

Trojans Hit Football's Ups and Downs

The Trojans opened their season on Sept. 23 by dumping Notre Dame, Sask., Canada, 33-0. This is a good way to start out a season. After crushing Notre Dame, the Trojans lost to Hibbing J. C. here on Sept. 29 and dropped another hard-fought game to Mesabi J. C. at Virginia. The locals' defense was tough, but MSJC's quickest half-back was hard to stop and hit many times for gains. That night the Trojans offense was poor, few running plays gained much yardage, and far too many passes were lost. To add to these problems were offside penalties and fumbles. Fine punting by Clem Zach kept Tech out of a lot of trouble.

On Oct. 21 the Trojans traveled to Grand Rapids and lost a very close heartbreaker. The score was 6 to 6 after a few minutes of play, and this deadlock went on. By the fourth quarter the Trojans led the Vikings 34-33. Then a Viking touchdown put Tech under, 39-34. During the fourth quarter came the turning point of the game. A

102-yard T. D. was called back because of a clipping charge against Tech. With two more touchdowns by the Itasca J. C. the Trojans were defeated 46-34. On Nov. 4 the squad dropped its last game of the season to Worthington State, 32-0. Despite the score, this was still an aggressive game by the Trojans. Worthington is ranked seventeenth in the nation among junior colleges.

Thirty Tech football players were honored Nov. 15 at convocation. Six of the group who received two-year letters, took part in choosing the first lettermen's jackets.

Sept. 23	Trojans 33	Notre Dame (Sask.)	0
Sept. 28	Trojans 20	Hibbing JC	34
Oct. 5	Trojans 0	Mesabi JC	18
Oct. 14	Trojans 7	Willmar JC	41
Oct. 21	Trojans 34	Itasca JC	46
Oct. 26	Trojans 13	Vermilion JC	19
Nov. 4	Trojans 0	Worthington JC	32



Upper Left: Fall Cheerleaders, Glenda Vignes, Judy Jessen, and Nancy Beresford, work to get enthusiasm from the bleachers. Above: The long white line gets into shape by running in circles. Left: The Trojans attempt the extra point at the Vermilion game.