1968 TROJAN

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UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #429 TROY, KANSAS
SCHOOL SONG

On, Trojans, down the field,
Fight on for Troy High.
And may our school be victorious,
We'll never say die.
And with the glory and honor
Of Troy's Sons' great might,
We'll fight and win for our colors,
The Blue and White!
FIGHT! FIGHT!
ADMINISTRATION
POLICY-MAKING BODY GUIDES USD #429

The USD School Board is the main policy-making body of the school system. The School Board provides leadership for and direction to the schools. After the members set up the main policies, they leave most of the running of the school to the administration. With the cooperation of the superintendent, faculty, and community, the Board can be active.

The USD Board is headed by Mr. Norman Davies, President, and he is assisted by Mr. Raymond Gaul, Vice-President. They hold their meetings on the first Wednesday of each month.

Mrs. Nell Larzelere, Secretary, records the business of each month’s meeting.

At the monthly meetings, special problems of the school are discussed and if the school needs something, it is brought up by the administration and discussed and approved by the Board.
MR. LAUREN GADDIS

Mr. Lauren Gaddis, superintendent of Unified School District No. 429, will complete his first year at THS as of May, 1968. His work consists of keeping the five schools in the Unified School District running smoothly throughout the term. In addition to his other duties, he taught bookkeeping the first semester. Mr. Gaddis comes to us from Sylvan Grove, Kansas, USD No. 299, where he was formerly the superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaddis (June) are the parents of three boys: Mike, Mark, and Marlin.

Mr. Gaddis earned his Master’s degree from Emporia State College.

MR. WILLIAM CROSLEY

Troy High School is proud to have Mr. William Crosley as Principal. Since this is his first year at Troy, Mr. Crosley has had the job of getting acquainted not only with the school and faculty but also with the Troy community. Mr. Crosley was formerly of Sylvan Grove, Kansas, USD No. 299, where he filled the position of high school principal. His duties consist of keeping THS functioning properly. In addition to that, he is head coach, physical education and mechanical drawing instructor.

He and his wife, Madeline, (also a teacher) are the parents of two children, Debbie and Steve. Mr. Crosley earned his Master’s degree at Emporia State College.

MRS. LARZELERE

Mrs. Larzelere has spent three years as part of the THS staff. She is very competent in her dual role as secretary-bookkeeper to THS and secretary to the USD No. 429 school board. Her efficiency keeps both areas running smoothly. Whether the task be large or small, Mrs. Larzelere always manages to finish it in just the way it is requested.

Mrs. Larzelere makes her home in Troy with her husband, Dick, and youngest daughter, Mindy. The Larzeleres are also the parents of Mrs. Jacqueline Chase and Mrs. Deborah Rush.
Who hit that note?

How ya doin'? Just what I wanted!

Is it clear now? No problems today!

Again now, 1 + 1 = 2. All smiles now! Dr. Jekyll, then ___!

Who hit that note?
What happened in 1492?

Now, this is a door.

That Keith's a nut!

Well, he missed that one.

This type of soil...

Esta bien. Todos estudiantes!

You'll have to move faster!

Would you believe...?
MRS. MADELINE CROSLEY joins our faculty with her husband, our principal, Mr. Crosley. She teaches government and world history and sponsors the Troy Pep Club. When she is not teaching, she enjoys reading, knitting, and sewing. Mrs. Crosley earned her B.S. degree from the College of Emporia.

MRS. CROSLEY

A school day for MR. FREDRICK FOLSCHIE consists of teaching Industrial Arts I-III, driver's education, and physics. He sponsors the freshman class and the National Honor Society. Mr. Folsche graduated from THS in 1958 and is completing his fourth year since his return. Flying is one of Mr. Folsche's favorite pastimes. He earned his B.S. degree from Kansas State University.

MR. FOLSCHIE

MRS. ANNA GOSS fills her days at school by teaching Home Economics I, II, III, and home living, and by sponsoring the junior class and the Kayettes. She will have completed her 19th year with THS at the end of this term. Sewing and cooking take up her spare time. Mrs. Goss received her B.S. degree from Kansas State University.

MRS. GOSS

MR. CARL KNUDSEN became the music instructor at Troy this year. His classes include band (beginning and varsity), chorus, and private lessons and his outside activities include sponsoring the sophomore class. In his free time he enjoys flying. Mr. Knudsen is a graduate of St. Benedict's College in Atchison, Kansas.

MR. KNUDSEN

MRS. GROSSIE

Mr. Nickolas Dannevik came to us this year from Troy Grade School where he taught for two years. He teaches English I and II and sponsors the freshman class and the freshman basketball coach. Mr. Dannevik graduated with the THS class of 1956. He received his B.S. degree from Emporia State Teachers College.

MR. DANNDEVK

THS welcomes Mr. William Foster to the faculty this year. Mr. Foster teaches chemistry, general math, zoology, and physiology. Mr. Foster also coaches the girls' basketball team. After he graduated from THS, Mr. Foster attended Highland Junior College, the University of Idaho, and the University of Chicago where he received his Master's degree.

MR. FOSTER

MR. RICHARD HARRINGTON has completed one and a half years at THS as American History and girls' physical education teacher. Mr. Harrington sponsors the junior class in addition to all his other classes. He received his B.S. degree from Kansas University.

MR. HARRINGTON

MISS NELLIE RUSSELL is completing her third year at THS. She sponsors the senior class, the annual, and all dramatics. Miss Russell teaches English III and IV, speech, and shorthand. She has an A.A. degree, Joplin Junior College, and an A.B. degree from Baker University. Summer plans for Miss Russell include an August wedding to Mr. Max Hoskins of Galena, Kansas.

MISS RUSSELL
Increased for the 1967-68 School Term

Mr. Merle Soeken teaches vocational agriculture I-IV and he sponsors the Future Farmers of America. Mr. Soeken has his B.S. degree from Kansas State University. Some of his favorite pastimes are water skiing, photography, and working in the shop. Mr. Soeken has been at THS for two years.

Mr. Soeken

Miss Sally Thorne arrived at THS January 15, 1968, to teach bookkeeping and office practice and to assist Mr. Knudsen with the large Troy chorus. Miss Thorne earned her B.S. degree from Emporia State Teachers' College. She will marry Mr. William K. Acheson of Atchison, Kansas, in June.

Miss Thorne

Mr. Dale Whiteside II has been with the THS faculty for eight years. He teaches Typing I and II, general business, and business law. In addition, he sponsors the Key Club. Mr. Whiteside earned his B.S. degree from Kansas State University. During Christmas vacation he took a trip to California to visit his parents. He also visited Disneyland and watched the Rose Bowl Parade.

Mr. Whiteside

Mr. Keith Ellison has counseled Troy students for 2 years. He came to us last year from Atchison High. He is Troy's first counselor. One of his many duties as counselor is giving information concerning jobs, colleges, trade schools, scholarships, and about Troy itself.

Mr. Ellison has a varied testing program consisting of aptitude tests, readiness tests, mental ability tests, and vocational tests, for students from kindergarten through high school. He informs teachers, colleges, and places of higher education about Troy students. He talks with all new students and orients them to T.H.S. He is available to all students who need counseling. He received his B.S. degree and Masters from Kansas State University, and did graduate work at the University of Kansas.

Mr. Keith Ellison

Mr. Thomas

Troy's librarian, Mrs. Ellen Warren, teaches all the foreign languages at THS including Spanish and Latin. She also sponsors the Trojan Trumpet and the Language Club. Mrs. Warren will complete twelve years at THS after this school year. Mrs. Warren earned her B.S. degree from Kansas State University.

Mrs. Warren

Mr. Kenneth Thomas teaches Algebra I and II, geometry, trigonometry, and calculus. Mrs. Thomas sponsors the sophomore class, is assistant coach for all sports and head coach for basketball B-team. Mr. Thomas, after this school year, will have completed five years at THS. He earned his B.S. degree from Kansas State Teacher's College of Emporia.

Mr. Thomas

Mr. Earl Williams teaches biology, social studies, psychology, and world geography and also sponsors the senior class. Mr. Williams has been with THS four years. He received his B.S. degree from Kansas State Teachers' College of Emporia. Mr. Williams is an honorary Pep Club member.

Mr. Williams
D. BURBRIDGE

D. LARZELERE  A. MONROE

BUS DRIVERS

Six bus drivers transport the students of THS and TG to and from school. Their job is to get the students to school in the morning and back to their homes at night. Considering that the buses are crowded, that very few bus routes are paved, and the job of driving a bus is not the easiest, we do commend our drivers.

D. BURBRIDGE

B. DAWE  H. WIENBERG

COOKS PREPARE AND SERVE MEALS

This year, there are three cooks with the addition of Mrs. Alice Trant. Mrs. Harriet Howland fills in when she is needed. The cooks that returned this year are Mrs. Eva Saltzman and Mrs. Mildred Wasson. Not many people realize how much work it takes to be a cook at a school. Eight-thirty seems early for some of us to arrive, but for the cooks, it is late! Each school day for nine months, the cooks prepare a nutritious meal for the students, faculty, staff, and themselves.

D. BURBRIDGE  L. YINGLING

M. WASSON, E. SALTZMAN, A. TRANT

DICK LARZELERE

MAINTENANCE CUSTODIAN

Mr. Dick Larzelere's job as maintenance engineer at Troy High consists of keeping the busses and other school equipment in good running condition. He is shown at left working on the mower.

Mr. Hadley Wienberg has spent two years at THS as custodian. Mr. Wienberg's job is to keep the halls clean and neat. He is pictured at right cleaning a room in the lower hall.

DICK LARZELERE  H. WIENBERG
SENIORS
In the fall of each year, the class elect their officers. This year the seniors chose Rick Gronninger as their president, Jerry Yingling as vice-president, Mary Ellen Murphy as secretary, and Edna Lewis as treasurer.

Under the leadership of these people, the class has sponsored many projects. They have sold magazines, a tradition for the seniors of THS, and candy. They have sponsored a chile and soup supper, a carnival, and a privilege day.
Richard Floyd Drake
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Sec. 3; Reporter 4; Chorus 3.

Patricia Ann Foley
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treas. 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Board Member 2, 4; Treas. 3; Language Club 2, 3, 4; Treas. 4; NHS 4; Sec. 4; Chorus 1; Yearbook Staff 2, 3, 4; Class Reporter 1.

Charles Michael Franken
T-Club 4; FFA 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 4; Basketball 2; Track 1; Chorus 3; Homecoming Escort 4.

Vicki Lynn Gaul
Pep Club 1, 2, 4; NHS 4; Treas. 4; Student Council 1, 4; Junior Play; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 1, 2; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 1, 4.

Richard Andrew Gronninger
T-Club 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1; Class Pres. 4; Kayette King 4; Maur Hill 1, 2.

Victoria Ann Hegarty
Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2; Paper Staff 4.
Paul Edward Keller
T-Club 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 2; Chorus 1, 3.

Lois Elaine Kirby
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 1, 3, 4; Board Member 3; Correspondence Sec. 4; Football 3, 4; Junior Play; K-36 League Play 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Basketball Attendant 2; Yearbook Staff 3, 4.

Edna Fay Lewis
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 2, 3, 4; Board Member 3, 4; Student Council 3; Dir. Junior Play; Cheerleader 3, 4; Chorus 1; Yearbook Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Twirler 1, 2; Librarian 2, 3, 4.

Ralph Chester Lindsey
Band 3.

Roger Dale Masters
T-Club 4; FFA Sentinel 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Track 3; Junior Play; K-36 League Play 3; Student Council 4; V-Pres. 4; Chorus 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 3.

Mary Ellen Murphy
Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Kayettes 1, 2, 4; Language Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 2; Chorus 1, 2; Homecoming Queen 4; Yearbook Staff 4; FFA Sweetheart 2; Class Sec. 4; Librarian 4.
Donna Kay Myers
Pep Club 1, 2; Kayettes 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Yearbook Staff 4; Twirler 1, 2, 3.

Harry William Noah
Chorus 3, 4.

Larry Wayne Norris
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4.

Ray Alfred Parker, Jr.
Language Club 3, 4; Chorus 3; Paper Staff 4, Assistant Editor 4.

Patricia Ann Peden
Weston, Mo.; Pep Club 1, 2; Student Council 2; Band 1, 2; FHA 1, 2. Troy: Kayettes 3, 4; Band 3; Yearbook Staff 3, 4; FFA Attendant 4.

Jimmy Ray Pickrell
Key Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; T-Club 2, 3, 4; sec. 4; NHS 4; Student Council 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Chorus 3; Boys' State 3; Class Pres. 1; Class V-Pres. 3; Kayette Cheerleader 3; Kayette Attendant 4; Junior Play.
Mary Virginia Reeder
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 1, 2; Board Member 3, 4; Kayette Football 4; NHS 4; V. - Pres. 4; Junior Play; Cheerleader 3, 4; Chorus 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Attendant 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Ed. 4; Paper Staff 2, 3; Girls' State 3; Class Sec. 1, 3.

Wayne Douglas Ruhmkorff
Key Club 2, 3, 4; NHS 4; Pres. 4; Football 1, 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Junior Play; K-36 Play 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Band 3; Annual 2; Boy' State 3.

Francis Maynard Scholz
FFA 1, 2, 3; V-Pres. 4; Chorus 1.

Peggy Ann Shelton
Pep Club 1, 2; Kayettes 1, 2; 3; Pres. 4; Board Member 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Pres. 4; Junior Play; Chorus 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Annual Staff 3; Paper Staff 3; Twirler 1, 2; Kayette Camp 2; Librarian 4.

Alyce Marie Smith
Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Sec. 4; Kayettes 3, 4; Treas. 4; Language Club 3, 4; Student Council 3; Annual Staff 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4.

Sue Ann Taylor
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 2, 3, 4; Board Member 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Language Club 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; Special Chorus 4; Girls' Ensemble 4.
Barbara Jean Thomas
Pep Club 1, 2, 4; V-Pres. 4;
Kayettes 2, 3, 4; Kayette
Football 2, 3, 4; Co-Capt. 3;
Capt. 4; Student Council 4;
Junior Play; Chorus 1, 2; Band
1; Yearbook Staff 3, 4; Librarian 4.

Gregg Douglas Thomas
Key Club 2, 3, 4; V-Pres. 3;
T-Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4;
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball
1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Junior
Play; Chorus 3; Boys' State
Alter. 3; Class V-Pres. 1;
Class Pres. 3.

Harold Allen Turpin
Key Club 2, 3, 4; NHS 4; Basket-
ball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2;
Chorus 1.

Peggy Ann Williams
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4;
Kayettes 3, 4; Board Member
3; V-Pres. 4; NHS 4; Student
Council 3; Chorus 1; Year-
book Staff 3, 4; Assistant Ed.
4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Editor 4;
Girls' State Alter. 3; Class
Treas. 1; Class Sec. 2; Class
Rep. 3; Kayette Camp 3.

William Walter Weber
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Track
1; Band 1.

Jerry Lee Yingling
Key Club 3, 4; T-Club 3, 4;
Student Council 3; Football
1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4;
Class V-Pres. 1; Class V-Pres.
4; Homecoming Escort 4.
Character, service, leadership, and scholarship are represented and encouraged by members of the National Honor Society, and to those who would like to become members of the organization.

To qualify, a student must be a junior and must have a B (or above) average, and be voted upon by the faculty members and by the NHS members. New members are initiated before the student body in a spring assembly.
Juniors Present Mystery-Comedy for 1967 Play

One of the major projects of the junior class is the presentation of a play. Pictured on the set of Web of Murder, the 1967 junior play, are the class officers Ronnie Masters, secretary; Dan Albers, vice-president; Pat Harris, treasurer; Sandra Hoffman, president; and Archie Tucker, student council representative.

Dan Albers
Tom Brun
Peggy Campbell

Bill Chapple

Debbie Clary
Donald Clary
Donna Clary

Gary Davies
Each year the juniors choose their class rings. The pictures below show our juniors for the ’67-’68 year were no exception. Some of the group are studying the different styles and designs while others are being fitted by Mr. Hummer for the correct size.
SOPHOMORES

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The Troy High Sophomores have picked up corn and have had bake sales in the past in order to make money, but at the time of this writing, they had made no plans for future projects.

The class officers are pictured on the main steps. They are as follows: Arlen Ruhnke, president; Bary Thomas, vice-president; Jane Gray, secretary; and Shannon Cook, treasurer.
John Elder
Dennis Foley
Victoria Foley

Marvin Gaither

Mike Gardner
Cathy Crable
Jane Gray

Paul Greaser

Lynn Handley
Mike Hurtig
Peggy Koehler

Steven Kostman

Connie Kline
Roger Losson
Gary Masters

Mike Meier

Thelma Noah
Gaylord Owens
Rodney Parker

Sharon Pennell
Teresa Reder was absent when pictures were taken.

**SOPHOMORES BEGIN SECOND SEMESTER WITH LITERATURE**

Pictured below, the sophomores of T. H. S. read and study their literature assignment. Upon completion of this course, they will be one step closer to meeting their English requirements. Mr. Dannevik is the English II instructor.
FRESHMEN
The freshmen need guidance in making many decisions. Dale Miner, reporter; Tom Speaks, president; Dow Pierce, treasurer; Linda Albers, secretary; and Renee Hoffman, vice-president are shown above studying materials in Mr. Ellison's office that will aid in these decisions.

Linda Albers
Rex Ashworth
Gary Barntheson

Eugene Boch

Julia Boch
William Boch
Patty Buch

Russell Clary
Dennis Culp
Willena Dawe
Terry DeShon

Terry Dishon

Roger Doro
Roselyn Drake
Clifford Ernzen

Edward Eylar

Marilee Gaither
Barbara Gardner
Debbie Gardner

Sharon Gilbert

Susan Harris
Sheila Hegarty
Renee Hoffman

Penny Horner

Jerry Jackson
Pamela Jones
Russell Karn

John Keller
Rick Klaus  
Kent Luedke  
William McNemee  

Cindy Middleton  

Dale Miner  
Vachel Murphy  
Jane Neumann  

Shirley Norris  

Dennis Peden  
Dow Pierce  
Tom Pierce  

Doyle Prawl  

Pat Reeder  
Glenda Ruhnke  
Rosa Ruhnke  

Carol Scholz  

Ronnie Sharp  
Jackie Simpson  
Mark Smith  

Tom Speaks
PhysicaI education and health are required courses for all freshmen. In the pictures below the girls exercise on the gym floor while the boys concentrate on their assignment in health. Mr. Harrington teaches the girls; Mr. Croxley instructs the boys.

GOOD LUCK CLASS OF 1971
On the night of Jan. 27, 1968, the THS seniors sponsored a carnival and show.

The show started off the evening and a number of students took part in the take off on the "Ed Sullivan" show. A number of acts were performed and interspersed throughout the acts were commercials. Ricky Drake was the Master of Ceremonies.

Donald Clary and his famous dog (Reggie) act were there, as were the Smother's Sisters (Mother liked the boys best). Donna Rush and Lois Kirby portrayed this pair. Musical acts included Mrs. Miller's Sisters (Renee Hoffman, Sue Taylor, and Roselyn Drake) and The Hillbilly Band (Tom Bruns, Gary Masters, Kenny Reder, Cathy Grable and Barbara Thomas). Also on hand were Rick and his Mob (Rick Gronmiger, Edna Lewis, Jim Wykert, and Doug Johnson). They left when the yell of "Cops" sounded throughout the auditorium.

Various companies advertising during the evening were Tootsie Rolls (Peggy Koehler, Connie Klinc, Tom Bruns, and Roger Masters), Right Guard (Bev Engemann and David Penny), and Scope (Mr. Foster and Edna Lewis). A brief version of T.V. show, "Divorce Court", was portrayed (Renee Hoffman, Ted Smith, Doug Johnson, Roger Masters, Roselyn Drake, and Marcia Whetstine).

After the show, the booths opened. Most of the organizations and classes sponsored at least one booth each. The booths represented money-making projects for the organizations. There was a fortune teller, a jail, a dart throw, a kissing booth, a fish pond, a spook house, a road race, a cake walk, a sweet shop, and a snack bar.

Following the carnival, the seniors sponsored a dance for junior high and high school students. A juke box provided the music.
ATHLETICS
The Troy Trojans football team got off to a much better start this year with a victorious win over the Highland Blue Streaks with a score of 19-6. This put an end to the twenty-seven game losing streak for the Trojans. The boys showed fine spirit on and off the playing field. It takes a lot to make a winning team, and the Trojans' efforts produced results. Teamwork and cooperation among players and coaches is important and proved rewarding.

COACHES BOOST SPIRIT OF TEAM AND STUDENT BODY

Troy High School spirit has been boosted greatly this year with the help of William Crosley, Kenneth Thomas, and Nicholas Dannevik, Troy's coaches. They have shown great enthusiasm and have encouraged the boys to work hard to win. Troy not only ended their twenty-seven game losing streak beating Highland, 19-6, but also finished the season with a 74-6 win over the Seneca team.
Senior Letterman, Mike Franken, was absent on day picture was taken.

SEVEN SENIORS LETTER IN FOOTBALL

TOP ROW: (from left) Dan Albers, Ricky Drake. SECOND ROW: Keith Winder, Marvin Gaither, John Elder, Bary Thomas, Mike Meier. THIRD ROW: Ronnie Masters, Kenny Reder, Dwayne Schoenfelder, Tom Bruns, Gary Davies.
TROJANS BEGIN AND END SEASON WITH VICTORIES

The Trojan football squad began the 1967 season with a win over Highland. However, the next six games proved too much for the mighty Trojans. The last game was a tremendous comeback for the team as they pummeled Seneca Public 74 to 7 in the last game of the season.


WE THEY
19 Highland 6
0 Midway 12
6 South Holt 21
7 Wathena 31
7 Corning 19
0 Saint Peter and Paul 40
6 Elwood 21
6 Easton 25
74 Seneca Public 7

The Trojans got off to a slow start at the beginning of the 1967 basketball season by losing to Kelly. As the season progressed, however, the Trojans made a strong comeback by defeating the Highland Blues, Streaks and the Midway Eagles.

It required time for the players to get adjusted and learn to work together as a team. Hopes are high for next year as the returning lettermen will be back to lead the team.

Under the capable leadership of Coach Thomas and the assistant coach, Mr. Dannevik, the Trojan B-Team showed much progress this season. The spirit of the Trojan players and the enthusiasm of the student body help make a winning team. Mr. Croxley coaches the A team.

From left: G. Thomas, J. Anderson, J. Pickerell, K. Reder, R. Masters, T. Brunț, W. Ruhnke, J. Yingling

FRESHMEN UNDERGO DIFFICULT SEASON

The Freshmen had a difficult season this year finishing with a 3-7 record. They placed fifth in the District Tournament by defeating Elwood. Mr. Dannemvik, a new addition to the THS faculty this year, was the Freshmen team's coach.

The Trojan A-Team won only two games this year, but that didn't lower their spirit. The boys worked hard and showed team spirit, which is needed to make a winning team. Mr. Crosley coached the A-Team.

BACK ROW from left: D. Pierce, J. Jackson, K. Luedke, R. Clary, D. Winder, B. McNemee. FRONT ROW from left: T. Speaks, D. Miner, T. Pierce, D. Culp.

ALL SENIOR TEAM MEMBERS LETTER


**GIRLS PARTICIPATE IN TEAM SPORTS**

Coach Foster advises strategy.  
Get that ball to a Trojan!
Along with spring, comes the beginning of the 1968 track season at THS. This year approximately twenty boys went out for track. Three of the twenty are returning lettermen. They are Tom Bruns, Carl Neeland and Marvin Gaither. Since there are so many boys out, each boy can spend time working for an event for which he feels qualified, rather than working on events in which he isn't qualified.

Track is the only sport at THS where each boy must work and practice on his own. In the other sports at our school, such as football and basketball, a team with team work is required.

'class of '71 active in track

The Freshman track team is looking forward to the beginning of the 1968 track season. All prospects, now point to it being a successful one.

'68 track schedule

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P.E. department adds new area

There has been a new addition to the P. E. program at THS this year---gymnastics. Here, Gary B. is working on the parallel bars. A few of the other Freshmen have worked in this section during P. E. hour. Gary has become fairly advanced in his ability to do many stunts on the tumbling mat and parallel bars. We look for Gary and some of the other boys to be quite active in this area next year.

Gary Barnthson
The T-Club is made up of boys that have lettered in one or more sports. These boys are brought into the club each year by an annual initiation which is held in the spring. After the initiation, the whole group has a picnic. Other activities for the club include selling chances on cakes at home basketball games and the awards banquet held at the end of each year. At this banquet, the members are presented with the letters which they have earned during the past year.
ACTIVITIES
Friday the thirteenth was not an unlucky day for Mary Ellen Murphy because she became Troy's 1967 Homecoming Queen at halftime activities of the Troy-Corning football game on that night. The Trojans were defeated, 19-7, but nothing could dampen the spirit of the team or the crowd. The band and the Pep Club performed at halftime activities. The band, under the direction of Mr. Knudsen, formed a "C" (for Corning), a "T" (for Trojans), a sunflower, and with the help of the THS Pep Club, formed a crown in which Mary Ellen and her attendants were crowned and presented roses.

From left: Tom Cross, Mary Reeder (attendant), Mike Franken, Mary Murphy (Queen), Jerry Yingling, Lois Kirby (attendant).
"Happiness" could have been the 1967 Homecoming theme for all those involved in the event seem very pleased with all aspects of the ceremony. The above picture shows queen Mary Ellen and her court seated inside the gymnasium that was specially decorated by the Pep Club for the Homecoming dance. Pictured below left is Brenda Dannevik and Jack Cross who served as flower girl and crown bearer respectively.

Mary Ellen, pictured below, is being crowned by Mike Franken during half-time Homecoming activities.
The pep assembly before each game gives the students an opportunity to express their support for the team. At one of the pep assemblies a surprise package arrived. The two co-captains for the game, Tom Cross and Mike Franken, are shown unwrapping the present and a few seconds later, "Chatty Trojan" made her first appearance. Throughout the year "Chatty Trojan" promoted enthusiasm by circulating among the crowd holding signs with clever sayings on them. She added much needed spirit to our school.
PEP CLUB SELECTS "AUTUMN LEAVES" AS THEME FOR 1967 HOMECOMING

The Homecoming Dance, sponsored by the Pep Club, was held in the school auditorium. Pictured is Queen Mary Ellen and her attendants leading off the first dance with their escorts. The disappointment of having lost the game was offset by the dreamy mood which the lovely decorations and music created. The theme was "Autumn Leaves" and the music was provided by the Safaris. It was a memorable evening for all.

Mike Franken, Mary Murphy
Lois Kirby, Jerry Yingling
Tom Cross, Mary Reeder
Mr. Williams and Mr. Foster were made honorary members of the T. H. S. Pep Club in appreciation for their cheering and spirit at games.

Senior football boys carried Mr. Williams and Mr. Foster into the gym at the pep assembly before the last home game. The Pep Club officers presented them with two wrapped presents. Two blue sweatshirts with "HONORARY PEP CLUB" written on the front and a megaphone with "TROY" written on it were the gifts. After donning the sweatshirts Mr. Williams and Mr. Foster led the students in a cheer.

By cheering with the Pep Club and leading cheers during basketball games, Mr. Williams and Mr. Foster have continued to promote school spirit.
THS Pep Club added a new feature this year. Three members were chosen as "Girl of the Week, Week". The qualifications for a "Girl of the Week" were enthusiasm at the games, posters made by the members to boost spirit during the week of the game, and the standard uniform of the club had to be worn. The girls were chosen by Mr. Williams and Mr. Foster, who are honorary members of the Pep Club.

The first week Peggy Williams was chosen. Peggy is a Senior at Troy High and has been a member of the Pep Club four years. She is also president of the club this year.

Renee Hoffman was the next "Girl of the Week". She made many posters and further showed her enthusiasm by yelling vigorously at the games. Renee is a Freshman at THS this year.

Barbara Thomas was the third "Girl of the Week". Barbara is vice-president of the Pep Club and is a Senior this year. She has been a member of the Pep Club for three years.

KAYETTES REVERSE — THEY PLAY FOOTBALL;

THE BOYS YELL

The football girls chose five cheerleaders to lead yells and generate enthusiasm. The boys led cheers at a special pep assembly held the day of the Troy game.

From left: Paul Greaser, Danny Albers, Tom Bruns, Jerry Yingling. Not pictured is Mike Franken.
On October 4, 1967, Rick Groninger, a senior at T. H. S., was crowned king of the annual Kayette Homecoming during halftime ceremonies. The boys arrived in style on Mr. White-side's decorated truck. White carnations were given to each of the candidates.

King Rick was crowned by Barbara Thomas, captain of the team. The candidates were chosen by the football squad. The king was chosen from the candidates by the students who placed money in cans for the candidate of their choice. The team also chose the escorts who were Claudia Triplett (Gregg Thomas), Jane Gray (Jim Pickerell), Barb Thomas (Rick Groninger), Peggy Shelton (Roger Masters), and Sandra Hoffman (Ronnie Masters). Sandra was absent on the day of the picture. Lois Kirby took her place.

It was a rough first half. Time out for the King.

In the picture above, Coach Harrington gives advice to the girls who play ends and wingbacks. The girls played long and hard but all their efforts just weren’t enough. The Highland Kayettes defeated our girls by a score of 4 to 0 on our own field, and they defeated our girls 7 to 0 on the Highland Field.

To keep the spirit of the THS girls high, Mr. Williams and Bill Penny made comments on the plays and players.

Even though the girls didn’t do as well as they wanted to do, they enjoyed playing and being a part of all the excitement and fun.
Trooper Roy Kirkendall

A safety program was viewed by students at THS on November 8. The program was conducted by TROOPER ROY KIRKENDALL from Shawnee Mission, Kansas, and by Trooper William Bell from Troy. Trooper Kirkendall gave the students advice on driving safety while slides illustrating his speech were shown.

MAJOR NICHOLAS TERZOPOULOS delivered a timely speech on the history of Vietnam and the Vietnamese people on November 10, Veterans Day.

The ceremony began with the flag salute and an invocation given by Father Egbert Hall. Mr. James Goss represented the American Legion Post 55.

Major Terzopoulos showed slides of scenery in Vietnam and of the life of the people of Vietnam.
The Key Club again sponsored services during the week prior to Christmas at THS this year. Five area ministers participated.

Reverend Gary Appleton of the First Methodist Church spoke on Monday and gave us four affirmations of Christmas to be followed in the new year. Other subjects presented included the following: "Misunderstandings About Christmas," "The Importance of a Baby Being Born," "The Greatest Happiness," and "Giving."

MONDAY

Rev. Appleton

TUESDAY

Rev. Biggs

WEDNESDAY

Father Hall

THURSDAY

Rev. Davis

FRIDAY

Pastor Hull
Four trumpets at once!

Chuck Hanna, who has held many students spellbound while delivering his emphatic orations, was guest speaker at THS during the month of January.

In his speech he emphasized that everyone was born equal and unique, and it was up to the individual person to make "something" of himself. He felt that everyone had some type of talent which he could develop and in which he could excel.

To stress his point, he often used his family as the target of humorous ridicule.

Believe in yourself!

Time to reflect.

Thank you.
Left to right: Joyce Stewart, Debbie Clary, Bev Engemann, Gary Davies, Pat Harris, Don Clary, Bev Ross, Tom Bruns.

THE STORY

The setting for this mystery is in an old Victorian house which sits high on a cliff overlooking the Pacific Ocean.

Minerva Osterman, played by Pat Harris, is a crippled, arthritic old woman who cannot maneuver without the aid of her wheelchair. She is also the owner of the house. Mrs. Osterman is aided by her daughter, Stephanie, played by Lynette Ernzen, and the housekeeper, Nora, who was played by Debbie Clary.

On this particular stormy evening, Minerva is expecting guests, her nieces Mary, played by Bev Ross, and Belle Hamilton, played by Bev Engemann. They bring with them two unexpected guests: Keith Latimer, Mary's fiance, played by Tom Bruns, and Pete Martinelli, played by Gary Davies, who is Belle's fiance.

After the welcomes and memories have been discussed, Dr. Adler appears. The doctor was played by Don Clary. The doctor was the new family physician. He lived in the house in case Minerva needed immediate care.

The reason for the gathering of in-laws was that Mrs. Osterman wanted the pleasure of reading her own will to her relatives before she died. However, before the will was read she demonstrated the doctor's latest treatment. He hypnotized her and she tells everyone, while under, that three others besides herself will die that night from the venom of a spider. After recovering from the shock and after Minerva comes out from under the spell, everyone except Minerva retires to their rooms upstairs.

As Minerva sits speaking to the picture of William, her late husband, an uninvited guest appears through the secret passageway. Minerva's lawyer, played by Roger Guier, is blackmailing her with a secret which she does not want revealed. After agreeing upon the sum of three thousand dollars,
You are getting very sleepy . . .

Now you listen to me, Queen High and Mighty; Pat and Roger fight it out. He's blackmailing her and she doesn't like it one bit.

the unwanted visitor exits through the passageway to his upstairs room.

Later the same evening, Minerva is found dead with a puncture of the skin, like a spider bite. The doctor pronounces her dead and she is carried to one of the upstairs rooms.

The next morning, Belle and Pete accidentally open the secret passageway and discover Stephanie and the lawyer dead. Stephanie had been strangled.

Deadly discovery, Minerva is dead (?)

That same evening, about 8:00 P.M., Mary encountered Minerva. Minerva explains to Mary that her phony death was part of a plan. She said that she wanted to hide and see how everyone really felt about her so she would know who deserved to be included in the will. Mary could also see quite plainly that she was not an invalid, because she could walk. As Mary called to Keith, Minerva disappeared. As Keith searched for her in the upstairs rooms, Minerva again appeared in the passageway door, this time with a knife in her back. Keith and Dr. Adler brought all the remaining people into the room. After hypnotizing them, Dr. Adler asks each of them if they did the killing. No one admitted it. When they awaken, the doctor is gone and
Miss Russell makes up Bev, who is getting ready to swing, Roger is occupied, and everyone is pressed for time, and losing make-up.

Swinging, Bev shows 'em how. Gary is quite pleased with the show, it seems.

Back stage mechanics show as Dr. Adler strangles Stephanie.

and Mary will not wake up. While everyone was under hypnosis, Dr. Adler was killed in his room by spiders, of course.

Mary still can't wake up, so everyone, except Nora, goes to town to get a doctor. After they had gone, Mary woke up. Nora told her that the precious William wasn't Minerva's husband, but her own husband, and Stephanie was her child, not Minerva's. The secret was that in a fit of rage after discovering her husband was in love with Minerva, Nora killed William. The secret had been hidden all those years, even from Stephanie.

Nora also admits killing the others. Then she tried to kill Mary. She had the box of spiders in her hand and all Mary had to do was to put her hand in the box. The two began to struggle. At this point Keith, Pete, and Belle enter the room. They hadn't gone for the doctor. They merely drove off, parked the car, and returned to listen through the door.

Nora finally gave Keith the box of spiders. Pete and Keith then took Nora upstairs. She was to be taken to a sanitarium. As they all went upstairs, Belle got the will from beneath the cushion on the sofa and handed it to Mary. They know that Belle had not been included in the will, but Mary decided to split the inheritance in half between Belle and herself.

This year's cast gave two performances. The first was a matinee, given mainly to grade and high school students, and the second was a Saturday evening performance.

Thank goodness it's all over!
Lillian reads as play begins.

Don’t be sad, Mother.
THE PLOT

The setting for this drama in one act is the home of the Ross family and the time is shortly before 8 p.m., the present. As the play begins, the audience sees a typical family seated in their living room. Very soon, however, the family indicates its difference. At 8 p.m., a year ago, the son in the family shot and killed himself.

Mrs. Ross (Renee) is outwardly aware of the time and date and shows her distress at remembering. Lillian (Lois) tries to comfort her mother by telling her that David wouldn't want her to be sad. Lillian then begins to reflect on David's life just before his suicide and decides that since she and David were such good pals and told each other everything, if she had been at home instead of away at college, she would have been able to help him. The father (Wayne) has tried to control himself through all this, but his restraint runs out and he sarcastically asks Lillian why she is mulling over the past now and what she hopes to accomplish. He states what everyone believes is the reason for David's death--his girlfriend married another boy.

Lillian doesn't agree with him, but doesn't press the issue. She leaves to visit a friend.

Mrs. Ross cautions her husband to not be so harsh with Lillian, and this leads to an argument concerning his being too harsh with David whom Mrs. Ross claims to have been very sensitive. Henry defends his right to be stern and to control his son. He doesn't believe that he and his wife were harsh enough because their son didn't be-
STUDENT TEACHERS PARTICIPATE IN SCHOOL LIFE

DANIEL J. COREY
Panama, Iowa, is the home town of Daniel J. Carey. Mr. Carey is doing his student teaching in English and in Speech. He is attending St. Benedict's College in Atchison, Kansas, where he is a senior. Mr. Carey has one younger sister and three younger brothers. Education is his minor and English is his major. He lists sports in general as his favorite pastime.

MARLETHA C. WALSH
Miss Martha C. Walsh is a native of Elizabeth, New Jersey. She has three brothers and two sisters. Her pastimes include being the president of Student Government Association at the Mount. She is majoring in political science and minoring in History Education. She is a senior at Mount Saint Scholastica College, Atchison, Kansas. Government and history are the fields in which Miss Walsh is student teaching. Her plans include a masters in political science and teaching in New Jersey.

RONALD J. HORVATH
St. Louis, Missouri, is the home of Ronald J. Horvath. He has lived there all his life. Mr. Horvath has two sisters and one brother. Mr. Horvath is a senior at St. Benedict's College, Atchison, Kansas, and is student teaching in the history and physiology classes. He hopes to eventually get his masters degree in Education Administration. He enjoys soccer as his pastime.
Each year at Kansas University in Lawrence, a week session of Boy's State is held. The Troy American Legion is sponsoring two boys and the Kiwanis is sponsoring one boy to Boy's State in June.

The boys are chosen on the basis of their grades, their character, and their overall attitude toward school. From this list, the faculty selects the three boys they feel best meet these requirements. An alternate is also chosen in case one of the boys cannot attend Boy's State. During the week, a campaign is held and officers are chosen for the State. Other activities include learning how the government functions, special sessions with guest speakers, a Governor's reception, and a formal banquet. After returning from Boy's State, the boys will give a speech to their sponsors relating their experiences.
The THS Key Club and Kayettes sponsored a trip to Candy Cane Lane in St. Joseph for the Senior Citizens of the two nursing homes in Troy. After seeing the Christmas decorations displayed at Candy Cane Lane, they returned to Troy and viewed Troy's decorations.
On the day before the game with Highland, the Trojans gathered for the traditional bonfire and snake dance. As everyone neared the flaming fire, the Bluestreak dummy was tossed. As the flames roared higher the excitement grew and grew. This excitement reached its peak when the Pep Club, lead by the cheerleaders, snaked their way through the streets. Following the girls were the coaches and the team on a truck. The Pep Club and the cheerleaders formed a circle around the truck and led several rousing cheers in anticipation of the coming game.
In the top picture, the boys (?) pose for the camera.

The boys are pictured in class in the center picture. They include the following: Vachel Murphy, Steve Wiedmaier, Jerry Jackson, Russell Karns, Gene Boeh, Tom Pierce, Ronnie Sharp, Mark Smith, John Keller, Mike Thornton, Dale Miner, Doyle Prawl, Dow Pierce, Terry Dishon, Rick Klaus.

As in years past, the F.F.A. Greenhand initiation brought new members into the 1968 Future Farmers of America.

On January 30, the initiates had to come to school dressed like girls and had to have one hand dunked in green paint for a part of the initiation. The boys also had to learn the F.F.A. creed, had to have a supervised farming program and had to be voted into the chapter by a passing vote of members. Despite the whistles and kidding, the boys seemed to enjoy their day.

They really are boys!
One of the qualifications that a girl must meet in order to become an F.F.A. queen is to be able to perform different chores that a farm girl should be able to do.

In the above pictures the candidates are trying to pound a nail in oak. The girls are judging each chicken on its egg-laying ability in the center picture. By examining each one they were supposed to be able to tell. (One proved to be a rooster.) Girls in the picture below are squaring boards and then sawing them.

Bev met all requirements and was chosen queen.
The FFA Barn-warm was held in the THS gym on January 20. The band, which played for the dance, was the Safaris.

After the candidates and their escorts were presented, Beverly Engemann was chosen FFA Sweetheart. The other candidates included Vicki Gaul, Pat Peden, Beverly Ross, Shannon Cook, and Rosa Ruhnke. Queen Bev was crowned by Chapter President, Bill Weber.

FFA sponsor enjoys himself. Safaris swing out.
ORGANIZATIONS
Nearly half of Troy High's student body is participating in chorus this year. Three cho­ruses, under the direction of Mr. Carl Knudsen, have emerged from the mixed group pictured above--Girls' Chorus, Boys' Chorus, and Special Chorus. Chorus members have the "5th" hour each day for practice periods. A definite sche­dule is followed so that only one chorus practices on a given day. Members are dismissed from 4th Hour Classes approximately the last 20 minutes of the period and they eat lunch and then go to chorus. They sing until 1:00 and then return to their 6th Hour classes which are already in progress. At this time, the students have already participated in a K-36 Choral clinic held on November 21 at Troy High School. Through singing a student can gain an apprecia­tion of music and learn to express himself well. The choruses in music at THS have proven to be a satisfying and rewarding experience for all who have participated in them. The chorus provides a music program each Christmas, ac­companied by the school band. They also take part in spring contests at Emporia and Lawrence.

GIRLS SING, BOYS SING — THEN ALL SING

The special chorus was chosen at the beginning of the year. From this chorus a girls' and boys' ensemble was also selected at the semester by Miss Thorne and Mr. Knudsen. Mr. Knudsen rehearsed the special chorus to present a Christmas cantata. With the help of Miss Thorne, both ensembles entered the music contest held at Emporia State Teachers' College. They also presented a program to the public for their Spring concert. The special chorus meets on every Wednesday and the ensembles meet Mondays and Fridays. David Penny, a junior, is the pianist for all the singing groups.
MUSICIANS, TWIRLERS, AND CONDUCTOR COMPLETE PICTURE

In order to present a finished and professional picture, a band should have twirlers in addition to its musicians. The Troy High Band has five twirlers this year—one to lead each line of bandmen.

The THS Band members have worked hard this year to make their band a good one. They began practicing before the school year started.


The Band marched in Troy's Halloween Parade and they played "The Pink Panther". Mrs. Knudsen (wife of band director) was dressed in a pink panther outfit and handed out balloons to the children along the parade route. The band was also invited to the Hiawatha Halloween Parade.

Band members are required to march at football homecoming, and in the Apple Blossom Parade and must play at pep assemblies and home games.

Members meeting the requirements will receive a full credit for their efforts during the year.

Band officers were elected this year. Each officer had a function to perform including the following: publicizing activities of band, keeping instruments clean and in proper working order, and filing sheet music.


With the addition of a new sponsor, Mrs. Madeleine Crosley, the Pep Club has carried out several projects to create school spirit in the team and in the student body. "Chatty Trojan", the THS mascot, made her debut in the pep assembly before the September 22 football game. Mr. Foster and Mr. Williams were made honorary pep club members for their enthusiasm at the games. During a pep assembly they were given sweatshirts with "Honorary Pep Club" printed on the front and a megaphone and "Troy" on the back. A "Red Carpet Day" was an added feature during Homecoming. Only the football boys were allowed to walk on the red crepe paper carpet in the main hall. Other projects throughout the year included the selling of white pins with "Happiness is a Trojan Victory" imprinted in blue on them. Selling chains with the basketball schedule on them was also another money-making project.
Every organization needs and has its leaders, and the THS Pep Club is no exception. Throughout the year the officers of the Pep Club have had the responsibility of seeing that their organization accomplishes all its goals. These girls have promoted school spirit by seeing that game assemblies have been filled with enthusiasm. Another main contribution to the spirit of the school has been the wide variety of posters put in the halls on game days. All of these are prepared and hung by Pep Club members.

Principal duties and goals of the Pep Club are promoting school spirit, organizing pep rallies, practicing yells and songs, developing leadership qualities, building good sportsmanship, learning to cooperate with each other and other schools, arousing enthusiasm for THS, and setting good examples for the younger students.

At the beginning of the school year the officers and cheerleaders wrote a new constitution. This has also been a major factor in helping the club to be better organized.

The one person who has helped the Pep Club become a more active and influential organization is its new sponsor this year, Mrs. Madeline Crosley. Through thick and thin Mrs. Crosley stood by the Pep Club and helped the organization. She brought back many new ideas for our Pep Club from the clinic in Manhattan.

During this year the Pep Club has been one of the major organizations helping promote school spirit.
A-TEAM CHEERLEADERS
MARY REEDER
DEBBIE CLARY
BEV ENGEMANN
JANE GRAY
EDNA LEWIS

B-TEAM CHEERLEADERS
SANDRA HOFFMAN
PAT REEDER
BEV ROSS
ROSA RUHNKE
Cheerleaders are involved in much preparation before the public sees them on the field or on the court. Last spring the Pep Club, by popular vote, elected the 1967-68 cheerleaders. During the summer months the girls decided upon a two-toned blue and white overblouse and a blue skirt with white inset pleats for the football season. They changed part of their outfits to blue skirts for the basketball season.

The "B" team cheerleaders were selected at the beginning of this school term. Their outfits are set off by a comic Trojan emblem drawn by Roger Guier. The "B" team cheerleaders cheered their first game at the football homecoming.

"Trojans are victorious!"

"Troy Says Hi!"

"If they score..."

"Sure, I know, but..."
From left: Mrs. Goss, D. West, L. Tetlow, D. Winder, D. Gardner, L. Kirby, P. Jones, R. Ruhnke.

The main purpose of the Kayettes is to serve. Throughout the year the Kayettes perform many worthwhile projects. Among the projects are the adoption of a family and the sending of gifts to Viet Nam. At Thanksgiving the Kayettes decorated the tables in the lunchroom and with Christmas approaching, the Kayettes were busily decorating the class rooms at THS.

Kayettes do find time to have fun. In the spring the organization had a slumber party which helped introduce the future members to the Kayettes.

THS Kayettes select two girls to attend Kayette Camp at Rock Springs Ranch each year. The delegates profit greatly by learning about the point system, publicity, and recreation, which help to make a better organization.
HIGH SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY PROJECTS

Sorting articles for the family the Kayettes adopted are D. Myers, P. Shelton, and V. Foley, shown above.

Helping to keep the school attractive are the above Kayettes: S. Hoffman, treasurer; L. Kirby corresponding secretary; P. Williams, vice-president; Mrs. Goss; P. Shelton, president; A. Smith, recording secretary.
The Student Council of Troy High has taken upon many new obligations this year. They approve or veto extra-curricular activities as well as restrict the dress code. This governing student body has also held trial at assembly. Those on trial were reprimanded by the Student Council and sentenced. THS students served as witnesses at the trial. The Student Council made suggestions as to discipline and the students have acted accordingly.

Another responsibility accepted by the Student Council this year was the sponsoring of the annual Christmas dance. This has traditionally been sponsored by the Kayettes; however, since they didn't feel financially capable, the Student Council, with the help of the school board, took over the project. After one of the football games, a dance was also sponsored by this organization.

The Student Council members were elected from their home rooms and each class elected one representative. The officers were elected by the entire student body. Last year four student campaigned for an office. This year five students took an interest in their school affairs. The officers and members have worked with the administration and school board. The Student Council acts as a link between students and the administration.
At the beginning of each school term, Mrs. Warren, who is in charge of the library at THS, selects several students to serve as student librarians for the year.

The librarians have a number of responsibilities including checking in and out several hundred books each month. Besides this duty they help other students find books and research material for class assignments. They file new magazines, keep the library supplied with current newspapers, and study various aspects of library science.

A great deal of trust is placed in these eight girls and they follow in the footsteps of former student librarians who accepted and carried out their responsibilities.

Books and other publications are the key to a whole new world for some or an explanation of the present world for others and these student librarians help to make both available to their fellow students.
SEATED: Mr. Whiteside, (spon.); Jim Pickerell, president; Tom Bruns, vice-president; Dan Albers, treasurer; Gregg Thomas, secretary. STANDING: Kenny Reder, Kenny Winder, Harold Turpin, Joe Anderson, Jerry Yingling, Ronnie Masters, Tom Cross, Wayne Ruhnke.

KEY CLUB SERVES T.H.S. AND COMMUNITY

Key Club is a service organization sponsored by the Kiwanis. Sophomore, junior, and senior boys are eligible for admission.

The aim of the Key Club is the development of initiative, leadership ability, and good citizenship practices. This year there are 12 members in the organization, which is sponsored by Mr. Whiteside. "We Build, to build better leaders from the youth of today and be of service to home, school, and community," is the motto of the club.

The Key Club sponsors the parent-teacher appreciation banquet, at which time the new members are inducted. The banquet this year was served by the Home Economics' girls.

During the Christmas season the Key Club invites area ministers to THS to give a brief talk on anything pertaining to Christmas. The club's major money-making project is the selling of Christmas trees during the Christmas season.

From left: Tom Bruns, Jim Pickerell, Gregg Thomas, Dan Albers
VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE STUDENTS

The "FFA" is the national organization for boys studying vocational agriculture in secondary schools under the National Education Arts' provisions.

This organization is a non-profit, non-political, non-sectarian farm youth organization of voluntary members designed for them to strive for leadership, to build a more permanent agriculture, and to improve country life. The Future Farmers of America is one-hundred per cent American in its outlook and in its ideals. They have no outside affiliations.

The national emblem of the FFA is made up of five symbols: the owl, the plow, and the rising sun, within the cross section of an ear of corn, which is surmounted by the American eagle. This emblem is significant and meaningful in every detail. The symbolic owl shows wisdom and knowledge; labor and tillage of the soil is represented by the plow; the rising sun is symbolic of progress and the new day that will dawn when all farmers are trained and have learned to cooperate; the cross section of an ear of corn is emblematic of common agricultural interests since corn is native to America and is grown in every state; and the eagle indicates the national scope of the organization. The emblem also carries the letters "FFA" and the words, "Vocational Agriculture."

Joe Anderson received the State Farmer degree. He is now entitled to wear the regulation gold emblem charm.


LANGUAGE CLUB ENCOURAGES STUDY OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES


The main purpose of the Language Club is to encourage the study and use of languages. THS Language Club had 38 members this year. Activities of the organization include Christmas caroling throughout the city of Troy, the annual Book Fair (held February 7, 8, and 9), and, for the first time this year, they participated in the senior carnival by having the Sweet Shop. A spring party was also held for all members of the organization.

A pin is awarded to each member at the end of every year. Those participating two or more years receive a number attachment to the first pin they received.

The officers lead the many committees and assure that all members have a chance to participate in the various activities of the yearly program. Through studying the language of foreign countries, the students also learn about the countries themselves.
Looks interesting.

Not a bad selection!

I told you it was here!

Books, books, and more books.

Bev Engemann, secretary of the Language Club, and Carol Middleton pack extra books. All club members participated.
EFFICIENT TRUMPET STAFF MEETS DEADLINES

From left: Ray Parker, Ricky Drake, Alyce Smith, Vicki Hegarty, Mrs. Warren, Dorothy Manthe, Debbie Clary, Carol Middleton, Sue Taylor, and Peggy Williams. Not pictured are Bill Boeh, Carl Neeland, and Dale Miner.

FEW GET JOB DONE

This year the members of the paper staff are few in number; however, this is not a problem for our studious and hard-working staff. These students are seen everywhere as a deadline approaches. They must find out who, what, when, and where and then they must print the information. They meet their dead-lines and always have a variety of interesting stories in the paper for students to read. During Christmas the staff added red and green color to the "Trojan Trumpet" to make a scene for the cover.

Five members of the staff and Mrs. Warren attended the 49th Annual High School Conference on September 23, at the University of Kansas in Lawrence. There the students attended valuable and interesting lectures on journalism.

A copy of the "Trojan Trumpet" was sent to K. U. to be critiqued this year. The purpose of this practice is to have criticism from unbiased judges. They tell us what we are doing wrong and suggest what can be done to improve our newspaper.

The paper is published once a month.

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ANNUAL STAFF HAS MUCH WORK TO DO

The annual staff works hard, especially as the three deadlines approach. The pictures have to be taken, placed, and cropped, copy and heads must be written, and everything must be put on triplicate forms. These then have to be approved and sent to the publisher, who then takes over the job. Everyone has plenty of work, and the editor and sponsor are always in the middle of a busy group.

The staff took on extra work this year. They have approximately 20 more pages in the new yearbook, and have designed their own division pages and cover.

EASIER SAID THAN DONE


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The purpose of the 1967-1968 Trojan is to provide a summary of the year's events in pictures and copy, to capture every activity as it happened, and to give an accurate picture of life at T.H.S. We, the Trojan Staff, hope that we have accomplished this.

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