

The

Wastoka

1948

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WASTOKA

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The Senior Class
of
Wasta High School
Wasta, South Dakota

Dedication

We the senior class of 1948 wish to dedicate the 1948 Wastoka to Mrs. Hilda R. Keyser, who has helped us endlessly throughout the year with our work, plays and social activities.

FACULTY



*"God send"
E.S.P.*

ELMER S. PIERCE
Superintendent
Commerce, Mathematics

B.S. - Louis Institute
L.L.B. - Chicago Kent School
of Law
M.A. - Columbia University
Graduate Work - University of
Southern California and Univer-
sity of California



WAYNE R. WALLIS
Athletics, Social Science

B.S. - Northwestern Uni-
versity of Ill.



MRS. HILDA R. KEYSER
Music, English

B.A. - University of
South Dakota

*Best wishes for her
graduation in 1949
from the University of
Illinois*

Dear Larry
Friendship is a very
nice thing. I hope you
will always remember me
as a friend. You'll make
a good athlete Larry.

NOT PICTURED

DORIS MARKS
Upper Grades

Southern State Normal

Don't stop now.
Sincerely,
Wayne R Wallis

JULIA M. HALL
Lower Grades

Eastern State Normal

Best wishes,
Doris M. Marks

*Dear Larry,
Congratulations on
eighth grade
graduation! May
you have much
success in
continuing in
school.
Sincerely,
Hilda R. Keyser*

CLASS

Of 1918



Class Flower -- White Rose

Class Motto -- Deeds Not Dreams

Colors -- Blue and Silver

Valedictorian
Elizabeth C. Land

Salutatorian
Dorla Fahrni



Harold Corsaut -- "Dutch"
"One of those individuals characterized as a good sport."

Nemaha, Iowa 1-2-3. Wasta and Nemaha
4. Basketball 1-2-3-4. Kittenball
1-2-3-4. Plays 3-4.

Dorla Fahrni -- "Dorla"
"Look out, I'll do something sensational yet."

W-H-S 1-2-3-4. Glee Club 1-3-4.
Hi-Lights staff 2-3-4. Wastoka editor
4. Wastoka staff 2-3. G.A.A.
1-3-4. Plays 3-4. Cheerleader 3.
Class Secretary-Treasurer 3-4.



David Deering -- "Bud"
"He makes a specialty of being good-natured."

W-H-S 1-2-3-4. Basketball 1-3-4.
Football 4. Kittenball 1-3-4.
Class President 2.

Don't worry, just about it, make it, are hope you study harder than I did they you'd know for sure unless your time comes me I'm not sure. Well good luck and later if you need in your high school

Janice Hall -- "Jan"
 "No one can enjoy life alone."

W-H-S 1-3-4. Rapid City and Wasta 2.
 Girls Athletics 3-4. Glee Club 1-3-4.
 Class President 3. Hi-Lights staff 1-3-4.
 Wastoka staff 2. Plays 2-3-4.



Martin Moore -- "Mert"
 "He would work hard to get out of work."

W-H-S 1-3-4. Lead 2. Basketball 1-3-4.
 Football 4. Kittenball 1-3-4. Plays 3-4.
 Glee Club 3. Hi-Lights staff 3. Wastoka staff 3+4.

Dear Betty, Here I am leaving high school and hope just beginning. You know as I have a best summer out at Pineville today. Remember Betty good times. We had some success to Best of luck and a damn nice kid and a good k.b. Always Betty

Elizabeth Land -- "Betsy"
 "A good word and a smile for every one."

W-H-S 4. Spearfish 1-2. Rapid City 3.
 Hi-Lights editor 4. Wastoka staff 4.
 Pine Needle staff 3. Glee Club 2-4.
 G.A.A. 1-2-4. Band 1-2. Play 4.
 Home Ec. Club 1-2. Quill and Scroll 3.
 Class President 4. Student Council President 4.



CLASS OF '49



Class Flower
Red Rose

Class Motto
Climb, though the rocks be rugged.

Colors
Red and Silver

Hi "Kiddo"

Well here you are nearly
in high school - Are you glad?
I'll bet some of the girls will
be glad whenever you go to school
Good Luck - in your basketball
playing and for the rest of your
life
Always a friend
Joyce



Joyce Temple
President

Well Larry, I hope that
you have a lot of fun in
the rest of your school
years and that you make
as good a basketball play-
er as I would have liked
to be.



Darrell Meader

Best of
luck,
Darrell
Meader

Dear Larry
It has been nice
knowing you for the
past years. I'll bet you'll
be glad when you get into
high school. Hope you
luck in basketball and
in your future year.
Erma



Erma Harwood
Vice-President

Dear Larry,
Just remember the
swell times here in
Hasta! Will Lotza Luck
in the future!
As Ever
Agnes



Thomas Haskell

Dear Larry,
Just remember
me as a friend
a pal.
TOMMY



Agnes Wieser
Secretary-Treasurer

CLASS

Of

'50



Dear Larry,
 Lots of luck
 to you in high-
 school and basketball
 and in the future.
 A friend,
 Judy



Judith Printz
 President

Dear Larry,
 Good luck to a
 future high-
 school student
 next year, and
 good luck in
 basketball.
 Sincerely,
 Joyce



Joyce Deering



Joy Land
 Vice-President

Dear Larry
 It has been nice
 knowing you this
 past year. Remember
 all of our good times
 last summer.
 a pal,
 Jay



George Harwood

Johnny Trople is not
 pictured in the fol-
 lowing groups: Lower
 class play, basketball,
 football, Hi-Lites
 staff, student council.



Johnny Trople
 Secretary-Treasurer

Dear Larry,
 It has been
 nice knowing
 you all these
 years we
 have been
 in school
 together.
 Good luck
 Larry

CLASS

Of

'51



Dear Larry,

I'll remember you as one of our good little basketball players.

Remember at N.S. and some of our exciting basketball games

Best of luck

to a good job

Betty

Dear Larry,
Lots of happiness
in your future
Betty



Barbra Temple
President



Marguerite Corsaut



Dorothy Corsaut



Kathryn Wieser
Vice-President



Anna Mae Fahrni



Wilma Harwood



Neal Lurz
Secretary-Treasurer

PUBLICATIONS



HI-LIGHTS STAFF

Back Row N. Lurz, E. Harwood, J. Deering, A. Wieser, D. Deering,
D. Meader, Mrs. Keyser.
Front Row M. Moore, J. Hall, D. Fahrni, K. Wieser, B. Land,
J. Temple, J. Land.



WASTOKA STAFF

Back Row J. Temple, Mrs. Keyser, D. Meader, A. Wieser.
Front Row B. Land, D. Fahrni, M. Moore.

ATHLETICS



Back Row Coach Wallis, L. Lytle, T. Haskell, N. Lurz
Front Row G. Harwood, H. Corsaut, D. Deering, M. Moore, D. Meader



G. Harwood, T. Haskell, H. Corsaut, D. Deering, M. Moore, D. Meader,
 N. Lurz, Coach Wallis

G.A.A.



Back Row B. Temple, J. Temple, B. Land, D. Corsaut, J. Deering
A. Wieser, K. Wieser, J. Hall, D. Fahrni.
Front Row A. Fahrni, J. Printz, J. Land, Mr. Wallis, P. Corsaut,
E. Harwood, W. Harwood.



GRADE BASKETBALL
Back Row J. Gravatt, G. Land, J. Perovich, J. Burmiester,
D. Ferguson, H. Lurz
Front Row D. Corsaut, J. Cooper, J. Mayer, F. Anderson,
L. Lentz, not pictured-L. Corsaut

PEP SQUAD

Handwritten note:
 How good
 to see
 the
 Pep Squad



Back Row J. Printz, D. Corsaut, P. Corsaut, J. Deering, P. Perovich,
 A. Wieser, B. Land, K. Wieser
Middle Row D. Fahrni, L. Mieners, M. Gishwiller, L. Burmaster,
 W. Harwood, A. Fahrni, J. Hall
Front Row J. Temple, E. Harwood, J. Land, B. Temple



Joyce Temple, Erma Harwood, Joy Land, Bobby Temple.

STUDENT COUNCIL



Back Row N. Lurz, Mr. Pierce, D. Meader, B. Temple.
Front Row D. Deering, J. Temple, B. Land, J. Printz.



CHORUS

Back Row N. Lurz, A. Wieser, J. Deering, D. Meader, D. Corsaut,
 B. Land, P. Corsaut.
Middle Row Mr. Wallis, W. Harwood, A. Fahrni, E. Harwood, J. Hall,
 A. Fahrni, Mrs. Keyser.
Front Row K. Wieser, J. Land, z, B. Temple, J. Temple.

PLAY CASTS



LOWER CLASS PLAY

N. Lurz, J. Printz, Mrs. Keyser, B. Temple, J. Land



SENIOR PLAY

Back Row M. Moore, D. Deering, H. Corsaut, Mrs. Keyser
Front Row D. Fahrni, J. Hall, B. Land

SNAP SHOTS





*Just me
and
my
girl*

Haystack Frizzleback, we know how to yell

We're the guys that make the noise

And beats them all to

Yea Flyers Yea Flyers

Yea Yea Yea!



You haven't got the rythm!
You haven't got the jazz!
You haven't got the pep!
That WASTA has!



Hitchy Kootchy, Hitchy Kootchy
Sis Boom Bah!
Shoot a basket, make a basket
Rah Rah Rah!



*Just me
and
my
girl*

CLASS PROPHECY

Listen, my friends and you shall hear,
How the seniors scattered from far to near.
'Twas the fourteenth of May in '48
That this grand class did graduate.

They'd studied hard and worked, I'm told
For their school and their colors, blue and gold.
Then they started out as on shining wings,
Their hopes held high to do great things.

I was traveling in 1958
From Florida back to my own home state.
And just as the plane rose to the skies,
I saw Betsy Land, a great surprise.

She greeted me warmly and took my hand,
But blushed when she said "My name's no longer Land.
My husband and I have just begun
Co-editorship on the New York Sun."

She told me that she had lately been
To South Dakota and there she had seen
Another old classmate, Janice Hall,
Happily married and living in Wall.

She was busily washing and baking bread,
"Six boys make lots of work," she said,
She gets to Rapid but once a year,
But the last time there, she happened to hear,
That David Deering is doing right well
With his sheep ranch, somewhere near Dalzell.
He's a bachelor too, such a lonesome life
That he recently advertised for a wife.

When Betsy and I went our separate ways,
We were glad to have talked over happy school days;
And I wondered just where the others could be,
And what they were doing. Well, we shall see.

While walking down a Chicago street,
Through the Saturday crowds, whom should I meet,
But Martin Moore, looking neat and trim
And he asked me at once to dine with him.

He is running a famous night club now,
He surely is coining the money and how!
He told me that Harold Corsaut was in town
Now a great engineer of wide renown.

Bridges and roads are only child's play
He'll change the course of the world some day.
Then I hopped on the plane Minneapolis bound
Where I stopped long enough for a look around,

A teacher's convention was in session then
And the place was quite full of wise women and men.
I stepped in the hall just to hear their blarney
When whom should I see but Dorla Fahrni.

CLASS WILL

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF "48"

To whom it may concern: Be it known on this, the 14th day of May, 1948, that we the Seniors of Wasta High School, being endowed with a sense of humor and swearing that we possess our right wits, do hereby bequeath and surrender to our worthy underclassmates the heretofore prized possessions:

HAROLD CORSAUT: bequeaths his willingness to study to Judy Printz providing she uses it to the best of her ability, and to Johnny Trople he bequeaths his "40" Ford sedan providing he takes a certain Peggy riding occasionally.

DAVID DEERING: bequeaths his height to George Harwood on condition he uses it in playing superior basketball, and to Joy Land he bequeaths his beloved bookkeeping book.

MARTIN MOORE: bequeaths his freckles to Peggy Corsaut and hopes they will be as becoming to her as they were to him, and to Neal Lurz he bequeaths his luck at skipping school providing he exercises it at least once a month.

ELIZABETH LAND: bequeaths her good grades to Darrell Meader providing he keeps them up, and to Agnes Wieser she bequeaths her long hair with the provision that she puts it up every night for the next year.

DORLA FAHRNI: bequeaths her short hair to Erma Harwood with the stipulation that she will give it a Toni permanent that will take and to Joyce Temple she bequeaths the right to use her Commercial Law book on condition that she studies her lessons faithfully.

JANIS HALL: bequeaths her luck at sleeping in class to Tommy Haskell providing he sleeps every day except Friday, and to Barbra Temple she bequeaths her right to go to Saturday night brawls.

SENIOR CLASS OF "48": bequeaths to the Seniors of "49" their right to sit in the last row, (always known as the senior row.)

The preceding will and testament must be carried out according to the specifications or the properties will immediately fall back into the hands of their original owners.

By Janis Hall

(Class Prophecy continued)

"Yes I'm teaching," she said "in a small western college,
Trying to lead the young folks to knowledge.
There's a handsome professor I think I may get,
But he's too absent minded to ask me as yet."

Again bound for home on the big airship,
I felt it had been a worthwhile trip.
T'was my last wild fling before I'm tied
To that beautiful lady, my mail order bride.

Now who am I? Oh, I'll never tell,
But there's money in sheep, out near Dalzell.

GRADES



GRAMMAR ROOM

Back Row S. Dustman, L. Lytle, P. Perovich, L. Burmiester,
L. Mieners
Middle Row J. Perovich, J. Cooper, J. Mayer, J. Burmiester
Front Row D. Cooper, S. Kindsvater, M. Gishwiller, C. Keyser,
V. Hayes



PRIMARY ROOM

Back Row D. Ferguson, L. Lentz, D. Corsaut, F. Anderson,
D. Dustman, G. Land, Mrs. Hall
Middle Row B. Dustman, L. Klebe, R. Burmiester, R. Lurz, M. Mayer,
M. Klebe, S. Perovich, R. Dustman
Front Row H. Lurz, J. Cooper, D. Burmiester, R. Lurz, M. Mayer,
J. Sieh, K. Kindsvater, J. Gravatt, .D. Land and B. Kindsvater,
Not Pictured.

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*Remember this
game Jan 11
to think we
really beat
Bobby
11/11/34*

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

