

Salutes the 1948 Graduates

By Jo-Ann Whinery

In each class we find a different view of the seniors. A freshman's idea of the graduating class presents a view of those tall, lofty upperclassmen filled with respect and hero-worship. A sophomore sees the graduate-to-be perhaps a little more critically, but still to him the senior brings just the right detached air of superiority, the exciting aura of worldliness.

To a junior graduation marks the loss of friends and companions. Though he and his classmates step into positions of leadership left vacant by the departing seniors, how often they wish the older hand could still remain to guide their decisions!

While we thus view the seniors, the gate swings open and they pass through, one by one. But, catching a glimpse through the gate as it wider swings, we find that we are not losing friends; we are merely sharing them with new friends and new experiences. Although that gate will now separate us, it will in time reopen to send us each on our way to that world where we shall take our place side by side with those who are now being sent.

No, the seniors are not leaving us, they are merely preceding us.



JO ANN WHINERY
1948-49 Quaker Weekly Editor

Jones, Reash, Ross Rate Firsts in Brooks Contests

Three orations were delivered and first prize manuscripts in the annual Brooks literary contest were read by the authors before a student body assembly last Wednesday.

The winning oration was selected in the assembly on the merit of its composition. Jeannene Mattix, Jo Ann Creighton, and Donna Finley entered the oratory division.

First place awards in the contest went to Stella Jones, junior, short story; George Reash, sophomore, essay; and Barbara Ross, freshman, poetry.

Other winners in the short story contest are Peggy Baltorinic, freshman, second; Ruth Mangus, senior, third; and Shirley Baldinger, junior, and Pat Coe, sophomore, honorable mention.

Essay writing runners-up are Joe Ciricosta, junior, second; Phil Hunter, freshman, third; June Williams, sophomore, and Don Silyer, junior, honorable mention.

Poetry winners also are Sally Hurlburt, senior, second; Dolores Stratton, senior, third; Bob Askey, junior, and Phyllis Weidenhof, sophomore, honorable mention.

The Brooks Contest was originated by Attorney Charles Twing Brooks in 1923 for the purpose of stimulating more effort and interest in English composition. Each year since that date prizes have been

awarded in every category except orations. This is the first time for many years that orations have been submitted to constitute a contest. The first prize winner receives ten dollars; the second, six dollars; and the third, three dollars; with honorable mention being awarded to the fourth and fifth place winners.

Delegates Chosen For Boys' State

John Herman, Kenneth Zeigler, Tom Miner, and Jerry Miller, juniors, will represent Salem High at the Ohio Boys' State to be held at Ohio Wesleyan University from June 12 to June 22, it was announced recently.

Salem's delegates to the annual 10 day institute, sponsored by the American Legion, were selected by the recommendation of the faculty and the approval of a local American Legion committee.

The purpose behind this project is to give the boys who attend an opportunity to obtain educational experiences in governmental procedures. In doing this, representatives will be divided into two separate political parties from which officers will be elected to serve in the mock city, county, and state government systems.

Prom Profile and Preview

Oh, my but it has been a busy day and in just a couple more hours you'll be dancing, and the long-awaited moment will have arrived. How many days, weeks, and years you've waited for this day you can't remember, but you know you've planned it to be one of the biggest affairs of our life. Your mind is just flashing with questions—What will the decorations be like?—Do all your friends have dates?—Will your corsage come in time?—Will HE think you look your best?

Mother seems to be the only one who isn't all nervous and excited. If it weren't for her help, how would you ever get into your formal? Red roses on a white formal, and gold sandals on your feet seem to make you ascend into a world all your own.

Pinch yourself hard and take one more look at your feet to make sure that you really aren't Cinderella wearing her glass slippers. From all other appearances you well might be for, from the top of your head to the glowing red polish on your toes you have changed! Pirouetting before the mirror thrills you with the floating billows of your unaccustomed floor-length dress. Tossed aside are your blue jeans of yesterday as reflected in the mirror you see a modern transformation as complete as any in the fairy tale past.

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Whinery, Reash, Hermann Receive Top Quaker Posts

Eyton, Miner, Thompson, Vaughn Appointed to Write Columns

Jo Ann Whinery and Marjorie Reash were recently appointed editors-in-chief of next year's Quaker weekly and annual, respectively, while John Hermann was named business manager of both publications, according to Miss Betty Ulicny and R. W. Hilgendorf, editorial and business advisers.

Ludwig Receives Annual Dedication

Principal Beman G. Ludwig, 1948 Quaker annual dedicatee, was presented the first copy of this year's publication by Margie Hanna, Editor-in-Chief, at a special assembly today. Student body distribution was completed in the home rooms.

The dedication of the annual, which this year assumes the form of a Quaker scrapbook, reads thus: "To our principal, Beman G. Ludwig, we dedicate this our Quaker Scrapbook in fond appreciation for his counsel and guidance during our days at Salem High."

An added feature of the assembly was the introduction of the senior members who comprise the Hall of Fame section in the book. These seniors, who were voted by their classmates last fall, are Bob Coppock, Student Most Likely to Succeed; Gayle Greenisen, Most Attractive Girl; Carl Hrovatic, Most Handsome Boy; Lee Ward, Most All-Around Boy; Margie Hanna, Most All-Around Girl; Beverly Stowell, Best-Dressed Girl; and Jim Litty, Best-Dressed Boy.

Business and editorial staff members of the Quaker publications were also presented pins and certificates for their service at this assembly.

Marjorie Reash was assistant editor of the annual this year, while Bob Coppock headed the business staff, assisted by Charles Ward. Miss Betty Ulicny and R. W. Hilgendorf are editorial and business advisers, respectively.

Hurlburt, Johnson Win News Awards

"Corridor Passes," bi-weekly Quaker column by Sally Hurlburt, was given first place award in the annual high school newspaper contest sponsored by the Tri-County Journalism Association.

Carol Johnson received second place in the editorial division, and third place in the news story.

Fourteen Tri-County schools submitted entries in the contest in eight different phases of journalism. The 24 first, second, and third place winners will receive certificates in the various competitions.

Concert This Evening

The annual Spring Concert of the Salem High School Choruses will be presented at 8:15 this evening in the high school auditorium under the direction of Thomas E. Crothers, vocal instructor.

The Advanced and Beginner choruses, the Girls Octet, and piano solo selections will entertain, with some 105 students participating.

Proceeds from the concert will be added to the choir robe fund.



MARJORIE REASH
1949 Quaker Annual Editor

3 GIRLS NOMINATED FOR FOOTBALL GIRL

Doris Eyton, Pat Thompson, and Roseanne Loutzenhiser were recently nominated by the Junior class as candidates for "Football Girl of 1948-49." The results of the final vote will be announced only at the Recognition Assembly, next Friday.

This procedure is in accordance with a precedent established by Dr. H. K. Yyaggi in 1925 to stimulate feminine interest in football and other athletics and to attract larger attendance at games. Since that time twenty-three girls have been elected to the post.

A SENIOR

Offers a Backward Glance

By Margie Hanna

We seniors, as so many before us have done, put on an air of joy and relief as graduation nears. Yet each of us has a deep feeling of regret or a feeling we cannot express when we realize our four high school years are over. For now we realize that all those things which make high school what it is—assemblies, quizzes and tests, football and basketball games, dances and parties, class plays, producing a school paper—are now going to be only happy memories.

Now we are going on to new and bigger things. Some of us are going to college, and some are going out to make a living for ourselves, whatever we do we will be making many new friends and keeping old ones.

It is at this time, as we apply for colleges and jobs, that we are grateful for the teaching and advice that our teachers, deans, and principal have given us. We now realize and appreciate how they have worked hard for four years with us in teaching us, listening to our problems, and trying to aid us in solving them. Yes, we shall always have pleasant memories of our classroom work and our associations with our teachers.



MARGIE HANNA
1948 Quaker Annual Editor

Pert Patter

By Doris Eyton
Howdy!

We'd like to introduce to you a new member of S. H. S. His name?—Pert Patter. This new student hasn't any set schedule, so it's really very difficult to tell you where you may see him. But he's here, there, everywhere. He's about two and half feet tall, with an abundance of yellow fur, big shiny dark eyes, and enormous ears. Please be friendly to him when you see him! In payment for naming this column after him, he has promised to help write it. And now Pert says:

Hm-m-m?

What is it that Lester Harris and Dom Parlow plan to give Mr. Guiler instead of a bushel of apples?

Snappy Patter

As the two inventors said when they made the first garter, "let's make it snappy!"

A little paint

A little curl

A little rain

A homely girl.

(Rain and club initiations, that is!)

Pert Turns Mouse

I really got around to some of the shindigs the time I turned myself into a mouse. Had myself some fun, and got into trouble too.

Carol Kelley threw a fine one at her house last Saturday night. Saw Marge and Dick, Pete and Treb, Bob Coppock, Sally Hurlburt, Gayle Greenisen, and Marge Willis having a gay time. Seems the affair was thrown for Marge Willis. Wonder why?

Got over to the Varsity S picnic, but all I can remember of that is that Tom Miner got all wet. (Pardon my tense; must be something I ate.)

And then I joined John Beck, Dom Parlow, and Jim Litty in their gallery seats at the Stambaugh auditorium to see Stan Kenton. Gosh those guys sure have long necks. Me, I couldn't see a thing.

Pert Question

(To the 1948 Graduates)

No more apples for the teacher,

No more being "kept in late,"

No more fun, just playing hookey—

GOSH! Why do they graduate?

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The Quaker Says:

'Thanks for the Memories'

As It Reviews '48

By Carol Kelley

Day after day passes by, ticking off another full school year. The events that have taken place during the year can not be relived or undone. We, as individuals, cannot return to those gay, sad, or embarrassing moments, but we can catch glimpses of these memories and of the Class of '48 who played a great part in these memories.

Now the 1947-48 school year passes proudly in review.

Thrill Of The Year

The mighty Salem Quakers poured on the steam and whipped the East Liverpool Pot-ters on their own field. The Potter jinx was broken for a second year.

Heartbreak Of The Year

The undefeated Barrettmen journeyed to Lisbon for their final game of the season with the also undefeated Lisbon Blue Devils. The day was rainy and foggy and so were the results of the game—Lisbon 7, Salem 0.

Longest Day Of The Year

Everyone will agree that the last day of school before Christmas vacation is by far

Circle In Red

Friday, May 21—S. H. S. Choruses present Spring Concert in auditorium—8:15 P. M.
—Arts exhibit in the gymnasium.

Monday, May 24—Teachers' meeting.

Tuesday, May 25—Seniors get Commence-ment seat assignments in home rooms.

Wednesday, May 26—Principals' meeting.

Friday, May 28—Recognition Assembly.
—Seniors practice for last assembly and Baccalaureate—8:30 A. M.
—Junior-Senior Prom.

Sunday, May 30—Baccalaureate Services.

Monday, May 31—Decoration Day—no school.

Tuesday, June 1—Seniors practice in auditorium—9:30 A. M.

Wednesday, June 2—Classes end for the year.

Thursday, June 3 — Commencement — 8:15 P. M.

Friday, June 4—Report cards issued—1:15 P. M. — Alumni Banquet.

Editorially Speaking . . .

A Glance Behind; Perspective Ahead

By Carol Johnson

Swiftly, all too swiftly, pass the days to those among us who look forward to commencement with mingled emotions of joy and regret.

Four long years—at times they seemed a lifetime, but now that they are gone, they seem all too short. Four years of struggle and work sandwiched in between fun and

Goodbye On Graduation Day

The halls are in a dither
For the class of forty-eight,
After four long years of study,
Is going to graduate!

Most everything is over

For all the wise seniors here
And some of them are wishing
They could spend just one more year.

The football games and study halls
Seem very far away

As they look toward their future
After graduation day.

The years that they have spent here
Have been a lot of fun.

And to all of them we say . . .
Goodbye, good luck, well done!

— Barbara Ross

the longest day ever. The study halls are unbearable and the classes even worse, but oh! for more days like that which would mean more vacations!

Biggest Day Of The Year

Dennis Michael came into the world. Congratulations were certainly in order to Coach Bob Miller who became a proud papa during the school year.

Funniest Happening Of The Year

It seems that Troy Penner, the new health teacher, spent several class periods one week advising the students who drive cars to take it easy, slow down, and drive sanely. Not long after that the cautious Mr. Penner was "pinched" by a traffic cop for speeding. So goes the old saying, "Practice what you preach."

Calamity Of The Year

Miss Marjorie Willis, dignified secretary to B. G. Ludwig, was meandering down the hall with senior Marge Hanna when her heel slipped on the floor and—poof—Miss Willis was walking no more—she was sitting—but hard!

Happiest Day Of The Year

This day is yet to come, but it will take place on June 3 at the annual Commence-ment exercises. Even those who hate to leave their old Alma Mater will be pleased and happy when they receive their diplomas which represent twelve years of hard work.

To this class of '48 who made so many of the events of the year possible and participated in the activities we all say most heartily—"Thanks for the Memories."

Peppermint Patties

By Pat Thompson

Dear Readers:

(All two of us.) This issue is what you might call a "sneak preview" of next year's paper. Oh, no, please don't cancel your subscrip-tion!

Frankenstein!!!

A terrifying roar resounds through the halls, heavy footsteps come closer, a mighty arm sends you crashing against the wall, and the eternal clown, Jerry Rice, stomps angrily on. His handsome assistant, Ygor, is in the

Shirts 'n Skirts

By Marcy Vaughn

Sob Stuff

At Recognition Assembly many tears will be shed as we give a final salute to the seniors. One of those who will tread these sacred halls for the last time is Marty Bennett. You all know Marty as the Jack 'n' Jill girl, who brought us fashion news for the past year. Hard work and being one of the best dressed girls in Salem High gave Marty the know-how that was necessary in writing a fashion column which went over in a big way. We'll all miss you, Marty; you're one of the nicest girls we've ever known.

Glad Rags

It really seems a shame to wear the caps and gowns for graduation. All the seniors are coming out with mighty sharp dresses and suits for the Baccalaureate and Com-mencement exercises.

Frosh No More

There comes unto all things a change. This goes for "Greenies" too. After a year of torture, torment, and persecution, they will soon be able to stand up and shout, "I am a free man." Already they've become smart, smooth sophomores. We have to hand laurels to you kids, you've really learned fast.

form of our own "Pooch" Bishop. But don't let them frighten you, folks. Just walk up to them, extend your hand, and say, "Friend."

Study-Hall Side Shows

The impresario of them all is the one and only, Lester Harris. This distinguished-looking character with the "butch" hair-cut drives most of the teachers to sanity by a most innocent act—blowing his nose . . . Those gray streaks in Mrs. Ryser's hair aren't from old age, they're the result of Ted Boone's, "But I got to go!" . . . Also we hear that Mrs. Ryser shared the enjoyable company of Ennio Ciotti for four pleasant evenings . . . "Battling" Mercer they call him in sixth period, on Thursday.

Just A Little?

Co-operation, that is. That eleven letter word is going to mean the difference between this being a successful column or one that you read after the editorials. (No offense meant.) So remember, if you want your name, your party, your joke, etc., in this column, just tell us about it. Or do something spectacularly outstanding—like winning 10 movie tickets as third prize in a raffle. (Ahem!)

Welcome And Aloha

First, we're saying "Howdy" to all those up-and-coming Frosh. And what dolls they are! Petite Marty Alexander, attractive Jeanne Eckhart, dark-haired Millie Maier (Flo's kid sister), adorable Barbara McBane, mysterious Dana Rice, and sweet Joan Robusch (small edition of Shirley) are only a few of the "neatsies" on their way over. Shove your eyes back in their sockets, fellas, and take a gander at what they have to offer in the line of males—Red-head Jerry Ball, cute "JuJu" Alek, smooth Darrell Askey, pint-sized Charlie Dan, tall Bill Pasco, and devilish Dick Perkins might help to occupy some of our spare time. Hmmm!

And, secondly, we want to say "Farewell and loads of luck" to our graduating seniors. We're going to miss each and every one of you more than words can say, and we hope that in future days you'll sorta miss us, too.

Summary of School Club News

Council Selects Emblem

A Student Council committee, headed by Nina Snyder is now planning the annual Council picnic. Each member is permitted to invite one guest for whom he must pay the treasurer 35 cents.

The Council has selected gold pins with the lettering "Student Council" as their emblems.

G. A. A. Elects Officers

New officers for the 1948-49 G. A. A. season were elected as follows: Shirley Bell, president; Jeane Huddleston, vice-president; Rose Nocera, secretary, Donna Stoffer, treasurer. The election took place at a picnic held in Centennial Park Monday night.

Varsity 'S' Holds Picnic

Officers of the Varsity S for the 1948-49 school term have been elected as follows: Alexander, president; Jerry Smith, vice-president; and Ken Zeigler, secretary-treasurer. These officers will be installed at the next meeting.

Election was conducted at the annual Varsity S picnic at Mill Creek Park, last Sunday. Other features on the day's agenda included baseball and hiking in the morning, a picnic lunch, and a trip to Idora Park in the afternoon.

Baccalaureate To Be May 30

Baccalaureate Services for the 1948 graduating class will be held Sunday evening, May 30, in the high school auditorium, with the Rev. George C. Beebe, pastor of the First Methodist Church, delivering the address. Patricia Keyes will sing a solo and the Salem High School Chorus will present two numbers.

Commencement exercises will be held June 3, with Carol Kelley and Don Maxson delivering the class orations.

Robert Coppock, class president and fourth honor graduate, will give the welcome and introduce the senior class of 1948. John T. Burns, president of the Board of Education, will make the presentation of diplomas.

The remainder of the program will consist of vocal and instrumental numbers, including a clarinet solo by Lucy Huston, a vocal solo by Donna Lou Getz, and a trombone solo by Richard Theiss.

Orchestra Chosen For the Prom

Soft lights, gay hearts, happy girl and boy—it will be spring and the Junior-Senior Prom.

There will be fun and entertainment, throbbing music, and a gala time for all when the upperclassmen meet in the gymnasium, next Friday evening, from 9 to 12 o'clock for the year's biggest social event.

They will dance to the music of Bill Omeis and his Round-Towners. This orchestra, imported from Youngstown, will be remembered by students from last year's Band Dance. It is quite versatile, being able to play almost any request.

This night of nights has been planned by Jerry Miller, Junior class president, and Chester M. Brautigam, Junior class adviser. John Hermann heads the decoration committee, while Doris Eyton and Lowell King are co-chairmen of the

entertainment.

The recently appointed refreshment committee is as follows: Shirley Baldinger, chairman; Ruth Winkler, Marjorie Haessly, and Bill Zeck. Sophomores will be asked to serve.

Congratulations Due!

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Olloman are the parents of a daughter born Monday, May 17, at the City hospital.

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Canton McKinley Cops First Place in District

Akron East, Second; Akron North, Third; Salem, Fourteenth Out of Twenty-five

Continuing its meet-winning streak, Canton McKinley High took first place honors for the Northeastern Ohio District "A" Track Meet with 42 points last Saturday in Reilly Stadium, making it the team's fourth straight win.

The Quaker trackmen placed fourteenth with 6½ points, taking second position in the broad jump and high jump.

Saturday's meet was the largest of its kind in Ohio, twenty-five teams being entered. Six tracksters from Canton McKinley and two relay teams will be sent to the state finals at Columbus. Youngstown Rayen qualified in the 880-yard dash, Struthers in the shot put and discus, Campbell Memorial in the 100 and 220-yard dashes, and Boardman in the high hurdles and high jump.

Clifford again showed his ability as a runner by taking first in the 100 and 220-yard dashes. Bill Simmons of Akron East, and Bob Ton-

eff of Barberton each took firsts in two events.

The meet featured the breaking of two records and the tying of another. Simmons of Akron East broke the record of 22.5 seconds in the low hurdles in 22.4 seconds. Hamilton of Canton McKinley made a record for the high hurdles in 14.8 seconds.

The teams' scores:

Canton McKinley 42, Akron East 24½, Akron North 19, Barberton 16½, Akron Buchtel 12½, Warren 12, East Palestine, 11½, Campbell 9, Mentor 9, Canton Lehman 8, Niles 8, Boardman 7½, Youngstown Rayen 7½, Salem 6½, Fitch 5, Struthers 5, Louisville 4, Akron South 3½, Cuyahoga Falls 2, Akron Garfield 1. Alliance, Girard, Ravenna, Akron St. Marys and Central failed to score.

BROAD JUMP—Won by Wallace (Akron East); Theiss (Salem) 2nd; Blower (East Palestine) 3rd; Young (East Palestine) 4th; Corbin (Warre) 5th. Distance 22 feet, 2 3/8 inches.

YEAGER SUCCEEDS ROSS AS TRACK CAPT.

Ray Yeager was elected captain of the 1948-49 track team by a vote of this year's lettermen this week. He will succeed Curt Ross.

This year Ray was Salem's top man in the 440-yard dash and the 220-yard dash.

As I See It

By Tom Miner

Track Team Ends Season
Salem Hi's Track team was really on the ball this season by winning four of five dual meets, a triangular meet with the Columbiana Clippers and Niles, and in the runnerup position in the County meet. This record alone is one any student from S. H. S. could well be proud of, but in addition to this, they finished 10th in the Uhrichsville relays, 6th in the Salem Night Relays, and 14th in the N. O. E. District meet.

Their success, in our estimation, was the result of a lot of hard practicing and the fact that "F. E." was finally blessed with an assistant, namely Troy Penner. Mr. Penner was truly a blessing to "F. E." and worked wonders with the team.

As usual the team is going to be hit hard by the graduation of the

seniors. It will be a tough job for Senors Cope and Penner to develop runners to replace the outgoing lettermen. Curt Ross, this year's captain and leading dashman, will be missed mucho, but "Chi" Yeager, "Little Boy" Faulkner, and "Dutch" Miller may be able to fill in the vacancy. Ted Boone, one of the outstanding athletes this year, will have to be replaced in the half-mile relay and low hurdles. Mr. Cope is going to be hit the hardest by losing John Huddleston, his star hurdler. Another gray hair pops into "F. E.'s" head every time he thinks about it. Hopefuls to fill Johnny's shoes are Don Abrams, Don Loutzenhiser, and Bill Scott. Bruce Frederick seems destined to become successor to the broad jumping talents of Dick Theiss.

We foresee, with this summarization, that Salem has the material to have another great team next year. Here's hopin—

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