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**SENIORS SET PACE IN HONOR RATINGS**

"If at first you don't succeed, try, try again" was the motto F. H. S. students followed to increase the honor list for the second marking period.

The seniors headed the list with 21 students having a "B" average or better. They are: Louise Brown, Phyllis Bunge, Rose Marie Bybee, Ira Carley, Elizabeth Kroecker, Carolyn Early, Patricia Eversly, Jerry Fisher, Dolores Garvey, Marilyn Jones, Margaret Labadie, Mary Pagenkopf, John Pettibone, Doris Ray, Lawrence Scott, Paul Scherler, Romayne Slack, June Tyley, Marilyn Vivier, Eileen Whitehead, Marge Young.

Underclassmen doing superior work are: Juniors — Fred Allen, Anna Ferrelle, Betty Gerda, Yelma Goers, Dorothy Hawley, Betty Kneever, Lore Leddie, Margaret Maas, Richard Martindale, Fred McLean, Evelyn Nichols, Barbara Putman, Walter Stever, Sue Sugden, Richard Wheeler.

Sophomores — George Barron, John Boyce, Donna Bryan, Ida Carnevale, Frank Coon, Barbara Jones, Ann Plunton, Gladys Pyroia, Richard Schreiber, Sara Stuntz, Lee Tyley, Mary Welch, Isabel Weller.

Freshmen — Foster Aschenbrenner, Donald Bunge, Margaret Clapp, George Hayes, Barbara Howle, Sally Lutz, Gail Matdenn, Alice Miller, Gabriele Muhlberg, Rita Plett, Joan Sundt, Adeline Walters, Mary Weaver.

Eighth Graders — Josephine Brakke, Barbara Eichler, James Fannin, Carolyn Gayler, Doris Green, Geraldine Haskins, Geraldine Lombard, Eugene McCracken, Edna McKerracher, Donald Stephen.

Seventh Graders — Nancy Fisher, Merna Hurrett, Colleen Morris, Lawrence Plank, Gail Stackler, Gertrude White, Dorothy Cant. D.G.

**BLUE AND WHITE CHOOSES STAFF FOR 1948**

After seriously considering qualifications for the managing editor of a school paper, the Journalism class elected John Pettibone editor of the Blue and White, with Peggy Labadie as assistant editor.

News sources were analyzed and regular beats assigned to Rose Marie Bybee, who will cover publications; Phyllis Bunge, general news; Ira Carley, sports; Patte Perry, Student Council; Dolores Garvey, organizations; Frances Moore, roving reporter; Dolores Kroecker, criticism-reviews; Janet Pagenkopf, junior class; Doris Ray, music; June Tyley, Special assemblies; Ernie Tyley, sports; Marilyn Vivier, girls' athletics; Marge Young, human interest; and Peggy Labadie, alumni column.

The staff has expressed the desire to at least equal the record made by the '46-'47 staff, whose paper received an "International First Place" award from Quill and Scroll in their annual critical service conducted through the Journalism department of Northwestern University. R. M. B.

**RESERVES PREPARE FOR FIRST GAME**

The second team under the able coaching of James Davis is now hard at work on the hard wood for their first game at Wayne on December 5. The team is made up mostly of sophomores, with a few juniors and one freshman on the squad.

In the last two years the young Falcons have played 30 games. They have an impressive record of 29 wins and 1 loss. The loss was to an "A" class school in Detroit. Coach Davis says, "The team this year will have sufficient height, but the boys are inexperienced."

From latest reports the team will be made up of the following boys: at regular center Keith Wetland, junior, who played reserve end for the Falcon gridiron players; at the two forwards will be two more converted ends on the reserve football team — Lee Tyley and Dick Tupper, both sophomores; for the two positions at guard there is a fight. George Barron, the slinging second string quarterback has the one guard position served up, while Junior Bud Bryant and Sophomore Dick Louys are both putting in their bids for the other guard position.

Other boys on the squad who will see action this season are: Center Herb Deubel, Forward Jim Van Every, Center Clark Bates, Guard Jack Boyce, Guard B. Peeling, Forward Dick Martindale, and Foster Aschenbrenner (the only freshman on the team) making his bid at forward. E.T.

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Sports rank high in her favor. She likes basketball, football and baseball. At present, she is learning to golf. Although she enjoys all types of music, she prefers jazz. Sewing her own clothes is another one of her hobbies.

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**Student Council Picks Pep Boosters For '48**

Cheerleaders have been chosen by the Student Council to participate in future athletic contests. The first team consists of Virginia Harrington, Martha Orofino, Virginia Fryhoff, Esther Hupert and Jack Clark. A reserve team will be made up of the remaining twelve girls. Only the first team will travel to Wayne for the first basketball game of the season on December 3. They have formulated a new set of rules to improve cheerleading. M.V.

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