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### Foreword

We, the students of the Juneau High School, present a pictorial and literary review of the school year, 1946-1947.

To those of us who have graduated with the senior class, this review will bring back vivid memories of the past four years spent in quest of knowledge; four years in which minds have broadened and perhaps a more mature outlook at the future has been gained. For those others who still remain with us this review will, we hope, present an interesting record of the past achievements and triumphs of their predecessors and afford a stimulating reminder that in the future, even greater triumphs can be attained.

To the rest of you, the students offer this book in the hope that it will give you a fair idea of the activities of the high school, and the results of the combined efforts of students and teachers.

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A well known hotel slogan reads "Our Service Begins and Ends at the Gangplank." This might well be said of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, happy combination of hospitality and friendliness. What new and homesick teacher has not been grateful for having been met at the boat, however, inconvenient the hour? And all teachers have appreciated the many kindnesses of this cheerful couple.

Believing with educational philosopher John Dewey in the education of the "whole child", when he came to Juneau as Superintendent of Schools in 1934, Mr. Phillips instigated the present extra-curricular program which J-Hi students enjoy and now take for granted. His insistance upon a high academic standard and his ability to take a stand for what he thinks is right in policy have been appreciated by students and faculty alike.

Mrs. Phillips' helpfulness and efficiency in organization have changed many a student committee's efforts from failure into gratifying success.

Theirs is indeed a happy combination, and it is with pleasure that the staff of the 1947 Totem dedicates this book to them.



### **Student Council**

The Student Council of Juneau High School, consisting of the president, vice-president, and secretarytreasurer of the student body, the president of the senior, junior, sophomore and freshman classes, Girls' and Boys' club presidents, the editors and business manager of the J-Bird, a representative of G. A. A., and the student body advisor, is a very important part of the school life of Juneau High School.

Meetings are called when necessary by the student body president, to discuss school affairs. If a teacher or a student has a problem which he feels should be brought to the attention of the student body, he takes this problem to the Student Council where it is discussed, and the proper action is decided upon. This group plans the school calendar and sets all dates for dances and other extra curricular activities.

The fourteen members who made up this year's council were: Student Body president, Jim Rude; vice president, Earl Crass; and secretary-treasurer, Lois Nicholson. Class presidents were Bob Larsen, Senior; Keith Weiss, Junior; Clifford Cole, Sophomore; and Willard Prouty, Freshman; Girls' and Boys' Club presidents, Joanne Nowell and Jack O'Connor, respectively; J-Bird editors, Lily Ann Maurstad and Bob Sanford; J-Bird business manager, Dave Sperling; G.A.A. representative, Barbara Gaunt; and Student Body advisor, Miss Gertrude McSpedden.

Student Council



Back Row: David Sperling. Barbara Gaunt. Earl Crass, Joanne Nowell. Clifford Cole. Robert "Dras" Larson. Jack O'Connor.

Pront Row: Miss McSpedden, Keith Weiss, Lois Nicholson, Jim Rude, Lily Ann Maurstad. Willard Prouty, Robert Sanford, Henry Harmon.







### Senior Class History

In September, 1943, 63 eager and wide-eyed freshmen got their inside information about the J-Hi they had been looking forward to for eight long years and upon which they were destined to leave a distinguishing mark, as a class, in many fields. Some were disappointed and some were more than pleasantly surprised.

The "frosh" of '43, however, found little trouble in adjusting themselves to the rigors and realities of "higher education" and threw themselves right into the social swing with a will. The first hint of this social adaptation came from the Freshmen-Sophomore Frolic in October. As it turned out, however, playing host merely sharpened their appetite for social life, for a large portion of the attendance at dances the rest of that year and the three following years was made up of the class of '47. In May, '44, the frosh got their first taste of that wonderful event, the class picnic.

In the fall of '44 the class of '47 had lost ten of its members but, nevertheless there were still plenty of "Wise Fools" to keep the freshmen aware of "last year." In view of the fact that they felt more experienced the sophomores decided to have a class party without the aid of the freshmen. When May rolled around again, with picnic time in tow, it received a hearty welcome from the sophomore class, for they knew in what manner they had missed a lot of fun on their frosh picnic and were bound and determined not to make the same mistakes twice.

When the calendar turned to September, '45, the forty-eight new juniors were surprised to find that they felt no different as upper classmen in spite of all their expectations.

They soon found, however, that more was expected of them as juniors; the largest part of this new responsibility took the form of the junior prom. Getting right down to work they sponsored a dance very deserving of all the praise it received.

The theme of the prom, which was carried out as a cabaret dance, was "Nights on Broadway."

As in former years the class of '47 thoroughly enjoyed the annual picnic.

Their last year of high school being at hand, the class of '47 resolved to make it a year they could remember with pride in years to come. With this resolution they sponsored a senior ball on the theme of "Never Never Land" which was highly acclaimed by all who attended.

Yes, seniors of '47 you have left your impression on both J-Hi and its students. It will be hard to replace the vim and vigor you have put into J-Hi and all of its activities for the last four years.

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### CLASS OFFICERS

### FRESHMAN

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Eugene Anderson, president Jim Rude, vice-president Roy Gray, secretary Ann Thompson, treasurer

### SOPHOMORE

Jim Rude, president Harry Aase, vice-president Lily Ann Maurstad, secretary Ann Thompson, treasurer

### JUNIOR

Harry Aase, president Harvey Hildre, vice-president Gloria Gullufsen, secretary-treasurer

### SENIOR

Bob Larsen, president Herb Mead, vice-president Roy Gray, secretary-treasurer



### Last Will and Testament

We, the class of '47, are about to depart from this great institute of learning into the Great Beyond. Behind us we leave some little things; so, though we may not be seen in the future, we'll never be forgotten. It may be a very small atomic bomb, or one of Mr. Eide's famed experiments. Our parting gesture is something that will go down in history, probably so far down that it will never be heard from again. Nevertheless, we all bid you "adieu" with these last wills and testaments.

I, Harry Aase, leave to Bill Sperling all my dramatic entrances to basketball practices and games, also I leave my fans and late hours.

I. August Avoian, leave my sweet-smelling locker to any poor unsuspecting frosh that can stand it.

I, Doug Boddy, leave my hate for women and my strong arm tactics to Harry Brensdahl.

I, Margaret Burgh, leave to Juanita Diaz some of my extra inches.

I, Jack Burford, leave my College Algebra and poor work slips to Al Shaw, if i.e is crazy enough to take them.

I, Ada Burns, leave and take memories of good old J-Hi with me.

I, Rdath Dawes, leave my "Ishkabibble" hair to any girl or boy who isn't nervous with a pair of scissors in his hand.

l, Wally Deboff, bequeath my tumbling ability to Mary Avoian and the Hareds I leave to Bill Sperling.

I, Rosie Doogan, leave this school with Marilyn, and Gloria, and glad to be going! Also I leave to Margaret Atkinson the trouble of getting out of school once in a while without getting caught.

I, Roma Fargher, leave to Henrietta Burgh my attendance to Rifle Club and my shooting eye for making "possibles."

I, Roy Gray, leave my little yellow Ford to anyone who will run errands for Miss Dean.

We, Doug Gregg and Jerry Chapman, will to the Juneau High School our best wishes for "hairy" sessions and a continued interest in jazz.

I, Jerry Gucker (the last of the Guckers for a few years), leave school after a long imbedded time giving the faculty (and with whomever I have come in contact) a rest.

I, Gloria Gullufsen, leave and promise never to come back.

I, Harvey Hildre, do hereby leave because Mr. Harmon has stopped buying the brand of tools I collect! (Also one stick of gum for Bill Schmitz to give to anyone he wishes.)

I, Diane Hunsbedt, leave to Mary Avoian all of the noise that I have saved for the last four years.

I, Buddy Hunter, being of sound mind (?) and body, do hereby leave this school for the Nicholson Rest Home, taking everything with me (including Nicholson).

I, Virginia Hutte, leave my rosy red cheeks and my secret formula to good health to anyone who wants to get up early in the morning and take those "sitting up exercises."

I, Hazel Jameson, leave my fiery ambition, optimistic outlook and my "No-Doze" stay-awake pills to all eager and knowledge-hungry frosh.

I, Wally Kleweno, leave the lab in a bad state of repair. To Dick Wingerson I leave my formula for the atomic stink bomb.

I, Lousan Krause, leave J-High my good wishes and my disposition to my brother, Eddie, who may need it.

I, Bob Larsen, leave this school with the senior class dues. To Bill Sperling, I will my amazing ability to consume large quantities of food.

I, Jennie Larsen, leave my excellent mind in chemistry to a lucky senior next year.

I, William R. Long, (being of sound mind) leave my good standing with Mr. Eide to Jerry Magorty and my ties I'll take with me.

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### Senior Class

### Earle Hunter

Majors: Science, English.

Minors: Languages, History, Math. Activities: Band, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Eight Balls, Rifle Club, Photo Club, Science Club, "The Great Ban Allah"—school production, Tumbling Club, Ski Club, Vaudeville, Quill and Scroll, Publications Staff.

### Ann Thompson

Majors: History, English. Minors: Science, Commercial. Activities: G. A. A., Cheerleoder, Glee Club, Rifle Club, Chorus, J-Bird Staff.

### Jack Penrod

Majors: English, History. Minors: Commercial, Math, Science. Activities: Band.

### Harriet Stonehouse

Majors: Languages, English, Commercial. Minors: Math, Science, History.

Activities: Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Rifle Club.











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### Senior Class

### Robert Sanford

Majors: English, Math. Minors: History, Science. Activities: Basketball, Associate Editor and Editor of School Publications, Band, Grade School Coach.

### Hazel Jameson

Majors: Commercial, Science, English. Minors: History, Math.

Activities: Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Vaudeville, Operetta, Tumbling Club.

### Dave Sperling Majors: Math, English, Science. Minors: History.

Activities: Rifle Club, Quill and Scroll, Publications Business Manager, Basketball.

### **Rdath Dawes**

Majors: English, History, Science. Minors: Math, Languages, Commercial. Activities: Entered from Petersburg High School; Girls' Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Photo Club, Quill and Scroll.











### Senior Class

### George See

Majors: Shop, English. Minors: History, Science, Math. Activities: Rifle Club, Science Club, Basketball, J-Bird Staff.

### Gloria Gullufsen

Majors: Commercial, English. Minors: History, Science, Math. Activities: G. A. A., Rifle Club, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Junior Class sectary, Senior Class sergeant-at-arms.

### Harry Aase

Majors: Math, English, History. Minors: Science, Languages. Activities: Basketball, president of Junior Class, Basketball Manager, Rifle Club, Boys' Chorus, vice-president of Sophomore class, secretary-treasurer of Boys' Club.

### Rosie Doogan

Majors: Commercial, English. Minors: Math, Science, History. Activities: Rifle Club, G. A. A., Mixed Chorus, Girls' Glee Club.











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### Senior Class

### Diane Hunsbedt

Majors: English, History, Commercial. Minors: Languages, Science, Math. Activities: Rifle Club, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus.

### Robert Larson

Majors: Shop, English. Minors: History, Math, Science. Activities: Basketball, Rifle Club, Ski Club, Photo Club, Student Council, Senior Class president.

### Roma Fargher

Majors: English, Commercial, Minors: History, Science, Languages, Math.

Activities: Rifle Club, Girls' Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Office.

### Roy Gray

Majors: English, History, Science. Minors: Commercial, Math.

Activities: Tumbling Club, Basketball team, Senior Class secretary-treasurer, Rifle Club, Freshman Class secretary, J-Bird Staff.











### Senior Class

### William Long

Majors: Science, Math, English. Minors: History, Languages. Activities: Photo Club, Mixed Chorus, Glee Club, Eight Balls, Forest Prince, Vaudeville.

### Della Ripoli

Majors: Commercial, English. Minors: History, Science. Activities: None. Entered Juneau High from Puyallup, Washington.

### August Avoian

Majors: Math, English. Minors: History, Science, Languages. Activities: Rifle Club, Eight Balls, Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Ski Club, Photo Club, Assistant Manager of basketball team.

### Ada Burns

Majors: English, Commercial. Minors: History, Math. Activities: G. A. A.











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# Senior Class

### Heab Mead

Majors: English, Science, Math, Commercial.

Minors: History.

Activities: Class vice-president, vicepresident of Ski Club, Boys' Club vicepresident, J-bird business staff, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

### Lily Ann Maurstad

Majors: English, Commercial.

Minors: Math, Science, History, Languages.

Activities: Mixed Chorus, Singing Debs, editor of School Publications, secretary-treasurer of Girls' Club, Student Council, Quill and Scroll, Office, Librarian, Vaudeville.

### Jerry Chapman

Majors: English, Science, History. Minors: Latin, Math. Activities: Boys' Glee Club, Chorus, Band.

### Katherine Stevens

Majors: English, Science. Minors: Math. Languages, History, Commercial. Activities: Glee Club, Chorus, Band, G. A. A., Librarian.











### Senior Class

### Evan Scott

Majors: English, History. Minors: Science, Math, Shop, Typing. Activities: Tumbling, Basketball.

### Margaret Burgh

Majors: English, Math. Minors: Science, History, Commercial. Activities: Glee Club, Chorus, G. A. A., Office Girl.

### Jack Burford

Majors: English, Languages, Math, History. Minors: Science. Activities: Track, Football.

### Jim Vuille

Majors: English, History, Shop. Minors: Science, Mathematics. Activities: Basketball, Rifle Club, Boys' Club vice-president. Came from Belmont High, Los Angeles, in Junior year.











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# Senior Class

### Denny Merritt

Majors: English, Shop, History. Minors: Science, Math. Activities: Mixed Chorus, Boys' Glee Club, Vaudeville, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

### Mary Jean Sofoulis

Majors; English, Commercial. Minors: Math, History, Science, Languages. Activities: Glee Club.

### Wallace DeBoff

Majors: English, Science, Math. Minors: History.

Activities: Photo Club, Science Club, Boys' Glee Club and Mixed Chors, Boys' Rifle Club, Assistant Manager of team, Tumbling Club, Vaudeville.

### Lousan Krause

Majors: English, Commercial, History. Minors: Math, Science. Activities: G. A. A., 1 year; Mixed Chorus, Glee Club, Librarian, Vaudeville.











### Senior Class

### Louie Sorenson

Majors: English, languages, science, history. Minors: Math. Activities: None.

### Emily Olson

Majors: English, History, Commercial. Minors: Science, Home Economics. Activities: Entered from Wrangell High School.

### James Smith

Majors: Math, Science, English. Minors: History. Activities: None.

### Julia Sakagami

Majors: Commercial, English. Minors: Science, Languages, Maih, and History. Activities: Office Girl, Librarian.





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# Senior Class

### Jack O'Connor

Majors: Math, English. Minors: Science, History. Activities: Basketball, Rifle Club, Ski Club, Boys' Club president and vicepresident.

### Lois Nicholson

Majors: Science, English, History, Commercial.

Minors: Languages, Math.

Activities: Rifle Club, Photo Club, Librarian, Glee Club, Student Body secretary-treasurer.

### Douglas Boddy

Majors: English, Manual Training. Minors: Math, History, Science. Activities: President of Rifle Club, Tumbling Club, Happy Bachelors' Club.

### Joanne Nowell

Majors: Science, English. Minors: History, Math, Languages. Activities: Glee Club, Singing Debs, President of Girls' Club, Vaudeville.











### Senior Class

### Bill Vernon

Majors: English, Mathematics, Science. Minor: History.

Activities: Major letterman in debate, Business Staff, Freshman and Sophomore years; Vaudeville, Freshman and Senior years; School Plays, The Trysting Place, The Drums of Oude.

### Eileen Nelson

Majors: English, Languages.

- Minors: Science, History, Commercial, Math.
- Activities: Rifle Club, G. A. A., Office, Librarian. Entered from Wrangell High Schools.

### Ned Zenger

Majors: History, English. Minors: Mathematics, Science, Languages. Activities: Band, Glee Club, Veteran.

### Jenny Larson

Majors: History, Commercial, English. Minors: Math, Science. Activities: None.





### Senior Class

### Douglas Gregg

Majors: Science, Math, English. Minors: History, Languages. Activities: Band, four years; Rifle Club, three years; president of Senior Class of '45.

### Dale Roff

Majors: English, Math, and Science. Minors: Shop, Laguages, and History. Activities: Tumbling Club, Rifle Club, Science Club, Photo Club, Lab Assistant, Band.

### Wally Kleweno

Majors: Math, Science, English. Minors: Latin, History. Activities: Science Club, Photo Club, Mixed Chorus, Boys' Club, school play—"The Trysting Place."

### Harvey Hildre

Majors: Shop, English. Minors: History, Math. Activities: Rifle Club, Junior Class vicepresident; School Electrician, Publications Staff.









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### Senior Class

### Virginia Hutte

Majors: English, History, Science. Minors: Math, Home Economics. Activities: Vaudeville, Publications Staff.

### Jim Rude

Majors: English, Math. Minors: Languages, Science, History. Activities: Sophomore class president 2, president of Student Body 4: Rifle Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Ski Club 1, 2, 3: Basketball team 3, 4: Basketball Manager 1, 2: and Tumbling 1.

### Jerry Gucker

Majors: Math, Science, English. Minors: Languages, History. Activities:Mixed Chorus, Tumbling Club, Band, Science Club, Rifle Club, Vaudeville.

### Marilyn McAlister

Majors: Commercial, English. Minors: Science, History, Math, Languages. Activities: Rifle Club, Glee Club, G. A. A.



### Senior Class Prophecy

On my last vagabond tour of the world in the year of the great boom, 1977, I encountered so many of my classmates from Juneau High School that I simply have to put it into writing.

I boarded the S. S. Getmetherequick at New York and sailed into the Atlantic. When I reached my stateroom I found my room-mate to be my old friend Earle L. Hunter, III, who was on his way to Liverpool to inherit a fortune left him by an old dowager who liked Buddy's big name band featuring Jerome Chapman and "Reeney Rooney" Doug Gregg. There was an invitation from the Captain, William Vernon, to dine with him throughout the trip.

After disembarking at London I rented a bicycle and toured the countryside. In the village of Jerkshire I encountered Evan Scott, the mayor, smoking his pipe on the village green and listening to all and any complaints. With him were his three charming children. He informed me that the former Joanne Nowell was starring in an English musical drama named, "Crumpets, I Say," produced and directed by George See. Also in the cast were Lousan Krause and Mary Sofoulis who for ten years have had a song dance team.

From England I went to Europe. I had an interview (very formal) with the new ambassador to France, August Avoian, who likes his new position **and** La Belle France. In the village, Oui Oui, there is a new type of jet mobile that Harvey Hildre and Bob Larson have developed. It is quite the money making scheme, for it stops on a dime and gives 9c change. Down in Raviola, Italy, there were billboards advertising long, non-slippery, spaghetti. This idea was developed by Jack O'Connor.

I motored through the Swiss Alps and found Jim Rude heading a ski resort for the rich millionaires. He collects quite a bit on the side from his floor show of the three "Swiss Cuties". They used to be known as Rosie Doogan, Marilyn McAlister, and Gloria Gullufsen. Their specialty is a combination of bubble dancing and yodeling. Very effective!

I visited the ancient Parthenon in Athens, and there sitting on a broken column was my old friend Jim Smith. Smitty is now a famous poet and he was in a trance, communing with the gods so that he could finish his sonnet about Helen of Troy.

The urge to travel was again upon me and I headed for Russia. There I was held up at the border by a group of Cossacks. Their commander in chief was Walterovich Klewenoski who joined the Cossacks back in '66.

From Vladivostok I boarded a tramp steamer headed for Japan. There I looked up Herbie Mead and Denny Merritt who control all the rick-shaw companies in Tokyo. Herbie and Denny still play basketball and claim their good condition is due to pulling rick-shaws for ten minutes each day.

I stopped at the American Embassy and had a bottle of Soca-sake with my old friend, Harry Aase. He is now the only eight star general in the world and commands all the American forces in the Pacific.

Flash! I just picked up a newspaper on the streets in Pearl Harbor and the headlines told me that Roy Gray was about to do it again. It was his 10th attempt to reach the planet Femalia, rumored to be inhabited by beautiful women. Roy Gray's statement is as usual—"Femalia or Bust!"

I spent a lazy weekend on the pineapple and pearl plantation of Jerry Gucker and Jack Burford. They had numerous other guests and it seemed like "old times." There were Virginia Hutte, famous Parisian designer of the "keep it in your pocket" swim suit for women; Willy Long, founder of the Kickapoo Juice Factory, which has brought strength and muscles to many

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### Classes

### JUNIOR CLASS

Headed by Keith Weiss as president, Lois Hared as vice-president, Juanita Diaz as secretary, and Miss Alice Spurgin as advisor, the Junior Class had a very active year.

As usual, the biggest event of the year for the Juniors was the Junior Prom which was held April 11. Many who were present agreed that this was one of the best dances of the year.

The Junior Class also was in charge of decorating the gym for the commencement exercises. The gym and stage, which was covered with pine boughs, represented an outdoor scene.

Besides being active in class affairs, the Juniors had a large representation in the band, Glee Club and other organizations in school.

The Juniors also received class emblems this year which featured the class colors of blue and gold.



#### SOPHOMORE CLASS

At the beginning of the year, the Sophomore Class placed its affairs in the capable hands of Clifford Cole, who was elected president. Jim Tripp was elected vice-president, Beity Kelsey, secretary, and Jim Gleason treasurer.

The class was dissatisfied with its class colors of blue and white. By an unanimous decision, the colors were changed to red and white.

The Sophomore Class provided refreshments for the Student Mixer, held September 20, 1947. The Mixer was given in place of the individual class parties held in former years. The refreshments consisted of punch, doughnuts, and coca colas.

In October the designs for the class pennant and class emblems were chosen. Henrietta Burgh was appointed chairman of the committee for collecting the dues for the emblems.

Early in November, Miss Gertrude McSpedden sent for the pennant and badges. They arrived March 7, and many of them appeared soon after on the sleeves of coats and sweaters in the halls of J-High.



### FRESHMAN CLASS

Starting out their first year in J-High the class of '50 elected the following students to office: president, Willard Prouty; secretary, Bonnie Bell; treasurer, Rodger Pegues.

Instead of having the regular separate class parties in October as in the past, the classes had a combined student mixer. The freshmen decorated their corner of the gym with posters. Some of the more talented freshmen drew caricatures of their classmates on them. The posters caused quite a bit of laughter even to the dignified seniors.

The most important event of the freshman's year was their picnic. The bathing beach was the site, and reports indicate that everyone had a good time.

Mrs. Mary Weidner was the advisor until she resigned after second semester. Mrs. Charles Burdick then took over the advisorship.







Back Row: Anita Brown. Richard DeBoff, Mary Avoian, Earl Crass. Patricia Butler, Russel Beadle, Arlene Godkin.

Front Row: Barbara Gaunt, Richard Davis, Bonnie Chesney, Violet Dapcevich, Claire Folta, Don Foster, Juanita Diaz.

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Back Row: Charles Dennis, Bob Swanson, Keith Weiss, Eva Knappe, Paula Freimuth, Dick Wingerson, Jack Sorri, Dudley Smithberg.

Front Row: Rodney Williams, Francis Smith, Lois Hared, Marilyn Jewitt, Dick Garvin, Jim Trueblood, Minard Mill,

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Back Row: David Lonergan, Shirley Robinson, Robert Howell, Claire Olsen, Laurin Miller, Phillip Hukill.

Front Row: Bill Schmitz, Al Shaw, Harriet Maurstad, Bill Logan, Audrey Hill, Lloyd Reid, Herman Haffner.









### SOPHOMORE CLASS

Top Row: Gus Adams. Dallas Casperson, Jeanette Casperson, Catalino Barril, Mary Lou Paserson, Mae Dapcevich, Henrietta Burgh, Alice Jean Davis.

Bottom Row: Tom Burns. Beverly Earl. Clifford Cole. Dora Eldemar. Anna Barlow. Georgia Bednar, Sylvia Brenodahl. Jeanette Doucette.

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Top Row: Dolores Freimuth. Jack Lee, Jim Oleason, Bill Forward, Virgil Klinkhammer, Jerry Magorty, Betty Kelsey, Josephine Hared.

Bottom Row: Loretta Keithahn. Pat Garrett. Ken Johnson. Bob Lesher. Bill Johnson. Bill Graves. Dale Holland. Reginald Kleweno. Shirley Maloney. Ruth Larson.

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Top Row: Bernice Millivan. Gall Morrison, Jon Stewart. Ftanley Thompson. Charles Mc-Ciellan. Leo Osterman. Harold Sunderland. Carol Olion. Grace Satko.

Bottom Row: Sheila Mac-Spadden. Mary Thibodeau. Ed Krause. John Monagle, Jim Tripp. Tom Hughes. Denny Gallagher. Joann Monagle. Pat Oakes. Shirley Elstead.









### FRESHMAN CLASS

Top Row: Raymond Robertron. Sharon Sharpe, Rodser Perues Willard Prouty, Barry VanSandt, James Sofoulis, Florence McCoy, Richard Treffers, Marvin Rhodes, Glen Mielke.

Bottom Row: Bill Sperling, Barbara Reid Joann Babin, James Rurch, Alice Tanaka, Terry Pegues, Jean Tanner, Dan Kunz,

Top Row: Harry Brensdahl. Anna M. Ebona. Betty Forward, Lois Fossum. Jean Boddy. Edwin Heisel. Robert Haffner. Jerry Darlins. Ken Danzer. Erwin Butts.

Bottom Row: Don Preimuth, Milton Furness, Donna Carver, Lillie Allen, Katherine Bavard, Bonnie Bell, Josephine Hared, Vera Fryer, Edward Brostrom, Stanley Beadle, George Barril,

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Top Row: Betty Martin, Pat Jones. Muriel Milnes. Bill Keep, Carmen Mantyla. Phoebe Lozan, Mary Lou Mix. Robert Mackinsky. Leonard Matthews. Donna Olds.

Bottom Row: Sally McCrea. Roberta Messerschmidt. Carol MacDonald. Edward Mercado. Charlotte Mason. Thomas Horn, Mary Johnson. Jean Hermle. Virginia Johnson.











### Basketball

Juneau High School's Crimson Bears finished their basketball season this year with flying colors. For the second straight year now Juneau High walked off with the Southeastern Alaska Championship by defeating Petersburgh High. The Crimson Bears also won the Gastineau Channel Championship from Douglas High, and last of all, they agoin captured the City League tournament. Juneau lost two games this year out of twenty-one. Both of these games were lost by small margins. Juneau's first defeat was against Mike's Place of Douglas and secondly, the Bears fell to the hands of the Ketchikan All-Star who participated in the Gold Medal tournament which was held in Juneau this year. Besides the three championships, the Crimson Bears also beat the Alumni and won the Sitka High School series.

A goal of 1,000 points this year was the hope of the team all through the season. Their hopes became true as they scored 1,039 points as compared to the 996 made by the Crimson Bears last year. The opponents scored 628 points this season against the team. This makes an average of 49.5 per game for the Crimson Bear and 29.8 per game for the opponents.

This year there were nime teams in the City League. The teams that were in the tournament were: Moose, Imperial, P. A. A. Clippers, Signacs (A. C. S.), Darnell's, Veterans, Mike's Place in Douglas, Douglas High School and Juneau High. The only team that beat Juneau in the City League was Mike's Place by the score of 25 to 20. This was one of the two losses by Juneau High.

The people of Juneau this year enjoyed a lot of good basketball. One big event was the Gold Medal tournament held here in which 28 teams participated. The outside towns that were represented in the tournament were: Ketchikan, Petersburg, Wrangell, Sitka, Douglas, and Juneau town teams.

This tournament was started by Delbert Hanks with the help of several business men here in Juneau. Petersburg Wasvick and Torwick team won the tournament. It is hoped that these team competitions will continue each year. Although Juneau lost out in the games by losing to the Ketchikan All-Stars, 39 to 38, Juneau High was paid a great tribute when the center, Herbie Mead, was given the award as the most outstanding player of the tournament. Other Juneau High boys who received awards were Denny Merritt, who was placed

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### PERSONAL BOX SCORES

Plcyer	Gomes	F.G.	F.T.	F.T.M.	P.F.		P.G.
Aase	21	89	32	16	36	194	9.2
Mead	21	141	55	30	35	312	14.8
Merritt	21	80	28	10	23	170	8.1
O'Connor	20	54	25	11	14	119	6.0
Rude	21	37	40	11	34	85	4.0
Sanford	19	28	14	5	19	61	3.1
	14	6	1	Ő	4	12	0.9
Larson	14	7	i	Ő	6	14	1.0
Smithberg	10	0	ŝ	2	13	18	1.4
Graves	10	07	5	2	6	16	1.2
Logan	13	7	0	0	2	14	2.3
Schmitz		2	9	1	2	5	2.0
Sonderland		2	2		4 2	7	0.5
Sperling		3	2		0	-	1.0
Williams		2	1	1	2	5	1.6
Adams	2	2	0	0	-	4	1.9
McClellan	4	1	1	0	1	2	1.2
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Top Row: Robert Lesher. Bill Schmitz, Rodney Williams, Harold Sonderland, Bill Graves, Gus Adams, Bill Sperling, Robert Sanford, Robert Larson, Rodger Pegues, Duane Hogue. Sitting: Coach Avrit, William Logan, James Rude, Harry Aase, Jack O'Connor, Herbert Mead, Denny Merritt, Dudley Smithberg.

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### Scores for the 1946-47 Basketball Season

We	Opponent	They
41	Alumni	. 31
41	Moose	. 16
37	Imperial	. 22.
48		. 21
73	Signacs (A. C. S.)	. 25
20	Mike's	. 25
49		. 18
38		. 29
40		. 31
46	P. A. A. "Clippers"	. 32
55	Sitka High	. 25
66	Sitka High	. 30
61		. 32
57		. 30
52	Sheldon Jackson J. C.	. 44
54	Ketchikan C. G.	. 37
38		. 39
49	Moose	. 38
53	Petersburg High	. 33
71	Petersburg High	. 40
50	Imperial	. 30



### Southeastern Alaska Championship Playoff

For the second straight year, the Juneau High Crimson Bears captured the Southeastern Championship by defeating Petersburg two straight games. Juneau High represented the northern division and was host to Petersburg this year. Coach Wingard brought ten players and two managers. There was an unusually large crowd to see the two high schools play their series in the Juneau gym. The games were played at night time on March 6 and and March 7. The referees for the series were Ed Hildre and Delbert Hanks.

Many people believed that both Petersburg and Juneau had good teams but that Petersburg was still inexperienced and the players were young. Juneau, with many veteran players, had little trouble in subduing the out of town team.

In the first game, Juneau played fast ball and made every basket count, running the score up to 25-11 at the end of the first half. In the second half the Vikings came out on the count determined to beat the Crimson Bears, but they didn't quite have the stuff as Juneau rolled over the Petersburg five in the first game by the score of 53-33.

The second game was just about as exciting as the first game, since Juneau High led the Vikings in the game by the score of 71-40. At the end of the game, Mr. A. B. Phillips presented the Southeastern Alaska cup to the winners, which were Juneau High, and the captain, Herb Mead, received the award. Juneau has now won the award in 1928, 1933, 1937, 1941, 1946, and 1947, a total of six seasons. Let's hope that Juneau High will win the award many more times in the years to come.



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on the second all-tourney team and Harry Aase, who was named on the all-tourney third team.

This year, the Crimson Bears did not do any traveling. Juneau remained on its home court to play its games. The high schools that traveled to Juneau this season were Sitka High School, which Juneau beat both times; and also, Petersburg High School whom they played for the Southeastern Championship.

Being new to the school this year, Coach Avrit had to overcome such problems as, how many should be on the team?, are the letter men any good?, and other problems which usually confront an athletic coach new to a school.

To decide who was to make the team, Coach Avrit decided on Intrumurals for the boys, and from there he would choose his players for the varsity. Sixteen boys were chosen and these boys worked together with the coach to bring Juneau another champion team this year. Coach Avrit stated that this was the finest bunch of boys he ever worked with, and he wished the best of luck to them when they go on to college.

The cheerleaders and the school spirit is what helped the Crimson Bears a lot to win, and the team is grateful for Juneau High's support.

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### GIRLS' RIFLE CLUB

Top Row: Anita Brown, Roma Fargher, Violet Dapcevich, Eileen Nelson, Henrietta Burgh, Sheila MacSpadden, Mae Dapcevich.

Bottom Row: Lois Hared, Loretta Keithahn. Lily Ann Maurstad, Gloria Gullufsen, Diane Hunsbedt, Lois Nicholson, Claire Folta.

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### BOYS' RIFLE CLUB

First Row: Charles McCiellan. Bill Schmitz, Keith Weiss, Earl Crass. Jim Vuille, Buddy Hunter. Duane Hogue, August Avolan.

Second Row: Jerry Gucker. Al Shaw. Francis Smith, Lloyd Reid, Wally DeBoff. Roy Gray. Richard Davis.

Third Row: Dave Sperling. Harvey Hildre, Jack O'Connor. Doug Boddy. Robert Larsen. Jim Rude. Don Foster, Denny Merritt.

Sitting: George See.

### **Rifle Clubs**

With a combined membership of forty-one, the Boys' and Girls' Rifle Clubs have had an exceptionally active year.

Throughout the school year instructions on positions and general safety precautions regarding the handling of firearms was under the direction of the advisor, Mr. Henry Harmon.

Those members, of both clubs, who gained recognition as the best shots are Anita Brown, Claire Folta, Lois Nicholson, Bud Reid, Roy Gray, Richard Davis, August Avoian, and Earl Crass.

In order to raise money to defray expenses of shells and gun parts, the group sold hot dogs and pop at basketball games.

As in other years there was the traditional joint feed at the end of the school year. At this feed old members of both organizations were treated as special guests.

Presidents of both clubs were Doug Boddy and Diane Hunsbedt. The secretaries were Anita Brown and Keith Weiss.







#### G. A. A.

First Row: Perry Forward. hirley Elstead, Shirley Maloney, leanette Doucette, Alice Davis. leanette Casperson, Arleen God-in, Muriel Milness, Katherine lavard. Roberta Messersch onnie Bell.

Second Row: Donna Olda Ruth Larson, Violet Dapcevich Elleen Nelson, Henrietta Burgh Sharlotte Mason, Betty Marti Ann M. Ebona, Loretta Ke sahn, Gall Morrison. Ann M.

Third Row: Carol MacDonald, Mae Dapcevich, Betty Kelsey, Carol Olson, Grace Satko, Anita Brown, Alice Tanaka, Barbara Gaunt, Dora Eldemar, Mary Thibodeau, Phoebe Logan.

Fourth Row: Carmen Mantyla, Jean Hermle. Barbara Reid. Vera Fryer, Josephine Hared. Donna Carver. Miss Grant. Katherine Stevens. Sally Mc-Crea. Sheila MacSpadden. Alice Datis Pat Low. Davis, Pat Jones

#### OFFICE GIRLS

Top Row: Marilyn Jewett, Lily Ann Maurstad, Gloria Gulluf-sen. Pat Oakes, Rosie Doogan.

Bottom Row. Arleen Godkin. Eileen Nelson. Margaret Burch. Claire Polia. Julia Sakagami.

### G. A. A.

The Girls' Athletic Association, known by almost everyone as G. A. A., put forth an exceptionally fine and a very active season. The organization puts out its own brand of athletics and has made many a strong girl out of a "small fry."

The year's activities started with volleyball and ended with badminton this spring. Other sports included in this year's program were basketball, pingpong, shuffle-board and a little tumbling. 2.2

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### Office Girls

The office girls working in Mr. Phillips' office are as follows: first hour-Rosemary Doogan, second hour-Mae Dapcevich, fourth hour-Betty Allen and Gail Morrison, sixth hour—Betty Allen.

The office girls working in Mr. Harmon's office are as follows: first hour-Claire Folta and Lily Ann Maurstad, second hour-Pat Oakes, third hour-Gloria Gullufsen, fourth hour-Margaret Burgh and Julia Sakagami, fifth hour-Pat Garret, sixth hour—Arleen Godkin,

