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DEDICATION

We the students of Wagner High School
dedicate this first annual to Supt. DeLong,
who for nine years has been our willing
and cooperative advisor and friend.





Mr. Wyman, Principal



BOARD OF EDUCATION

Front Row: R. Cihak, W. Frei-Pres., R. Conlon

Back Row: E. Stedronsky, T. Duggan, N. Neilson, F. Nider



HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Front Row: M. Rossman, D. Becker, H. Wilcoxon, E. Olson, A. Brown.
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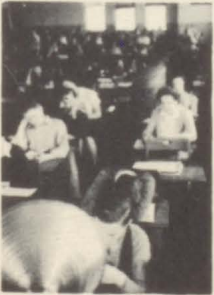


GRADE FACULTY

Front Row: T. Farrell, M. Gelston, E. Mogck, D. Whetstone.
Back Row: B. Padrnos, O. A. DeLong-Supt., I. Boschma.



C L A S S E S



SENIORS

LEOTA BARTA

"If I haven't anything to laugh at, I made a circus of my own."

G.A.A. 1-2-3-4; Pep Squad 2-3-4; Production staff 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3; Vice-Pres. of P. Squad 4; Vice-Pres. Home Ec. Club 4; Raider 4; "Remember the Day" 2; "Night of January 16."

DONALD BASTEMEYER

"The less people speak of themselves, the more we think of them."

Football 2-3-4; "Remember the Day" 2; Track 3-4; Production staff 3.

DOROTHY BRADLEY

"Giggling is a feminine accomplishment."

G.A.A. 2-3.

MARION BRADLEY

"I chatter, chatter as I go and I go on forever."

G.A.A. 4; Home Ec. Club 4.

DOROTHY BURGR

"Speech is great, but silence is greater."

Band 2-3-4; Home Ec. Club 4.

LEONARD CIMPL

"Mention his girl and he blushes."

Tabor High School 1-2-3; Basketball 4.

DOROTHY CUKA

"The rhythm of a typewriter is music to her ears."

G.A.A. 2-3; Band 3-4; Pep Squad 3-4.

LORETTA CONNELLY

"Smile and the world smiles with you."

G.A.A. 2-3-4; Drama 2.

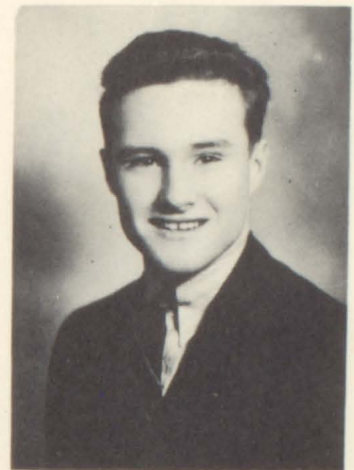




HARRY CUKA

'He's neither a bookworm, nor a social hound, but he's a darn nice fellow to have around.'

Track 1-3; Football 2-3-4; F.F.A. 2-3-4.



RALPH FLANNERY

'All great men are dead and I'm not feeling well myself.'

Football 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; Debate 1-2-3-4; Basketball 2-4; "Remember the Day" 2; Band 2-3; "Night of January 16" 3; Zaonian Editor 4.



EVELYN FREDRICH

'Like gravity, she has the power of attraction.'

G.A.A. 1-2-3-4; Pep Squad 2-3-4; "Remember the Day" 2; Band 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Homecoming Queen 4; Cheer leader 4; 1st Vice-Pres. 4; Production staff 3-4.



ELEANOR FREI

'I love to study in the morning, but I always forget to get up.'

G.A.A. 1-2-3-4; Debate 1-2-3; "Craig's Wife" 1; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Zaonian staff 1-2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; Pep Squad 1-2-3-4; "Big Hearted Herbert" 2; Declamation 2-3; "Spring Fever" 3; "Night of January 16" 3; Class Vice-Pres. 1; Class Pres. 2; Sect. & Treas. 3-4; Student Council 4; Cheer Leader 4; Home Ec. Club pres. 4; Raider Editor



BETTY GIBSON

'She'd rather dance than eat.'

Pep Squad 2-3-4; G.A.A. 2-3; Zaonian Staff 3-4.



VIVIAN GROSS

'Silence is golden, hence I'm wealthy.'

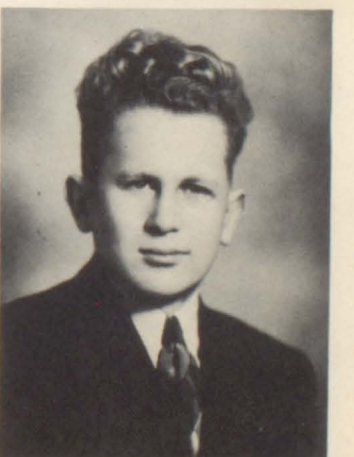
G.A.A. 1-2-3-4; Vocal 2-3-4; Band 2.



HAROLD HAWKEY

'School Daze.'

Track 1; Football 2-3-4; Basketball 2; Production Staff 3; F.F.A. 2-3-4.



DONALD HIPPLE

'Mention anything and I'll argue.'

Track 1; Band 1-2-3-4; Debate 1-2-3-4; "King for a Day" 3; F.F.A. 3-4; Social Comm. 4; Football 4.



BETTY HOYER

'She's the nicest girl, in the nicest way.'
Pep Squad 2-3-4; Band 3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4.



MYRON JENSEN

'At that innocent age--we wonder.'
Debate 1-2-3-4; Vocal 4; Declamation 3-4.



ROLLIE KELLEY

'I'm satisfied because I'm just like me.'
Football 2-3-4; Basketball 2-3; Track 3;
Baseball 1-2-3; Zaonian staff 4; Raider
Ass't Editor 4; "There goes the Bride" 4;
"Drums of Death" 4.



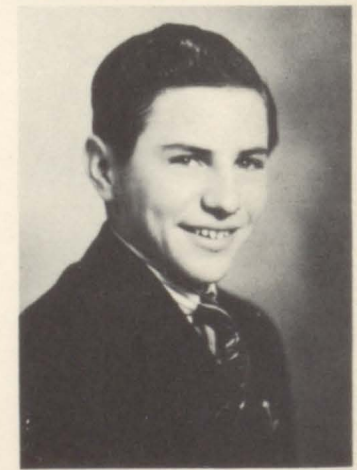
GORDON KOUPAL

'Good fellowship is the ship for me.'
Dante High School 1; Vocal 2-3-4; Track 2;
All Conference Tackle.



LAMBERT KOUPAL

'An athlete, a thinker, a fine fellow, a rare combination.'
Football 1-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Base-
ball 3; Track 1-2-3-4; "Big Hearted Herb-
ert" 2; "Night of January 16" 3; Homecoming
King 4; All conference end; Class Pres.
1-4; Vice-Pres. 2-3; Student Body Pres. 4;
Student Council 4.



RICHARD LYONS

'It's a nuisance to be short.'
Vocal 3-4; F.F.A. 2-3-4.



KATHARYN MAAG

*'When studies interfere with good times,
cut out the studies.'*
Glee Club 1; G.A.A. 2-3-4; Debate 2-3-4;
Declamation 1-2-3-4.



ELSIE MUNDT

'Poetry is her specialty.'
Vocal 1; Declamation 1-2-3-4.



WIONA PESHEK

'Small, but looked up to.'

Glee Club 1-2-3-4; G.A.A. 1-2-3; Pep Squad 2-3-4; Zaonian Staff 4; Raider Bus. Mgr. 4; Declamation 1-3-4; Home Ec. Club 4; "Drums of Death" 4; Production staff 4; Glee Club Pres. 4; Home Ec. Sect. & Treas. 4.



MERRILYN PIGSLEY

'Sweet, but taken.'

Glee Club 2-3-4; Declamation 1; G.A.A. 1-3.



ELEANOR SEINER

'It's natural to be nice, when you're naturally nice.'

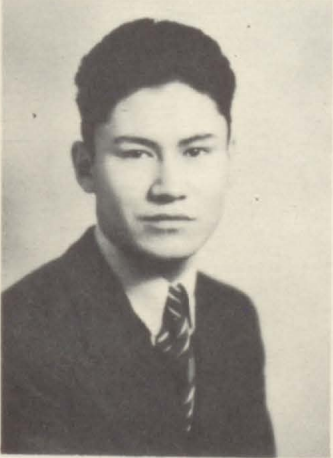
Pep Squad 2-3; G.A.A. 2-3; Glee Club 2-3-4.



DONALD STASKA

'Get me a poser, hand me my camera, and I'm content.'

Glee Club 2-3-4; Raider 4; Band 2-3-4.



BENEDICT ST. PIERRE

'A boy there was of quiet ways and thoughtful bearing.'

Glee Club 3-4; Track 3.



CAROLYN TIEBEL

'If she makes as few mistakes in life as in office work, she's a success.'

G.A.A. 1-3; Debate 2-3; Declamation 2; Production staff 3.



IONE WALTERS

'A dimple in her chin, the devil within.'

Pep Squad 1-2-3-4; G.A.A. 1-2-3-4; Band 2-3-4; Glee Club 4.



DALE WILSON

'When I get time, I'll turn life's page.'

Basketball 1; Paper Staff 2-3; F.F.A. 2.



ROY CRISMAN
Post Graduate



MR. CHRISTIANSEN
Sponsor



DONALD YUNGBLUTH

*'God bless the man who
invented sleep.'*

Track 1; Basketball 1;
F.F.A. Pres. 4.

A NOTE OF FAREWELL

By Elsie Mundt

We say good-by with one last look
At teacher, student, and at book.
We climb the stair, once more to class
And as we watch the others pass
Something like pain, tugs at our heart;
From Wagner High we now depart.

Tomorrow, we won't answer roll;
For, we Seniors have reached our goal.
Graduation has come at last,
Our high school days are in the past.
So, we the Seniors, say farewell,
Our day is done, and all is well!



Class Officers

Lambert Koupal - Pres.
Caroline Teibel - Vice-Pres.
Eleanor Frei - Sec't & Treas.



OUTSTANDING



Lambert Koupal



Betty Hoyer



Gordon Koupal



Eleanor Frei



Rollie Kelley



Wiona Peshek

These Seniors
were chosen by
the Faculty

SENIORS



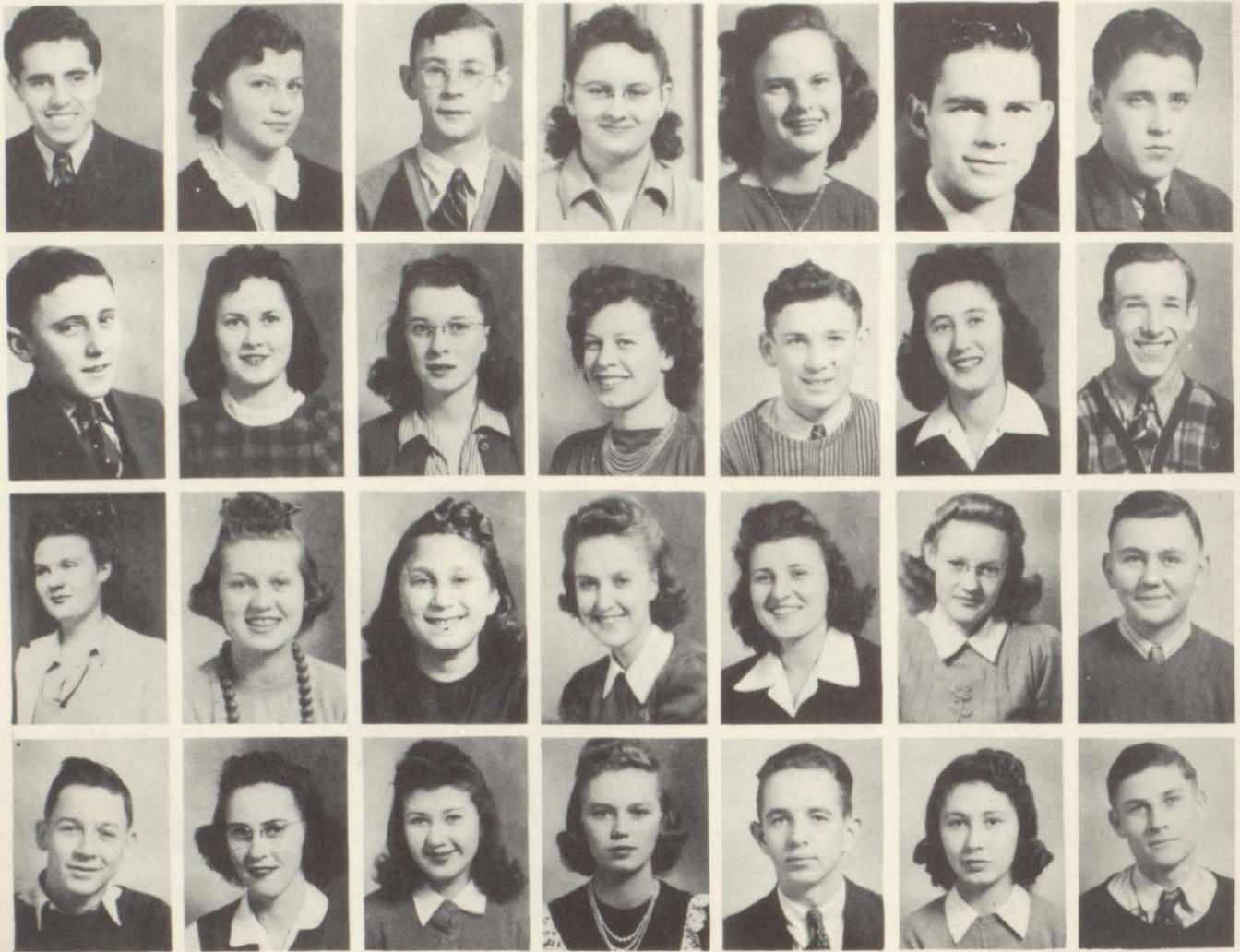
Donald Staska



Katherine Maag



Ralph Flannery



JUNIORS

Top row: Bud Abdalla, Pauline Anderson, Cletus Barta, Donna Boomer, Georgia Briscoe, Ronnie Vogel, Howard Whitney.

Second row: Bob Burian, Mildred Bouska, Jeanne Coughlin, Gloria Crisman, Clayton Fillaus, LaVonne Woods, Donald Vogel.

Third row: Florence Flynn, Justine Kalda, Betty Krsnak, Thelma Newman, Arlene Novak, Esther Sahl, Romaine Verba.

Fourth row: Billy McGuire, Delores McGuire, Marie Moysis, Betty Owings, Donald Rehwaldt, June St. Pierre, Leo Rezac.

Camera Shy: Wayne Schroeder, Lester Weber, Kenneth McCabe, Harry Larson, John Kelso.

CLASS OFFICERS

Bob Burian - Pres. (not in picture)
 Lester Weber - Vice-Pres.
 Justine Kalda - Sec't & Treas.





SOPHOMORES

Front row: Mr. Ramsdell-Teacher, Elizabeth Coughlin, Lila Weber, Delores Rhola, Jean Stedronsky, Esther Ott, Elaine Mazourek, Marjorie Bridge, Wanda O'Connell, Leona Cihak.

Second row: Dale Bures, Ted Morgan, Eugene Homolka, Micky Skelly, Donald Gilreath, Stanley Melmer, Robert Seiner, Harry Weinstein, Kenneth Grim.

Third row: DeWayne Schuldt, Verlin Cedarburg, Dorothy Hedegards, Faye Miller, Lucille Larson, Mary Powers, Ellen Sahl, LaVonne Schuldt, Aurelia Armell.

Fourth row: Charles Moysis, Robert Krcil, LaVelle Woods, Annabelle Hawkey, Betty Peterson, Ruth Pesicka, May Schulz, Mary Gilreath, Shirley Cork, Clara Burgr, Joyce Thaler.

Back row: Roy Cotton, Robert Crowley, Darrell Broz, Donald Troxell, Joseph Picotte, Charles Beemer, Clement Cournoyer, Robert Peshek, Arthur Rezac, John Fredrich, Raymond Harrington.

CLASS OFFICERS

Mickey Skelly	-	Pres.
Jean Stedronsky	-	Vice-Pres.
John Fredrich	-	Sec.-Treas.





FRESHMEN

Front row: Violet Cedarburg, Lillian Ott, Eileen Gross, Vivian Cedarburg, DeAldia Harrington, LaFaye Newman, Arlene Jespersion, Carmen Krsnak.

Second row: Ralph Vogel, Leo Sadler, Joe Trantina, Kenneth Doty, Clifford Powers, Dale Hall, Nilus Koupal, Keith Shroeder, Miss Wilcoxon-Teacher.

Third row: Geraldine Cook, Delores Pinard, Darlene Mundt, Mary Jane Tiebel, Phyllis Gross, Shirley McGuire, Bonnie Briscoe, Laura Myers, Martha Moysis.

Fourth row: Robert Kafka, Mark McCabe, Donald Novak, Sylvan Pigsley, Loren Abdalla, Albin Cuka, Leon Martin, Dick Beemer.

Back row: Billy Coles, Floyd Gross, Adolph Pesicka, Kenneth Crisman, Norman Thaler.

CLASS OFFICERS

Kenneth Doty - Pres.
 Mary Tiebel - Vice Pres.
 Dolores Pinard - Sec.-Treas.





EIGHTH GRADE

Front row: Robert Conlon, Charles Olson, LaVoyd Bastemeyer, Harold Harrington, Rose Marie Schuldt, Dolores Whitney, RoseMarie Cournoyer, Mr. McKenna-Teacher.

Second row: Harold McCormick, Anthony Efta, Joseph Stedronsky, Maxine Mitchell, Gurienne Heida, Gene Harrington, James Skelly, Donald Barta.

Back row: Connie Gilreath, Anna Arrow, Frances Crowley, Mamie Kokesh, Thelma Handley, Gladys Smith, Helen Ruth Smith.



SEVENTH GRADE

Front row: Tommy Flannery, Margaret DeNui, Violet Rovart, Gladys Beemer, Dorothy Coles, Gwen Cork, Theresa Schuren, Waldon Stedronsky, Mr. Everson-Teacher.

Second row: Billy Krsnak, Tommy Pesicka, Rita Mae Justice, Opal Hedegarde, Ina Schultz, Orville Flynn, Robert Geidd.

Back row: Tommy Wilson, Wayne Bridge, Edward Mitchell, Melvin Fechner, Leland Smith, James Vogel.



ACTIVITIES





R. Kelley
R. End



G. Koupal
R. Tackle



H. Cuka
R. Guard



T. Morgan
Center



B. Abdalla
L. Half

FOOTBALL



L. Koupal
L. End



R. Harrington
R. Half



D. Bastemeyer
L. Guard



R. Flannery
Fullback

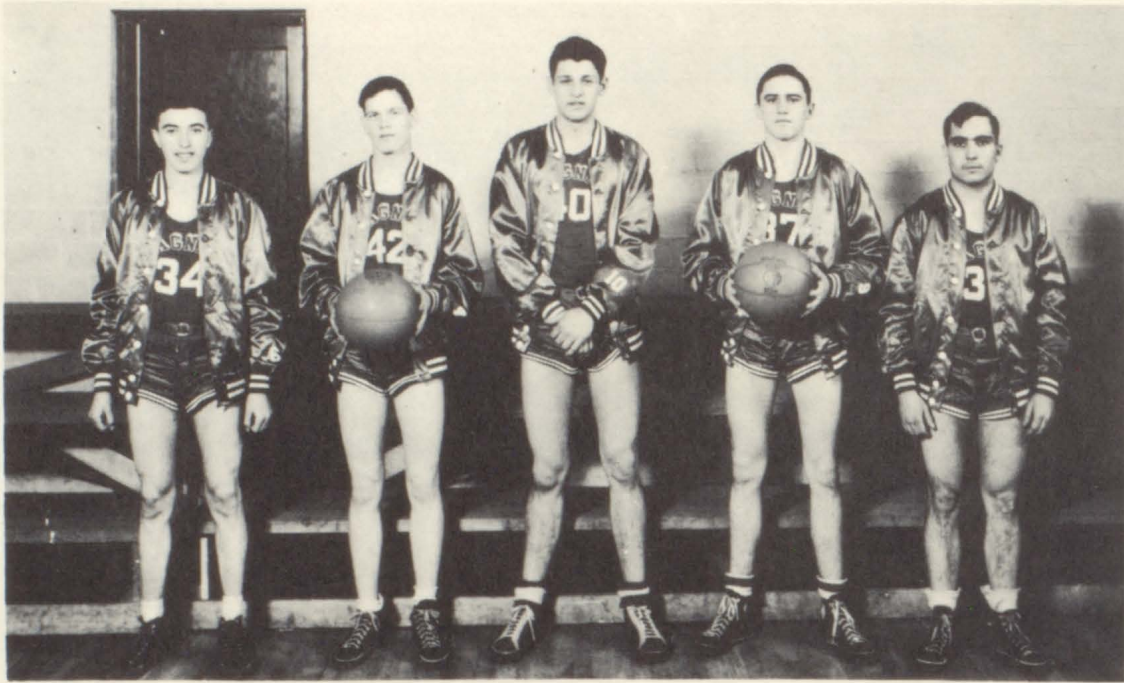


J. Picotte
B. Back

S.E.S.D. CHAMPS



HOLDERS OF STRATOSPHERE TROPHY



"A" BASKETBALL SQUAD

S. Pigsley, M. Skelly, L. Koupal, T. Morgan, R. Harrington



CONFERENCE RUNNERUPS



ENTIRE BASKETBALL SQUAD

Front row: Mr. Ramsdell-Coach, S. Pigsley, M. Skelly, L. Koupal, T. Morgan, R. Harrington.

Second row: C. Fillaus, J. Picotte, R. Crisman, R. Seiner, R. Flannery, L. Sadler.

Back row: J. Fredrich, K. Picotte, V. Cedarburg, D. Gilreath, L. Cimpl, H. Wienstein, K. Grim.





BASEBALL



TRACK



G. A. A.

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Front row, left to right: D. Beemer, J. Kelso, C. Olson, D. Lyons, G. Smith, L. Ott, L. Weber, D. Rhola, W. Peshek, J. Kalda, K. Grim, M. Jensen, Mr. Ryman-Director. Second row: J. Trantina, D. Rehwaldt, T. Morgan, G. Heida, E. Ott, L. Schuldt, A. Novak, F. Miller, L. Larson, D. Boomer, B. St.Pierre, D. Staska. Third row: B.Abdalla, D. Pinard, M. Bridge, V. Gross, B. Hoyer, W. O'Connell, E. Frei, E. Fredrich, M. Pigsley, L. Abdalla, G. Koupal. Back row: M. Mitchell, J. St.Pierre, T. Newman, E. Burgr, R. Peshek, S. Pigsley, S. Melmer, H. Weinstein, E. Homolka, F. Flynn, S. Cork, J. Stedronsky, J. Thaler.



BOYS' ENSEMBLE

Front row: D. Staska, G. Koupal, D.Rehwaldt, J. Trantina.
Back row: J. Kelso, B. Abdalla, H. Weinstein.



MIXED ENSEMBLE

Front row: B.Abdalla, G. Koupal, D. Staska, H. Weinstein, B. Wyman-Director.
Back row: J. Kelso, D. Pinard, E. Frei, J.Stedronsky.



GIRLS' ENSEMBLE

M. Pigsley, J. Thaler, V. Gross, D. Pinard, D. Boomer, S. Cork, J. Stedronsky





BOYS' GLEE CLUB

Front row: T. Wilson, D. Beemer, C. Olson, R. Crowley, D. Lyons.

Second row: M. Skelly, T. Morgan, D. Rehwaldt, G. Koupal, E. Homolka, Mr. Wyman-Director.

Third row: J. Kelso, S. Pigsley, S. Melmer, J. Trantina, D. Staska, B. St. Pierre.

Back row: H. Weinstein, B. Abdalla, L. Abdalla, M. Jensen, K. Grim.



GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

Front row: B. Krsnak, D. Pinard, W. Peshek, J. Kalda, G. Beemer, L. Ott, D. Rohla, Mr. Wyman-Director.

Second row: M. Gilreath, E. Ott, G. Heida, M. Mitchell, F. Miller, L. Larson, D. Boomer, M. Pigsley.

Third row: C. Buirgr, W. O'Connell, V. Gross, B. Hoyer, E. Seiner, I. Walters, E. Frei,

Back row: B. Owings, J. St. Pierre, T. Newman, M. Bridge, S. Cork, J. Stedronsky, J. Thaler.



BAND

Clarinets: J. Stedronsky, E. Pigsley, J. Stedronsky, B. Hoyer, L. Schuldt, D. McGuire, E. Sahl, E. Coughlin, G. Beemer, C. Beemer, W. Stedronsky, H. Smith, T. Schuren. *Cornets:* D. Staska, H. Weinstien, D. Hipple, R. Schuldt, T. Flannery. *Mellaphones:* M. Mitchell, J. Coughlin, Z. Kelley, E. Sahl, S. Cork. *Saxophones:* G. Crisman, C. Fillaus, R. Krcil, L. Cihak. *Trombones:* E. Schultz, E. Frei, E. Fredrich, I. Walters, D. Burgr, V. Stedronsky. *Basses:* M. Schultz, E. Homolka. *Baritone:* T. Morgan. *Flute:* J. Kalda. *Percussion:* D. Cuka, S. Melmer, D. Pinard. *Twirlers:* T. Newman, E. Fredrich, L. Woods, B. Owings. *Mascot:* S. Weber. *Director:* Miss Brown.



PEP BAND

Clarinets: J. Stedronsky, B. Hoyer, L. Schuldt, J. Stedronsky. *Cornets:* D. Staska, H. Weinstien. *Trombones:* E. Schultz, I. Walters. *Mellaphones:* M. Mitchell, J. Coughlin. *Bass:* E. Homolka. *Saxophone:* G. Crisman. *Flute:* J. Kalda. *Percussion:* D. Cuka, S. Melmer. *Director:* Miss Brown.



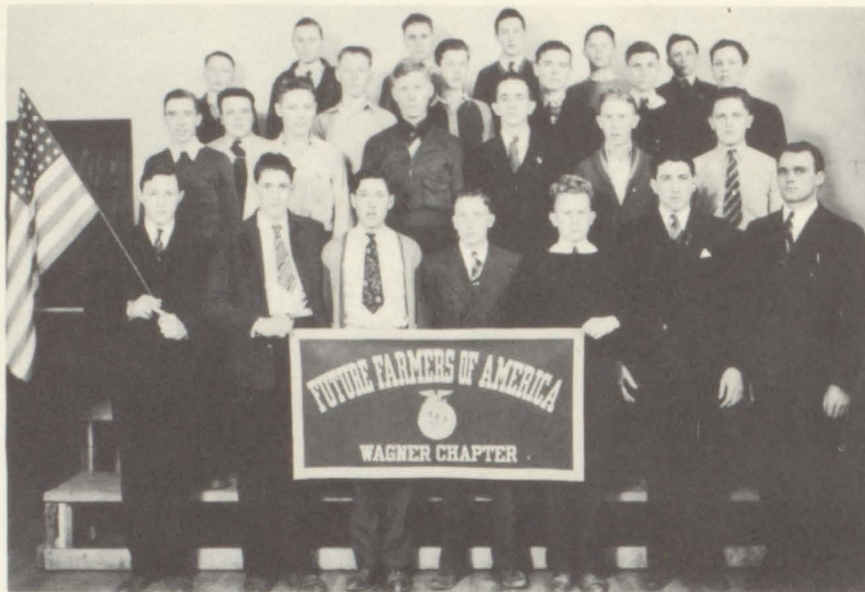
PEP SQUAD

Back row, left to right: D. Cuka, E. Schultz, Q. Gross, B. Hoyer, V. Gross, R. Schuldt, G. Crisman, M. Bouska, D. McGuire, P. Anderson, M. Gilreath, A. Novak. Fourth row: Miss Brown- Director, W. O'Connell, I. Walters, J. St. Pierre, B. Owings, L. Barta, D. Pinard, W. Peshek, B. Gibson, T. Newman, L. Woods, J. Stedronsky, J. Kalda. Third row: E. Fredrich, K. Coughlin, J. Thaler, D. Rohla, K. Maag, L. Cihak, E. Mazourek, M. Bridge, M. Mitchell, G. Briscoe, L. Meyers, D. Whitney, B. Briscoe, S. McGuire. Second row: M. Powers, L. Woods, M. Schultz, C. Gilreath, E. Gross, H. Smith, R. Cournoyer, L. Newman, L. Weber, E. Coughlin. Front: C. Kostel, J. Broz, M. Connolly, S. Weber.



Miss Amy Brown, Director of Band and Originator of Pep Squad, whose service has made these organizations successful.





F. F. A.

Front row: H. Cuka, H. Hawkey, L. Weber, D. Yungbluth, D. Hipple, G. Koupal, Mr. Christiansen--*Advisor.*

Second row: D. Gilreath, W. Schroeder, H. Larson, D. Rehwaldt, D. Hall, E. Homolka,

Third row: R. Kafka, D. Bures, C. Powers, K. Doty, L. Rezac, D. Troxell.

Fourth row: K. Crisman, A. Cuka, D. Novak, N. Koupal, L. Martin, D. Lyons.



WA-SE-CO CLUB





ZAONIAN PAPER STAFF—FIRST SEMESTER

Seated: L. Schuldt, D. Pinard, E. Frei, T. Newman, B. Gibson, W. Peshek.

Standing: E. Sahl, I. Walters, L. Woods, J. St. Pierre, B. Owings, E. Olson-Advisor, E. Ott, P. Anderson, E. Sahl, D. Wilson, D. Vogel, B. Seiner, J. Stedronsky, H. Eschlman.



ZAONIAN PAPER STAFF—SECOND SEMESTER

Seated: L. Woods, E. Frei, T. Newman, R. Flannery, D. Bastemeyer, J. Stedronsky,

Standing: L. Connolly, D. Cuka, J. St. Pierre, K. Maag, B. Owings, E. Olson-Advisor, P. Anderson, G. Briscoe, B. Gibson, T. Morgan, W. Peshek, R. Kelley.





Skelly
Sadler
Kelso
Weinstein
Evers
Stedronsky
McCabe
Frei
Koupal
Newman
DeLong-Supt.
Eschliman

STUDENT COUNCIL



Coles
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Mr. McKenna-Adv.
Shuldt
Flannery
Skelly
Beemer
Cedarburg
Hoyer
Rehwaldt

PROGRAM COMMITTEE





DECLAMATION

Front row: B. Krsnak, W. Peshek, D. Pinard, F. Flynn, R. Vogel

Second row: K. Maag, P. Anderson, E. Mundt, M. Efta, M. Jensen, Miss Wilcoxon--*Director.*



"THERE GOES THE BRIDE"

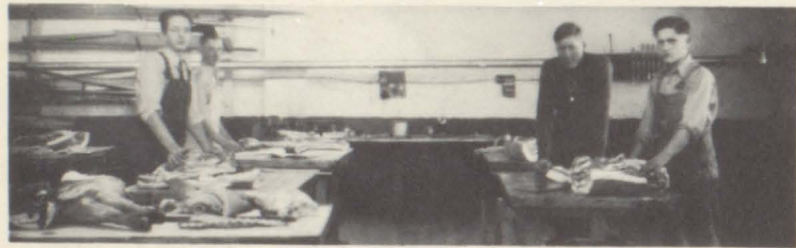
Front row: Lillian Ott, Myron Jensen, D. Pinard, Miss Wilcoxon--*Director.*

Second row: Harry Wienstein, K. Maag, K. McCabe, T. Newman, J. Kelso.

Third row: G. Koupal, E. Frei, R. Kelley, P. Anderson, E. Homolka.



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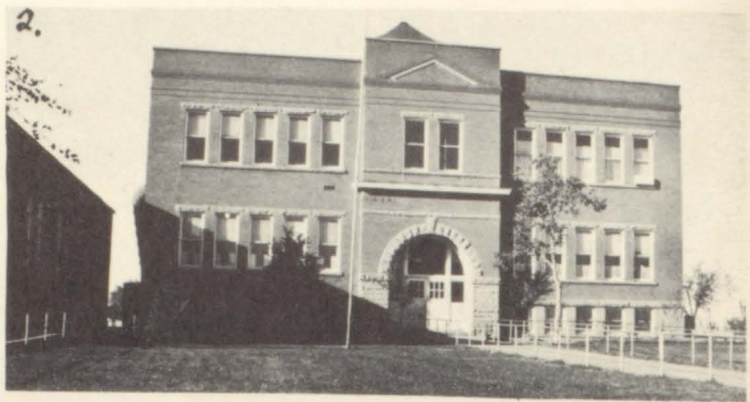


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1. Just Cousins. 2. Apple of the pupil's eye. 3. D. Wilson and D. Yungbluth and their prize winner. 4. W. O'Connell likes the cars. 5. Mr. Everson's Junior High-Lights. 6. Mr. Christiansen is finally caught resting. 7. F.F.A. Boys cutting meat. 8. Assistant Editor looks up from his work. 9. This wreck wasn't as serious as it really looks. 10. Gus and his hide-out. 11. Enjoying farm life!!!! 12. Are you as happy as you look, Ione? 13. Hope you aren't too worried. 14. Too tired to lift the rope? 15. W.H.S. Band Labor Day.



1. Horse and buggy daze. 2. Seniors eight years ago. 3. Don Yungbluth. 4. Van and his Ford. 5. C. Pigsley and M. McCabe dressed for work. 6. Homecoming Float. 7. Where is the chaperone? 8. Prop papa. 9. B. Seiner and R. Schuldt on way to Aud.?? 10. The Three Romeos. 11. Don't fall, Butch. 12. Highway Marker. 13. Behind the scenes. 14. A seance, eh? 15. Poor Burke



1. Pep Squad in action. 2. Brain Factory. 3. And it was some soup. 4. Faculty in retirement. 5. Mr. Everson enjoys the Scout Lodge. 6. Sulphur fumes drove Miss Becker out for fresh air. 7. Miss Wilcoxon stops to give us a smile. 8. Homecoming Parade. 9. Miss Olsen is caught leaving the school house. 10. Still some smile on their face on their way from school. 11. B. Seiner and B. Burian exhibit their goats. 12. Morning after the Junior Prom. 13. Rarin' to go.



1. Finishing touches. 2. Everson, Mogck, and Peshek's wash. 3. Two Pals. 4. Class of 1950. 5. L. Brown and L. Barta, 'Spring Fever.' 6. The interesting thing in play practice. 7. Let's have some service. 8. Skipping school? 9. Two Seniors with nothing to do. 9. A source of pep. 10. Another float. 11. E. Fredrich, Homecoming Day Queen. 12. Tarzan. 13. How are you getting along? 14. Band on Parade. 15. We made it too.



We, the members of the Raider staff,
take this space to thank those who have
made possible the publication of this
first annual. It has been our purpose to
help you remember familiar scenes and faces
of Wagner High School.

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Jean Stedronsky----Art
Pauline Anderson---Feature
Donald Hipple----Feature
Leota Barta----Feature
Miss Olson---Advisor
Miss Fraizer---Advisor



