junior High turfmen won over the other eighth grades in town in football.

Howard Jones and Mary Ann Ivicic, both of the 8-two group, were elected by the eighth grade student body at a class meeting tract as king and queen of the eighth graders for the Oiler Spring Sports Carnival on May 14. A class spelling bee was the final activity for the eighth grade. Prizes were given to the winners and runners-up.

There are 111 students in the eighth grade this year and their teachers are: Mr Jones and Mr. Grimm-English and Social Studies; Miss Scott, Mathematics; Mr. Koch, Science; Mr. Dunbar, Shop; Mr. Kidd, Arts and Crafts; Mrs. Bonnell, Home Economics; Miss Haller Girl's' Phys. Ed.; and Mr Wisneski, Boys' Phys. Ed.

This year's class should prove a welcome addition to the high school in the fall.

Student Council activities were numerous and varied. The members started the year off by selling more activity tickets than any previous council. October found the group busily engaded in planning a three day homecoming celebration. During the Christmas holidays the council sponsored the annual Holiday Party for students and alumni. A new idea was created this year when the Council sponsored a Student Government Area Conference which was attended by eight schools from the surrounding community Following this, the all-school party, with a Gypsy Carnival theme, provided entertainment for the student body. Col. John D. Craig was the speaker selected by the Student Council for their annual lecture. He showed the official films of the Bikini Atom Bomb Test.

Second semester found the council members writing a new constitution which was passed almost unanimously by the students of the high school. One of the main changes provided that class officers be elected in the spring rather than fall.

The March of a Million Pencils Drive was carried on under the leadership of the council. Material received was sent to a school in Castoria, Greece. Four paid assemblies featuring outside speakers were held.

At the close of the year the council budget showed a healthy balance of \$450, of which the majority \$350, goes to the school as a gift. Theremainder goes to next year's council as astarter fund.

THE STUDENT COUNCIL



THE CHOIR



Under the inspired guidance of Bernard Stone, the high school Choral Groups climaxed another successful year with the annual Spring Festival on May 24. Starting the ball rolling with a "Pops" Concert in the fall, they have undergone one of their busiest seasons, which included many out-of-town engagements and

fail, they have undergone one of their busiest seasons, which included many out-of-town engagements and varied programs presented for the school and community. The A Capella Choir this year has had the largest membership in the history of the organization, and remains hard to beat in musical caliber Officers for this year were president, Dick Burdick; vice-president, Betty Ryder; secretary, Nancy Pew; and treasurer, Jeanne Kennedy. The highlight of the choral season was the presentation of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Iolanthe", which was well received on April 1 and 2

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THE BAND



The Mt. Pleasant High School Band had another successful marching and concert season this year under the direction of Norman Dietz.

The forty-one members elected Ralph Leonard to the presidency. Betty Smith as vice-president, Mary Lou Douglas as secretary and treasurer Mary Ann Chase as librarian and Rae Juana Matlock as uniform custodian.

The band faces the loss of four seniors this graduation. Mr. Dietz will leave this year, too, for Michigan State where he will work on his doctorate.



The Camera Club completed another very successful year Through co-operation the members of the Camera Club earned money to purchase needed equipment for the dark room and for reference material. President Bob Butterfield was aided in the leadership of the club by vice-president Stuart Fordyce; secretary, Hudson Keenan who succeeded Thomas Richmond in the second semester, and treasurer Richard Pratt who succeeded Dave Koch in the second semester The members of the club this year were Dave Koch, Stuart Fordyce, Bonnie Anspaugh, Hudson Keenan, Mac Bentley, Richmond, Wayne Brittin, Ray Harless, Alfred Preitz, and Robert Butterfield.

to provide opportunity to learn the principals of photography

THE DRAMATICS CLUB



The Dramatics Club had a successful year in preparing its two one-act plays. However, conflicts in the school's calendar prevented the showing of the plays. The club was under the able guidance of Dramatics Coach, Mr. Fremont Varnum.

THE CAMERA CLUB

The purpose of the organization is to cultivate interest in photography throughout the high school and

THE FFA



The high school chapter of the Future Farmers of America has experienced another successful year according to club officials.

Under the leadership of their advisor, Mr E. J. Grambau, the club's members continued to enliven their program of improving the school forest. Four new stone fireplaces were constructed and a water pump was installed to facilitate better drinking conditions.

New officers for the coming year were elected in the annual spring elections. The new officers are: President, Jack West; Vice President, Earnets Pitts; Secretary, Jim O'Donnell, Treasurer, Jim O'Brien, Reporter, Ron Kirkwood.

THE FHA



"Toward New Horizons" is the motto of the Future Homemakers of America, who under the guidance of Mrs. E. J. Bonnell, increased their membership to forty-five this year

Among the many activities sponsored by these girls were a Hallowe'en party, a roller skating party, a fashion show.

Officers of the organization for the past year have been. president, Celia Kirkconnell, vice-president, Leota Riddle; secretary, Laura Campbell, treasurer, Pat Westbrook, parliamentarian, Rosie Sower; reporter, Beverly Gould, historian, Mary Bower; and song leader, Gwen Veit. THE GAA



To girls interested in sports, the G.A.A. offers participation in volleyball, basketball, bowling, and softball. The members were invited to the Midland playday where they contested in these games of basketball. On May 19 Parents Night, which replaced the Mother-Daughter Banquet, was held in the school gymnasium. The G.A.A. letters and the "Girl of the Year" award were presented on this occasion. Letter winners were Celia Cook, Shirley Neff, Alice Thompson, Betty Van Orden, Pauline Lentz, Dorothy Ralston, and Jean Straka. The girls receiving large letters were Jo Campbell, Mary Cascerelli, Jean Taylor, and Jane Thompson.

Officers for the year were president, Della Earnest, who was also "Girl of the Year" vice-president, Jean Straka, secretary and treasurer Jo Campbell. The club adviser is Marian Haller

THE Y-TEEN CLUB



Y-Teens have sponsored several bake sales this year and arranged one of the most novel school dances of the year, the "Soc Hop"

Officers for the past year have been. Marilou Galloway, president; Betty Ryder vice-president; Mary Lou Douglas, secretary; and Joan Bailey, treasurer. Two delegates from the Mt. Pleasant chapter of Y-Teens represented the club at the conference held in Muskegon. Nancy Pew, newly elected president, will attend the State Y-Teen conference this summer Mrs. Russell has acted as club adviser and will continue in this capacity next year.

THE USHERS CLUB



In order that usher service might be regularly available at high school functions, the Ushers Club was formed in 1941. The members are volunteers from the senior high school, and had as their adviser this year Miss Walmsley. The girls assisted during Career Day, the Band Concert, Student Council Lectures, and other functions. Lorraine Fitzpatrick headed the organization this year. Charlotte Harris acted as secretary and Ver-da House as treasurer Representative to the StudentCouncil was Joey Childs.

THE EDITORS



Under the able guidance of Mr. Fremont Varnum, high school journalism teacher and Mr Bruce Boulton, student teacher from Central Michigan College of Education, the Stude Staff wrote and published fifteen is-sues of the school's paper. The staff also published the sixth annual Homecoming program and the senior edi-tion for the public.

In recognization for an excellent school paper, the staff was awarded its second straight number one rating from the National Scholastic Press Association. Stude members that qualified for the "Quill and Scroll" are Ralph Baughman, Sam Pishos, Celia Scott, Ida Mae Parmalee, and Marion Ruble. The "Quill and Scroll" is sponsored by the National Journalism Association for students who can meet certain qualifications for that field.

FOOTBALL TEAM



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THE DIAMOND CREW



Under the capable coaching of Coach Carlo Barberi, this years baseball squad has won 9 games and lost 4 for a very fine scholastic record.

The pitching department was led by lefthanded Bob Cluley and right handers Jack Sharp and Tom Grove. The outfield consisted of Pat McGuirk, Terry Lynch, Harry Nelson and Cluley and Sharp who doubled on outfield duty when not pitching.

In the infield Dick Snyder and Charles Mathew held down first base, George Elias, second base; Bernard Jones and Rodney Phillips, short stops, Ronnie Finch and Bill Sharp, third base; and Dick Barnard and Frank Vargo.

The squad won the first seven games of the season from Shepherd and Remus twice and once each from Alma and Clare, before losing to Midland two times in a doubleheader, the first held in Mt. Pleasant High School baseball history.

A six team tournament was held on May 21 and 22 at Island Park in which the Oilers participated with Midland, Alma, Greenville, Williamsburg and Houghton Lake.



The tennis team failed to live up to previous expectations as it chalked up one win and dropped five others. Two matches were washed out during the season.

The squad placed second in the Regional meet.

Leading players, under the guidance of Coach Paul Grimm, included Ralph Leonard, Bob Benezette, Herb Prior, Bill Atha, Joe Newton, Bob Border, Bob Foust and Gordon Sharp.



THE SENIOR CLASS

"With

Walter C. Embree — "To know how to hide one's ability is a great skill."

Geraldine Selby—"Variety is the spice of life that gives it all its flavor." Band 1, 2, 3; Class Treas. 1; Election and Constitu-tion Comm. 1, 2; Student Coun-cil 1, 4; Modern Dance 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; Stude Staff 4.

Richard Wilson—"His life is just one woman after another." Foot-ball 1, 2, 3, 4.

Patricia R. Gothup—"Silence is golden." Chorus 2, 3; F.H.A. 3, 4; Drivers Training 4.

Frances Archey-"Napoleon was

Martha A. Chivington—"She is herself; that is enough. Elec-tions and Const. 4; Library Comm. 4; Decorations Comm. for Sr. Prom. 4.

William Swan—"The world owes me a living and I'm broke."

James D .Lyon—"He turns his back on girls and then runs backwards."

Donavan Schutt — "Nothing is really work unless you would rather be doing something else."



SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB



A new organization came into being during the past year under the name. Social Science Club. The purpose of this organization is to develop and stimulate a fuller understanding of past and present history through the interchange of ideas and information. A new addition to the faculty this year, Lindsey G. Morris, supervises the activities.

Sixteen members participated in the sessions this year and elected as their officers president, Gordon Sharp: vice-president, Richard Burdick; secretary, Marion Ruble; and treasurer, Joan May

SENIOR WILL

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Idamae Parmalee-Leaves her friendliness to her sister Betty.

Phyllis Pego-Wills her beautiful hair to Celia Cook

Duane Pelletier-Wills his ability to get along with Lewis and Fleming to Pat McGuirk.

Leonard Percha-Wills his hair to Mr. Ross.

Markeith Perry-Leaves her singing ability to Celia Kirkconnell.

Betsy Peters-Leaves her good judgment to Diane Decker.

Margaret Peters - Leaves her sweetness and leadership to Marilyn Hall.

Sam Pishos-Wills his flashy ties to Mr. Grambau and his lost weekends to Joe Newton.

Robert Pope-Wills his height to Alvin Kullman.

Jackie Priemsberg-Leaves her wit to Meridith Johnson.

Betty Recker-Wills her strapless formals to Mary Park.

Tom Richmond-Wills his wolfishness to Gordan Sharp.

Donna Roberts-Wills her ability to get along with teachers to Bonnie Anspach.

Marian Ruble-Wills her small feet to Eugene DePuy.

Betty Ryder-Wills her smile to Lyndell Bordine.

Ken Salvnar-Wills his talent in the senior play to Jackie Cox.

Don Schutt-Wills his milk truck to any one else who can get up in the morning.

Cecila Scott-Wills her piano talent to Charles Lamp.

Blaine Sebring-Wills his sensible ideas to any radical.

Geraldine Selby Wills her efforts towards dress designing to anyone who thinks he can please Mr. Kidd

Jack Sharp-Wills his baseball talent to Don Wooster.

Dick Showalter-Wills his sports ability to Danny McBride.

Mary Small-Wills her chubbiness to Janice Metcalf.

Dick Snyder-Wills his moody disposition to Mac Ball

Jack Stahl-Leaves his height to Bob Benezette.

Paul Stockman Wills his teasing to Billy Richmond.

Burt Sunderman-Leaves his jollyness to Mr. Dietz. Bonnie Todd-Leaves Mt. Pleasant to live in

Indiana Irene Todd-Leaves to go to work at J. C.

Penny's

Betty Van Orden-She leaves to be with Bernie. Eleanor Van Orden-Wills her quiet ways to Alice Thompson

Gwen Viet-Wills her friendliness to Dorris Ann Witcomb.

Charlene Westbrook-Leaves her neatness to Shirley Neff.

Robert White-Leaves his nights in Midland to those who have the car or the price of a Yellow Bus Line ticket.

Dick Wilson - Wills his Lost Weekends at Houghton Lake to anyone who can take it.

Florence Yager Leaves her personality to Betty Smith.

Lois Price-Wills her quiet voice to Lois Nier.



The Hi-Y club has added another page to its growing history of events throughout the school year. The club, under the guidance of Mr G. D. Muyskens, was host to the Conference early in the year. Later reports by State Y.M.C.A. officials revealed that the Mt. Pleasant meet was considered as one of the finest ever attended by State leaders engaged in Hi-Y work. At Christmas the club gave donations to the annual Christmas cheer fund for the needy. The organiza-

tion also sent a package of food to a family of five living in Litz, Austria.

The club was responsible for Easter services conducted during an assembly in remembrance of the occasion. The Hi-Y choir made its first appearance at the assembly and was warmly received by the school, according to club officials.

In February, a "Leap Year Prom" was sponsored by the club to commemorate the season that was set aside for women to chase men. The dance took place in the high school gymnasium with Lloyd Conley and his orchestra furnishing the music for the dancers.

SENIOR PROPHECY

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Page Bellinger and Gerald Miller acting as attorneys.

The court secretary, Marian Ruble kept busily taking notes. The two lawyers that presided over the session were Albert Moreno Jr. and Duane Pellitier who almost came to blows during the session. I was sure of Thomas Richmond's position, all he did was carry ice water to the judge.

Many witnesses took the stand Rosie McGuirk, a lady barber Jane Cluley a dentist, Robert Cluley professional bat boy, Betty Van Orden of the Holeless Doughnut Bakery, Irene Klosowski a psychiatrist. Verda House a minister's wife, Jeanne Funnell a seamstress, Lorriane Kennedy, owner of the New Newton Pet Shop, Lavern Archey white shoes salesman, Betty Beal a librarian, Emmy Estes, governess for Fred Astair Jr. and Mary Lou Douglas a well known model for N. D. Gover.

As the trial got under way both drivers were in turn called to the stand (lemon ade 5c) and each stated that they couldn't understand how the accident had occurred since they had both taken drivers training at the high school in '48.

Other people who I encountered after the trial. Eldonna Cairns, who is owner of "Cairns Dairy Barn," Ralph Leonard whose orchestra traveled all over Isabella County.

Martha Nickel who has forty children (in a country school that is) I heard about Shirley Coon who has taken an important position in the Hekman Bakery Co., she salts crackers and Janet Butterfield is now traveling with an opera company in Europe. She is now head usher on Isle No. 2 Betty Beal is now making table cloths for an exclusive, dunkers club. Gwen Viet was named Miss Giggles of "1954" and now laughs on the Beulah Program, and Charlene Westbrook is still working in the 5c and 10c store although she is now on a higher working standard. She is now manager of her own counter.

When I returned to my office to write a followup story on the accident to state that the Greyhound Bus Co. had been sued for \$100,000,000 my mind was a maze of faces but I felt satisfied with seeing and hearing about all my old friends, finding that they had all really succeeded just as L. C. said they would.



Lorraine Fitzpatrick now a grocer in Shepherd, Mary Lou Galloway a second Sherlock Holmes, Tom Lawrance who is proprietor of "The Pounds Off Milk Farm," Janice Barnes the secretary of Supt. Chas. B. Park in a large New York High School, Eleanor Van Orden a concert violinist, and

> Respectfully yours, Signed Ralph Baughman

MODERN DANCE GROUP



The spring program of the Modern Dance Club climaxed a highly interesting year On this occasion, the dance compositions which the group had worked on during their regular Monday night meetings were polished and presented.

Miss Marian Haller guided the club in its year's activities. The members first saw action during Homecoming when they handled concessions throughout the festivities. Their entry in the Homecoming Parade received first prize

Collaborating with other local organizations at holiday time, the club interpreted "'Twas the Night be-

fore Christmas." This program was given for the hospital auxilary benefit. Officers for 1947-48 were: president, Mary Lou Douglas; vice-president, Lorraine Kennedy: secretary-treasurer, Nancy Foltz. Officers-elect are: president, Diane Decker: vice-president, Carol Wood; secretarytreasurer, Mary Murphy.





This year's basketball squad, led by All-State man Jack Stahl, captured 18 out of 21 games for a respectable record. They were winners of the Saginaw Arthur Hill Invitational Tourney the Northcentral Conference title and the State district title.

The squad, headed by Coach Carlo C. Barberi, was composed of seven seniors, four juniors and three sophomores.

The starting quintet was composed of Jack Stahl, center Dick Showalter and Dick Snyder forwards; Sam Pishos and Joe Newton, guards; others were Tom Richmond, Roger Chaffee, Norell Mahon, Dick Barnard, Harold Voisin, George Elias, David Bonnell, Ronnie Finch and Bill Atha.

Among the Oiler victims were Big Rapids, Ludington, Traverse City Alma and Cadillac. Each were trimmed twice while games with Midland and Manistee were split. The Oilers defeated Saginaw High, Saginaw Arthur Hill, and Fordson once each. Big Rapids and Cadillac fell to the Oilers in the state district play-offs before they lost to Fremont in the regionals.



Coach Goodell's Track Team went undefeated this year in three dual meets while finishing fourth in the Central Relays and second in both the Conference and Regionals. Dick Showalter, outstanding shotputter, was undefeated up to the state meet. Dick established a new record in the shot with a toss of 48' 41/2" only other record breaker was Jack Davis, star oiler miler who

lowered the mile mark to 4:49.

Other leading players included, Dave Bonnell, Roger Chaffee and Dick Neier, Dashes: Grover Freeze and Jack Hayward, 440; Joe Marchiando and Oliver McBride High jump Danny McBride and Cliff Peffer, Pole vault: Sam Pishos, shotput; Bud Brasington and Bill Coughlin, 880: Jack West, Hurdles Bonnell, Broad jump; and Joe Moose, Mile.

Davis and Moose were also on Goodell's cross-country team now in its second year of competition.

THE GOLF TEAM



The high school golf squad suffered its second straight year of defeat as it could only pull one win out of its eight meet schedule.

Under Coach Paul Grimm, the team accomplished its lone win against Ithaca at the close of the season. Squads that the locals failed to show superbly over were Traverse City, Midland, Alma, and Cadillac. The team placed fourth in the conference and sank to the "cellar" in the Regional meet. Top men for the Oiler squad included Norman Kigar, Jack Cox, Kent Ward and John Chopard.

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Paul G. Stockman—"Although his manners are most pleasing, it doesn't stop his constant teas-ing." F.F.A. 2 Sec. 3 Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Vice Pres. Class 4; Building and Grounds Comm. 4; Transferred from Oklahoma 2.

Phyllis J. Pego—"Faithful to all duties and working hard." G.A.A. 3; Thunder Bird Club 1, 2; Library Club 3.



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THE PEP SQUAD

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Responsibility for pep meetings rests with the pep squad. Those who passed the try-outs held at the beginning of the school year were Jane Thompson, Emma Jean Estes, Betty Ryder, Celia Cook, Bonnie Ansbough, Evonna Harford and Dana McDowell. Marion Haller was adviser to the group. The squad sponsored a yell con test in an attempt to create more school spirit. The Homecoming and Tournament pep meetings were the outstanding ones handled by this group.

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