

# BASKETBALL BOUNCES WRONG WAY FOR TROJAN SENIORS

When the 1965-66 Wayzata basketball team began practice last winter, Coach Norm Schroeder was greeted by 12 players—11 of them seniors. Returning were Jim Winkler, Jim Speers, John Snowberg, Charlie Gudger, Tom Sween, Tory Stempf, all of whom lettered last year, also Cal Simmons, Don Hoeder, Mike Cornelius, and Arne Mitchell. Foreign student Paul Pasawat, from Thailand, and junior Terry Olson filled out the 12-man squad.

Jim Winkler, named to the Minneapolis Tribune All-Conference team, led all Trojan scorers for the second straight year with 274 points for a 13.7 average. Center Jim Speers was second with 237 points and a 13.5 point average, was named to the Coach's All-Lake Conference team, and served as co-captain with guard John Snowberg. Mike Cornelius also averaged in double-figures, scoring 203 points for a 10.2 average. Snowberg was the Trojan playmaker and aver-

aged over 8 points a game.

One thing not lacking was too little depth. A strong and experienced bench was led by guards Sween and Pasawat, forwards Stempf and Simmons, and center Gudger, all of whom logged considerable playing time during the season.

The season was highlighted by a 3-day trip to Ashland, Wisconsin, for two games during Christmas vacation. Most of the players look back on the season as being disappointing—disappointing to the coach, disappointing to the fans, and most of all, disappointing to themselves. However, the season was to all concerned very satisfying.

Next year, an inexperienced team will take the floor against the tough Lake Conference competition. Terry Olson and the balance of this year's B-squad, who posted a 5-13 record this year under the able coaching of Dick Hanley, will make up that team and look for a good season.



1965-66 TROJAN BASKETBALL TEAM—l-r: Dick Jubert, John Snowberg, Terry Olson, Don Hoeder, Jim Winkler, Jim Speers, Coach Norm Schroeder, Mike Cornelius, Cal Simmons, Tory Stempf, Tom Sween, Paul Pasawat. Missing: Charlie Gudger.