

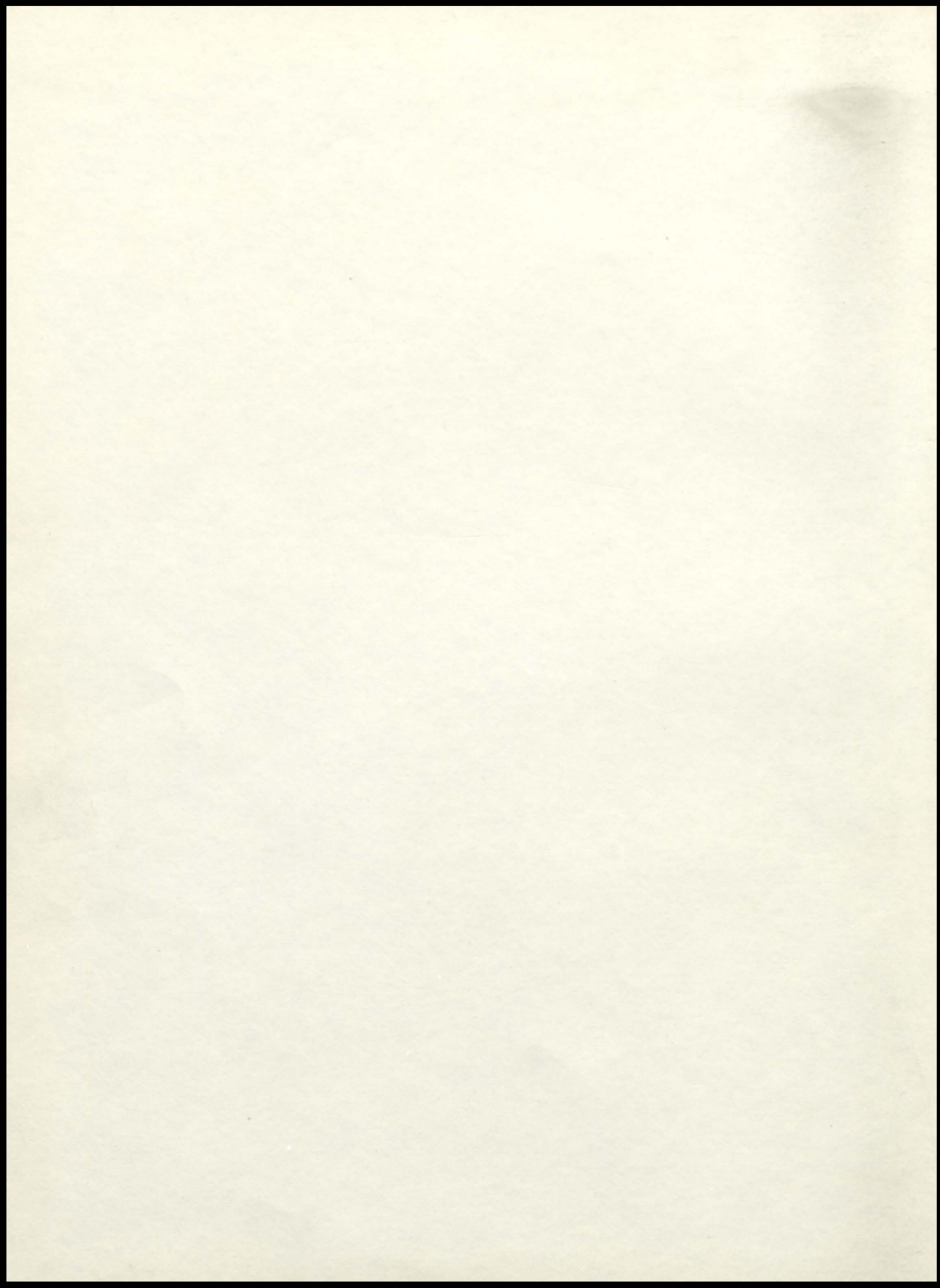
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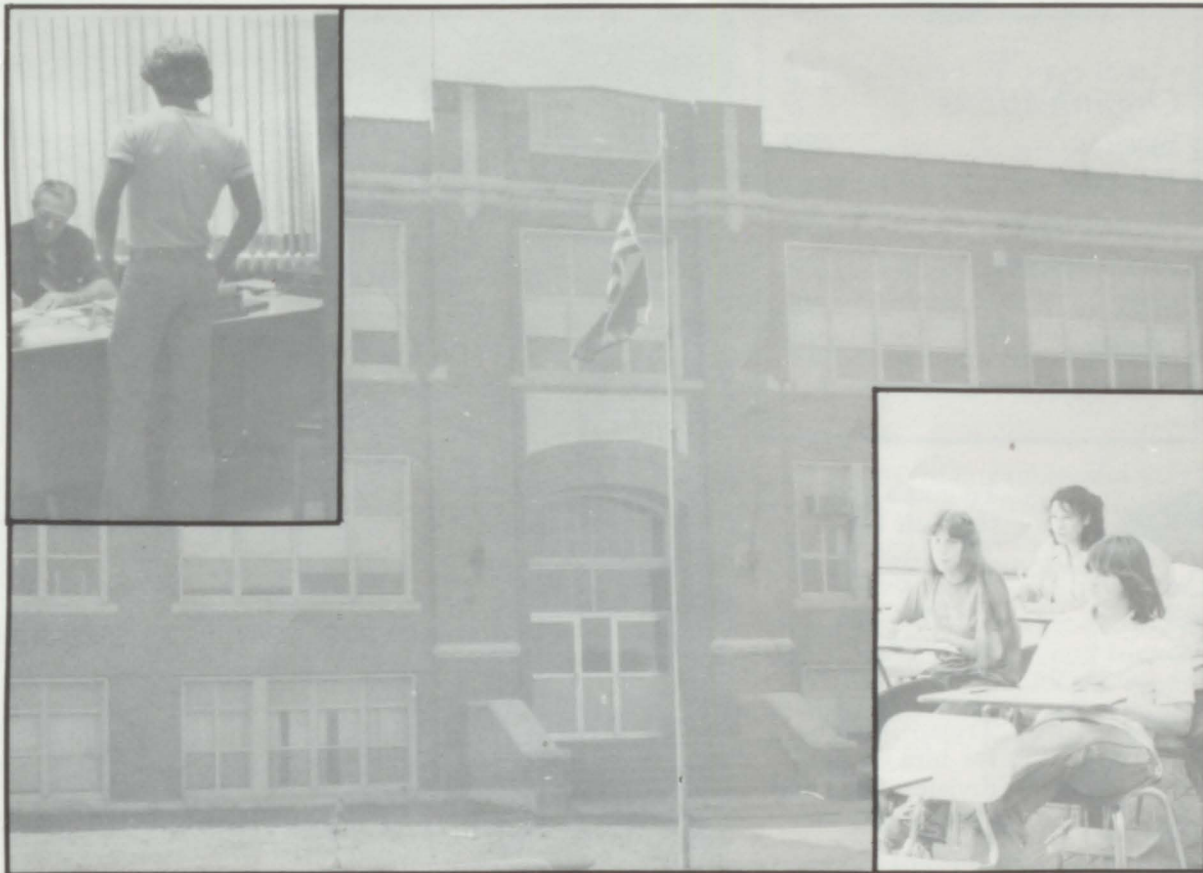
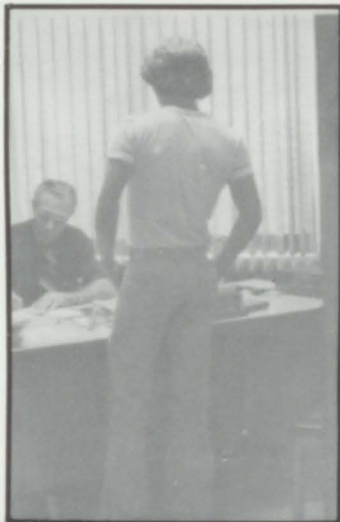
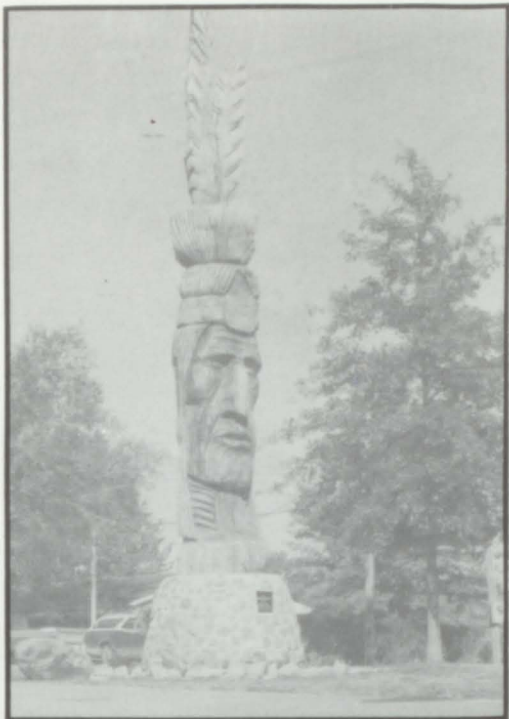


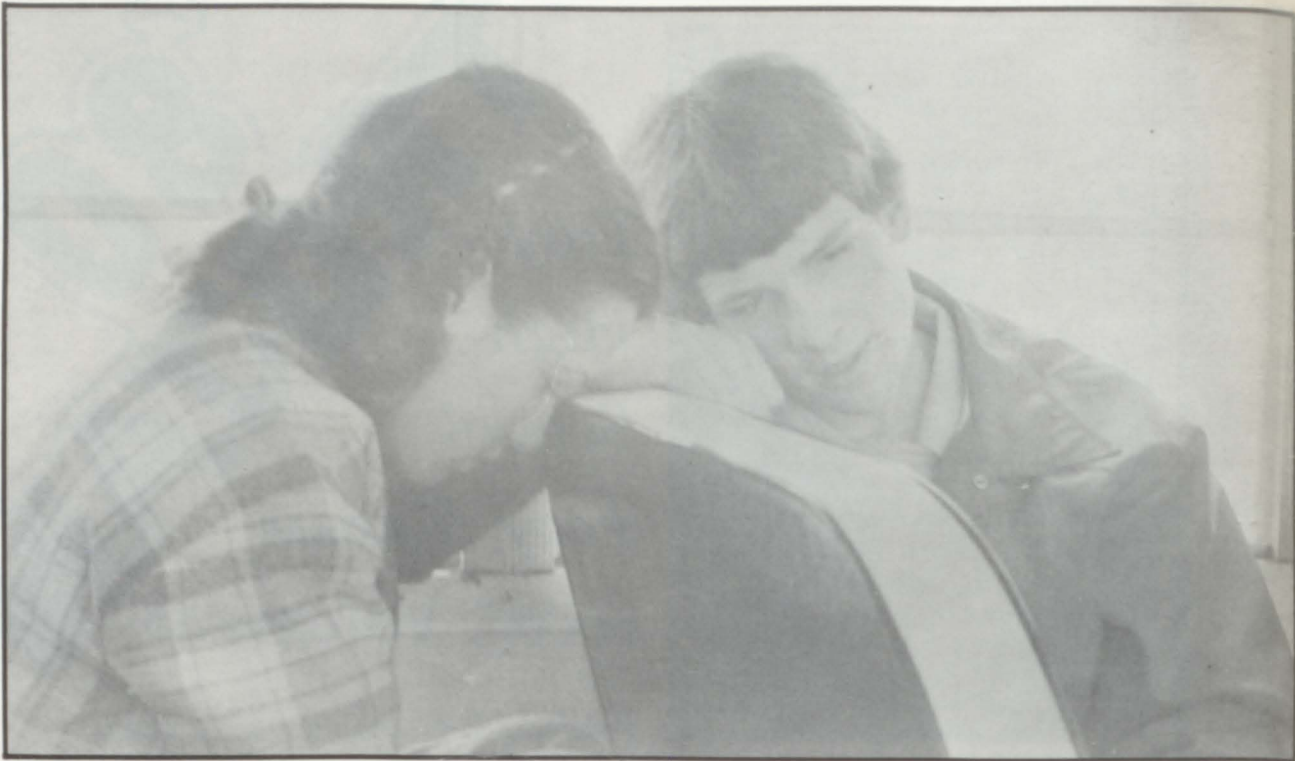


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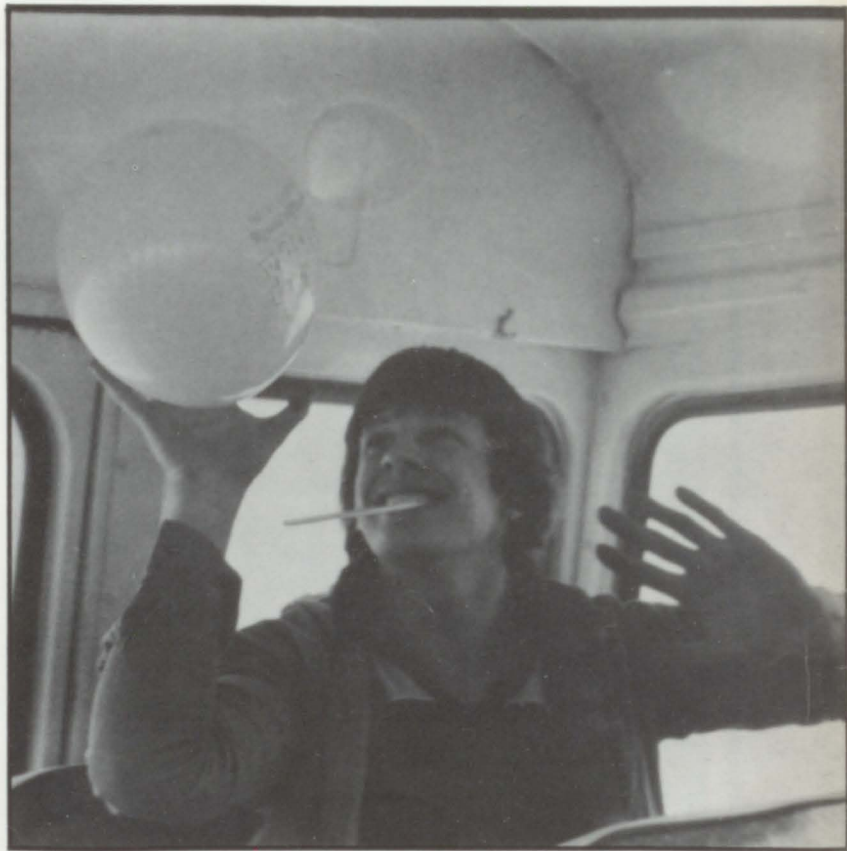
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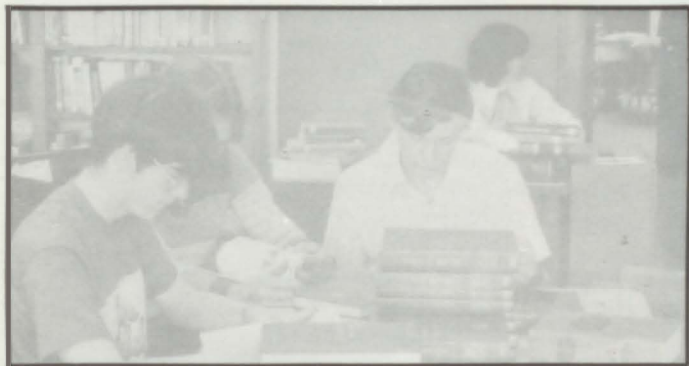


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To guide you through the TROJAN '80, our artist, Becky Puckett, has developed a little character we've named Tommy Trojan. Watch for him on each division page and throughout the sections.





PLACES & PEOPLE

'80 - We're Together

If we could pick one word to tell you what this book is about, to really describe THS, it would have to be "together."

After all, hasn't 1980, maybe more than any other year, been a time of hard work, of pulling together? Very few small schools have organizations and athletic teams as good as ours, or a faculty and administration as capable as the one at THS.

What lies at the heart of our successful year? It has to be the friendship and caring attitude that surrounds us. This feeling has made us work harder and strive to meet our goals.

TROJAN '80 is a celebration of the accomplishments, struggles, tears, laughter, and friendship that made 1980 uniquely ours. As you read this collection of memories, know that it is for all of us, the people of THS — because we made it happen ... together.

Susan Begesse, Copy Editor
Lee Jordan, Layout Editor

'80-Dawn Of A Decade

The birth of the eighties brought diversity and excitement to the United States and forced the American people to meet new challenges and demands.

Foreign relations were a dominant factor in the news from September, 1979, to May, 1980. During October of the school year, students heard a visiting pope preach a message of love to the United States. Ironically, a group of militant students seized the United States embassy in Tehran, Iran, only a few weeks later, taking fifty Americans hostage. At the close of the school term in May, the hostages were entering their sixth term of captivity, with rumors spreading that they may not be released until November 1980. In April, President Jimmy Carter imposed numerous economic sanctions against Iran. On April 24, American helicopters landed in the middle of an Iranian desert en route to Tehran. Tragically, several helicopters crashed, killing eight Americans, and foiling any rescue plans. The Ayatollah Khomeini and President Bani-Sadr warned against military action.

The Russian invasion of Afghanistan aroused much concern in the United States, among political leaders and sports enthusiasts alike. President Carter pressed for a boycott of the 1980 Summer Olympics as a means of showing American disapproval of the invasion. In an April decision, the United States Olympic Committee voted to support the boycott.

Below: Kansas Governor John Carlin and THS government instructor Bruce Reynolds share a handshake in the governor's office. The Troy Lions Club sponsored their annual trip to Topeka for the government classes in February.



Above: Senior Susan Begesse was selected second runner-up in the Northeast Kansas Junior Miss Pageant in Hiawatha, October 6. Susan also won the Scholastic Achievement Award and was one of five contestants chosen as talent finalists.

Presidential elections will be held in November, 1980, and candidates were campaigning for their party's nomination.

President Carter was challenged for the Democratic nomination by Massachusetts Senator Ted Kennedy. Although Kennedy had a strong family name, experts predicted that Carter would represent his party in the November election. California Governor Jerry Brown also sought the nomination but withdrew from the race.

The Republican field was led by Ronald Reagan, with contenders George Bush and John Anderson considered long shots. If a THS poll is any indication, Reagan will occupy the White House in November. Fifty per cent of the Trojans polled supported Reagan. Carter garnered only sixteen per cent of the votes, and Kennedy came in third with nine per cent.

A presidential primary was held in Kansas for the first time. In keeping with Kansas Republican tradition, Reagan won the contest. Kansas Senator Robert Dole was an early contender, but withdrew before he could enter his home-state primary.



'80 Brings Changes In Fun, Fads, Fashion



President Carter gave the teens of America something serious to think about when tense foreign relations prompted him to begin lobbying for the resumption of a peace-time draft. The question of drafting women was also raised. Although no decisions were made, an informal survey of eighty THS students and teachers revealed that Trojans had some very definite ideas on the subject. Sixty-five per cent of those surveyed were opposed to reinstatement of the draft. Trojans were also against drafting women. One student said, "If men are drafted, women should also be, but only in case of emergency should they be put in combat."

Left: Kansas was selected as the site for artist Peter Toth's Kansas monument to native American Indian tribes. A special dedication was held in October. The sculpture is shown in its final stages of production.



Above: Laura Herpich, Laura Staudenmaier, and Cheryl Begesse model clothes which were popular with 1980 Trojans: painter's pants and blue jeans. Left: Mrs. Rocky's children's theater class presented "The Wizard of Oz" to Troy Grade School children in February. The youngsters were allowed to get into the act.



Skyrocketing inflation sent the price of a Big Mac to \$1.15 and the cost of a gallon of gasoline well over \$1.20, but that didn't stop the teens of 1980 from dating, cruising, and buying records.

Although THS students called inflation the number one problem the country is facing today, they managed to finance their entertainment with part-time jobs. The publication's survey revealed nearly half the students were employed during the school year.

Trojan movie-goers rated "Kramer vs. Kramer" as one of their favorite movies. The critics agreed, giving it an Academy Award for best picture. Steve Martin's "The Jerk" was another smash at THS. "The Dukes of Hazzard," "Benny Hill," "Real People," and "The Muppet Show" were popular television shows with the THS crowd.

Whether on a car radio or an expensive stereo, music strongly influenced 1980 teens. Groups such as Pink Floyd, Blondie, and Styx dominated the charts. Dan Fogelberg, Barry Manilow, Dionne Warwick, and Kenny Rogers were single stars who made 1980 news.

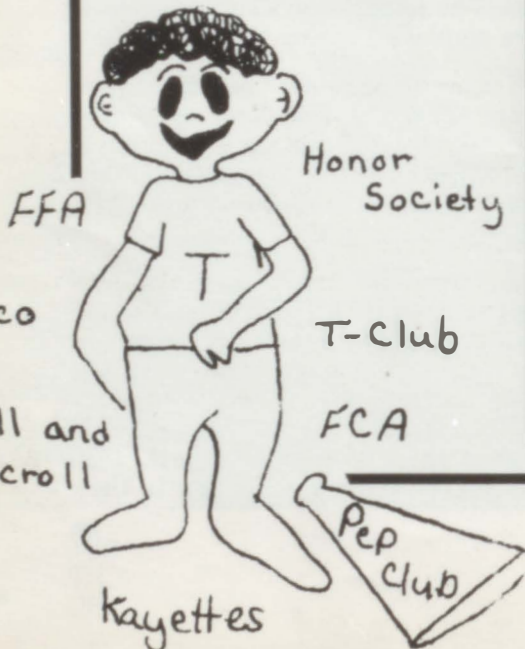
Labeled more conservative than their 1970 counterparts, 1980 high school students nonetheless showed a zest for fun in their lives.



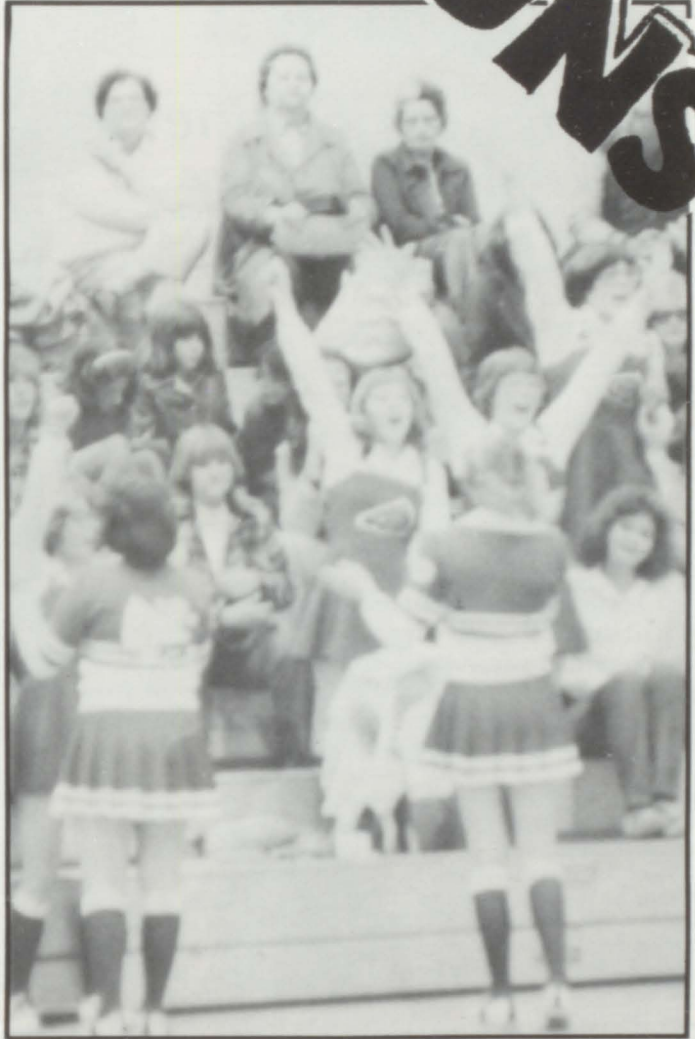
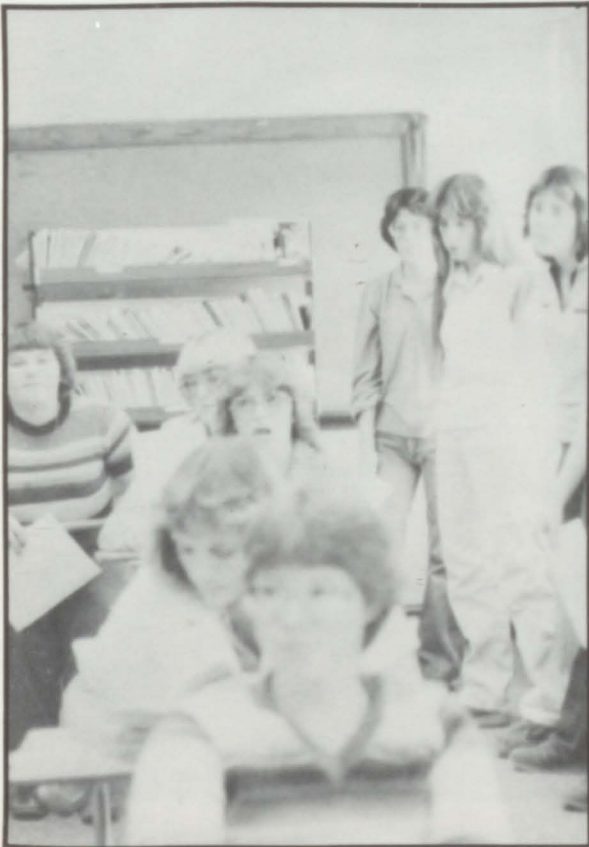
"Together" is a word that fits the TROJAN '80 organization section better than any other. Striving together toward a goal is what makes a group work.

Whether the THS organization is composed of state-champion journalists, community-minded workers, honored athletes, or students of agriculture, we know that these next few pages will prove one thing — the closeness and hard work were well worth-while.

But an organization means more than prizes and honor. The friendship and moral character that a group builds go with the student throughout his life. And so do the memories that go into that building.



HORGANIZATIONS





Club Honors Dannevik

The 1979-80 Troy Kayettes honored Mr. Nick Dannevik, counselor and teacher at THS, with a special assembly, May 9. Mr. Dannevik decided to leave THS to become an insurance salesman. He was presented the Kayette Service Award, along with a few other tokens.

The group started a continuing project, the purchasing of a trophy case for the new gym. The candy bar sales and a blanket toss earned some money for the cause.

The annual installation banquet was April 28. The theme was "The World Is Yours," which was sung by the girls' ensemble.

Teacher appreciation, a slumber party, and a shopping trip to Kansas City were traditional projects in which the Kayettes engaged. A point system was used to measure the requirements of the various activities. The club received an award for the 1000 points earned during the school year.

At the top are the THS members of the Kayette organization. In the front are the 1979-80 officers and sponsor: B. Marriott, L. Staudenmaier, Mrs. Israel, G. Hanlan, L. Herpich. Row 2 is composed of the Kayette board: M. Boeh, G. Fenley, S. Sutherland, K. Winzer, M. Weber, D. Guy, B. Dannevik, D. Masters, J. Trant. The remainder of the girls compose the regular membership role. Row 3: B. Winkel, P. Pennell, M. Ashworth, M. Middleton, L. Ashworth, L. Stanley, J. Blake, B. Boeh, R. Ruhnke. Row 4: S. Begesse, T. Blanton, B. Meng, E. Tucker, S. Sharp, D. Hoverson, D. Lara, L. Anderson, C. Begesse. Row 5: P. Simpson, L. Robinson, S. Scholz, C. Bletscher, B. King, V. Paulich, B. Meng, C. Johnson, L. Cluck, W. Hoverson. Row 6: K. Jamvold, T. Simpson, T. Clary, M. Foley.



Top: Renya Elizabeth Reyes of British Honduras was "adopted" by the Kayettes through the Save the Children Federation. Renya is nine years old.

Above: Laura Staudenmaier, the 1979-80 Kayette President, receives the Kayette of the Year Award at the installation banquet, April 28.





Pictured at left is the Kayette board. Front Row: D. Guy, B. Dannevik. Row 2: Secretary B. Marriott, G. Fenley. Row 3: M. Boeh, President L. Staudenmaier. Row 4: Vice-president G. Hanlan, J. Trant. Also pictured on ledge from front are D. Masters, K. Winzer, M. Weber, Treasurer L. Herpich, S. Adkins, B. Sutherland, and sponsor, Mrs. Israel.

Below: Mr. Dannevik speaks at the Kayette banquet.



Pictured above are Laura Staudenmaier, Michelle Foley, Geri Fenley, and Connie Johnson helping with the blanket toss at the senior-faculty ball game.



Sheila Adkins participated in the Kiddly-Cuddly Toy Day for Kayette Citizenship Week. She is shown with her stuffed elephant, Peggy.



Pictured above top are the state qualifiers. Standing: Margie Weber, advertising; Gina Hanlan, 2nd in theme development; Joe Boeh, 1st in sports writing; Jim Dubach, make-up; Laura Staudenmaier, copy writing. Kneeling: Susan Begesse, 1st in feature writing and 2nd in news writing; Lee Jordan, theme development; Mrs. Rockey, teacher; Becky Puckett, 1st in advertising.

Above: Jim Dubach, newspaper editor-in-chief, works on his page.

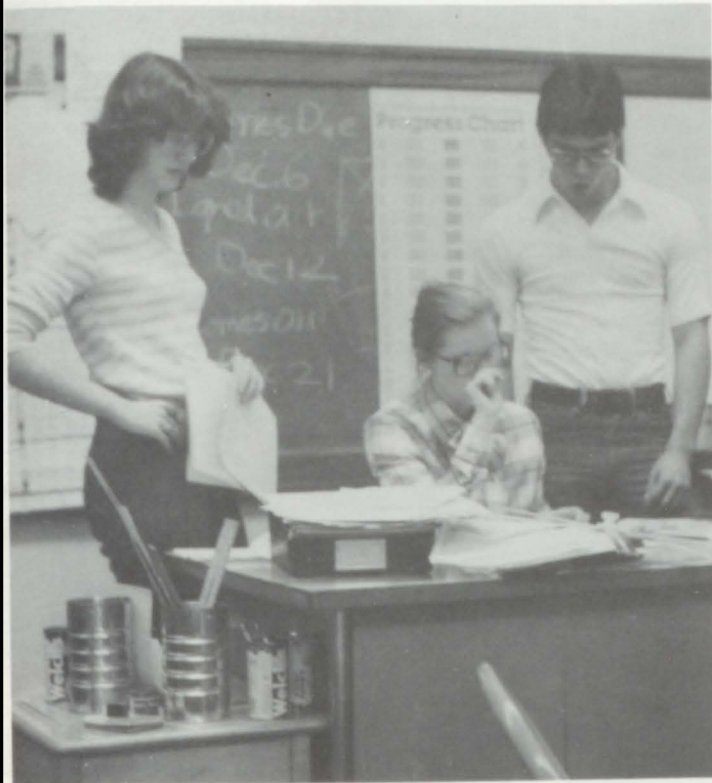
Quill and Scroll members are shown at right. Front Row: Lee Jordan and Susan Begesse. Row 2: Becky Puckett, Gina Hanlan, and Laura Staudenmaier. Row 3: Joe Boeh and Jim Dubach.



Journalists Sweep State Contest

The THS publications class swept the Kansas Scholastic Press Association regional and state journalism contests to give them the sweepstakes trophy (class 1A-2A-3A) for 1980. Ten THS students qualified at regionals to compete at state. Mace Thornton and Joi Trant were unable to participate because they came down with the chickenpox. Mrs. Martha Rockey stated, "I was really surprised we won the sweepstakes trophy, but I'm really proud of the team!" The class also completed the TROJAN '80 annual and distributed nine issues of the Trojan Trumpet. One of the issues was a tribute to the senior class. Guiding newspaper production were Jim Dubach, editor-in-chief; Joe Franken, editorial page editor; Karen Winzer, feature page editor; Joe Boeh, sports editor, and Becky Puckett, art editor. Head photographer was Brenda Dannevik.

Upper left: S. Begesse and L. Jordan talk with Mrs. Rockey.



Pictured left to right: Mace Thornton; Lee Jordan, layout editor; Joe Franken, business manager; Becky Puckett; Jim Dubach, newspaper editor; Laura Staudenmaier; Susan Begesse, copy editor; Brenda Meng; Joe Boeh; Joi Trant;

Gina Hanlan; Tammy Simpson; Karen Winzer; Lynnette Robinson; Mrs. Rockey; Laura Herpich; Margie Weber, Brenda Dannevik.



Library aides do the "dirty work" of the library. Above, front row: Linda Taylor and Mrs. Fetherolf. Row 2: Mary Boeh, Debbie Guy, Elizabeth Tucker, and Kevin Sutton. Row 3: Jerry Masters, Candy Huss, and Phil Buch.



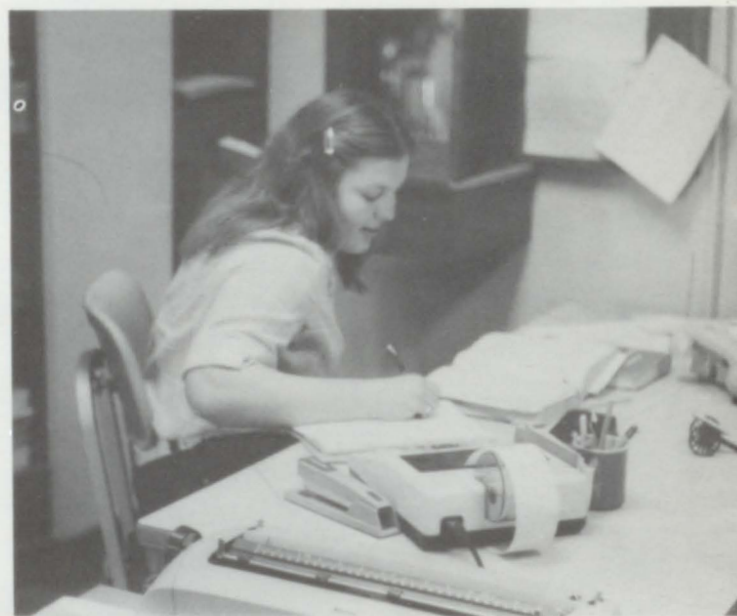
Library, Office, And Teachers' Aides: People Helping People, Together At THS

The library underwent an extensive maintenance program this year. A room was set aside as strictly a reference room. The magazine collection, vertical file, and film strips were all sorted and weeded of any out-dated material. Over 4,000 obsolete cards were pulled from the card catalog. The changes made were most impressive and useful for the students.

Library aides for the 1979-80 school year were Linda Taylor, Debbie Guy, Elizabeth Tucker, Candy Huss, and Mary Boeh. Some students who participated in the program for one semester were Don Stock, Phil Buch, Kevin Sutton, Jerry Masters, and Darrell Furr.

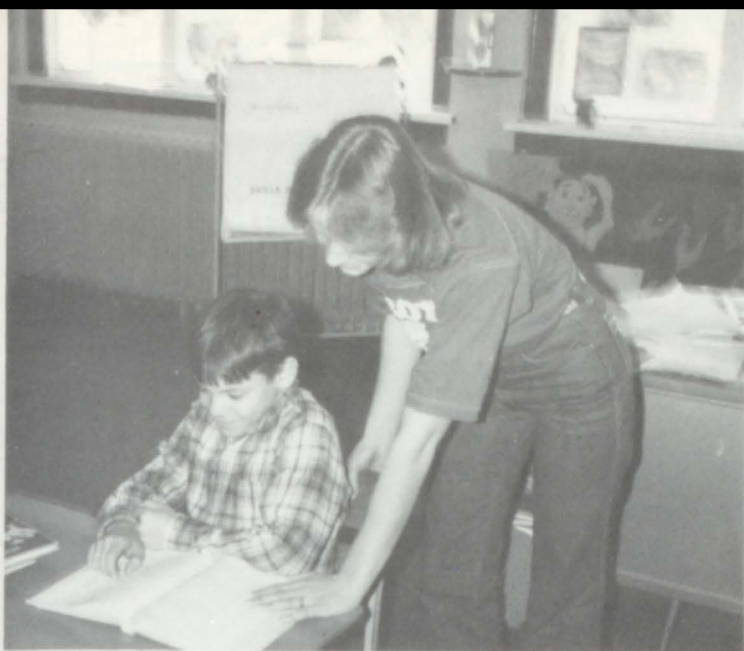
The duties of the library aides were to check in overdue books, put them back on the shelf, make out overdue slips, file cards, and keep the library in good order. There's more to being a library aide than most people realize!

Mrs. Shirley Fetherolf, librarian, commented that her library aides were "a good group of kids to work with and deserve credit for the improvements made in the library this past year."



Above: Deanna Hoverson is the office aide during the fourth-hour period. She answers the phone, takes messages, and does the many other tasks usually done by the secretaries, Mrs. Larzelere and Mrs. Clary. Office aides obtain a credit and experience from this job.





The cadet teacher program went over exceptionally well with seven seniors participating. These students went to the grade school for one hour each day to assist the teachers with the children by helping them read, running off papers, and making bulletin boards.

Cadet teachers for this year were Jim Dubach, Mace Thornton, Beth Marriott, Joi Trant, Brenda Dannevik, Sherri Sharp, and Joe Boeh. Deanna Hoverson acted as office aide during the lunch period. Becky Puckett was a teacher's aide for Mrs. Rockey, Mr. Rockey, and Mrs. Israel.

The teacher's aide and cadet teachers receive one credit for their work and receive experience working with others. They liked being cadet teachers because they "get to drink pop in the teachers lounge," "like playing four-square with the kids," and "enjoy being with people."

Pictured above far left: Mace Thornton and Jim Dubach were cadet teachers during the fifth period for the second and third grades. Here they are running off papers for the next assignment.

Above left: Cadet teacher Joi Trant is helping Doug Smith with his assignment. Doug is a member of Mrs. Schultz's fourth-grade class.



Six Named To Honor Society Membership



National Honor Society is an organization designed to recognize the all-around superior students. This society is based on scholarship, leadership, service, and character.

Members are narrowed to those students having a B (3.0) average. Students chosen are then initiated at the awards assembly in the spring.

The group journeyed to Kansas City for a day of sight-seeing which included Halls Crown Center in downtown Kansas City.

Pictured, front row: Ron Neumann, Don Neumann, and Lee Jordan. Row 2: Deanna Hoverson, Laura Staudenmaier, Susan Begesse, and Mr. Folsche, sponsor.



CHAPTER PROFICIENCY AWARDS

Chapter Star Farmer	Carl Tharman
Chapter Star Agribusinessman	Glen Grable
Star Greenhand	Larry Wilke
Placement in Ag. Production	Joe Neumann
Ag. Electrification	Glen Grable
District Proficiency Award	Joe Neumann Glen Grable
Leadership	Don Neumann
Dekalb Outstanding Senior	Don Neumann
Scholarship	Steve Tharman
Swine Production	Don Neumann
Crop Production	Dean Weber
Fruits and Vegetables	Don Neumann
Ag. Sales and Service	Ron Neumann
Ag. Mechanics	Paul Neumann
Record Book	Ron Neumann

Above: Mr. Fred Folsche and other guests enjoy the banquet.

Top: Mr. Bramlage, FFA sponsor; Ron Neumann, treasurer; Glen Grable, secretary; Tina Robinson, president; Don Neumann, vice-president; Pat Masters, sentinel; and Carl Tharman, reporter, were the original leaders of the 1979-80 FFA organization.

Above left: THS Greenhands are the novices in FFA. They are, front row, L. Mullen, M. Bembrick, D. Sipes, D. Ernzen, Row 2: D. Clary, D. Cluck, L. Wilke, and L. Johnson.

Club Changes Leaders

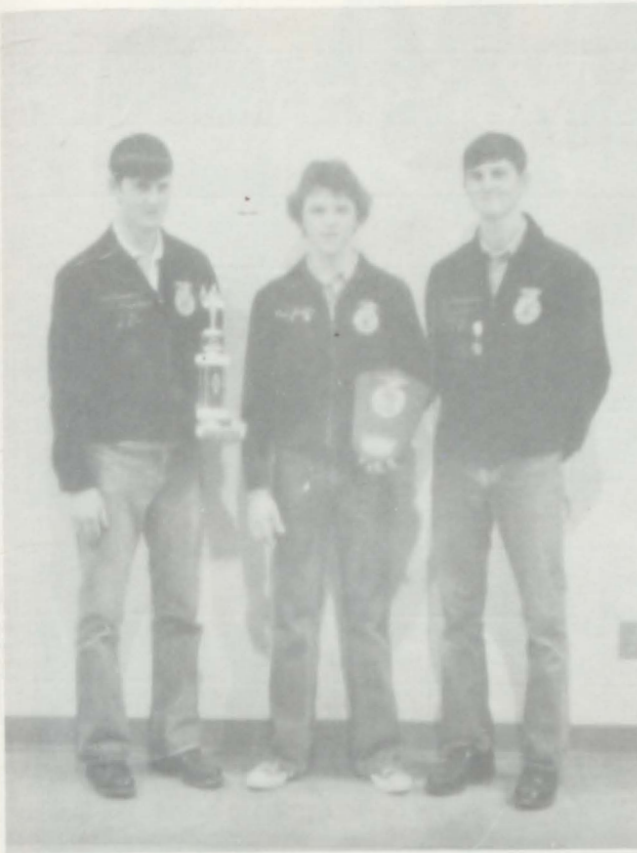
Placing third in District Land Judging, October 13, and second in State Area Land Judging, October 26, were the highlights of the year for the THS members of Future Farmers of America.

The departure of President Tina Robinson was an unusual experience for the organization. Vice-president Don Neumann assumed the presidency, and his twin brother, Ron Neumann, became vice-president. The members elected a new treasurer, Steve Tharman. Glen Grable was secretary throughout the year.

Hoyt (Royal Valley) was the setting for the District Banquet, April 16, where Carl Tharman was selected District FFA Treasurer. Another FFA member, Don Neumann, was named winner of the 1980 Dekalb Agricultural Accomplishment Award.

State FFA Treasurer, Joe Neumann, was the guest speaker at the local banquet, March 31. This banquet is designed to honor the parents, install the new officers, and give out awards. A summary of the year is given to people, also.

Left: R. Neumann, G. Grable, and D. Neumann won land judging awards.



Front Row: T. Mullins, T. Whittaker. Row 2: Mr. Bramlage, State Farmer R. Neumann, G. Grable, T. Robinson, State Farmer D. Neumann, P. Masters, C. Tharman, Row 3: B. Whetstine, J. Stock, J. Jarrett, B. Blake, D. Sharp, P. Robinson, D. Sipes, J. Smith, S. Tharman. Row 4: L. Mullins, K. Sutton, D. Duncan, P. Buch, L. Johnson, S. Smith, S. Simpson, D. Guy, J. Grippando.



Above: Former THS student, Joe Neumann, speaks at the local FFA Banquet as state FFA treasurer, March 31.





Pictured above Front Row: M. Thornton, J. Dubach, and J. Boeh. Row 2: D. Hull, M. Ashworth, P. Masters, G. Hanlan, C. Huss, M. Clary, B. King, and J. Clary.

Left: Being a student council sponsor at Troy High School is not all fun and games, as the somber expression on Mr. Nick Dannevik's face indicates.

StuCo On The Move

The 1979-1980 student council was under the leadership of President Jim Dubach, Vice-president Joe Boeh, and Secretary-treasurer Mace Thornton.

Troy Student Council, in cooperation with Abilene Student Council, sponsored an exchange program between the high schools. Beth Marriott, Darrell Furr, Brenda Meng, Tim Franken, and Linda Ashworth attended Abilene High School for one day while six of those students came to Troy.

Other activities sponsored included Homecoming, Queen of Courts, and Spirit Week, which consisted of several special dress-up days and the Mr. Legs contest.



Secretary-treasurer Mace Thornton, Vice-president Joe Boeh, and President Jim Dubach guided StuCo to a successful year filled with variety and new projects.



THS exchange students strike a pose. D. Furr isn't pictured.

Fellowship Of Christian Athletes Inspired



Fellowship of Christian Athletes, under the supervision of Mr. Bill Foster, is an organization with the goal of making a challenge to youth — the challenge to accept Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and to serve Him in their future vocations.

Pictured at the left are those who reached for this goal, Jim Dubach, Chris Beaty, Joe Boeh, Tim Franken, Mace Thornton, Jeff Sandy, and Mr. Bill Foster.

Letter Winners Carry on Traditional Image



Front Row: Mrs. Olson, D. Winchell, S. Sharp, P. McNemee, B. Dannevik, L. Herpich, L. Robinson, D. Furr, D. Guy, M. Adkins, and Mr. Davis. Row 2: B. King, J. Boeh, P. Masters, D. Marriott, G. Grable, J. Franken, G. Hanlan, M. Boeh, and M. Ross. Row 3: P. Pennell, D. Masters, J. Marriott, B. Mar-

riott, D. Stock, J. Jarrett, J. Dubach, D. Speaks, and C. Huss. Row 4: L. Jordan, R. Seiter, V. Paulich, M. Foley, B. Leger, T. Franken, J. Clary, D. Hull, and K. Bletscher. Row 5: K. Winder, G. Dannevik, J. Stock, P. Pollock, G. Fenley, M. Thornton, S. Adkins, J. Trant, and B. Meng.



Mr. Frank Davis and Mrs. Marla Olson sponsored T-Club.





Trojan cheerleaders and pep club show their enthusiasm at the Troy-Baileyville football game. The contest gained Trojans the honor of being District champions.



Sheila Adkins leads boosters in a rousing yell.

Cheerleaders And Pep Club Liven Spirit

The cheerleaders for the 1979-80 school year are pictured in special formation above. The girls who cheered on the Trojan athletes were Becky King, Kris Bletscher, Sheila Adkins, Beth Marriott (head), Debbie Masters, Teresa Blanton, Gina Hanlan, and Debbie Guy.

The girls attended a five-day summer camp at Fort Hays State University, Hays, Kansas. They acquired many new cheers and ideas to bolster Trojan spirit. Mrs. Marla Olson, the cheerleaders' sponsor, accompanied the girls on their trip to Hays.

Pep club sported a new look to bring in the decade. They wore white tops printed with the school name and Trojan emblem. Slacks were exchanged for comfortable blue jeans. Leading the pepsters were Sherri Sharp, president; Karen Winzer, vice-president; Joi Trant, secretary; and Michelle Foley, treasurer.

Fund-raising projects were numerous. The club sold Trojan T-shirts and jerseys. They also peddled matching hats and scarves decorated with the school name. Pep club decorated for Homecoming and Queen of Courts activities. The group had double sponsors. Mrs. Marla Olson led the group, assisted by Ms. Fran Rupp.

Kris Bletscher and Becky King model the new Trojan hats while cheering.

Sophomore Kim Jamvold was one of the Pep Club members who sold Trojan hats and scarves during the basketball games as a money-making project for the organization.



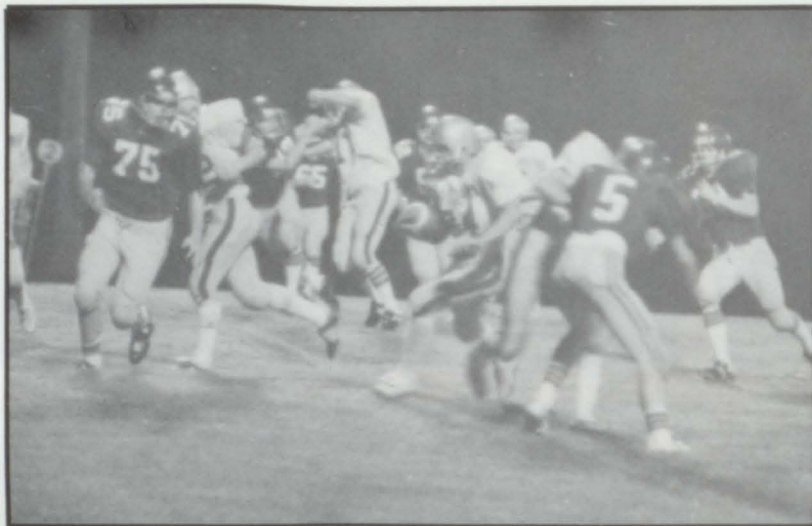
Front Row: Teresa Blanton, Debbie Masters, Kris Bletscher, Becky King, Gina Hanlan, Sheila Adkins, Debbie Guy, and Beth Marriott. Row 2: Mrs. Olson, Kim Jamvold, Mendi Ashworth, Julie Blake, Becky Winkel, Paula Pennell, Geri Fenley, Brenda Meng, Michelle Foley, Sherri Sharp, Karen Winzer, Joi Trant, Connie Johnson, Lisa Anderson, Linda Ashworth, Beverly Meng, Mary Middleton, Lorrie Stanley, Brenda Sipes, Ms. Rupp, and Brenda Boeh.



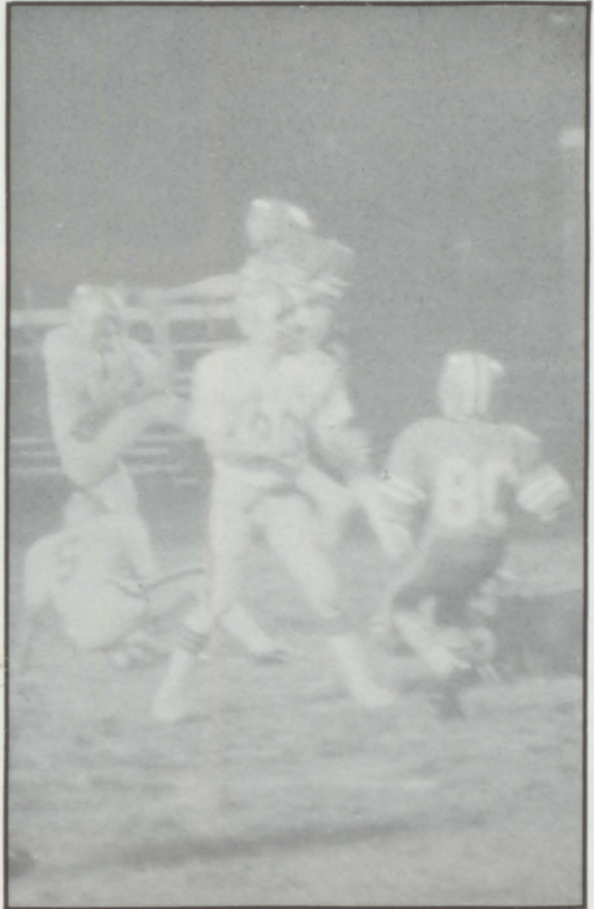
Joy, frustration, and excitement are emotions that nearly every THS athlete felt during the 1979-80 season. They experienced victories and setbacks, happiness and pain.

However, the score and the first-place finish don't reflect everything an athlete is, or everything one could be. What fan ever sees the football player suffering at night over a painful injury, the tears of sorrow over a game that "we almost had," or a lone runner on a dusty country road in the dead of summer.

Being an athlete means more than being the one with the highest score. It means sacrifice, determination, working together, sweat, and guts. When everything's over, an athlete can look back with a sense of pride. That's a good feeling.



SPORTS





Pictured above: Deb Masters rounds a curve at the K-36 League meet at Horton. At right: Becky King and Mendi Ashworth run in the Horton contest.



CC Runs

Trojan Harriers ran the two-mile cross country course at four area meets: Savior of the World, Highland, Centralia, and Horton.

This year three girls joined the Trojan CC squad and ran in the K-36 League meet at Horton. The boys' team finished their cross country season with a fifth at the league meet.

BEST TIMES

Jim Dubach	11:41
Jerry Masters	11:46
David Guy	13:46
Dennis Winchell	11:27
Kelly Winder	10:58
David Jenkins	11:43
Becky King	17:00
Deb Masters	15:01
Mendi Ashworth	15:30



Harriers J. Masters, K. Winder, J. Dubach, D. Jenkins, and D. Winchell prepare to run.





At left, the Trojan Cross Country team jogs up a hill. Kelly Winder, Jerry Masters, Deb Masters, David Guy, Becky King, David Jenkins, Jim Dubach, and Dennis Winchell are shown, along with Coach Lyle Rockey. Not pictured is Mendi Ashworth.

Below: Sophomore quarterback Tim Franken calls out the signals.

Bottom: James Marriott tries to elude the Wathena tacklers by running around the end.

Lower right: Fellow teammates shout cheers of support from the sidelines.



Players Gain Experience

The Trojan JV football squad ended their three-game season with two victories. Led by Coach Bruce Reynolds, they began weak, losing their first game against Wathena. Gaining more playing time and experience, the Junior Varsity Trojans came back to beat the Wildcats in their final game.

TROY	OPPONENT	
8	Wathena	38
28	Horton	12
24	Wathena	18



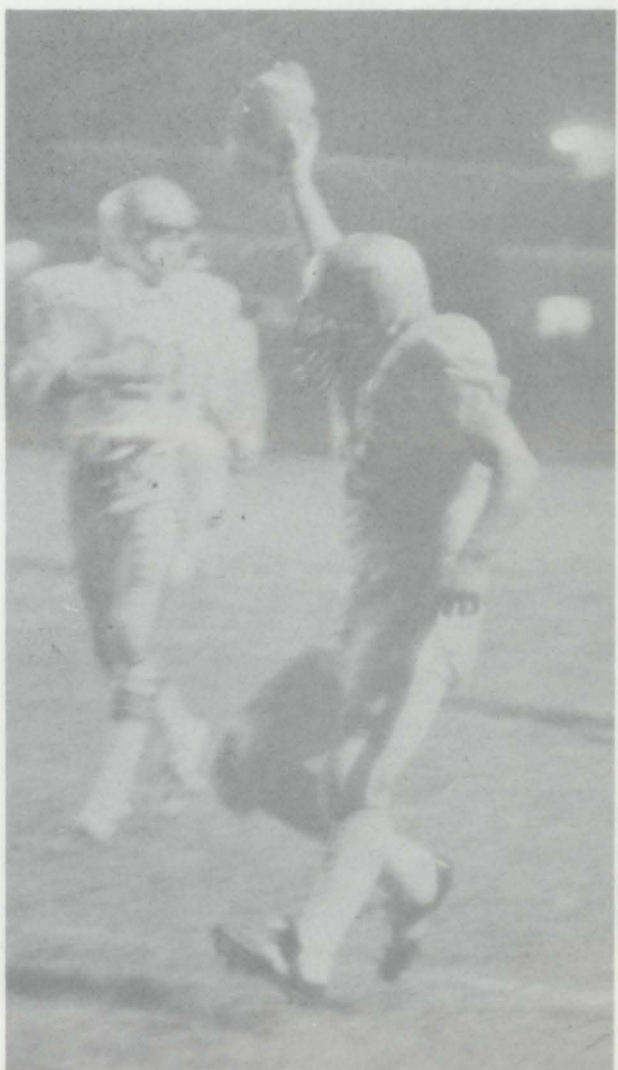
Trojans Tie League; Are District Champs

The Troy Trojans had a fine season as they defeated the Baileyville Falcons in the District Playoff game. This marked the first time Troy had ever won a game in State-Playoff competition.

The Trojans also shared the League Championship with Highland, to whom they lost their only regular season game.

After the Trojans blasted Baileyville, they then gained the home-field advantage against the Hanover Wildcats. Troy was knocked out of the playoffs by the Wildcats, who became state champs, yet had one of the best seasons in the history of the school.

Troy had several players who received individual honors. Making the K-36 All-League Offensive Team were Joe Boeh, Lee Jordan, Brent Leger, and Marvin Ross. Those making honorable mention on offense were Jeff Sandy, Mace Thornton, and Mark Adkins. Making the Defensive Team were Joe Boeh, Brent Leger, Mace Thornton, and Joe Franken. The honorable mention choices were Lee Jordan and Jay Jarrett. The All-Area selections were Brent Leger, who made first team, and Marvin Ross and Joe Boeh, who both made the second team. Receiving honorable mention were Lee Jordan, Mark Adkins, and Greg Dannevik. Brent Leger made first-team All-State on defense, as well as honorable mention on offense. Joe Boeh made honorable mention on both offense and defense. In addition, Marvin Ross and Mace Thornton were picked as honorable mention choices.



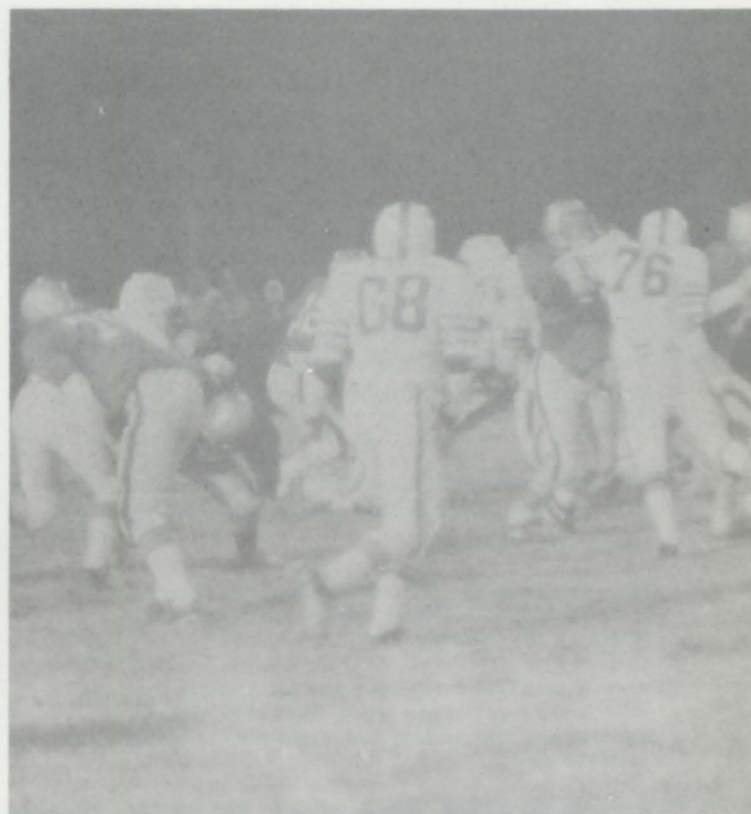
Marvin Ross evades Hanover defense in the Regional Playoff game.



The Trojans started their season with a win over Sabetha.



Pictured at left is the 1979 football squad. Front Row: M. Adkins, M. Ross, B. Leger, M. Thornton, J. Boeh, R. Seiter, D. Stock, J. Franken, L. Jordan, Mgr. Marty Clary. Row 2: K. Sutton, G. Dannevik, J. Sandy, J. Jarrett, D. Marriott, P. Masters, B. Whetstine, C. Tharman, R. Smith, D. King, Coach Sandy. Row 3: D. Sipes, D. Speaks, J. Mullen, R. Clary, P. Pollock, D. Cluck, J. Clary, D. Winchell, J. Marriott, T. Franken, C. Clary, S. Tharman, K. Winder, Coach Reynolds, Coach Davis.



The Trojans in the trench attempt to open a hole against Hanover.

J. Boeh, M. Thornton, and D. Stock hustle off the football field.



Trojans accept the District trophy on the muddy B&B field.

1979 Football Season

TROY	OPPONENT	SCORE
50	Sahetha	20
38	Linwood	0
70	Midway	14
0	*Highland	6
30	Wathena	12
24	Jackson Heights	8
33	Horton	20
38	Elwood	0
39	Valley Falls	6
District Playoffs		
39	Baileyville	21
Regional Playoffs		
6	Hanover	35

* Homecoming

Girls Persevere

The THS girls' basketball team was coached by Mr. Larry Sandy and Mrs. Marla Olson. Their regular season record was 5 wins and 11 losses. They finished fifth in the league. The girls had a tough time in tournament play as they lost in the first round of the league tournament to Jackson Heights, and also to Valley Heights in the first round of the regional tournament.

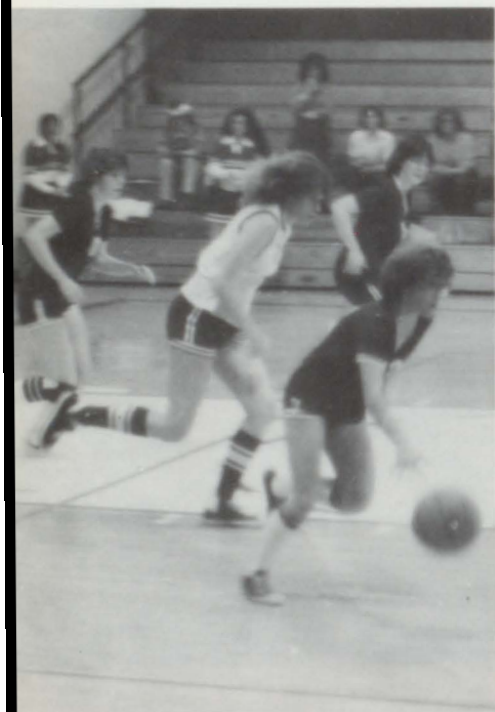
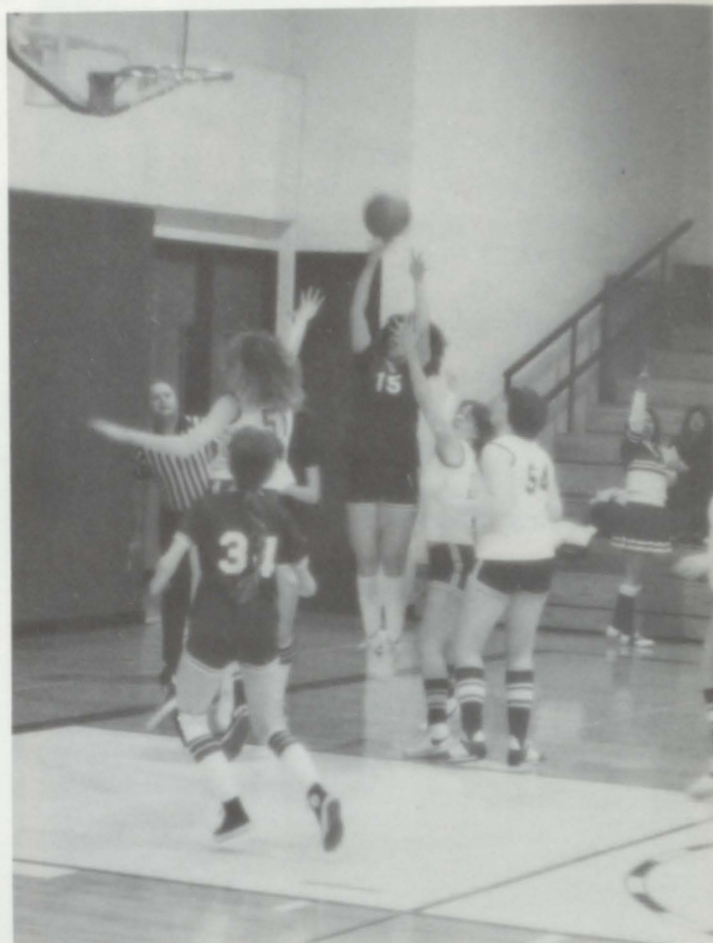
The seniors who were the leaders on the basketball team were Debbie Guy, Beth Marriott, Sherri Sharp, and Brenda Dannevik.

Although the squad did not have an outstanding record, they did have some individual honors. Sherri Sharp was named All-League, and Brenda Dannevik made honorable mention on that same team.

This year the girls also received some new game uniforms to go with the new warm-ups they received two years ago.

Right: Brenda Dannevik shoots a jump shot from the corner, while Laura Herpich tries to secure rebounding position on the opposing player.

Below: Teresa Blanton dribbles the ball through opposing traffic as she turns the speed. Meanwhile, Brenda Dannevik and Sherri Sharp begin returning to the offensive end of the court.



Above: These seven young ladies will undoubtedly make their mark on the Trojan record books in the near future as varsity stars. This year they comprised the THS girls' B-team squad. Coach Marla Olson is first; Julie Blake, Barb Sutherland, Terri Clary, Connie Johnson, Brenda Boeh, Mendi Ashworth, and Mary Jane Middleton gained playing time and experience.





Pictured above is the 1979-80 girls' varsity squad. Kneeling are Becky King and Beth Marriott. Standing are Coach Larry Sandy, Laura Herpich, Michelle Foley, Brenda Dannevik, Sherri Sharp, Geri Fenley, Debbie Masters, Sheila Adkins, Margie Weber, Debbie Guy, and Coach Marla Olson.



Top: Members of the A-team "put their heads together" before a game.

Above: Junior guard Laura Herpich puts her moves on the Midway Eagles.

1979-80 Scores

	Troy	Opp.
Sabetha	23	58
Elwood	37	42
Linwood	37	24
Highland	37	60
Jackson Heights	34	49
Wathena	39	38
Midway	25	46
Horton	41	57
Elwood	58	32
Bern	28	31
Linwood	43	30
Highland	14	48
Jackson Heights	30	46
Wathena	42	40
Midway	45	31
Horton	51	34

League and Regional Tournament

Jackson Heights	32	49
Valley Heights	34	57



Every player on the team had a chance to share the spotlight.

Right: Joe Boeh leaps into the air for the jump ball.

1979-1980 Scores

	Troy	Opp.
Sabetha	53	51
Elwood	42	56
Linwood	37	73
Highland	54	47
Jackson Heights	46	71
Wathena	60	50
Midway	45	49
Horton	74	52
Elwood	39	35
Bern	60	57
Linwood	38	51
Highland	42	44
Jackson Heights	45	60
Wathena	65	42
Midway	64	47
Horton	75	63

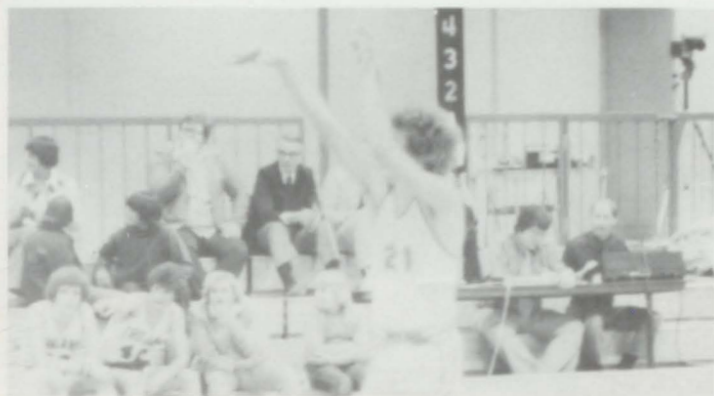
K-36 and Regional Tournaments

Horton	52	54
Centralia	45	49



Marvin Ross drives the lane under the watchful eye of the ref.





Above: Front Row: Mgr. T. Keller, S. Murphy, D. Jenkins, M. Clary. Row 2: Coach Kevin Kelley, R. Keller, D. Cluck, C. Clary.

Above Left: Tim Franken executes the Troy fast break.

Left: D. Winchell fires a shot from the charity stripe.

Trojans Successful

The Troy High School basketball squad had a fair season with a record of nine wins and seven losses. The Trojans finished in third place in the K-36 League race, behind Jackson Heights and Elwood.

The Trojans didn't fare well in tournament play, as they were beaten in the first round of the K-36 League Tournament by the Horton Chargers, and in the first round of the Regional Tournament by the Centralia Panthers.

This year's squad was under the direction of Mr. Frank Davis and Mr. Kevin Kelley. Mr. Kelley also directed the B-team.

Several Trojans received individual honors. Joe Boeh was named as unanimous choice on the K-36 All-League Squad for the second year in a row. Scott Davis was awarded honorable mention status on that same team.

Front Row: T. Keller, R. Clary, C. Beaty, D. Winchell, S. Davis, Row 2: Coach Kevin Kelley, M. Adkins, D. Stock, P. Pollock, G. Dannevik, J. Boeh, M. Ross, J. Marriott, T. Franken, Coach Frank Davis.



Top: Marvin Ross overcomes his competition to capture first place in the 220-yd. dash at the league meet at Jackson Heights. Marvin also brought home a first-place medal in the 100-yard dash.

Above: Chris Beaty makes a jump of 17'3" into the sand pit at the Midway quad. Chirs picked up three medals at the freshman meet at Highland.

Right: James Marriott wins the high jump in the first meet of the season at Midway with a jump of six feet. James also won second in regional high jump competition which qualified him for state. This season he also participated in long jump, javelin, and the relay teams.



Squad Third in K-36

The Trojan track squad competed in six track meets this season under the coaching of Mr. Davis and Mr. Foster. The boys' team took third place in the K-36 League meet at Jackson Heights. No new school records were set; however, many participants were awarded medals. Several tracksters also ventured to the regional meet at Oskaloosa.

1980 TRACK SEASON'S BEST EFFORTS

Shot put	47'3½"	M. Thornton
Discus	125'3"	M. Thornton
Javelin	158'9"	J. Marriott
High jump	6'2¼"	J. Marriott
Long Jump	20'¾"	J. Marriott
Pole vault	11'6"	D. Stock
100-yd. dash	10.5 sec	M. Ross
220-yd. dash	24.3 sec	M. Ross
440-yd. dash	58.3 sec	D. Winchell
880-yd. dash	2.24 min	J. Dubach
Mile run	5.27 min	D. Jenkins
2-mile run	12.08 min	D. Jenkins
120-yd. high hurdles	17.5 sec	L. Jordan
330-yd. int. hurdles	46.8 sec	L. Jordan
440-yd. relay	48.4 sec	M. Ross, L. Jordan C. Beaty, J. Dubach
Mile relay	3.59 min	J. Dubach, L. Jordan D. Winchell, J. Marriott
2-mile relay	9.38 min	J. Dubach, D. Jenkins D. Winchell, J. Marriott



Top: Allen Hillegas is warming up for the two-mile run. Above: Lee Jordan trails Kevin Shaw by a step in tough hurdle competition. Left: Mace Thornton starts his season with a second at Midway and finishes placing fifth at regionals.



Gals Win One Quad

The Trojan girls had a small track squad this year with only 11 members. High team standings were hard to achieve; however, the girls did accumulate enough points to win one quadrangular, which was one of their goals this year.

There were three seniors who led the team. They were Sherri Sharp, Candy Huss, and Debbie Guy. Other members on the team included Laura Herpich, the only junior; sophomores Teresa Blanton, Debbie Masters, and Geri Fenley; and freshmen Julie Blake, Brenda Boeh, Connie Johnson, and Mary Middleton. Head coach was Mr. Larry Sandy, assisted by Mr. Lyle Rockey Jr.

Mother nature didn't cooperate with the team the first portion of the season as unfavorable weather forced the girls to practice indoors. This induced weight-lifting for the girls, which was an unfamiliar sight around Troy High School.

Three school records were broken at meets this year. Debbie Masters broke the high jump record with a 4'10" jump. Laura Herpich broke the record in the 880- and mile runs with times of 2:46.3 and 6:06.68.

Right: Debbie Guy clears the hurdle with ease at Midway's quad.



Debbie Guy pushes herself over the hurdle in an effort to catch the Powhattan hurdler who is a step ahead of her. Debbie is running in the quadrangular held at Troy.



Mary Middleton put forth much effort while participating in her first year of track. In the above picture, Mary demonstrates her form as she glides through the air in the long jump.



SEASON'S BEST EFFORTS
Field Events

Shot put	26'5 1/2"	Geri Fenley
High jump	4'10"	Debbie Masters
Long jump	16'1"	Sherri Sharp

Running Events

100-yd. dash	11.9	Sherri Sharp
220-yd. dash	28.9	Connie Johnson
880-yd. dash	2:46.3	Laura Herpich
Mile run	6:06.68	Laura Herpich
400 m relay	55.0	Sherri Sharp Julie Blake Mary Middleton Connie Johnson
2-mile relay	12:39	Laura Herpich Mary Middleton Debbie Masters Julie Blake



Upper left: Marvin Ross looks on as Sherri Sharp bursts out of the block, as she tries to obtain the lead in the 100-yard dash. She later placed third in this event at regionals.

Left: A crowd of runners surrounds Mary Middleton and Teresa Blanton in the 880-yard run. The opponents in the picture are from Baileyville.



Debbie Masters is participating in the Midway quadrangular. This is the meet in which Debbie demonstrates her form in tying the high jump record of 4'8".



Laura Herpich overtakes the Baileyville runner in front of her to capture second place in the Midway quadrangular. Jerri Baker of Midway won the race, however.

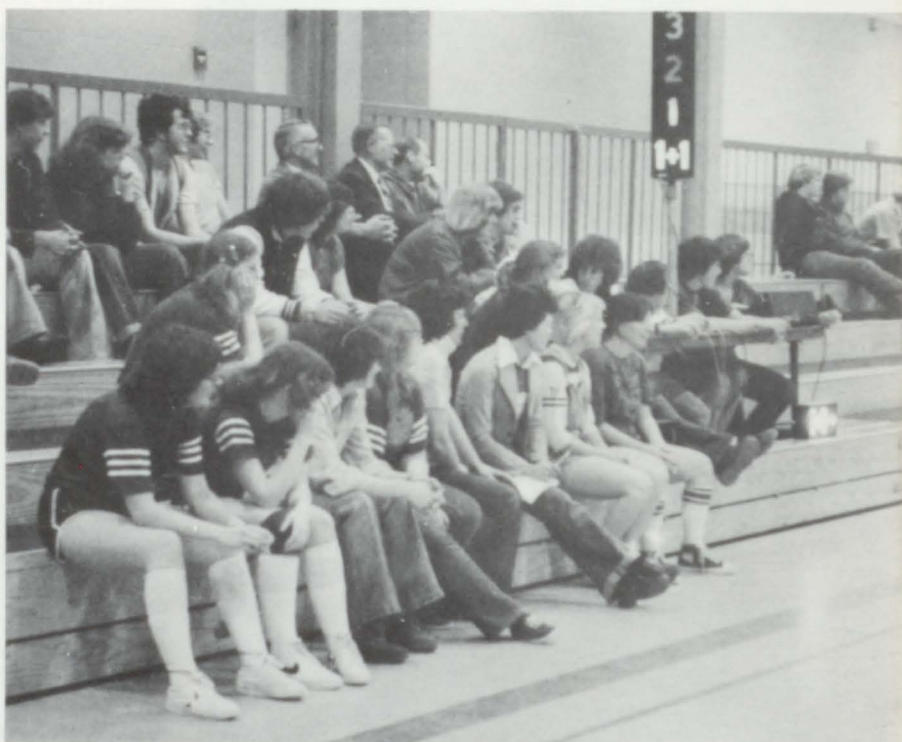


Games Filled With Comedy

A basketball is usually dribbled up and down. This was not the case in several games sponsored by the T-Club, as a lot of horseplay took place. One was the senior-faculty game, and the other pitted the All-American Redheads against the K-36 League coaches.

The Redheads defeated the coaches, 71-68. The coaches from Troy, who played in the game were Mr. Sandy, Mr. Rocky, Mr. Foster, and Mr. Kelley.

The seniors won both games against the faculty. The senior girls slipped by the faculty, 39-35, in the usual clowning way. The men took the game more seriously, and there was tough, aggressive play on both ends of the court. The senior boys rolled to a 56-47 win over the faculty, with the game more uneven at the end.



The boys gather to fire themselves up for the faculty squad. The game was very aggressive, yet it was one of the **cleanest** in senior-faculty history.

Top: The women had a very strange player on their team; she resembled Mr. Stanley.

Above: The senior girls anxiously await their opportunity to see action on the court.

Fans Aid Teams

The fans are the people who make a team great; thus the Trojan fans must be congratulated on a job well done.

It was they who saw the football team on their opening-night win over Sabetha, as well as their intense, heart-breaking loss to the Highland Bluestreaks, but they did not turn away. They continued to follow the team and saw them win against the B & B Falcons in the District Playoff Game and saw them lose against the Hanover Wildcats, who went on to win the state championship. It was the loyal fans who made it possible for the Trojans to win their first District Championship.

There were fewer fans during basketball season; yet their spirit was just as loyal and just as high as it was during football season.

The fans are what give a team a winning attitude, and but one shout of encouragement could supply the extra desire needed to win a close game.

Above left: Mr. Masters, Mr. Winzer visit during game.

Left: Mr. Foster had some trick plays for the Redheads.



The Trojans fans braved the elements and travelled to Baileyville to see the football team become champs.



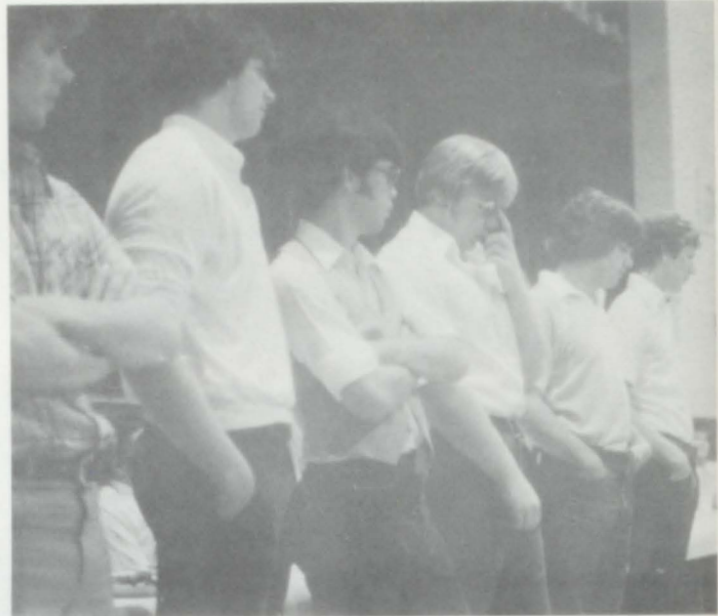
The coaches were tough, but the Redheads were not to be denied.

Richards Speaker

The athletes of Troy High School were honored at the annual athletic banquet held May 6. The T-Club provided the chicken for the banquet and the athletes' families provided the remainder of the meal.

The guest speaker for the occasion was Charlie Richards, head football coach at Baker University. The members of the coaching staff presented their awards to the deserving athletes.

Several special awards were given as well. Brent Leger was awarded the Tom Keller Award for most tackles. Joe Boeh and Sherri Sharp received the annual outstanding senior athlete awards.



Upper right: M. Adkins, J. Boeh, L. Jordan, M. Thornton, M. Ross and D. Stock receive praise for their efforts in football at the awards ceremony.

Above: Coach Larry Sandy flatters his girls' basketball squad. Many new records were set by both individuals and the team as a whole. Coach Sandy also presented awards to participants of the girls' track squad.

Right: Charlie Richards, head football coach at Baker University, speaks on the subject of the dedication of today's athlete.





Left: Coach Lyle Rockey presents cross country awards to Kelly Winder, David Jenkins and Dennis Winchell. Mr. Rockey assumed coaching responsibilities of the cross country squad for the first year.

Lower left: Beth Marriott prepares the salads, fruits and vegetables on the serving table for herself and other "starving" athletes, parents, and coaches to consume before the presentation of the awards. The drinks for the evening were coffee and tea.

Below: The honored students did not receive their letters, sports pins, and bars during the banquet because they had not yet arrived. However, the evening was a complete success.

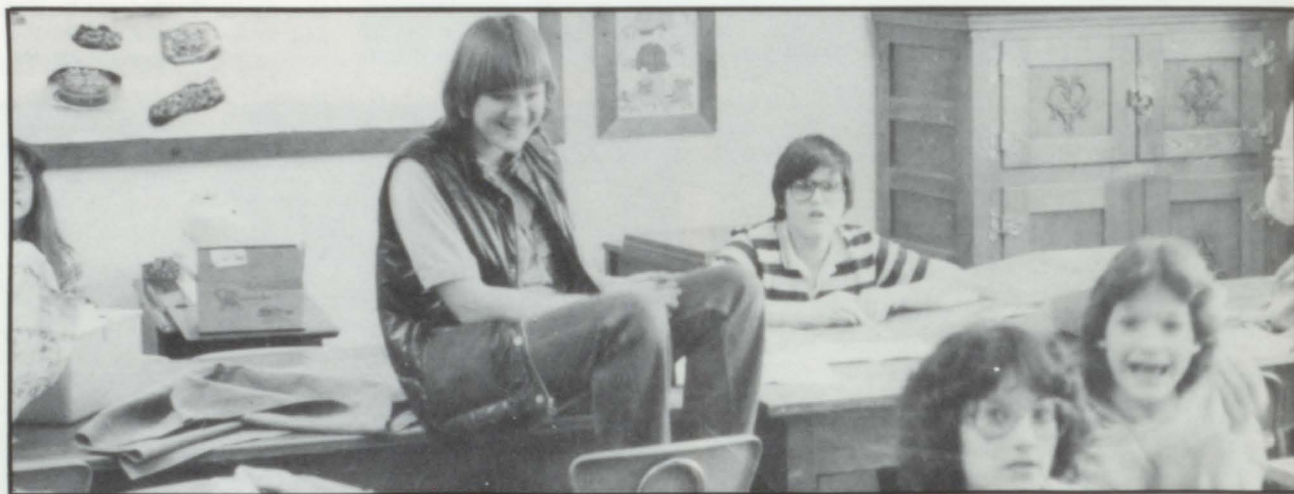
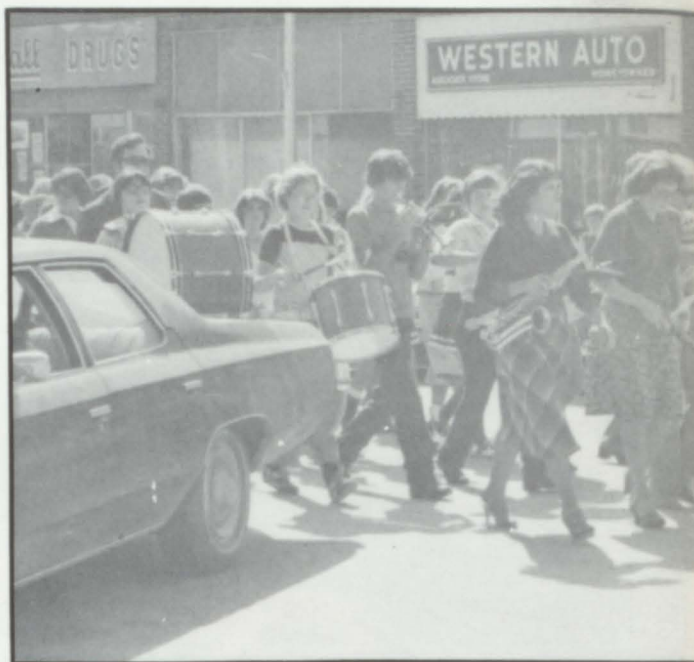


"We're just like one big family." This remark, made by a student, aptly describes the closeness of people in THS.

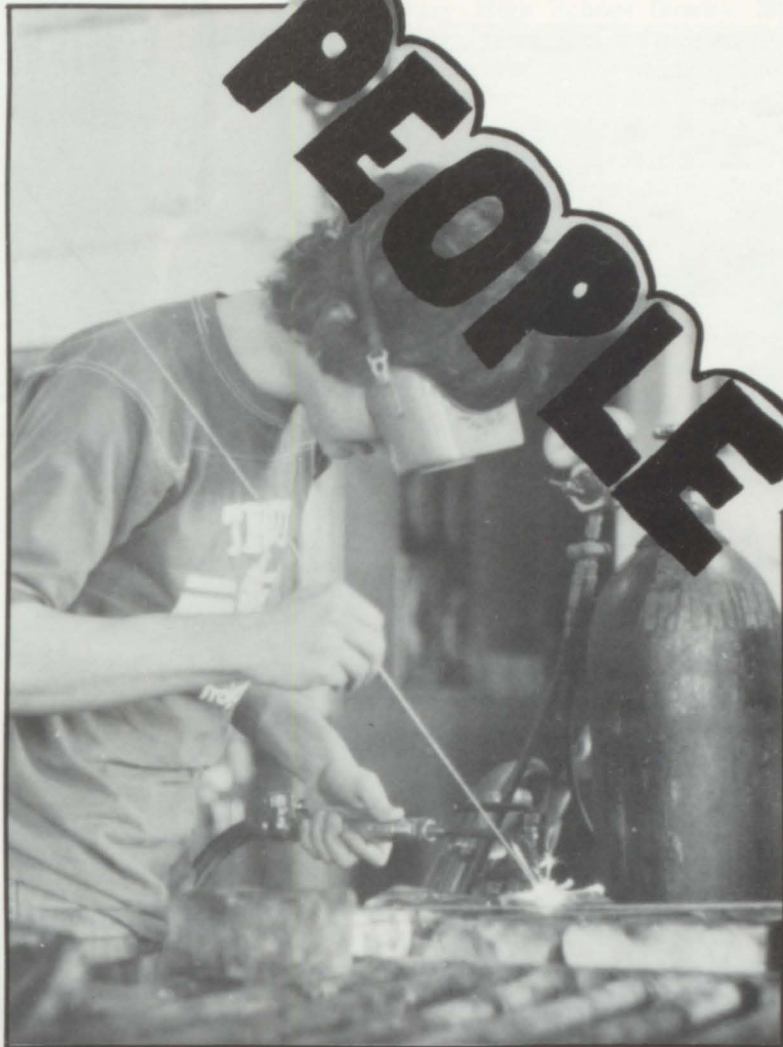
Together, we've grown from playing tag during recess to playing championship football; from sweating out that first junior high dance to enjoying an unforgettable prom; from grade school field trips to St. Joseph, to a senior tour of St. Louis.

Even though our activities have changed as we have matured, one thing has remained the same — the friendship and warmth that filled our lives in first grade is with us today.

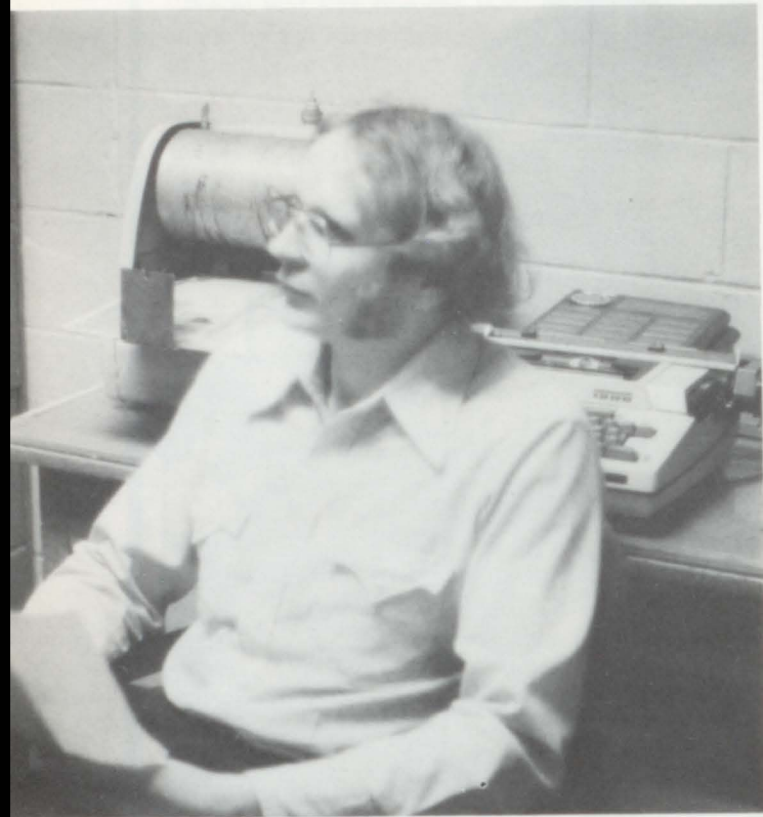
And so we dedicate this section of the TROJAN '80 to the students, teachers, faculty, and administration of THS. Together, they've made our school a place to learn, to participate, to laugh, and to grow. Through them, we've come to know THS as home.



PEOPLE



New Teachers Bring New Ideas To Troy



Above: Mr. Charles Bramlage, a graduate of Kansas State University, taught Vocational Agriculture I, II, III, and IV, and farm mechanization. Mr. Bramlage was also the sponsor for the Troy Chapter of the Future Farmers of America.

Right: Mr. Frank Davis originally came to Troy from Highland Junior College, and taught at the Troy Middle School last year. He has a BS degree from Nebraska State College, and an MS from Central Missouri State. Mr. Davis taught health, and freshman, advanced, and junior high physical education. He was the head coach for football, boys' basketball, and track. Mr. Davis was also the T-Club sponsor.

Far Right: Mrs. Marla Olson was a graduate of Kansas State University, where she received a BS degree. At Troy she taught health, and freshman and middle school physical education. Mrs. Olson was the pep club sponsor, assistant basketball coach for the girls, and also one of the sponsors of the letterman's club.

Upper right: As pep club sponsor, Mrs. Olson also worked with the cheerleading squad, and accompanied them to cheerleading camp.

Right: Mr. Sandy and Gina Hanlan are shown in the library, where the Apple II computer was set up for the math classes to use.





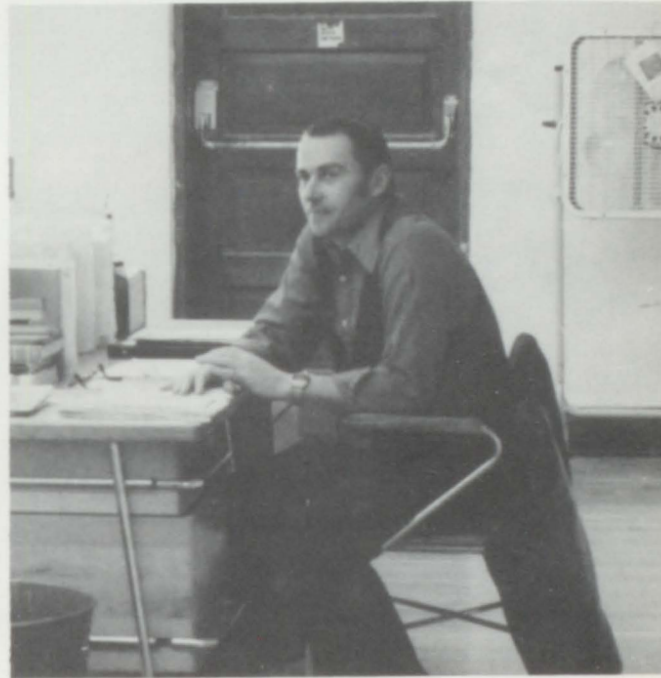
Six new teachers were added to the Troy High School faculty. Several new classes, such as a Spanish class, were added to the students' curriculum. The library received a "new look," made possible by the new librarian and her groups of library aids who helped her throughout the school year.

At left: Ms. Francis Rupp was the assistant sponsor for the pep club. She also taught two Spanish classes and several English classes. She was a graduate of St. Xavier College in Chicago and attended MWSC for additional courses. Her Spanish classes attended the "Ballet Folklorico."

Left: Mrs. Shirley Fetherolf, a graduate of the University of Arkansas with a BA degree in English and an MS degree in secondary education, was the librarian for the elementary, middle, and high schools.



Above: Superintendent-Principal Mr. Pharr and Mrs. Olson converse in the halls of THS.



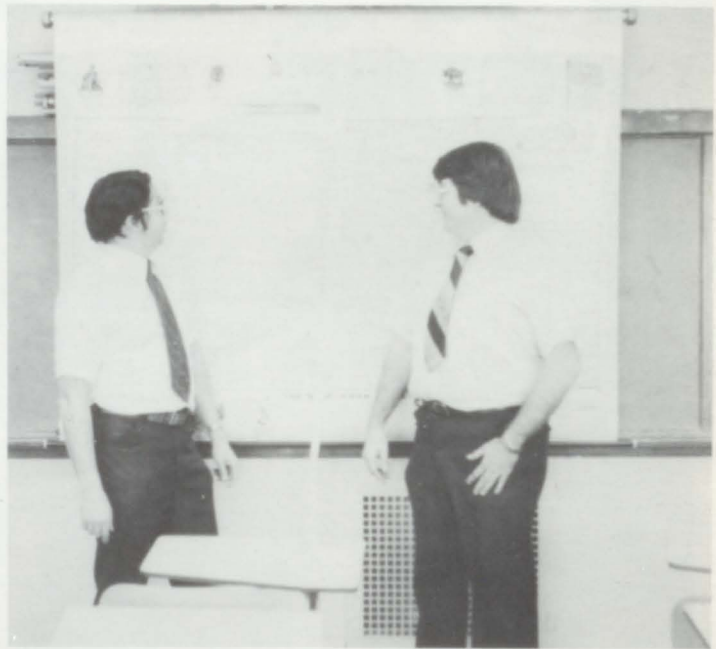
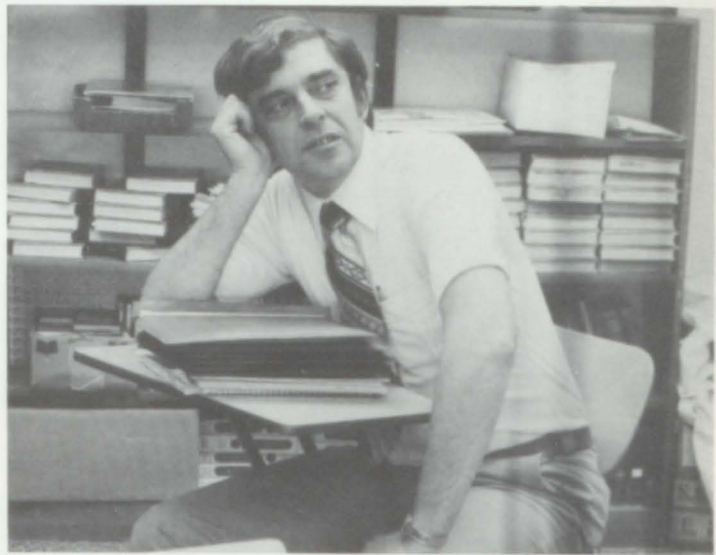
Above: Mr. Larry Sandy was the new math teacher. He had an MS degree from Pittsburg State and a BS degree from Northwest Missouri State. Mr. Sandy taught geometry, Algebra I and II, general math, and advanced math. He was assistant football coach and head coach for the girls' basketball and track teams.

Teachers Return

Teachers are thought of as people who assign homework for the weekend. But there is more to them than meets the eye.

For example, they have to take money at ball games so that students may have them, especially tournament games. They are also the ones who grade the papers at night that the students do during the day.

Although teachers are often the subject of comment and criticism, making lesson plans, attending classes, and sponsoring various school activities and organizations is more than a full-time job.



Top: Mr. Nicholas Dannevik, throughout the 15 years he's been here, has taught English and counseled.

Above: Mr. Bruce Reynolds has been at Troy for two years, teaching government and business courses. He was an assistant football coach. Mr. Lyle Rockey, Jr. has been teaching history and sociology here for a total of ten years.

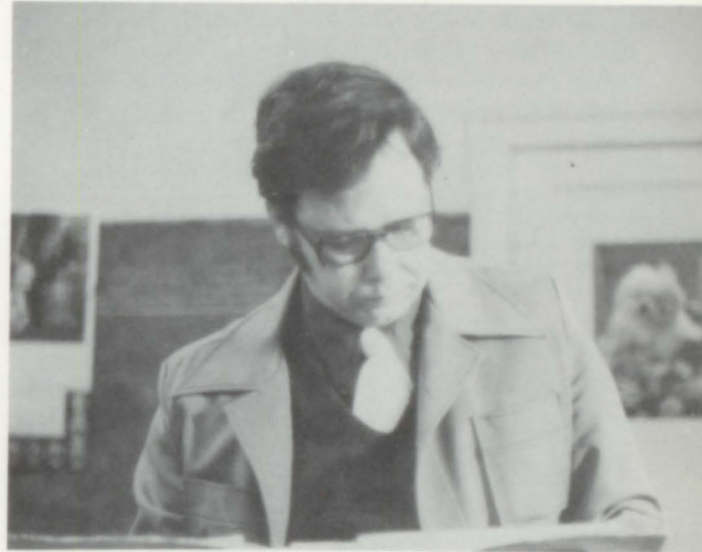
Mr. William Foster has been "experimenting" at THS for 13 years now. He teaches biology, earth science, chemistry and zoology. He enjoys running, and, in the past, he has coached cross country and assisted with football and basketball.





Left: Mrs. Babetta Israel, Kayette sponsor and English teacher, has been here for seven years. Mrs. Martha-Jean Rocky has been teaching journalism, English, and coaching speech for six years.

Below: Mr. Jerry Huff has been improving the music department for three years now. He enjoys square dancing and calling dances.



Mrs. Anna Goss has been cooking up good things for Troy students for 30 years. In addition to cooking, she teaches sewing and home living. Mr. Fred Folsche has taught industrial arts and physics for 16 years.

Mr. Dale Whiteside has been "typing" at THS for 20 years. He also instructs general business, accounting, and shorthand. He enjoys collecting model trains.

Crews Keep Busy

At Troy High School there are several people the students couldn't do without. Some of these people are the THS janitors. Pictured at the right: Mr. Lyle Rockey has been working at THS for one year, Mr. Louie Thomas has worked there for eleven years, and Mrs. Kay Clark began working here this year.

In addition to the janitors there are the THS bus drivers who begin their routes in the morning to bring Trojans to school and take them home again. They also take the students to other school activities.

Bottom: Janitor Lyle Rockey vacuums the floors of Troy High School after the day has ended.

Below: "Aha! I caught you this time!" says bus driver Harold Wykert.



The Troy High School bus drivers are pictured above. They are Mr. Louie Thomas, Mr. Lyle Yingling, Mr. Dick McKittrick, Mr. Dick Larzelere, and Mr. Harold Wykert.



Lunch Menus Expand



Other much-needed people are the THS cooks. Head cook Mrs. Ella Koehler has worked here for four years. Mrs. Carol Christenson has worked here for seven years. Mrs. Chloe Winder has been here for three years, and Mrs. Kay Clark has been a cook at THS for one year. This year as a new addition to the lunch program, the cooks put together a chef salad for the every-day menu. Below: Several THS students are pictured eating and enjoying their lunch hour. Left: Head cook Ella Koehler is getting ready for loads of paper work necessary before the lunches can be served.



The THS cooks are pictured above: Mrs. Carol Christenson, Mrs. Kay Clark, Mrs. Chloe Winder, and head cook Mrs. Ella Koehler.

Administration Active

Much book work and time were required of school secretaries Mrs. Nell Larzelere and Mrs. Gail Clary. The lunch program underwent a change this year, requiring a different type of bookkeeping.

The school's financial statements were balanced by Nell and Gail, under the direction of Mr. Kenneth Pharr. He kept busy as he fulfilled the roles of principal of the high school and superintendent of USD 429. School cancellations, school board meetings, conferences, and seeing that the school ran as smoothly as possible were just a few things which took up his time.



Above: Mrs. Gail Clary, Mr. Kenneth Pharr, and Mrs. Nell Larzelere are responsible for conducting the official work at THS.

Above right: Mr. Pharr holds a conference in his office.



Mrs. Gail Clary completes a small part of the paper work she is required to do every day. This was Gail's second year as a THS secretary.



Mrs. Nell Larzelere is recording clerk and secretary of the school board. In addition, she performs many secretarial jobs around THS. She has worked for USD 429 since 1965.



School board members are selected every three years. They file for the position at the court house and go throughout the school district campaigning. Each one represents a specific area of the district. On election day, the public votes for one person from his area and for one all-area candidate. The winners attend school board meetings throughout the year. During the summer they plan the budget and hire teachers to take the place of those leaving. During the school year they oversee the school's activities and monitor the financial status.

The school board met in the middle school due to the sale of two trailers which served as their meeting place in previous years.

A trip to St. Louis highlighted the seniors' year, thanks to board approval of the trip.

School board members are pictured below. They are Mr. Robert Meng; Mr. Jerry Scholz; Mr. Paul Greaser; Mr. Kenneth Pharr, superintendent; Mr. Jerral Weber; Mrs. Thelma Horner, treasurer; Mrs. Nell Larzelere, secretary; Mr. Bill Beaty; Mr. Russell Hoverson; and Mr. Grant Speaks.



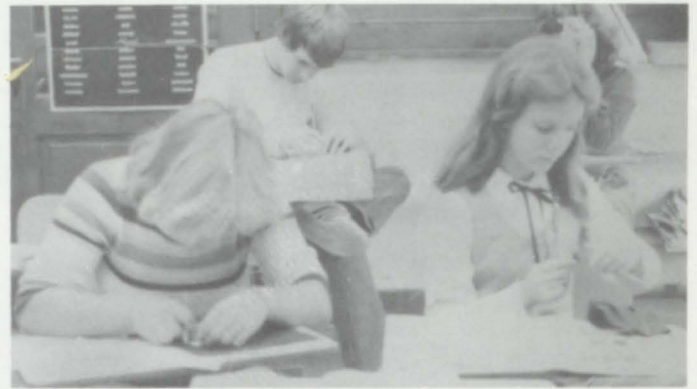
Lisa Anderson
Linda Ashworth
Mendi Ashworth
Chris Beaty
Cheryl Begesse



Mike Bembrick
Julie Blake
Brenda Boeh
Rhonda Boyle
Linda Briggs



Music played a big part in the lives of the class of 1983. Cheryl Begesse thought that Styx's mellow "Babe" was the best new song. Of the opposite opinion was Becky Owens, who favored the rock sound of "My Sharona" by the Knack. Lisa Anderson preferred the 1978 Meatloaf hit, "Two Out of Three Ain't Bad." Disco was a big part of the 1979-80 music mood. Artists like Sister Sledge, Peaches and Herb, and Donna Summer were popular. The last's "Dim All the Lights" was Linda Briggs' favorite tune.



Connie Johnson and Mary Middleton make felt posters in Spanish.

David Ernzen
Elizabeth Ernzen
Bryan Gaither
Wilma Hoverson
Chris Huss



Deborah Lara
Beverly Meng
Mary Middleton
Mark Mullen
Leroy Mullins





Frosh Enter THS

The freshman year is a time to adjust to the new independence and responsibility that high school life brings. Even so, the class of 1983 wasn't left out of the fun in THS. Freshmen were included in sports, activities and organizations.

Some organizations have a special time during which they recognize freshmen. Freshman initiation is traditional with several THS groups. FFA has Green-hand Initiation. The freshmen in FFA get their hands painted green. Kayettes also recognize the freshmen on a special day. At the annual Kayette slumber party, the frosh bobbed for onions and found a Lifesaver in a pan of flour.

Front Row: Mendi Ashworth, StuCo; Marty Clary, StuCo; Mr. Whiteside, sponsor. Row 2: Linda Ashworth, secretary; Becky Winkel, treasurer. Row 3: Mary Middleton, president; Brenda Boeh, vice-president.



Danny Clary
Marty Clary
David Cluck
Lori Cluck
Jim Duncan



David Jenkins
Connie Johnson
Lewis Johnson
Ronnie Keller
Daniel King



Steven Murphy
Becky Owens
Brenda Sipes
Larry Wilke
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Sophomores Soar

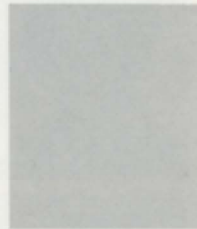
The height of the school year for the sophomores was made selling posters. Twenty-nine out of forty members of the class sold posters, adding up to a total of \$582.50. A forty percent profit was made of \$233.

The class officers and student council representatives were StuCo Representative Jeff Clary in front; Row 2: StuCo Representative Becky King, Secretary Debbie Masters, Treasurer Sheila Adkins, Mr. Lyle Rockey, Jr., sponsor; Row 3: Vice-president Steve Schilling, President Tim Franken.

Sophomores are involved in many classes, but one of the required is biology. This class consists of collections of plants, bugs, microorganisms, and the many sounds of someone yelling, "Breakage!" Of course, what would a class be without lots of studying, as one can see by the picture below.



Lori Kaelin
Becky King
Donnie King



Pat Pollock
Phil Robinson
Steve Schilling



Johnny Smith
David Speaks
Lorrie Stanley
Jim Stock





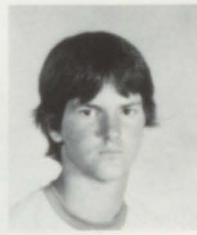
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 Jerry Grippando
 David Guy
 Kim Jamvold
 Ronnie Johnson



Trinidad Lara
 James Marriott
 Debbie Masters
 Jeff Mullen
 Paula Pennell



Dennis Sharp
 Mitch Sigris
 John M. Simpson
 Steve Simpson
 Danny Sipes



Steve Tharman
 Dean Weber
 Terry Whittaker
 Dennis Winchell
 Kelly Winder



Class Has Prom

While in charge of the concession stand during football and basketball seasons, the juniors, supervised by Mrs. Anna Goss, earned most of the money needed for prom.

Class rings for the class of 1981 were chosen in September and ordered from Josten's. Different colors and styles were picked.

Pictured at right in Row 1 are Student Council representatives Gina Hanlan and Pat Masters. In Row 2 are Treasurer Barb Sutherland and Secretary Lynnette Robinson. President Glan Grable and Vice-president Laura Herpich are in Row 3. Standing are sponsors Mr. Bruce Reynolds and Mrs. Shirley Fetherolf.

When asked about their favorite movies, some of the juniors preferred thrillers. Sharon Scholz and Patty Simpson get really scared "When a Stranger Calls." Every morning Doug Duncan feels like it's the "Dawn of the Dead." Disco was in, so Tammy Simpson decided to take a trip to "Skatetown, U.S.A." Sherman Smith preferred spaghetti and "Meatballs." One Miss Piggy fan, Terri Clary, went to see "The Muppet Movie."

Greg Dannevik decided that "10" was next to number one, and Karen Winzer thought it was "The Main Event." "The Promise" Lynnette Robinson made was broken after she found out Laura Herpich had been seeing "Superman."

Veronica Paulich, Sharon Scholz, and Jim Owens enjoy "cutting up" during Spanish 1. Veronica and Sharon's project, a banner, read "En bocc cerrada no entran moscas." It means, "Flies don't enter a closed mouth!"



Randy Smith
Sherman Smith
Barb Sutherland
Kevin Sutton
Carl Tharman



Brad Blake
Phil Buch
Deanna Clary
Robert Clary
Terri Clary



Greg Dannevik
Doug Duncan
Glen Grable
Gina Hanlan
Laura Herpich



Allen Hillegas
Jay Jarrett
Darrel Marriott
Jerry Masters
Pat Masters



Brenda Meng
Tom Mullins
Jim Owens
Veronica Paulich
Robert Ruckett
Lynnette Robinson

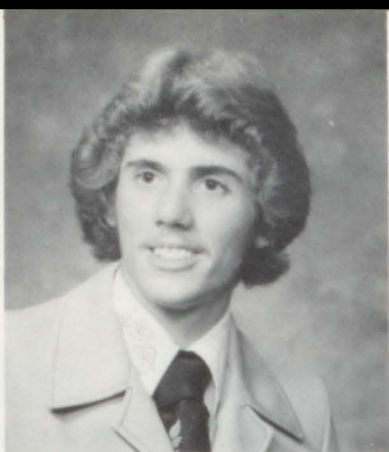


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Jeff Sandy
Sharon Scholz
Barry Simpson
Patty Simpson
Tammy Simpson

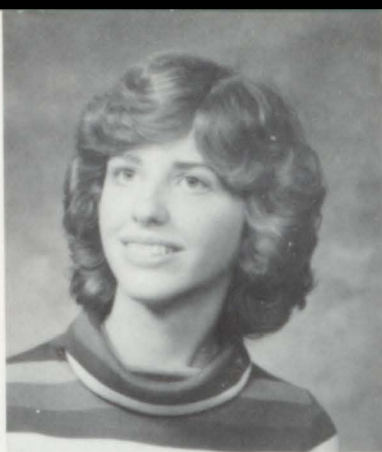


Kevin Wasson
Margie Weber
Bruce Whetstine
Kevin Winkel
Karen Winzer





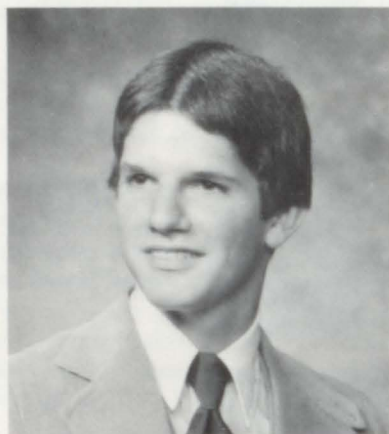
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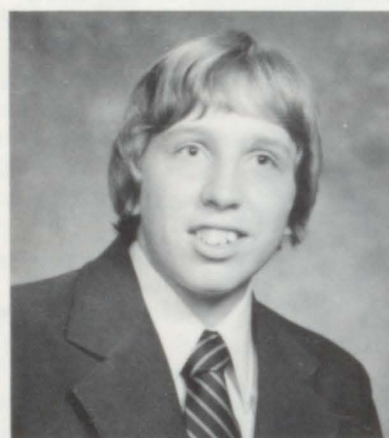
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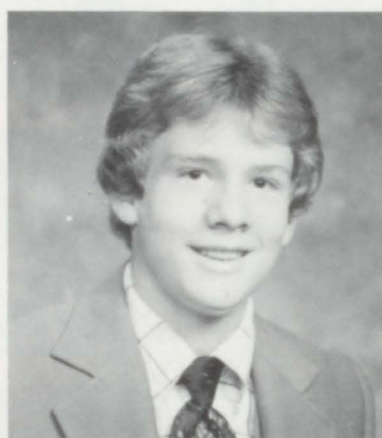
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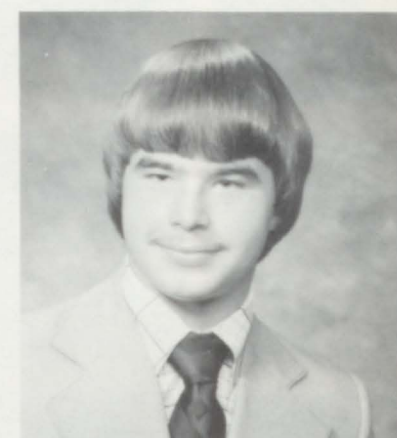
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Bill Duncan



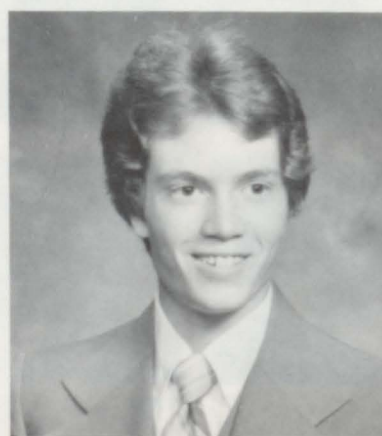
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Mike Franken



Deanna Hoverson



David Hull



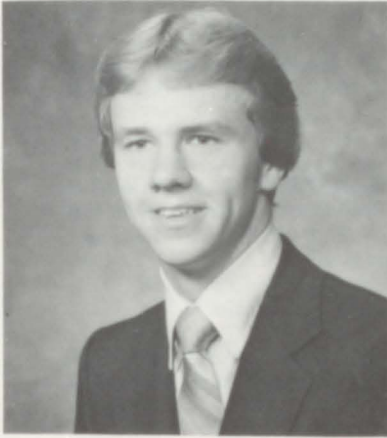
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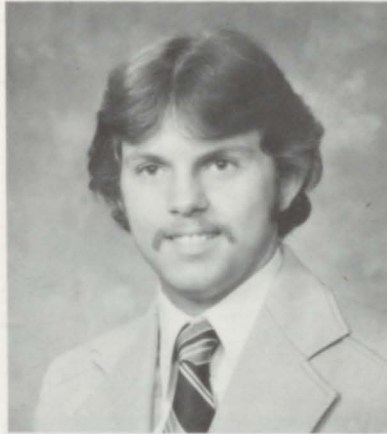
Mary Boeh

Seniors Say Goodby To Troy

Like every graduating class of THS, the seniors of '80 chose a color, flower and motto. These were chosen when the class was in the eighth grade, and they still remain true. For the colors, they chose the bicentennial hues of red, white, and blue. The pink rose was picked as the class flower. A class motto is supposed to be a saying that will be remembered in later years. For theirs, the class chose: "If you can't have the best of everything, make the best of what you have."



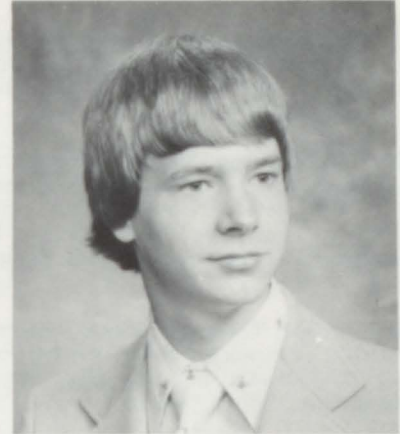
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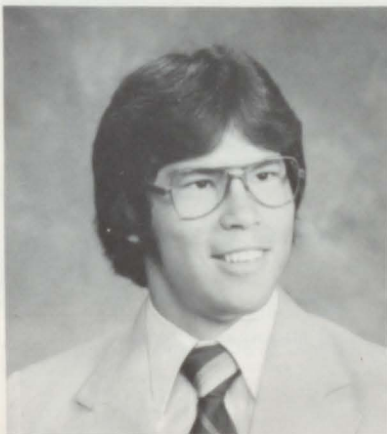
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Debbie Guy



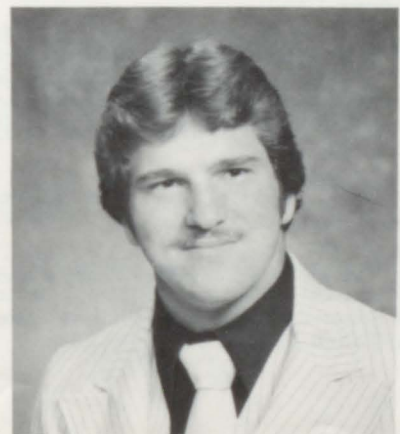
Tim Hoffman



Lee Jordan



Maria Lara



Brent Leger

Credits Acknowledge Seniors' Success

BILL DUNCAN: T-Club 4.

JOE FRANKEN: Play 2,3,4; Homecoming Escort 4; Track 2,3; Yearbook 3,4; Business Manager 4; Newspaper 3,4; Librarian 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Class Secretary 1; FFA 2,3; T-Club 2,3,4; T-Club President 4.

MIKE FRANKEN: Play 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Forensics 2; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Explorers 4.

DARRELL FURR: Play 2,3,4; Librarian 3,4; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Explorers 4; Football Manager 2; Basketball Manager 2.

DEBBIE GUY: Pep Club 1,3,4; StuCo 1; Cheerleader 1,3,4; Kayettes 3,4; Homecoming Queen 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Librarian 4; Basketball 1,2,4; Class Vice-President 3; Class President 4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; T-Club 2,3,4; T-Club Secretary 4; Chorus 2,3.

TIM HOFFMAN: Cadet Teaching 4; Forensics 3.

DEANNA HOVERSON: Kayettes 2,3,4; Play Stage Crew 3,4; Forensics 3,4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; Honor Society 4; Office Aid 4.


DAVID HULL: StuCo 4; Yearbook 3; Newspaper 3; Cross Country 3; T-Club 4; Chorus 3; FCA 3.

CANDY HUSS: Pep Club 1,3; Cheerleader 1,3; StuCo 3,4; Kayettes 1,2,3; Play 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Track 1; Librarian 4; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Pom-Pon.

LEE JORDAN: StuCo 1; Play 2,3,4; Homecoming Escort 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 3; Layout Editor 4; Newspaper 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Class President 2,3; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2; Honor Society 4; Cadet Lawmen's Academy 3; Forensics 2,3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4.

MARIA LARA: Kayettes 2; Track 4; Librarian 4; Chorus 1,2,3.

BRENT LEGER: Pep Club 3; Track 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,4; T-Club 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,3,4.



E. Tucker, B. Marriott, and S. Sharp work at creating a little spirit as they put the finishing touches on a pep poster.

MARK ADKINS: Stage Crew 4; Homecoming Head Escort 4; Track 2; Librarian 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Class Vice-President 1; FFA 1,2,3; T-Club 2,3,4; Queen of Courts Escort 3; Chorus 3,4; FCA 3.

SUSAN BEGESSE: Pep Club 1,2; Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Board 2; Play 3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Copy Editor 4; Newspaper 3,4; Feature Editor 3; Girls' State 3; Northeast Kansas Junior Miss 2nd Runner-Up 4; Chorus 1,2; Honor Society 4; Forensics 2,3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Piano Soloist 1,2,3,4; Chorus Accompanist 2,3,4.

JOE BOEH: Cadet Teaching 4; StuCo Vice-President 4; Play 3,4; Track 3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Sports Editor 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Boys' State 3; FFA 1,2,3; FFA Reporter 3; T-Club 2,3,4; FCA 1,2,3,4; FCA Reporter 2.

MARY BOEH: Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Board 3,4; Play Stage Crew 3; Track 2; Librarian 4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4.

BRENDA DANNEVIK: Cadet Teaching 4; Pep Club 1,2; StuCo 2; Cheerleader 1; Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Photographer 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Class Secretary 3; Girls' State 3; T-Club 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4.

SCOTT DAVIS: Basketball 2,3,4; Class Vice-President 2; Cross Country 3; Tennis 2,3,4; T-Club 3,4; NEKA Vo-Tech 4.

JIM DUBACH: Cadet Teaching 4; StuCo Vice-President 3; StuCo President 4; Play 4; Track 2,3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Editorial Editor 3; Editor 4; Boys' State 3; Cross Country 3,4; T-Club 2,3,4; FCA 3,4.



Seniors meet to discuss selling Trojan, K-State, and KU mugs.



BETH MARRIOTT: Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Head 3,4; Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Board 2; Treasurer 3; Secretary 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Track 1; Baskethall 1,2,3,4; Class Secretary 2,4; Girls' State 3; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Cadet Teaching 4.

MARK MURPHY: Basketball 4.

PAM JOHNSON McNEMEE: Pep Club 1,2; Kayettes 2; Track 1; Basketball 1,2,3; FFA 1; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 3.

DONALD NEUMANN: Basketball 4; Class Treasurer 2,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Program Chairman 3; Vice-President 4; Honor Society 4.

PAUL NEUMANN: Play Stage Crew 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Chaplain 2; Program Chairman 4; Band 1.

RONALD NEUMANN: Basketball 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Greenhand Secretary 1; Parliamentarian 3; Treasurer 4; Honor Society 4.

BECKY PUCKETT: Kayettes 3,4; Play Stage Crew 3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Publications' Artist 3,4; Forensics 3,4; Chorus 2,3.

MARVIN ROSS: StuCo 3; Homecoming Escort 4; Track 2,3; Librarian 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Treasurer 1; FFA 1,2,3; Chorus 1,2,3; FCA 4; Work Study 4.



Joe Boeh, Joe Franken, and Marvin Ross find a little time to rest and relax during fourth-hour government class.



Above: L. Taylor and D. Guy are surprised by the photographer as they sit in the library, a popular place at THS.

Upper left: Several seniors, including Rick Seiter, "rolled up their sleeves" and donated to the local Bloodmobile.

RITA JO RUHNKE: Kayettes 3,4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; Chorus 1,2,3; Cadet Teaching 4.

RICK SEITER: StuCo 2; Play 3; Librarian 4; Football 3,4; FFA 2,3; T-Club 3,4.

SHERRI SHARP: Cadet Teaching 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club President 4; Kayettes 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; T-Club 2,3,4; Chorus 3; Perfect Attendance 1,2,3.

HARLIN SNEAD: Basketball 1; Cross Country 1; FFA 1,2,3; Band 1; Chorus 1,2,3; NEKA Vo-Tech 4.

LAURA STAUDENMEIER: Pep Club 1,2,3; Pep Club President 4; Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Kayette Secretary 3; Kayette President 3; Play 2,3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Kayette Area President 3; Forensics 3,4; FFA Sweetheart Attendant 3; Honor Society 4.

DON STOCK: Homecoming Escort 4; Track 1,2; Librarian 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Class President 1; FFA 1,2,3; T-Club 2,3,4.

LINDA TAYLOR: Chorus 1,2,3,4.

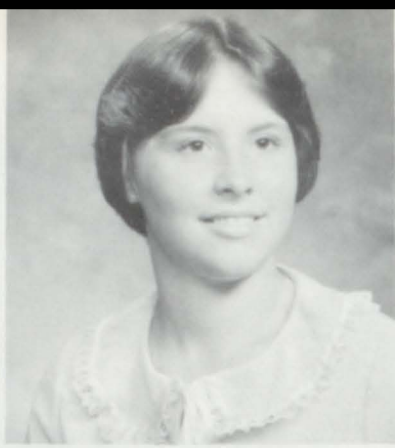
JOI FURR TRANT: Cadet Teaching 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 3; Secretary 4; Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Board 3,4; Play 3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Speech and Drama 3,4; Basketball 2; Class Vice-President 4; T-Club 3,4; Chorus 3; Pom Pom 3,4.

MACE THORNTON: Cadet Teaching 4; StuCo Secretary-Treasurer 4; Play 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Sports Editor 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Boys' State 3; FFA Greenhand Vice-President 2; T-Club 2,3,4; T-Club Vice-President 4; FCA 3,4; Forensics 1,2,3,4.

ELIZABTH TUCKER: Kayettes 1,2,3,4; Librarian 3,4; Chorus 3; Perfect Attendance 1.

MORRIS WATKINS: Class Treasurer 3; FFA 1,2,3; FFA Sweetheart Escort 3; Band 1,2,3,4; NEKA Vo-Tech 4.





Beth Marriott



Pam Johnson McNemie



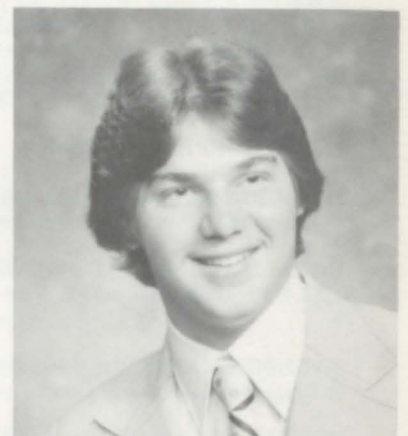
Mark Murphy



Becky Puckett



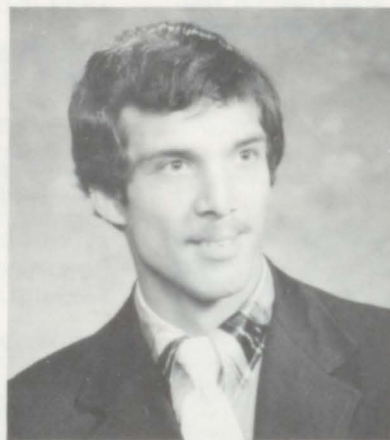
Tina Robinson



Marvin Ross



Sherri Sharp



Harlin Snead



Laura Staudenmaier



Mace Thornton



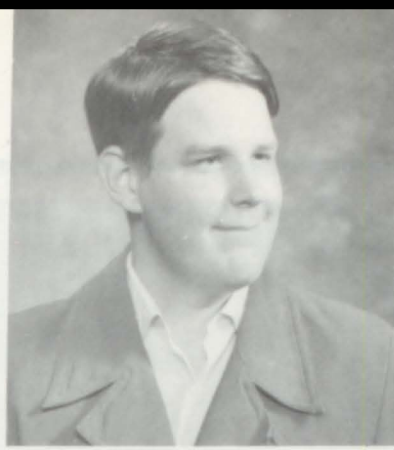
Joi Furr Trant



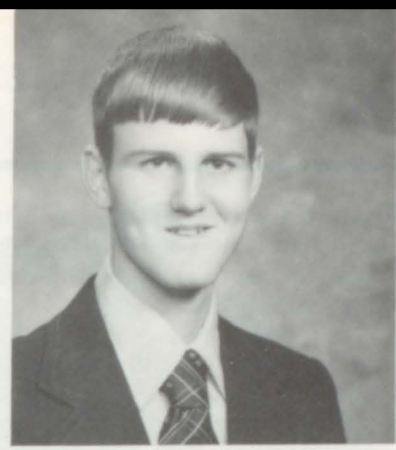
Elizabeth Tucker



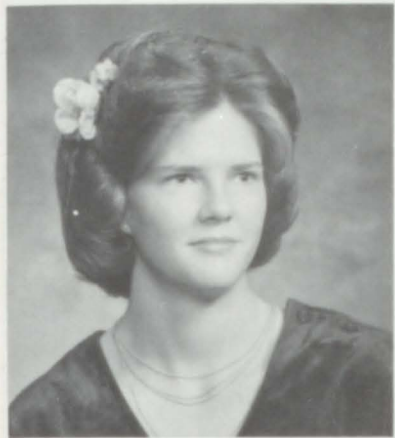
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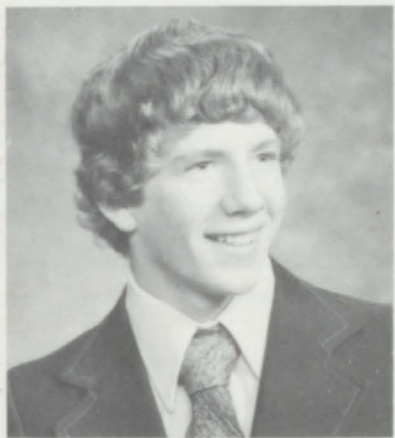
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Rick Seiter



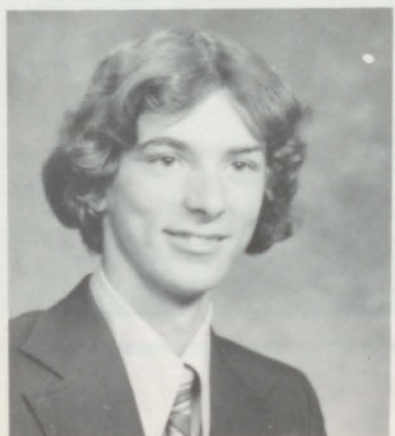
The seniors of THS were privileged to graduate at the beginning of a new decade. They were the first seniors to tour the Gateway City of St. Louis. Class officers were, front row, StuCo representatives Candy Huss and David Hull; Row 2, Sponsor Anna Goss, Secretary Beth Marriott, Treasurer Don Neumann; and Row 3, President Deb Guy and Vice-president Joi Trant.



Donald Stock



Linda Taylor



Morris Watkins



Mrs. Anna Goss

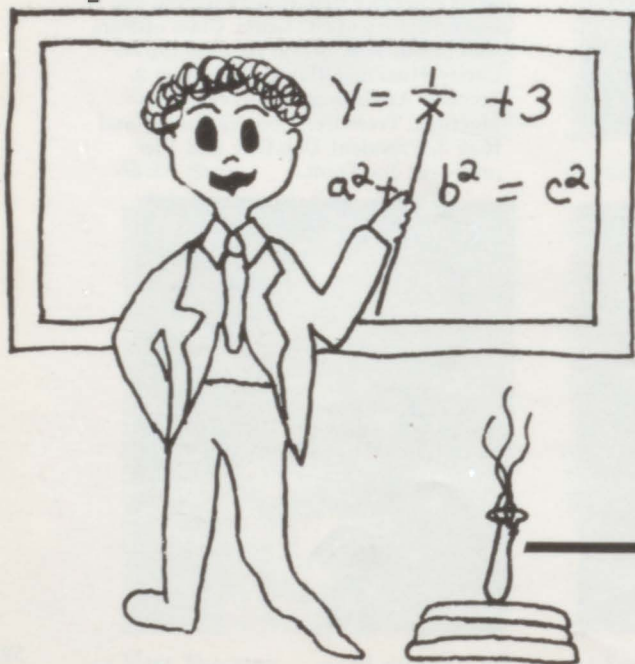
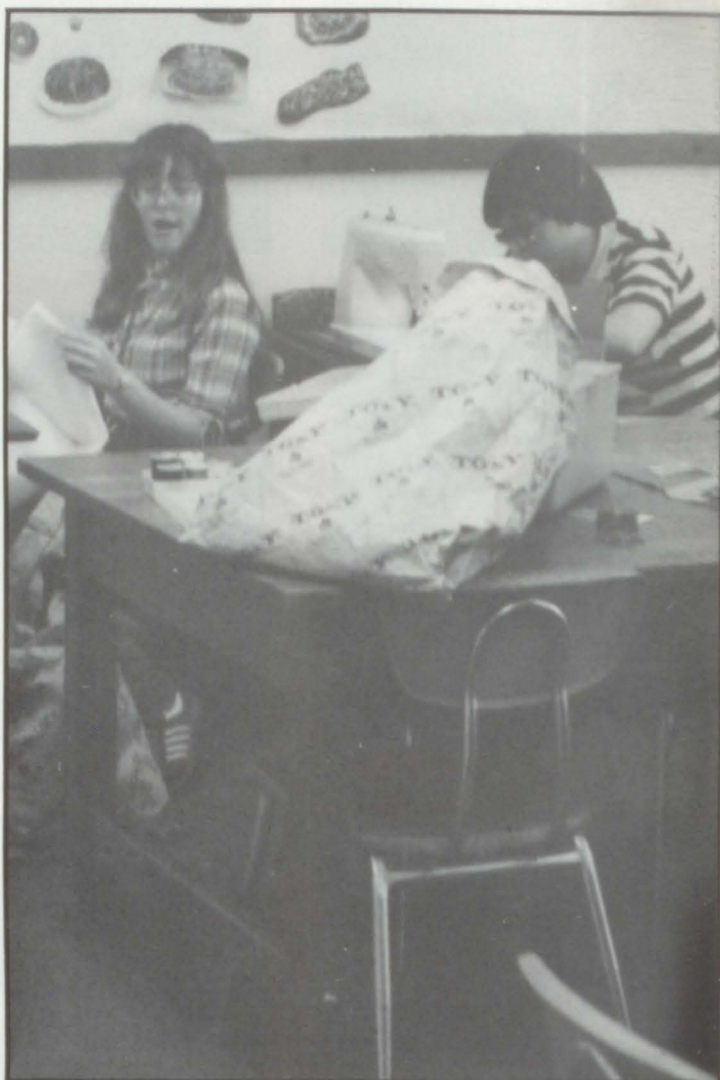


Mr. Kenneth Pharr

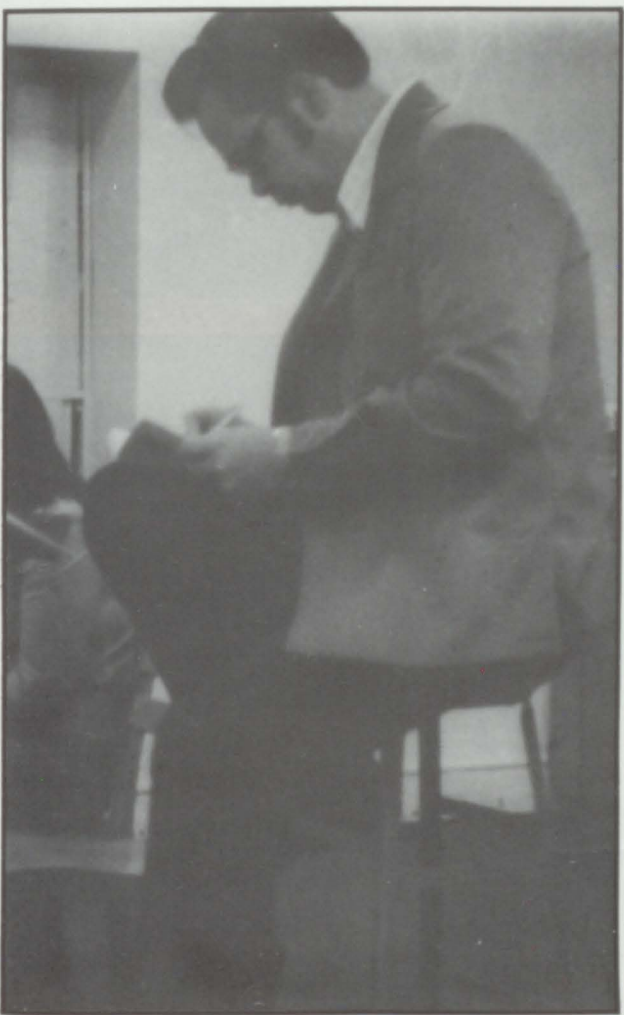
By the time the average senior has his diploma in hand, he will have spent about 4320 hours, the equivalent of 180 entire days, in the classrooms of THS.

Academics is by far the most necessary and time-consuming part of a high school career. The hours in class are often accompanied by evenings filled with textbooks and papers. And what teen-ager doesn't mix dating, club meetings, and athletics with study time?

As the classes of 1980, 1981, 1982, and 1983 venture into the world, the noisy halls and ringing bells of THS will fade from our minds. But the influences of our teachers, including the challenges we faced in Mr. Foster's laboratory, the authors we met in Mrs. Rockey's literature classes, and the business skills we learned from Mr. Whiteside, will go with us and enrich our lives.



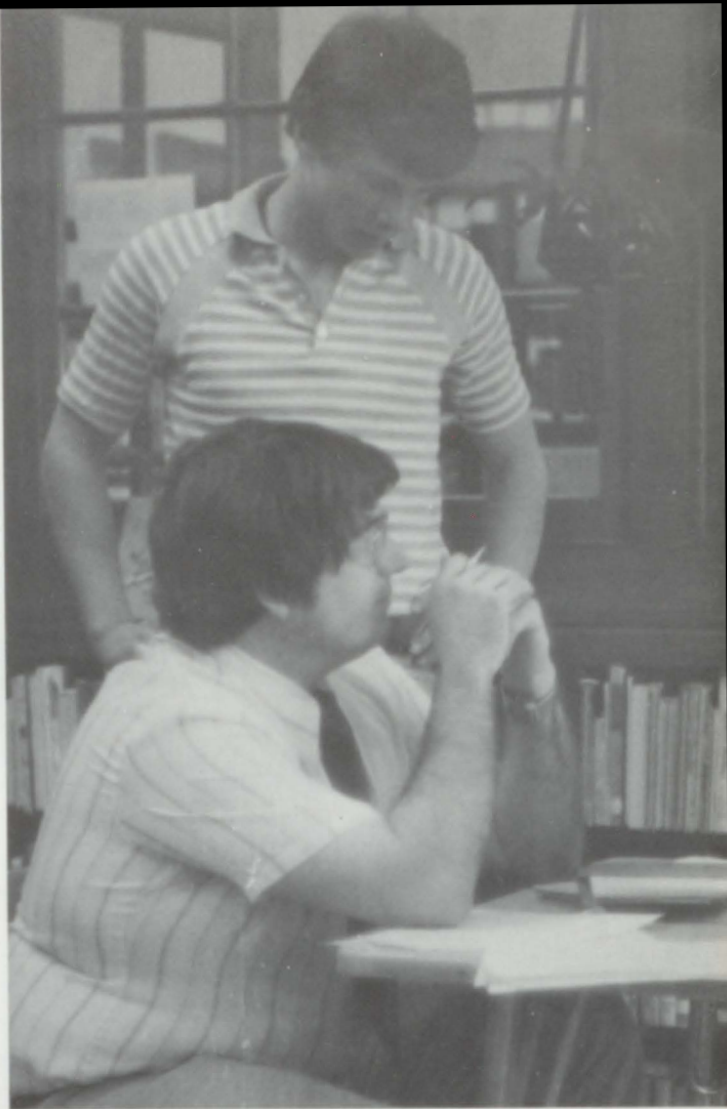
DEACTICS



Class Visits Topeka

Mr. Bruce Reynolds, one of the social science teachers, had his picture taken with Governor John Carlin. This occurred when the American government class visited the state capitol February 28. The annual County Government Day was December 6 at the Doniphan County Courthouse in Troy. The class had a mock election to select the participants. The students receiving the highest number of votes attended. There were fifteen students representing THS. The class was required to do a research paper the last nine weeks. In this paper they were supposed to state their opinion about a current issue and present an argument to support it.

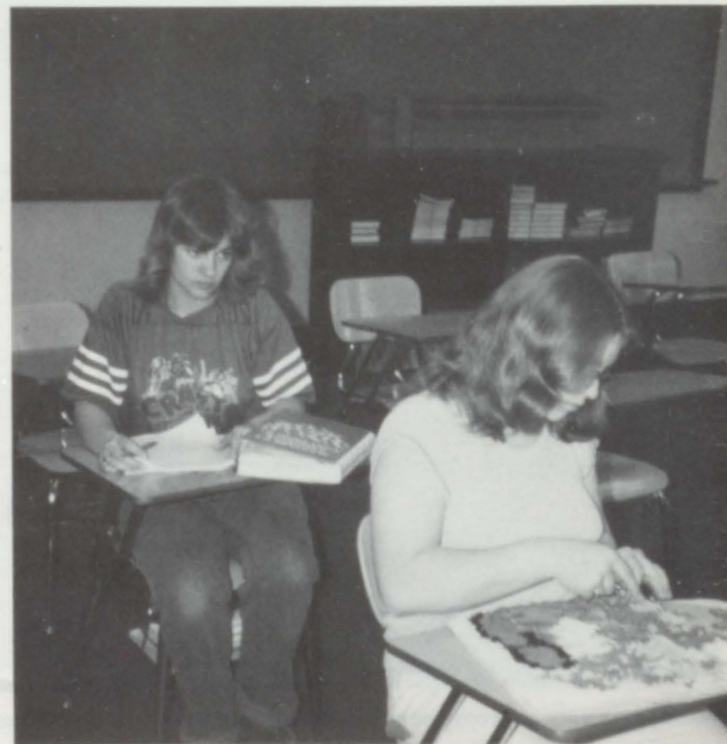
Mr. Lyle Rocky Jr. was the American history, world history, geography, and sociology teacher. The American history classes had new books and workbooks to use. The different classes were sometimes required to do study guides, maps, book reports, short reports, and term papers. The classes were also shown a series of films on American economics.



Upper right: Mr. Reynolds aids government students.

Above: Becky Puckett, Susan Begesse, Ronald Neumann, and Morris Watkins examine a hand-carved wooden table at the state capitol in Topeka.

Right: Pam McNemee and Deb Guy take a break from sociology.





C. Tharman attaches plywood to his vo-ag project.



Above: Jim Stock prepares to hit the grindstone in industrial arts.

Top: Dennis Sharp sweeps up the remains of tall trees from days gone by.

Skills Taught

The industrial arts courses at THS were under the direction of Mr. Fred Folsche. In Industrial Arts I, Mr. Folsche's students made drawings, learned to operate machine tools, and completed one hand and one machine project. Industrial Arts II made mechanical and architectural drawings. Students in Industrial Arts III and IV made machine projects, refinished several items, and did repair work.

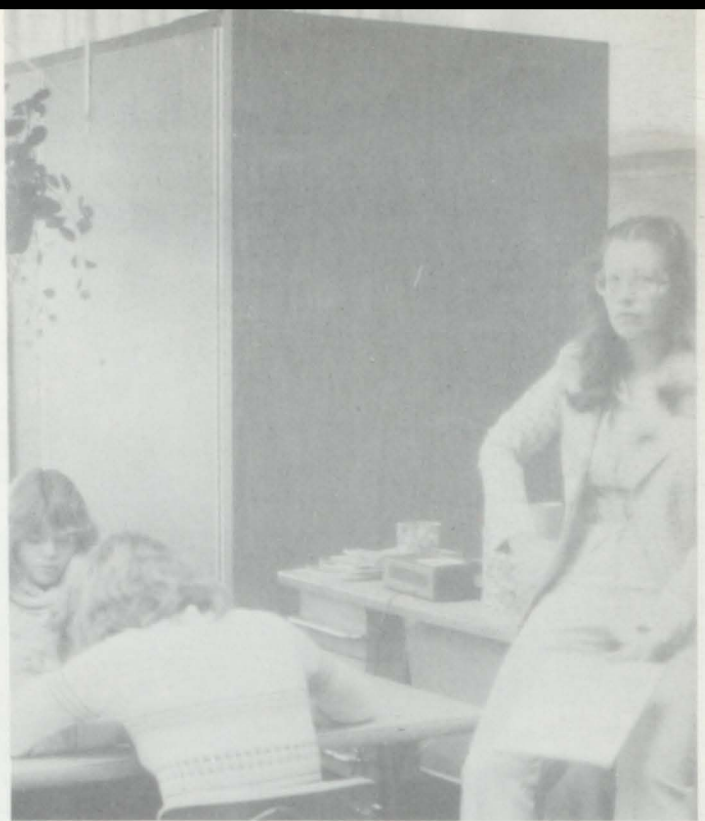
Instructing vocational agriculture courses for the first time at Troy was Mr. Charles Bramlage. His Vo-ag I class was taught introductory items. The Vo-ag II class covered livestock. Topics taught in Vo-ag III were engines, electricity, soils, land judging, fertilizers, and crops. Vo-ag IV introduced students to subjects of land acquisition, management, and production. Farm mechanization was also offered.

Olson, Davis Lead

New to the health and physical education area were Mrs. Marla Olson, teaching health and freshman girls' P.E., and Mr. Frank Davis, who taught health, freshman boys' and advanced P.E.

Different diseases, nutrition, and various systems of the human body were among the subjects studied in Mrs. Olson's health class. Mr. Davis's health class studied the body's functions and the different types of drugs.

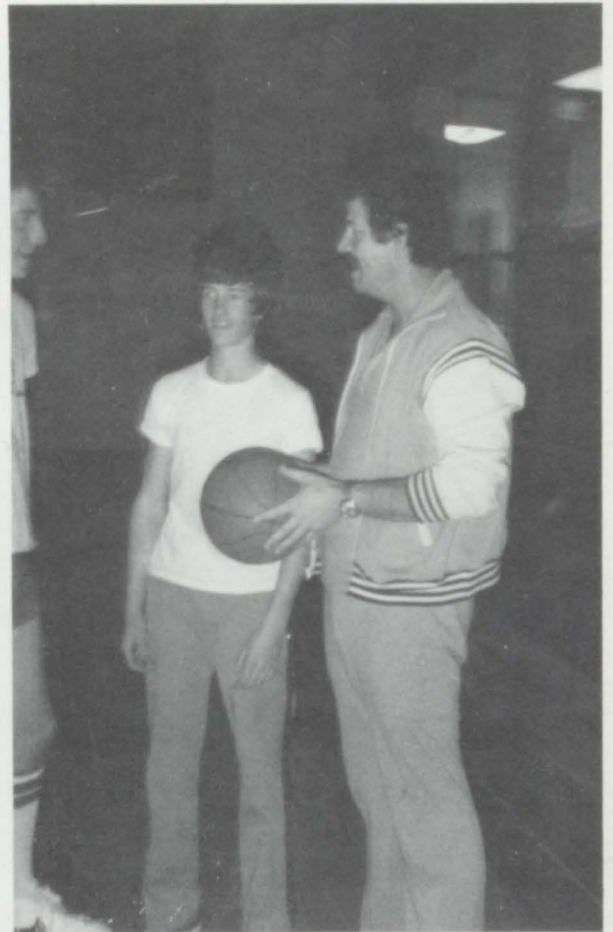
Among the sports covered in the advanced P.E. class were weight lifting, tennis, power volleyball, and basketball. The freshman boys and girls played soccer, speed ball, and basketball. They also had weight training and learned gymnastics. They participated in a short gym show held in conjunction with a special open house March 27. They performed various gymnastic stunts.



Above right: Mrs. Olson sets the mood for reviewing a health test.



Above: Sherri Sharp and Elizabeth Tucker discuss their plans for getting their health assignment done. Mrs. Olson conducted her health class in the home-ec sewing room.



Right: Mr. Davis gives Chris Beaty and Marty Clary some pointers on basketball during an important game between the freshman boys and freshman girls in P.E. class.



Department Grows

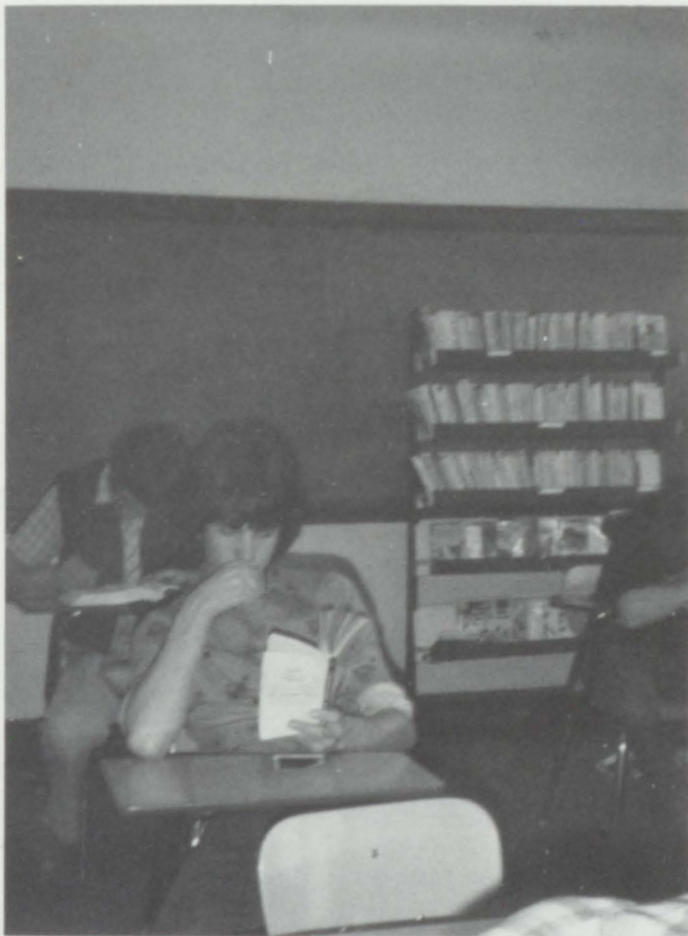
1980 saw the addition of a new teacher to the English department. Ms. Fran Rupp joined THS English teachers Mrs. Martha Rockey and Mrs. Babetta Israel. Ms. Rupp also taught Spanish.

The three teachers taught 9-week English mini-courses. The classes touched many different areas, including theater, grammar, speech, and personal identification.

On February 22 Mrs. Rockey's children's theater class presented the "Wizard of Oz" for the grade school. Those students involved were Glen Grable, Deb Guy, Lee Jordan, Beth Marriott, Pam McNemee, and Carl Tharman. Joe Franken, Deanna Hoverson, Becky Puckett, and Jeff Sandy were prompters.



Upper left: The cast of the "Wizard of Oz" is pictured.



Above: Gina Hanlan, Candy Huss, Patty Simpson, Mary Boeh, and Maria Lara work hard individually in Mrs. Rockey's grammar class

Left: Bruce Whetstone is deeply touched by and interested in his library book in English. Sherman Smith completes an assignment.



Pictured at top is the high school chorus. Front Row: Jim Owens, Beth Marriott, Bryan Gaither, Geri Fenley, Darrel Marriott, Paula Pennell, Mark Adkins, Linda Briggs, Julie Blake, Michelle Foley, Brent Leger, Brenda Sipes. Row 2: Susan Begesse, Becky King, Mendi Ashworth, Kim Jamvold, Linda Taylor, Mike Franken, Lorrie Stanley, Darrell Furr, Brenda Boeh, Chris Beaty. Row 3: Mr. Huff, David Speaks, Sheila Adkins, Mitch Sigris, Candy Huss, Brenda Meng, Ray Rush, Terry Whittaker, Phillip Robinson, Mary Boeh.

Pictured above: Chorus sings at a concert.

Pictured above right: Mendi Ashworth and Linda Ashworth, the new pom pon girls.

Pictured at right is the high school band. Front Row: Brenda Dannevik, Lisa Anderson, Linda Ashworth, Geri Fenley. Row 2: Laura Herpich, Connie Johnson. Row 3: Karen Winzer, Mr. Huff, Brenda Boeh. Row 4: Margie Weber, Danny King. Row 5: Becky Owens, Becky Winkel, Michelle Foley, Greg Dannevik, Marty Clary. Row 6: Tom Mullins, Bryan Gaither, Leroy Mullins, Doug Duncan, Darrel Marriott.



Groups Perform; Bolster Spirit

For the kick-off of the year the chorus and band sold candles to raise money to go to state contest and other competitions.

The band marched and the pom pon girls performed at every home football game. They participated in the annual KSU Band Day, October 6.

Halloween parades were on the agenda. The band and pom pon girls represented THS at the Troy and Hiawatha parades, October 31.

The concert band and chorus performed a winter concert, December 19, featuring selected Christmas music, and a spring concert highlighted with contest music.

Pictured above left: The Trojan band plays a tune.



Pictured above are the THS Pom Pon girls, (top to bottom): Michelle Foley, head; Candy Huss; Joi Trant; Julie Blake; Brenda Sipes; Becky Winkel; Chris Huss. For a money making project they sold Gem Cleaner, and they also attended a camp. The girls performed many routines during football and basketball season.



"Come on, sopranos, think high," is a favorite saying of Mr. Huff.

State Held At Baker

The THS band and chorus journeyed to Baker University in Baldwin City for the state music contest. The band and girls' ensemble performed April 2, and the solos and other ensembles, April 3. The chorus didn't participate at contest. Susan Begesse accompanied the groups on the piano.

"Crusader's Hymn" and "Russian Sailor's Dance" were the numbers played by the band. Instrumental soloists were Geri Fenley, "Waltz"; Linda Ashworth, "Menuet"; and Jeff Barnthson, "Romance." The flute trio played "Flutation."

The girls' ensemble sang "The Gift of Song" and "The World Is Yours." Vocal solo numbers were Geri Fenley, "Ashgrove" and "That Wonderful Mother of Mine"; and Bryan Gaither, "Every Night When the Sun Goes Down" and "Little French Clock."

Pictured upper right: Geri Fenley, Jeff Barnthson, and Linda Ashworth took instrumental solos to state contest. Geri and Linda played the flute, and Jeff played the saxophone.



Pictured above: THS freshman Bryan Gaither and sophomore Geri Fenley sang solos at contest at Baker University.



Pictured above: Laura Herpich, Karen Winzer, and Geri Fenley performed as a flute trio at state contest, April 3, and at the honor band concert, March 18, at Wathena High School.



Susan Begesse accompanied solos and ensembles at contest.



Pictured above left is the girls' ensemble. Front row: Mary Boeh, Julie Blake. Row 2: Brenda Boeh, Kim Jamvold, Geri Fenley, Beth Marriott, Michelle Foley, Sheila Adkins, Becky King, Brenda Meng, and Mendi Ashworth. Not pictured are Linda Briggs, Candy Huss, Brenda Sipes, and Lorrie Stanley.

Ratings at State Contest

Band		4
Geri Fenley	Flute solo	3
Linda Ashworth	Flute solo	4
Jeff Barnthson	Saxophone solo	3
Karen Winzer, Geri Fenley, Laura Herpich	Flute trio	3
Girls' ensemble		3
Geri Fenley	solo	3
Bryan Gaither	solo	2
Susan Begesse	piano solo	1

Above: Sheila Adkins, Candy Huss, and Michelle Foley discuss a number.

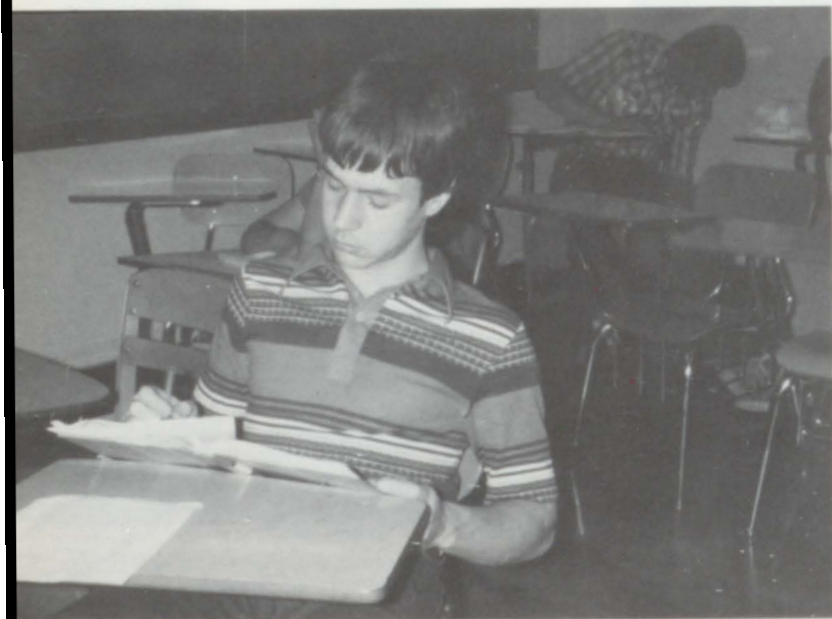


Spanish Is Spoken

For the first time in four years THS students had the opportunity to take Spanish under the direction of a new teacher, Ms. Fran Rupp.

During the school year the students learned to speak Spanish. They were always referred to by their Spanish names during class.

The class also celebrated Spanish holidays. On one day they visited the cemetery and ate bread to honor the dead. This is a Spanish tradition called "El Dia de los Muertos," or the "Day of the Dead," which coincides with All Soul's Day in English-speaking countries.



Upper right: Ms. Rupp looks over shoulders while students concentrate. Right: Ms Rupp strikes a match at Mount Olive Cemetery to start the Spanish ceremony, "All Soul's Day." Top: V. Paulich, D. Lara, Ms Rupp. B. Boeh, K. Jamvold, and S. Scholz display Spanish projects. Above: Tim Hoffman completes his daily assignment in Spanish.

Classes' Year Varied

The home living class posed a controversy over whether a family life unit should be taught in the class. After a long discussion, the school board decided to retain the class next year. In the class, the students discussed much about family life. They learned how to budget and manage a household. Some crafts they were taught included macrame and acrylic painting.

Sewing made up the schedule for Home Ec. I. Both male and female students participated in the class. The parts of the sewing machine were learned and then the basics of stitchery. After this, the class began their projects. Cooking set the scene for Home Ec. II. The class enjoyed making and eating many dishes. Decorated cakes were made and sold to the highest bidders. The first part of the year, the Home Ec. III class spent time in the kitchen. The remaining days were filled with sewing.

Left: Laura Staudenmaier refinishes a door in home living class.



There were several boys taking home economics this year. Shown above is Kevin Winkel working on his Home Ec. I garment.



Above: Sharon Scholz lays out her pattern on the material so she can cut it and make a dress for one of her requirements in Home Ec. III.



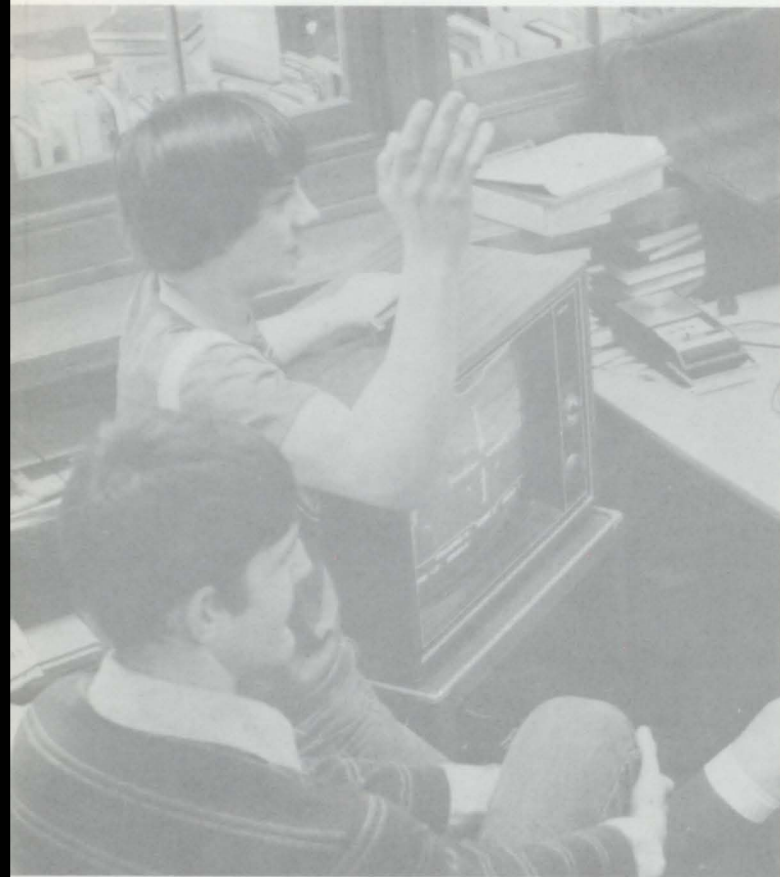
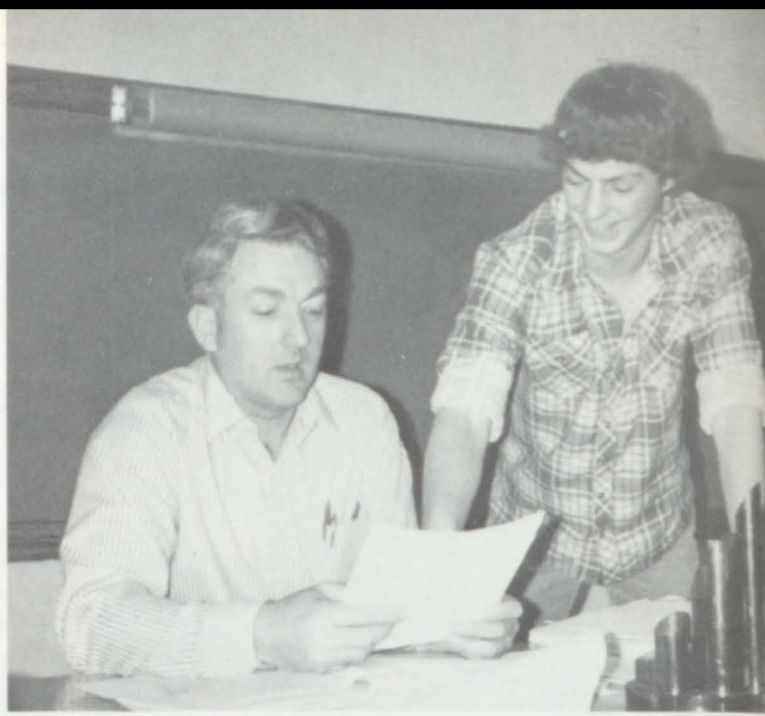
Sandy Takes Over

Mr. Larry Sandy taught general math, Algebra I and II, geometry and trigonometry. This was his first year at THS.

One of the highlights of the year for Mr. Sandy's math classes was learning about computers. Mr. Sandy acquired an Apple II computer belonging to the Doniphan County Education Cooperative in January. The math department was able to keep the machine only two weeks since it was on loan.

The geometry, algebra, and trigonometry teams competed in the annual HCJC Math-Science-Day contest. They also attended a math competition at Benedictine College for the first time.

Above right: Mr. Folsche goes over a physics test with Jeff Sandy.



Dean Weber and Ron Neumann wait for their turn to play "Star Wars" on the Apple II Computer. Mr. Sandy set up the computer in the library so students could use it during class and free time.

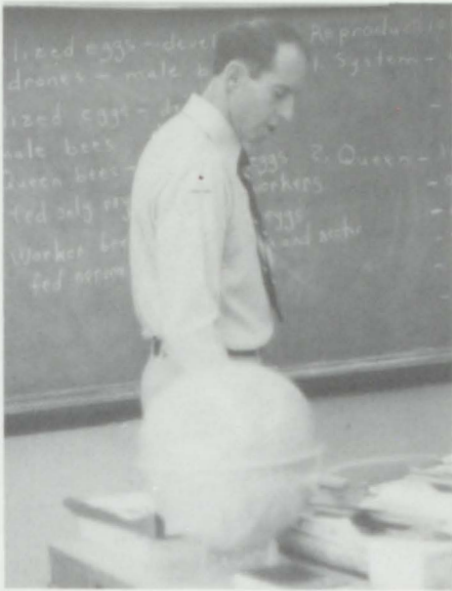


Above are the math participants at Benedictine. Front Row: W. Hoverson, B. Meng, T. Franken, R. Boyle, D. Weber, and M. Middleton. Row 2: L. Jordan, J. Clary, L. Staudenmaier, S. Begesse, D. Hoverson, and Mr. Sandy.

Classes Compete, Explore

The Chemathon at Missouri Western State College and Math-Science Day at Highland Community Junior College had participants from the chemistry class. The students placed fourth at HCJC. Mr. William Foster was the instructor. He also taught biology, botany-zoology, and earth science. The biology classes were required to make a plant collection. They also studied bacteria cultures taken from various locations in and around the school building. Dissecting was done by the botany-zoology students. They dissected different types of animals, including earthworms and sharks.

The physics class also competed at the Chemathon and Math-Science Day. Mr. Fred Folsche directed the class. Members of this class were Susan Begesse, Joe Boeh, Jim Dubach, Tim Hoffman, Deanna Hoverson, Lee Jordan, Jeff Sandy, and Mace Thornton. The class worked problems and had many discussions.



Top: Mr. Bill Foster instructs the bulk of the THS science-related courses. Mr. Foster, a 1960 graduate of THS, is shown giving notes about honey bees to his botany-zoology class.



Above: Pat Masters is reading and studying the procedure for the experiment dealing with the preparation and properties of oxygen. Pat's lab partner, Glen Grable, is getting ready to set up the necessary apparatus. A new ventilation fan was added to the science lab to help circulate the air and rid the room of chemical odors.



Class Earns Fish Dinner

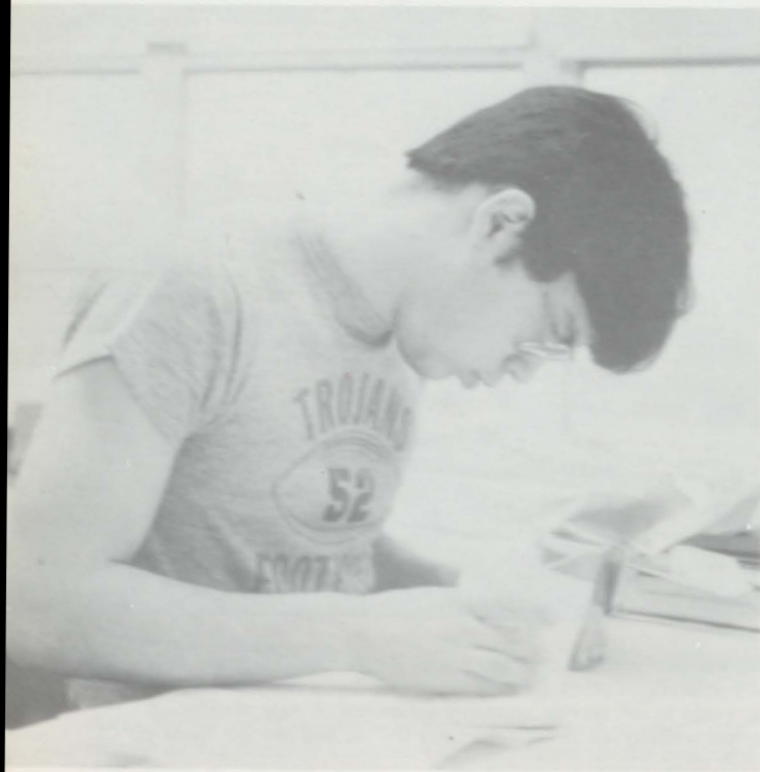
The accounting class ventured to the Red Lobster in St. Joseph, May 16, for dinner. Mr. Dale Whiteside, instructor, paid \$5.00 on each person's bill. He treated the students because he said they accomplished more this year than any class in twenty years. Class members who went were Lynnette Robinson, Randy Smith, Margie Weber, Susan Begesse, Brenda Dannevik, and Lee Jordan. Veronica Paulich was a member of the class but didn't attend. Patty Simpson substituted for her.

April 14 was the business contest at Highland Community Junior College. Accounting and shorthand classes were represented. Those participating were Susan Begesse, Lee Jordan, Pam McNemee, Becky Puckett, Laura Staudenmaier, and Margie Weber.

Other subjects taught by Mr. Whiteside were Typing I and II and shorthand. Typing I class made Christmas cards on the typewriter. This was the first time for shorthand in many years.

General business, business math, and economics were taught by Mr. Reynolds. Elementary business procedures were learned in general business. Business math is fundamental math that goes along with running a business.

Right: Laura Staudenmaier was one of only two students in Typing II class.



Senior Lee Jordan maintains a steady pace as he works on an accounting assignment. Accounting students were required to complete three business simulation sets, in addition to regular tests and homework.



The general business class strikes a pose for the camera.

Team Controls League

The 1980 speech team conquered the K-36 League to become champions for the fourth year in a row, under the direction of Mrs. Martha Rockey. The one-act play, "The Happy Scarecrow," also took the first-place league trophy for the fourth year.

The speech team competed at several speech contests during the school year. Team members consistently won medals in nearly every competition. One of the main events of the speech season was a Troy Invitational contest March 15. Troy placed second over-all. Other meets in which Troy participated were the Jefferson County North contest, the regional evaluations at Shawnee Mission East, and the state contest at Johnson County Community College.

Left: Geri Fenley performs a dramatic interpretation from "The Shadow Box," during a special assembly given by the speech team. Her performance won Geri a first-place medal at the league meet.



Center: Jim Dubach asks Sheila Adkins if he can see her doll in this scene from "The Happy Scarecrow." Above: "The Happy Scarecrow" cast poses for a formal picture. Scarecrow Jim Dubach, Gina Hanlan, and Jeff Barnthson were named outstanding actors at the league meet. Right: Geri Fenley applies the make-up necessary to make Jeff Barnthson look the part of an old man.

SPEECH STANDINGS 1980

		League	State
OO	J. Clary	3rd	II
	C. Tharman	2nd	I
DA	B. Puckett		
	L. Staudenmaier	2nd	III
IDA	S. Adkins		
	D. Masters	4th	
	C. Huss		
DI	G. Hanlan	2nd	II
	J. Clary		
	T. Franken	4th	III
HDI	G. Fenley	1st	II
	J. Barnthson	2nd	
Prose	L. Staudenmaier	1st	I
	S. Begesse	1st	
Poetry	G. Fenley	1st	II
	D. Masters	4th	
	L. Stanley	1st	II





Top: Jim Dubach, Lee Jordan, and Mace Thornton receive physics awards.

Upper right: American Legion award winners are Lee Jordan, Laura Staudenmaier, Susan Begesse, and Jim Dubach. Laura and Lee were awarded a medal and a plaque. Susan and Jim received a plaque for honorable mention. They were chosen by their fellow classmates.

Above: Brenda Dannevik and Susan Begesse show their music awards.

Right: Mace Thornton receives his speech award from Mrs. Rockey.

Trojans Win Praise

The annual awards assembly was May 15 at 7:30 P.M.

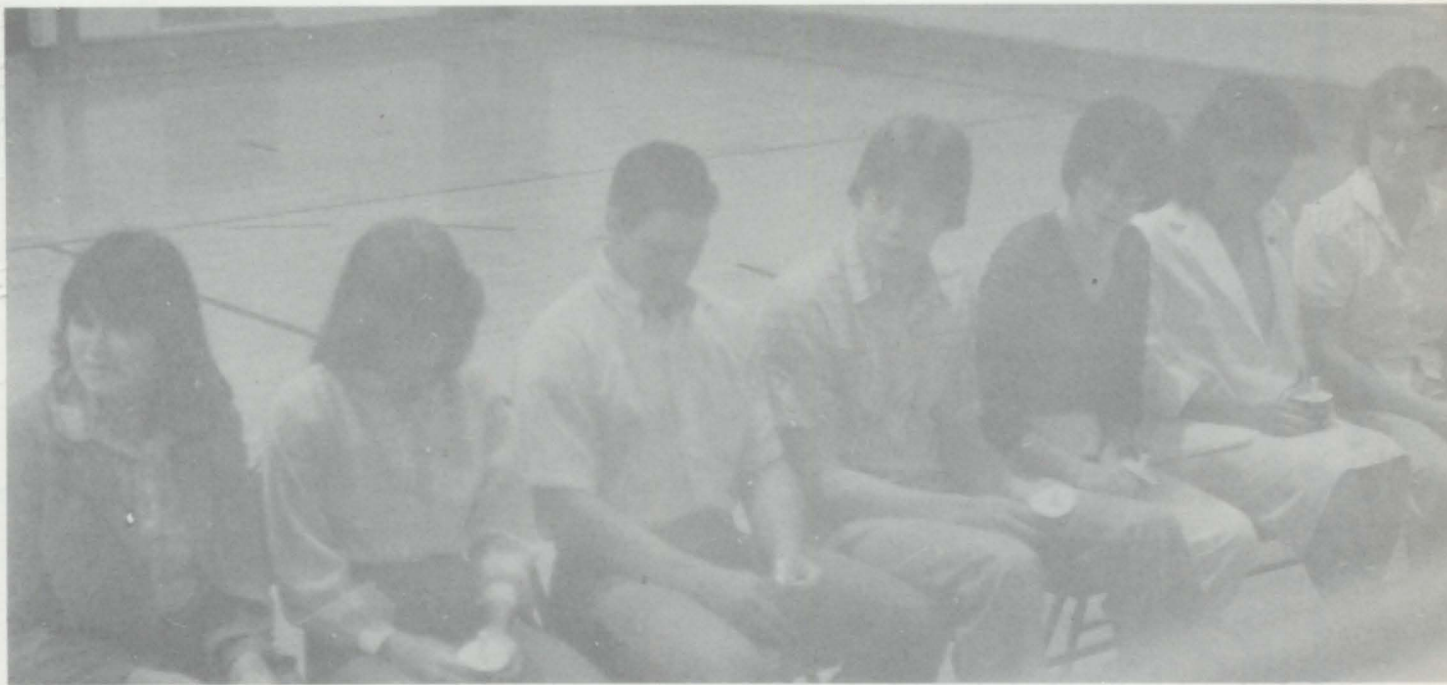
Kansas State High School Activities Association Citizenship Award was presented to a senior boy and girl. They were chosen by the faculty. Receiving this honor were Debbie Guy and Mace Thornton.

Benedictine College scholarship awards were presented to Susan Begesse, Joe Boeh, Brenda Dannevik, and Mace Thornton. Susan Begesse was named a Kansas State Scholar.

Speech and journalism awards were given by Mrs. Rockey. Mace Thornton was the first person at THS to letter all four years in speech. Mace accumulated the most points in four years, and Jim Dubach the most points in one year. Five new members were inducted into Quill and Scroll.

The pep club gave a new award. The members voted on the girl who showed the most spirit and who helped the club the most. Michelle Foley was the winner.

Left: Mr. Folsche presents Susan Begesse with the outstanding senior in math and science award, which is given annually by K-State.



Above: New members of the Honor Society are inducted by the candle lighting ceremony. Initiates are Margie Weber, Laura Herpich, Carl Tharman, Pat Masters, Karen Winzer, Gina Hanlan, and Lynnette Robinson. They were selected on their scholarship, citizenship, leadership, and character.



There probably isn't one student or teacher in THS who didn't get involved in some small way with a 1979-80 extra-curricular activity.

From prom to the all-school play, from Barnwarming to Homecoming, the size of our school gave everyone a chance to get involved. "You wouldn't catch me in a big school," one Trojan stated emphatically.

What THS student will ever forget the Homecoming bonfire, the happy glow of the Queen of Courts, or the smiling girls who bravely threw cowchips Barnwarming night? The play cast will take with them forever the tension they felt on the stage just before the curtain opened, and the memories of many long rehearsals.

Whatever the activity, THS had something for everyone. These experiences gave students the chance to expand their worlds — together.





THE FIFTEENS



Debbie Reigns

Tears, cheers, and tension provided the background for the homecoming coronation. Debbie Guy was crowned queen by head escort Mark Adkins. Deb said, "At first I was surprised, and then I started crying because I was so happy."

The queen was attended by Beth Marriott, Brenda Dannevik, Candy Huss, and Tina Robinson. Their escorts were Joe Franken, Lee Jordan, Marvin Ross, and Don Stock. Leslie Scholz, Kristin Snyder, Chad Clary, and Jason Winder brought the crown and flowers.

Debbie was presented a bouquet of roses, homecoming sash, crown, and kiss by Mark.



Queen Debbie and court intently watch the homecoming game.

Mr. Legs, Joe Boeh, was named by Susan Begesse at the Snake Dance.





L. Briggs, J. Dubach enjoy dancing.

D. Guy and P. McNemee show their "outfits."

Pictured above far left: Queen Deb's reign was climaxed by a tense, 6-0 Trojan defeat at the hands of the Highland Bluestreaks. It was the only loss of the season.

Pictured above left: The candidates and their escorts were Candy Huss and Joe Franken, Tina Robinson and Donald Stock, Debbie Guy and Mark Adkins, Brenda Dannevik and Lee Jordan, and Beth Marriott and Marvin Ross. The Homecoming court was selected by the football team. Debbie was chosen queen by vote of the student body.

Pictured above: Beth Marriott leads pep rally on "Backwards Day."

1980 Barnwarming Queen Gina Hanlan and her escort, FFA President Donald Neumann, pose for a formal picture in the vo-ag building.

T. Clary purses her lips as she works at making a board square.



After taking careful aim, Barb Sutherland shows perfect form as she throws a cowchip.

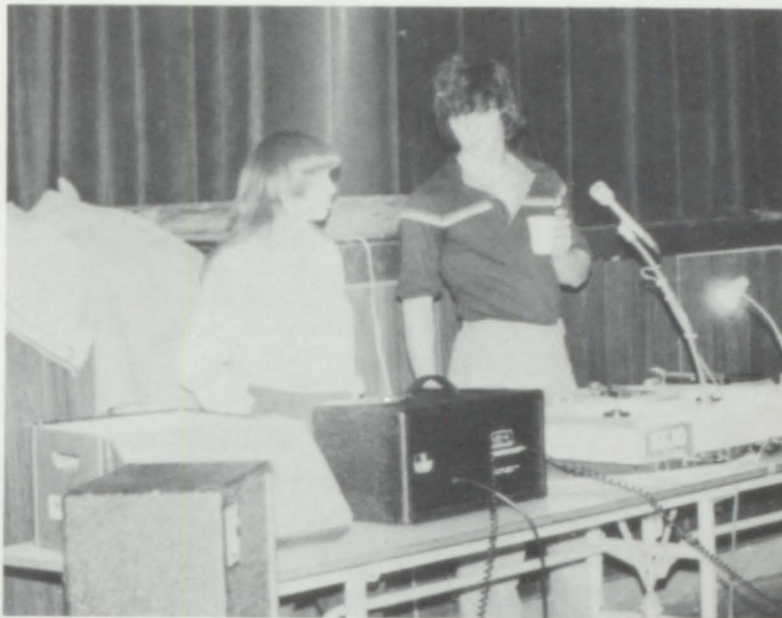
Threading a pipe was one of the requirements of the contestants. Gina Hanlan tries her hand at it above.





Left: First runner-up Brenda Meng concentrates intently on sawing her board straight and even. The six individual Friday evening events were open to the public.

Below: Rick Austin of KKJO Radio in St. Joseph takes time for some coffee during the dance which followed the coronation. He and his wife provided the dance music.



Second runner-up L. Herpich squares a board during the evening activities.

Gina Wins Title

After a close contest, Gina Hanlan received the honor of being crowned FFA Sweetheart, November 30, by chapter Vice-president Don Neumann.

Brenda Meng was the first runner-up, and Laura Herpich was the second runner-up. Others competing were Barb Sutherland and Terri Clary. Their escorts were Ron Neumann, Paul Neumann, Pat Masters, and Glen Grable.

The girls were judged in the following categories to show their talent and knowledge. They were the judge's interview, the tool quiz, the FFA quiz, a written essay on "Why I Want To Be FFA Sweetheart," and six events.

The events included feeding marshmallows to sheep, threading a bolt, throwing "organic frisbees" through a tire, climbing a rope, squaring a board, and hammering a nail through a block of wood.

Rick Austin, of KKJO Radio, provided music for a dance held after the crowning.

Pooka Invades Troy

"Harvey" was performed November 15-16. There were two matinees and an evening performance.

Elwood P. Dowd, a friendly, happy go-lucky fellow, has become attached to a "pooka" named "Harvey."

Pooka is a term from old Celtic mythology meaning "a fairy spirit in animal form, always very large. The pooka appears here and there, now and then, to this one and that one at his own caprice, a wise but mischievous creature fond of rum-pots and crack-pots."

Harvey and Elwood go everywhere and do everything together. Elwood's sister Veta Louise isn't very happy with the arrangement, so she and her daughter plot to get Elwood committed to an institution.

Everyone, but Elwood, underestimates the power of a pooka, because they all try to convince Elwood to take an injection, so that he won't remember Harvey and will return to normal. But Harvey, through his magical powers, saves Elwood from this fate. And they all live happily ever after.

Upper right: Harvey sits in the chair while Elwood finishes a phone call.

Right: Mike Franken and Mace Thornton put up the sets for the sanitarium scenes.

Lower left: Veta Louise instructs Elwood to stay put until the party is over.

Lower right: "Elwood, this is the first time I have seen you in years, and you are still just as charming as ever!"





Above: "Well, ain't that pretty, Doc; we drag your tail all over town looking for this crackpot with a rabbit, and now they are trying to sue us!"

Upper Left: "Kid, you not only got a nice build — but, kid, your uncle is the biggest screwball that ever stuck his puss inside this nuthouse."

Lower left: Myrtle Mae is all ears while Veta tells of all the terrors of the sanitarium.

Myrtle Mae Simmons	.....	Laura Staudenmaier
Veta Louise Simmons	.....	Susan Begesse
Elwood P. Dowd	.....	Joe Boeh
Maid	.....	Lynnette Robinson
Mrs. Chauvenet	.....	Gerri Fenley
Nurse Kelly	.....	Gina Hanlan
Duane Wilson	.....	Mace Thornton
Lyman Sanderson MD	.....	Joe Franken
William Chumley MD	.....	Jim Dubach
Betty Chumley	.....	Candy Huss
Judge Omar Gaffney	.....	Lee Jordan
Cab Driver	.....	Darrell Furr

Beth And Joe Named 1980 Court Royalty

"It can't be me!" was Beth Marriott's first thought upon being chosen Queen of Courts for 1980.

Head Escort Joe Boeh had the honor of crowning Queen Beth during the February 22 ceremonies. Joe went on to spark THS to a 64-48 routing of Midway by hitting 18 points.

The strains of Styx's hit song "Babe" filled the air, as court members Candy Huss and Mark Adkins, Brenda Dannevik and Scott Davis, Sherri Sharp and Donald Stock, Joi Trant and Marvin Ross, and Beth and Joe took part in the coronation held in C. W. Oliver Gymnasium.

The sound of a disco found its way into THS during a dance held after the games. Disc jockey Len Becker of Hiawatha played records for the event.

"Jersey Day" and "Dress-up Day" were sponsored by StuCo during Queen of Courts Week to get Trojan spirit flowing. A special pep assembly on Jersey Day featured the basketball escorts attempting to crack an egg into a cup which the queen candidates held in their mouths.



Above: Gina Hanlan helps crown and flower bearers Cindy Buessing, Tommy Gronniger, Jackie Clary, and Jenifer Greaser. Below: The queen and head escort share a smile as Joe presents Beth her sash.



Head Escort Joe Boeh gives Queen Beth a kiss of congratulations.





Senior Beth Marriott reigns as the 1979-80 Queen of Courts.

Top: The court consists of Mark Adkins, Candy Huss, Marvin Ross, Joi Trant, Queen Beth Marriott, Head Escort Joe Boeh, Brenda Dannevik, Scott Davis, Sherri Sharp and Donald Stock. Above: Beth sits among her attendants and the crown and flower bearers, while she watches the Troy A-team boys defeat the Midway Eagles.

Senior Dance Is 'Point Of No Return'

The 1980 prom was "The Point of No Return" for the juniors and seniors. April 26 was a night special from the rest in which the juniors dedicated the entire evening to the graduating class.

The evening began in the Troy Legion Hall with a banquet prepared by the junior class mothers. Former THS teacher, Mrs. Sherry Deaton, was the speaker. The sophomores who served the meal were Sheila Adkins, Teresa Blanton, Cully Clary, Michelle Foley, Tim Franken, Kim Jamvold, James Marriott, Deb Masters, Paula Pennell, Pat Pollock, John M. Simpson, and Jimmy Stock.

After the banquet, couples arrived at the dance to hear the band, "Myth," perform.

The juniors also arranged for everyone to see the movie "Star Trek" after the dance.

The juniors made the evening a memorable occasion since it truly was "The Point of No Return" for the senior class.

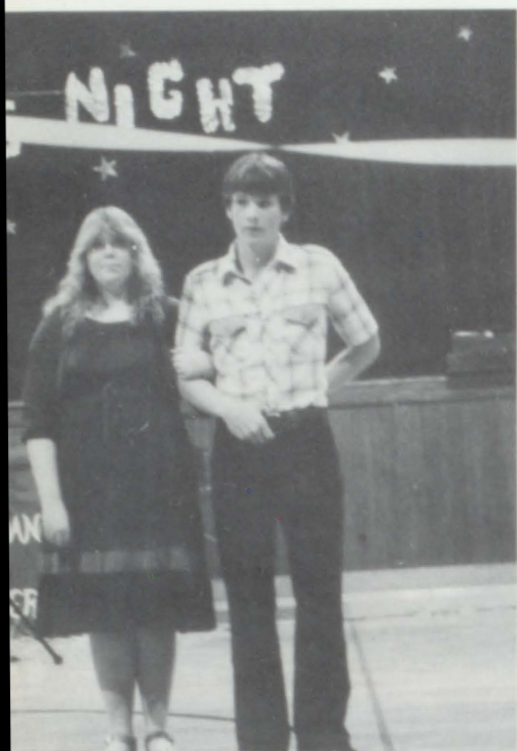


Upper Right: Mrs. Deaton roasts the juniors and seniors. Above: R. Rush fixes the prom decorations. Right: Myth plays popular tunes for the evening.



Upper Left: Complete with tails, top hat, and cane, Darrell Furr and his date relax at their table. Upper Right: Couples boogie to the beat of the band. Left: Lee Jordan and Barb Gingery converse at the dance. Above: Students catch their breath while they "sit one out."





Joe Franken is escorted by Liz Tucker.



Mace King

Mace Thornton, Mr. Ladies' Man of 1979-80, was crowned May 9, at the Ladies' Night dance. Head escort, Debbie Guy, presented Mace with a "God's Gift to Women" medallion.

Candidates for Mr. Ladies' Man were Scott Davis, Joe Franken, Lee Jordan, and Rick Seiter. Escorting the candidates were Laura Staudenmaier, Elizabeth Tucker, Beth Marriott, and Susan Begesse.

The Ladies' Night dance, sponsored by the Kayettes, was Sadie-Hawkins style, in which the gals asked the guys. Music was provided by disc jockey Len Becker of Hiawatha.

Refreshments were punch and cookies made by the Kayette members.



Top: Head escort Debbie Guy congratulates Mr. Ladies' Man, Mace Thornton.

Above: Mace's attendants await the moment of tribute shown by their escorts.

Guests See School

For the first time in many years, the TMS and THS sponsored an open house which took place March 27. It began at 7 P.M. Activities consisted of classroom displays, parent-teacher conferences, and a program.

The program began with the one-act play, "The Happy Scarecrow." Gymnastics were performed by seventh through ninth grade physical education classes. They ended their stunts by building human pyramids.

The end of the program was presented by Home Ec. I and III classes in a short style show. The students modeled one item or an outfit they had made during the year.

Serving refreshments of cookies and punch were Home Ec. II students. The Spanish classes prepared tostados for visitors to sample.

Another reason for the open house was to show the school and its condition to the parents. Voters were urged to vote for the reinstatement of a capital outlay fund, which pays for new equipment and improvements to the building. The proposition was defeated.

Upper left: Linda Briggs models her nightwear with teddy.



S. Davis, Mr. Ladies' Man candidate, is shown with L. Staudenmaier.



Tumbling freshman boys entertain the audience during show.





Above: Lunch is a perfect time to catch up on all of the latest gossip as shown by Lorrie Stanley, Brenda Meng, Kim Jamvold and Beth Marriott. Right: After a hard day at school, David Hull and Mike Franken relax with a game on the pin ball machine.



Teens Save Time For Fun

Togetherness is a teenager's livelihood. Young people love to socialize, whether it's at a game, on a date, or with the whole gang at the Pizza Hut.

A typical Friday night after a ball game would show THS students on Main Street. A few might even stop at the Troy Drive Inn to get something to eat or to use the game room.

Some students might not like coming to school, but everyone seems to enjoy the precious few minutes before school and between classes. The halls echo with constant chatter and laughter. Of course, there is the student who forgot to study for the test last night, cramming all of the lesson into his head in 15 minutes. And what about the practical jokers who stack lockers, tie locker doors shut, or put articles in other students' lockers? Others might just wander around, talk to teachers or try to make it to the third floor without getting caught and sent back downstairs.

On special occasions, such as a school dance, a guy will pick up his date and go cruising around Troy for awhile. After the dance, the couple might even take a secluded country road to find a spot where they can "gaze at the stars."



Pep Club members use their time at ball games to cheer the Trojan athletes on to victory.



Mendi Wins A Page

Mendi Ashworth was fortunate enough to be chosen for this special student feature page.

Mendi was a very active freshman. She was one of the three female members of the cross country team. She placed 16th at the K-36 Cross Country Championship meet. Other school activities which Mendi engaged in were Pep Club, track, and Kayettes.

Basketball occupied Mendi's time during the winter months. Throughout the season Mendi scored a total of eight points. In the middle of January, Mendi became a pom pon girl as a replacement.

Mendi's interests include sports, such as water skiing, swimming, and jogging; popular music; and movies. Mendi's favorite song of the year was "Please Don't Go" by K.C. and the Sunshine Band. At the movies, Mendi laughed along with millions of Americans at the zany antics of Steve Martin in "The Jerk."

Mendi would someday like to be a part of the glamorous fashion scenes like Cheryl Tiegs, the famous model.

When asked what she was looking forward to the most about being a sophomore, Mendi replied, "I'll only have two more years of school left!"

Upper left: Mendi poses for the camera in hopes that some day she might be a professional model. Upper right: At the cross country meet, Mendi speeds over the course. Lower left: Mendi listens intently at a Kayette Club meeting.



Diplomas Conferred

The class of 1980 was formally graduated May 19 in the C.W. Oliver Gymnasium. Dr. Frank D. Grispino, director of student teaching at Northwest Missouri State University, gave the commencement address.

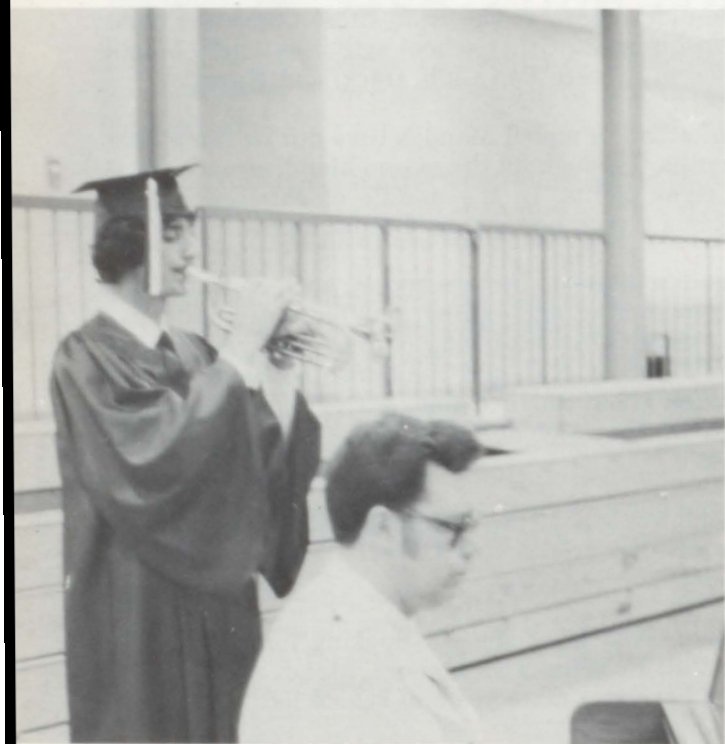
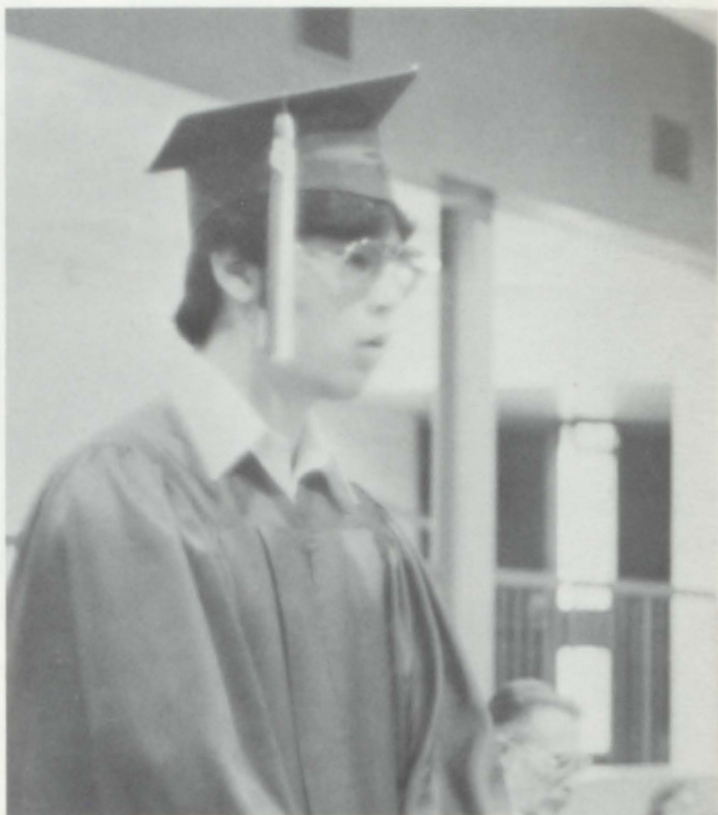
Susan Begesse, valedictorian of the senior class, gave a short oration, and Laura Staudenmaier presented the salutatorian address.

"In This Our Life," a poem by an unknown author, was read by senior Lee Jordan. Morris Watkins, another member of the class of '80, played a trumpet solo, "Yesterday Once More."

"Have a Mind to Work" was the topic presented by the Reverend Robert Biggs at the Baccalaureate services Sunday, May 18. The Reverend Glora Burns gave the invocation and benediction.

Susan Begesse performed a piano solo entitled "The Fountain," by Maurice Ravel.

Right: Reading "In This Our Life" is senior Lee Jordan.



Graduating senior Morris Watkins performs a trumpet solo.



Platform guests stand during the seniors' processional march.



Top: Valedictorian Susan Begesse is congratulated by THS principal Kenneth Pharr.

Above: As the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance" begin, the seniors start to enter.

Top: L. Staudenmaier receives a medallion.

Above: P. Neumann is granted a diploma.



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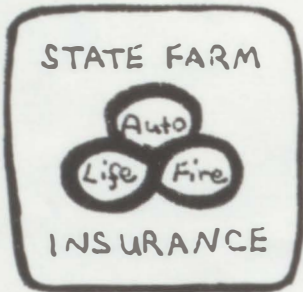
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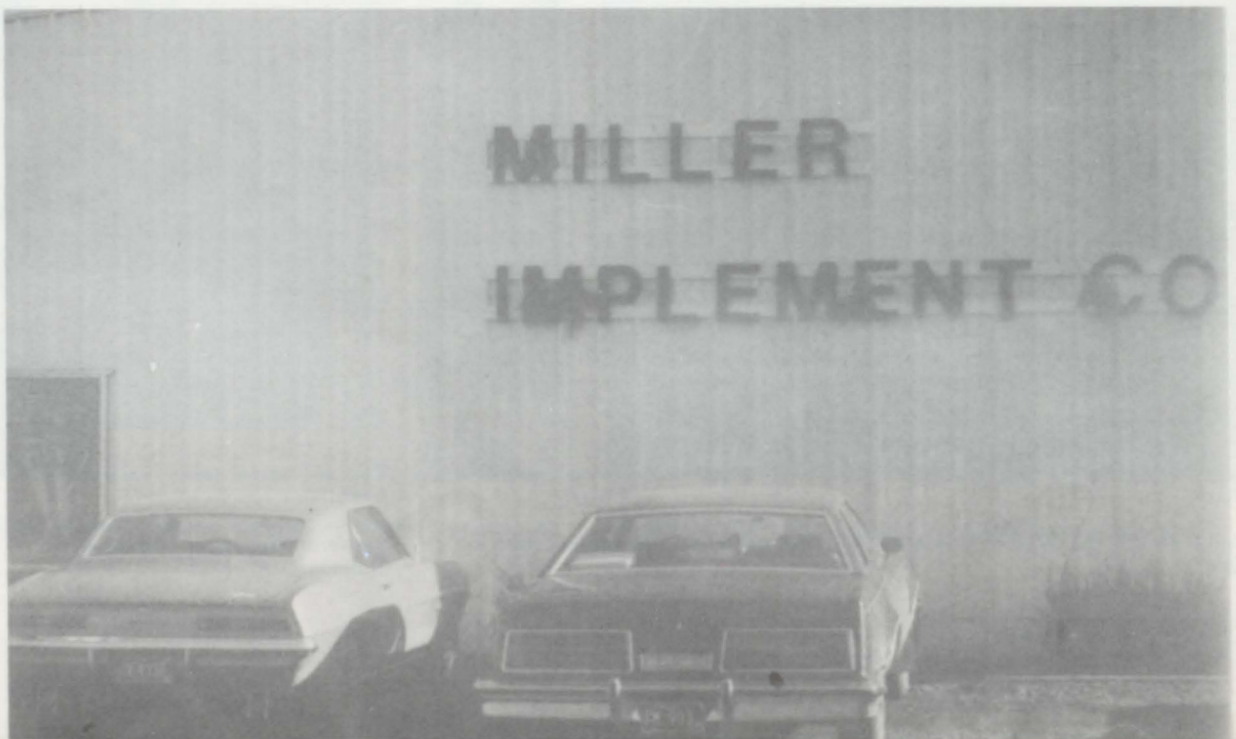
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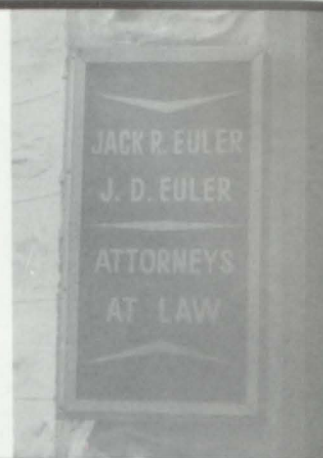
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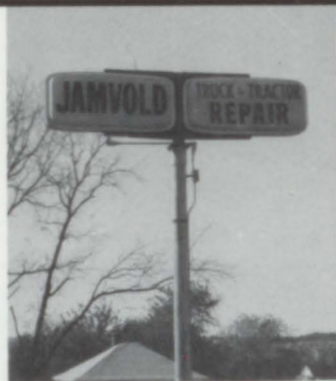
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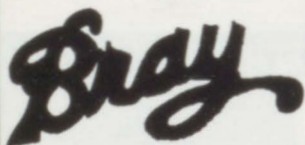
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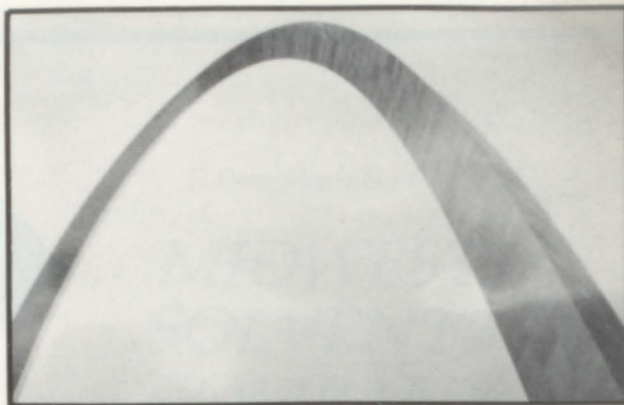
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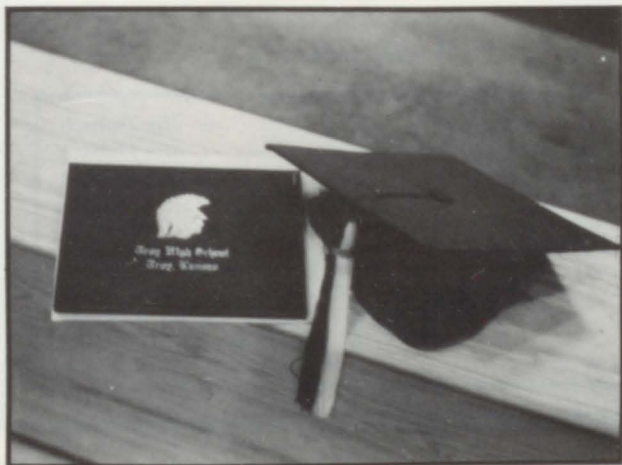
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