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A tree,
Old and tall,
Still green after years and years,
It has survived.
It has survived the storm and sun,
The good and the bad;
Just as our nation has survived
For the last two hundred years.
We've struggled through the storm of depression and war,
The sun of the gay nineties and the roaring twenties,
The good and the bad,
We have survived.
Our tree, as do all,
Started as a small, young sapling.
Our nation, as did our tree,
Started as an unexplored wilderness. But like our tree,
It grew and expanded. We now had thirteen buds, thirteen colonies.
But we were still in the prime of life.
Little did we know the hardships still in store,
The heartaches,

## The depressions,

The wars.
we fought and struggled

## As did our little tree, still a sapling.

 It fought for life.The older trees tried to shut him out. He had high hopes,
He reached for the sky and caught the sun. Just as bigger, older trees tries to strangle him,
The more experienced nations Tried to smother us
So we would wither and die. We had a good start.
We were on our way,
And we would go far.
We fought for independence
And we got it.
But yet, deep inside,
A litule worm was eating us away,
A worm of unrest and dissatisfaction.
This little worm brought about a great civil war.
But, as always,

## We destroyed that little worm

Before he could destroy us.
We were, by now, a steady firm tree
With good strong roots.
But could those roots survive yet more war?
The two world wars,
The Korean war, the Vietnam war?

## We have survived;

We now have two hundred rings on our trunk,
With still many more to add.

Holding its branches high towards heaven, Its fifty branches with its millions
Of people, of leaves and buds.
Bugs occasionally infested the tree
As did the depression and Communist scares.
But it survived.
It is standing tall
As the Statue of Liberty,
Trying and succeeding, to look as though
It has as much power
And then some.

## The roots

Support the trunk, the branches, the leaves
Just as our government supports us,
The people.
It keeps us in the right
So we may not stray or die needlessly. it keeps us straight;
We should use our tree as an example.
As you see,
Our tree has survived,
And so will the nation.
But, unlike our tree,
A nation with a past history such as ours
Cannot fall.
It cannot die.
It may, on occasion, wither slightly,
But our firm roots will hold us upright
As it has for the last two hundred years
And the many, many years to come.
It will continue.
And so will we,
Learning from our precious memories
And our nation's history.
So walk with your heads held high.
Be proud,
For we are a community, a nation,
And together we will commemorate the past,

## Celebrate the present,

Commit ourselves to the future.
Remember,
Look forward today
To tomorrow's future.
We as individuals will pass on,
But we must continue passing on
Our wisdom,
our knowledge.
So the nation
With its youth
And new leaves
May forever live
In peace, happiness, contentment.
We, as the tree, have survived.

The trunk
Stood firm and erect,


## HISTORY OF AUGUSTA HIGH SCHOOL

In 1873 a frame building was erected on Main Street where the high school now stands. It was a graded school until a number of years later when it was organized as a high school. In 1880 two people graduated from this school - the first two.

In 1903, a brick building was erected to replace the old frame school. In 1918 the annexes of the high school were built. On May 21, 1921, the building was partly destroyed by fire.

In 1954, a new addition was built to provide a gym, and additional classrooms. In 1972, a vocational building was erected near the elementary building to provide room for auto mechanics, ag and industrial arts.

Classrooms have been shifted from time to time and walls were removed to enlarge rooms, but basically the building has remained the same until the Industrial Commission condemned it last year and now we can look to the future and a new building located at the site of the vocational building.

## BOYS BASKETBALL 1911-12



## TEAM MEMBERS:

Clayton Chrysler, Donavon O'Brien, Clarence Pfefferkorn, Eslie Hilts, Willis Teare, Rob Levy.
Basketball has always been the leading activity at Augusta, and is today occupying its full share of interest in the school. The six men played aggressive ball, thus leading to a very successful season. Their efforts proved to be fruitful and rewarding, both for the players and for the fans. All of the games played during the season of the 1911-12 were well attended and a great deal of yelling and singing took place.

## 1905 AUGUSTA BAND



FRONT ROW: Drummers - Low Stevens, George Devine. SECOND ROW: Chancey Tainter, Lee Douglas, Clint Bride, Bruce Clark, Harry Williams, Kyle Dauffenbauch. BACK ROW: Morrell Shaver, Henry Rick, Howard Baker, Vern Sawyer, Henry Schroeder, Earl Bahr, Harry Hilts.
MR. HATCH, PRINCIPAL and DIRECTOR.
This year, 1905, the Augusta High School Senior Band under the direction of Mr, Hatch, who also held the position of Principal. The 15 piece band had 2 drummers, 2 clarinets, 3 trombones, and 4 cornets. Mr. Hatch helped the band out at times by playing his clarinet. All in all, we can say that they had a very musical year.

## STUDENTS CELEBRATE BICENTENNIAL

This year a new organization was added to the list of extra-curricular activities. The Bicentennial Club has a total membership of 118 . Because of the large size, they found it almost impossible to meet as one group so they divided into smaller committees, each with its own chairman. The costume committee successfully planned and sewed 'fife and drum' costumes for three volunteers to be worn at the home basketball games. Also planned for the games were, the Bicentennial pom-pom girls, with their red, white, and blue pom-poms, who performed with the assistance of the pep band. The art committee designed and painted a large map of the United States in the lower hall across from the teachers' lounge. Fire hydrants and garbage cans were painted and Fourth of July festivities were being planned.


OFFICERS
Ray Wallace - Secretary-Treasurer Brenda Anibas - Chairperson Mrs. Mary Palm - Advisor


ROW 1: L. Mierow, M. Gabler, B. Arries, T. Grunewald, K. Hatch, T. Arndt, S. Pederson, D. Marcellis, L. Kiefer, D. Yadron. ROW 2: A. Mierrow, W. Wilkinson, C. Schmidt, H. McCord, S. Skoug, R. Weiss, A. Tallman, B. Raether, M. Johnson, J. Dickinsen. ROW 3: R. Harke, M. Budimlija, N. Starck, M. Shong, S. Ida, M. Rosentreter, D. Works, A. Steadman, A. LeMere, C. Aníbas. ROW 4: A. Bertram, K. Grimms, T. Pulse, B. Briesemeister, J. Smith, S. Arndt, S. Harden, M. Kaeding, B. Stanek, A. Taylor.


ROW 1:L. Fouts, S. Silvernail, J. Berry, D. Smith, B. Strauch, J. Schultz, L. Becker, S. Silvernail, T. Smith, B. Travis. ROW 2: R. Quick, D. Boettcher, V. Bohl, L. Taylor, D. Muszynski, E. Pettis, D. Sell, D. Hall, M. Johnston. ROW 3: M. Thode, H. West, M. Travis, S. Rindah1, T. Luedtke, L. Berlin, J. Piel, S. Larson, T. Hilmanowski. ROW 4: D. Hoffman, D. Gerike, T. Doan, L. Grams, J. Hadorn, M. Ball, J. Krueger, J. Beettcher, J. Knuth.


ROW 1: M. Weeks, G. Cloud, D. Sell, J. Gilbertson, C. Schmidt, N. Timm, D. Rupprecht, J. Spiering, C. Smith, M. Smith, R. Rineck ROW 2: B. Smith, D. Barka, C. Rupprecht, T. Turner, D. Muszynski, D. Herrick, P. Luedtke, M. Zimbauer, A. Timm, S. Silvernail. ROW 3: J. Wolfgang, J. Bodza, P. Shong, S. Geske, J. Luedtke, R. Pederson, M. Dalton, J. Anderson, V. Lange, J. Weiss. ROW 4: K. Rupprecht, K. Weiss, B. Sieg, L. Timm, B. Anibas, J. Kunz, C. Frankenburger, K. Barka, J. Lee, M. Rosentreter,


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## ADMINISTRATORS ARE OUR LEADERS



MR. JAMES LARSON, Superintendent


MR. THOMAS YENNING, Principal


SEATED: G. Stanek, G. Lee. STANDING: A Sudbrink, G. Smith, M. Thode.

## SPECIAL TEACHERS HELP

Many people play a part in our education without being in front of the classroom. Mrs. Ruth Harden, guidance counselor, helps students plan their schedules and deal with many problems of all students. Mrs. Kathryn Bugher runs the library. These two people started a career awareness program this year where the ins and outs of many careers are presented to the students. Mr. Norman Hoyme presents traffic education behind the wheel. Mr. Ron Doering helps students special needs. He teaches as well as guides their schedules.


MR. NORMAN HOYME


MRS. RUTH HARDEN


MRS. KATHRYN BUGHER


MR. RONALD DOERING

## COMMUNICATION SKILLS RANK AT TOP OF LIST FOR FUTURE

The English Department is one of the busiest places at A.H.S. Every student passes through the hands of the teachers in this department. Besides the many and varied courses offered, the department also has charge of drama and forensics.


MRS. MARY PALM


MRS. ARLENE RADTKE


MRS. DONA WILSON


Hard at work?


MRS. YVONNE SILVERNAIL


MRS. BARBARA NELSON


## SOCIAL STUDIES GIVES KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING

The Social Studies department at Augusta studies history from many angles. Mr. Anderson and Mr. Crowe teach World and U.S. History while Mr. Fitzsimmons and Mr. Tlusty teach the necessary social skills for the present and the future, such as taxes, as well as learning how to get along with other people in Sociology, Minorities, and Psychology.


MR. RICHARD ANDERSON


MR. TOM FITZSIMONS


MR. TOM CROWE


MR. ROGER TLUSTY

## MATH AND SCIENCE SKILLS DEVELOPED FOR EVERYDAY LIVING AND CAREERS

Math and Science classes at A.H.S. develop skills needed by all of us in our everyday life. Mrs. Granros, Mr. Kardin, and Mrs. Osborn deal with the Science area while Mr. Jacobson, Mrs. Harriman and Mrs. Smiley teach all levels of Math.


MR. MERLIN KARDIN


MR. DAVID JACOBSON


MRS. ELSIE SMILEY


MRS. LUCILLE GRANROS


MRS. ROBERTA HARRIMAN


MRS. LYNDA OSBORN

## HOME EC AND BUS. ED. TEACH SKILLS

This year substituting for Mrs. McGown who is on a maternity leave, is Mrs. Jill Rybak. The Home Economics department offers clothing, food, child care, and consumers ed., as well as classes in family living. She is also F.H.A. advisor.

The business department headed by Mrs. Juanita Buchholz, consists of shorthand, typing, office practice, bookkeeping, and recordkeeping. These subjects offer students preparation for careers for after graduation.


Bob attacks the machine.


MRS. JILL RYBAK, Home Ec


MRS. JUANITA BUCHHOLZ, Bus. Ed.


Concentrate


Recordkeeping requires adding.

## VOCATIONAL COURSES LEAD TO A CAREER

Three fellows lead the learning activities at the Vocational Building. Mr. David Gavin teaches the Voc. Ag. classes as well as having home visits to help with problems arising in their Ag projects. Mr. David Rybak leads the industrial arts people as well as American Industry and pre-building trades. Mr. Don Anderson teaches the Auto Mechanics capstone course which deals with other schools besides ours, as well as some classes for just A.H.S. students . . .


MR. DAVID RYBAK


Dave works on farm machinery.


MR. DON ANDERSON

Wait for the film.


MR. DAVID GAVIN

## FINE ARTS SHOW CREATIVITY

Mr. Gary Thorsen is head of the art department. He has helped bring out the creativity in many students. He also teaches night classes to the adults in the community.

This year we started a bicentennial club, which organized a halftime flag carrying trio. Lisa Fouts on Piccialo, Al Tallman on drums, and Tom Grunewald as the flag carrier. They entertained at basketball games.

The Augusta senior high band is conducted by Mr. Donald Young. The band has an annual Christmas concert, a spring concert plus this year they are having a bicentennial concert. In the spring, students are busy getting ready for solo-ensemble. The choir is conducted this year by Mr. Ronald Gard.

L. FOUTS, A. TALLMAN, T. GRUNEWALD



Mr. Young leading the band.


Projects are quiet or noisy.


MR. DONALD YOUNG


MR. RON GARD


MR. JAMES OSBORN


Skins against shirts.


## PE BUILDS HEALTH

The physical education curriculum involves more than exercising and playing games. Skills are developed in many sports encouraging our students to be active during their leisure time. Mr. James Osborn and Mrs. Larea Diehl comprise the faculty with a little help from Mrs. Lynda Osborn.


MRS . LAREA DIEHL


Volleyball is played in Phys. Ed


Badminton is also played.


## OUR SCHOOL RUNS SMOOTHLY

These are the people who keep our school going. Without their help we'd be helpless. Lola and Fern help out in the office. Ally, Carl, Bub keep the building clean. Kitchen help makes sure we get our daily minimum amount of requirement.


CUSTODIAN - Mr. Carl Schmidt


CUSTODIAN - Mr. Ally Zank, Mr. Everett Rickard



SECRETARY - Mrs. Lola Englesby


SECRETARY - Mrs. Fern Rosentreter



THE CLASS OF '76


COLORS
BLUE AND SILVER


NANCY JOYCE STARCK

FLOWER BABY'S BREATH AND STATICE

## MOTTO

"THE ONLY LIMIT TO OUR REALIZATION OF TOMORROW
WILL BE OUR DOUBTS OF TODAY. LET US MOVE FORWARD WITH STRONG AND ACTIVE FAITH."


ADVISORS - OFFICERS RINGS



BRENDA LEE ANIBAS 'Big Mama'


LANNIE THOMAS BERLIN 'Pastor'


NANCY RUTH CARLSON
''Snance'


CHERYL ANN BARKA


ASTRID BRAUN
"Astrid"


DIANE MARIE DEKAN
"Diane"


PATRICIA JEAN BECKER


MELANIE ANNE BUDIMLIJA ' 'Mel'


STANLEY MELVIN GESKE
"Raisin'"


MICHAEL JOSEPH GUEKE
"Mike"


TODD TIMOTHY HOREL
'Bub'


JOY ANNE JEAN KUNZ
'Happy'


MICHELLE JEAN GREEN
'Shelly'


LYNN MARY KIEFER
''Lynn'"


DOUGLAS EUGENE LEE
'Seal'


JERRY RAY HAGEDORN "Jeremiah"


ROSEMARY LYNN KNUTH
"Rose"


DEBRA KAY MARCELLIS
"Debbie"


DAVID WAYNE MARKHAM
'David'


DIANE NEHRING 'Diane'


JAMES EDW ARD PETTIS 'Snipe'


DALE GORDON MAURER, JR.


MITCHELL SAMUEL NELSON 'Mitch'"


JOHN MICHAEL PETTIS
"John"


DAVID WAYNE MOLDENHAUR


GERALD EUGENE PETTIS


EDGAR ALLEN PIEL
"Egor"


DEBORAH ANN SCHMITT
'Debbie'


SUZANNE CORRINE SKOUG 'Pole Cat'


ALICE MARIE TAYLOR "Alice"


DONALD LYLE SCHRODER
'Durgze'


KAREN MARIE SMITH
'Wiggle


CAROL LEE TEASDALE 'Carol'


JEANNE LOU SIEG
'Ron'


NANCY JOYCE STARCK
"Org


REBECCA JEAN THOM
'Becky'


RAYMOND WALLACE
"Woman"


JEANNE MARIE WOODFORD
"Woody"


BERNARD JAMES YULE
"B. J."


BARBARA JEAN WEIS 'Barb'


DEBRA LYNN YADRON
"Deb"


ROW 1: DIANE NEHRING, DEBBIE MARCELLIS, JOY KUNZ, ROSEMARY KNUTH, LYNN KIEFER. ROW 2: BRENDA ANIBAS, NANCY STARCK, PAT BECKER, TODD HOREL, DAVID MOLDENHAUR. MISSING: BECKY THOM

## SENIOR STATISTICS

BRENDA LEE ANIBAS: Class Sec. 4; Pep Club 1, 2 , 3, 4; For. 2, 3, 4, State 3; G.A.A. 4; Bicen. 4, Ch.; Annual 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Rec. 1, Treas. 2, Rec. 3, St. Rec. Chm. 3; Photo Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 1, 2, 3, V.P. 4; Jazz Band 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, State 2; All Star Band 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec.-Treas. 3; Indianhead Honors Band 3, 4; Badger State 3; Math Award 3; Voice of Dem. 3; BB Mgr. 4; VB 3, 4; Wtball Att. 4; N.H.S. 2, 3, 4.

CHERYL ANN BARKA: Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Drama 1, 2, 3; Choir 1; Prom Att. 2; BB 2, 3.

PATRICIA JEAN BECKER: Class Pres. 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; N.H.S. 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; For. 3, 4; G.A.A. 3, 4, Rec. 3, V.P. 4; Annual 4; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4, V.P. 3, Pres. 4; Jazz Band 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Choir 4; All Star Choir 4; Stud. Coun. 4; BB 1; Track 1; Gym 2, 3; Cheer. 4; Badger State Alt. 3; Wtball Att. 4.

LANNIE THOMAS BERLIN: F.F.A. 4; FB 4; Transferred from Marengo, Ill.

ASTRID BRAUN: Pep Club 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; All Star Band 4; BB 3; Track 1, 2; Tut. 4; Wd. Quin. 4; Wtball Att. 4.

MELANIE ANNE BUDIMLIJA: Pep Club 4; Drama 2, 3, Sec. 2; G.A.A. 4; Bicen. 4; Band 1, 3, 4; Prom Att. 1.

NANCY RUTH CARLSON: Pep Club 3; Annual 4; F.H.A. 3; Lib. Coun. 3, 4; Photo Club 1, 3, 4, Rptr. 4; Choir 1, 2, 3; DECA 4.

TERRY CAUCUTT: Pep Club 2; G.A.A. 1; Tut. 3, 4; DECA 3; Transferred from Sparta 3.

CYNTHIA CLOUD: Pep Club 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; BB 1,3 ; VB $1,3,4$.

## DIANE MARIE DEKAN

DANNY RAY DREHMEL: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.
JEFFERY ERDMAN: Transferred from Hammond 4.
STANLEY MELVIN GESKE: Class Treas. 1; Class Pres. 2; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. 3, 4; Stud. Coun. 2, 3, 4, V.P. 4; BB 1, 2; BsB 1, 2, 3, 4, Hon. Men. 3; Let. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Att. 1; Prom King 3.
MICHAEL JOSEPH GEUKE: Class Sec. 2; Class V.P. 3; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Chp. 4; FB 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrest. 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Let. Club 2, 3, 4; All Conf. FB 4; All Conf. Wrest. 3; Sect. 3; Most Takedowns 3.

MICHELLE JEAN GREEN: F.H.A. 2, 3; Choir 2, 3; Tut. 3.

JERRY RAY HAGEDORN: F.F.A. 2, 3, 4.
TODD TIMOTHY HOREL: Class V.P. 1; Class V.P. 4; Pep Club 3, 4, Treas. 4; Annual 4; Band 1; Choir 1, 2, 3; All Star Choir 3; Stud. Coun. 2; FB 1, 2, 3, 4; BB 1, 2, 3, 4; BsB 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 3; Let. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; All Conf. BB 3; Best Off. 3; Hon. Men. FB 2, 3, 4; Hon. Men. BsB 1, 2, 3; Most Val. Player BsB 3; Homg. Att. 2, 4; Badger State 3 .

LYNN MARY KIEFER: Class Sec. 3; G.A.A. 1, 3; Bicen. 4; Annual 4; BB 3; Track 1, 3; VB 3; Equestrian 1; Transferred from Chicago 2.

ROSEMARY LYNN KNUTH: Class Treas. 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; N.H.S. 3, 4; G.A.A. 3, 4, Sec.Treas. 3, Pres. 4; Annual 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stud. Coun. 1, Sec. 1; BB 3; SB 1; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym. 2, 3, 4; Homg. Queen 2; Carn. Queen Cand. 1, 2.
JOYANNE JEAN KUNZ: Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dirama 1, 2, 3, 4, Fall Play 3; N.H.S. 2, 3, 4, Sec.Treas. 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Bicen. 4; Annual 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Parl. 3, 4; Lib. Coun. 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 3, 4; Photo Club 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, State 3; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; All Star Choir 4; BB 2, 4; Cheer. 1, 2, 3, 4, Alt. 1; Wtball Att. 4.

DOUGLAS EUGENE LEE: Pep Club 2, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; All Star Choir 3; FB 1, 2, 3, 4; BB 1, 2, 3, 4; BsB 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Let. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Homg. Att. 3; Badger State 3; All Conf., Hon. Men. FB 4; Nursing Home Vol. 4.

DENNIS FRANK LUEDTHKE: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrest. 1.

DEBRA KAY MARCELLIS: Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 2, 3, 4; For. 3, 4; N.H.S. 2, 3, 4; Bicen. 4; Annual 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 3, Song Leader 4; Lib. Coun. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec.-Treas. 2; Cheer. 1, 2, 3; Prom Att. 3.

## DAVID WAYNE MARKHAM: Track 1.

DALE GORDON MAURER, JR.: Pep Club 4; F.F.A. 3, 4; Photo Club 4; Badger State 3.

DAVID WAYNE MOLDENHAUER: Class Treas. 2; N.H.S. 3, 4; Annual 4; Choir 2; BB 1; Prom Att. 3; Tut. 3; DECA 4.

DIANE NEHRING: Class Sec. 1; Pep Club 3, 4; N.H.S. 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 2, 4; Lib. Coun. 3, 4, Sec.-Treas. 4.

GERALD EUGENE PETTIS: F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; FB 1, 2 , 3, 4; Wrest. 1, 4; Track 1; Let. Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

JAMES EDWARD PETTIS: F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; FB 3; BB 1; Let. Club 3, 4.

JOHN MICHAEL PETTIS: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sent. 4; FB 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrest. 1, 2, 3, 4; Let. Club 2, 3, 4; Tut. 3; Wrest. All Conf. 2, All Conf. Sec. Team 2; Hon. Men. FB 4.

EDGAR ALLEN PIEL: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3.
DEBORAH ANN SCHMITT: Pep Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Lib. Coun. 1; Choir 1.

DONALD SCHROEDER: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 3, V.P. 4; Choir 3, 4; All Star Choir 3; FB 4; Wrest. 2.

JEANNE LOU SIEG: Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 2, 3; G.A.A. 2, 3; Annual 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4; Photo Club 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Choir 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3; VB 3; Tut. 3.

SUZANNE CORINNE SKOUG: Pep Club 1, 2, 4; Drama 1, 2, 4, Treas. 4; G.A.A. 4; Bicen. 4; Annual 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, Rec. 1, Hist. 2.

KAREN MARIE SMITH: Class Treas. 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 1; G.A.A. 2; F.F.A 1; Lib. Coun. 3, 4; VB 3; Gym. 2; DECA 4.

NANCY JOYCE STARCK: Class Pres. 3; Pep Club 4, Pres. 4; Drama 2, 3, V.P. 2; For. 3; N.H.S. 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 3, 4, Rec. 3; Bicen. 4; Annual 4; Lib. Coun. 3, 4, V.P. 4; Jazz Band 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2 , 3, 4, Class Rep. 2; All Star Band 2, 4; Stud. Coun. 3, 4, Sec. 4; Track 2, 3, 4; State Math Award 3; Nursing Vol. 4.

ALBERT GEORGE SYLVESTER: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; FB 1, 2; Wrest. 1, 2, 3; BsB 1; Track 1, 2, 3.

ALICE MARIE TAYLOR: Pep Club 1, 2; Drama 1, 2 , 3; For. 2; Bicen. 4; Annual 4; Lib. Coun. 1, 2; Photo Club 2; Choir 1, 2, 3.

CAROL LEE TEASDALE: F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Lib. Coun. 1; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; BB 3; Transferred from Oregon, Wis. 2; Girls' Glee 1.

REBECCA JEAN THOM: Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 2, 3; Annual 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Choir 1, 2, 3; Tut. 1.

RAYMOND WALLACE: Bicen. 4, Treas.; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; All Star Choir 3, 4; FB 1, 2, 3, 4; BB 1, 2, 3; BsB 3, 4; Let. Club 2, 3, 4; Most Val. Player FB 4; All Conf., Hon. Men. FB 4; Homg. Att. 1; Homg. King 4; Tut. 3; Parl. Pro. Dist., Sect. 3; Soil Jud. 3.

BARBARA JEAN WEIS: Class Treas. 1; Class V.P. 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; For. 1, 2, 3, 4, State 2; G.A.A. 1; Annual 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Maj. 1, 2, 3; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Homg. Att. 2; Transferred from Butternut, Wis. 4 .

ROBERT RICHARD WEISS: Photo Club 1; FB 1, 2, 3, 4; BB 1, 2, 3; BsB 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Let. Club 2, 3, 4 .

PETER JOHN WILLKOM: Class Pres. 1; Pep Club 3, 4; Drama 2, 3, 4; Annual 4; Jazz Band 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Choir 2, 3; Stud. Coun. 1, 2, 4, Pres. 4; FB 1; BB 1, 2, 4; BsB 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Let. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Att. 3; Badger State Alt. 3; Fall Play 2.

JEANNE MARIE WOODFORD: Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Annual 4; F.H.A. 3; Choir 1, 2, 3; Track 2; Wtball Att. 4 .

DEBRA LYNN YADRON: Pep Club 4; Drama 3; For. 3; G.A.A. 3; Bicen. 4; F.H.A. 3; Choir 1, 2, 3; Voice of Dem. 3.

BERNARD JAMES YULE: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrest. 1.


SENIORS ENJOY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES


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## JUNIORS HAVE <br> A

 BUSY YEAROFFICERS
K. Barka, Treasurer, K. Weiss,
V. Pres., M. Gabler, Pres.
C. Frankenberger, Secretary

ADVISORS
R. Tlusty, G. Thorson


L. Grams

T, Gruenwald
D. Hall
D. Halvorson
L. Harden
K. Hatch

This year the Juniors picked the famous football star Alan Deaton to represent them on the Homecoming court. He picked the football sports fan "of the year"' Janice Hoffman. We're sure they had a nice time and feel the Juniors made a perfect choice.

J. Herrick
J. Hoffman
J. Holmgreen
M. Kaeding
D. Kirkham
M. Klatt
J. Knuth
J. Krueger

V. Lange
J. Larson
A. LeMere
J. Luedtke

The Student Council made some changes in the preparations of the floats for Homecoming this year. One was that the classes and clubs could not exceed the amount of $\$ 25.00$ to be used for the float. Since the Juniors didn't want to spend much money, and wanted to change the tradition of making a float on a hay wagon, they decided to gather up all the tricycles they could, and ride them in the parade dressed up as airplane pilots flying airplanes, with the captions "'We'll bomb 'em," and "We bombed 'em." Although they didn't place in the competition we feel they had a good idea. Also, they have their Junior Prom, and their last year of high school to look forward to.

GOOD LUCK!
T. Luedtke
D. Muszynski S. Pedersen


H. McCord D. Muszynski J. Perkovich




## SOPHOMORES;



OFFICERS
Todd Stanek; Treasurer
Jackie Berry; Vice President Ann Steadman; President Shawn Ida; Secretary

ADVISORS:
Mrs. J. Buchholz
Mrs. E. Smiley


## GOING STRONG


K. Grimm
L. Harper
D. Hoffman
S. Ida
K. Heller
s. Holler
M. Johnson
D. Herrick
T. Hilmanowski
D. Ida
M. Hudson
M. Johnson

This year's sophomore class is very active. They have sponsored a record hop with Scott Victor Christensen of WEAQ Radio station. They plan to go bowling and rollerskating. They are very active in many clubs and sports. They have a lot of class spirit and are very interested in what is going on in the world around them. They are starting on their way to be a very good, and important asset to the community.

The Sophomore float was called "We'll race 'em to a Victory." It didn't place this year but there is always next year to look forward to.


I DIDN'T HAVE
A THING TO
WEAR
象盆

G. Kamrowski
L. Lone
C. Newgard
J. Piel
R. Roberts
K. Knuth E. Luedtke M. Olson T. Pulse
M. Rosentreter
M. Kuhn
S. Mansur
A. Pettis
L. Raether
J. Seufzer
s. Larson
J. Marion
E. Pettis
A. Reetz
M. Shong
J. Lee
J. Messerschmidt
J. Pettis
J. Roberts
B. Sieg



## THE FUTURE LIES IN THESE HANDS




## EXPRESSIONS AROUND AUGUSTA



## FRESHMEN ENJOY FIRST YEAR IN SCHOOL




OFFICERS
D. Bell - Treasurer, B. Whalen -
V. Pres., J. Hadorn - President,
J. Schultz - Secretary

Mr. Crowe, Adviser

Among the many activities a Freshman does during the first year of high school, is participate in the yearly magazine sale. It is a lot of fun and a sure way to get money into the class treasury.
J. Hadorn
C. Haldeman
S. Halvorson
S. Harden
R. Harke
R. Heller
P. Herrick
C. Hoffman
P. Honadel
C. Johnson
J. Johnson
M. Johnston
T. Jungerberg
L. Karolus
A. Knuth

R. Kunz B. Larson G. Loibl J. Loibl D. Lombardo
G. Lone
J. Lone
K. Marion
J. Markham
D. Maurer
L. Mierow
A. Nelson
L. Olson
C. Olver
B. Pedersen
R. Peterson
S. Peterson
T. Pettis
W. Piel
R. Quick
R. Raycher


One of the bigger highlights of being a Freshman is being able to build a float for the Homecoming Parade. The Freshmen did well for themselves, by placing first with the caption "'We'll Roast 'Em. '



## JUNIOR HIGH ADJUSTS



EIGHTH GRADE: ROW 1: J. Stenson, R. Marion, D. Rupprecht, J. Smith, J. Anderson, T. Herrick, M. Rosentrator, J. Stenson, D. Anibas. ROW 2: J. Luedtke, S. Geske, R. Lee, J. Saraver, J. Bodea, J. Drehmel, J. Fouts, J. Wolfgang. ROW 3: M. Zimbauer, D. Wallace, C. Schiefelbein, K. Mayer, D. LaRose, C. Drisco, D. Herrick, J. Zilmer, C. Heller. RoW 4: J. Marion, D. Boettcher, M. Kiefer, S. McGee, C. McCarty, B. Holmgreen, T. Doan, P. Shong.


ROW 1: P. Pettis, J. Schroeder, M. Easterson, R. Welke, S. Walker, M. Herrick, M. Weeks, R. Lee. ROW 2: R. Rineck, D. Muzynski, K. Bauch, N. Timm, S. Silvernail, B. Rupprecht, V. Bohl, J. Kopinski, L. Bundy. ROW 3: S. Gilbertson, S. Peterson, C. Dettmer, T. Reed, N. Baker, M. Smith, C. Smith, A. Timm, Mrs. Wilson. Row 4: R. Nehring, M. Travis, C. Dalton, M. Brown, M. Richardson, R. Rindahl, G. Cloud, J. Dekan, R. Whitwam.

OFFICERS
J. Wolfgang - Treas.
D. Anibas - Sec.
J. Sarauer - V. Pres.
M. Travis - Pres.

Mrs. Wilson - Adv.


## TO HIGH SCHOOL LIFE



SEVENTH GRADE, ROW 1: R. Kunz, P. Arndt, T. Hagerdon, M. Pettis, J. Newgard, C. Harke, F. Johnson, K. Zillmer, L. Turner. ROW 2: E. Driskall, K. Swartz, T. Dobrenz, K. Kelly, C. Osborn, C. Schmidt, P. Luedtke, D. Berry, A. Hanadel. ROW 3: R. Hamman, J. Sell, E. Bundy, A. Wạténphul, P. Seufzer, G. Halverson, S. Richardson, J. Sell, W. Mansur. ROW 4: J. Lutz, T. Halderman, R. Buthke, J. Hahn, S. Goss, N. Buthke, K. Canaday, K. Zimmerman, V. Burri.


ROW 1: R. Pettis, R. Maurer, T. Gilbertson, D. Sell, K. Herrick, K. Rindahl, D. Wallace, B. Kuhn, B. Schmitt, B. Fink. ROW 2: Mrs. Harriman, G. Watenphul, M. Christopher, J. Knuth, C. Smith, A. Berry, V. Rupprecht, D. Schmitt, J. Roberts, J. Kopinski, D. Zhe. ROW 3: L. Rugotzke, P. Thode, W. Strauch, L. Markham, J. Loibl, J. Larson, J. Gilbertson, C. Solrud, K. Grims, D. Tallman. ROW 4: P. Drehmel, A. Marion, R. Kaeding, R. Thomas, B. Kuhn, R. Purdun, D. Anibas, D. Karolus, J. Johnston, C. Wansurski, D. Bertrand


OFFICERS
S. Richardson, Vice-President
R. Schmitt, President
T. Haldeman, Secretary
R. Kaeding, Treasurer
F. Johnson, Student Council

Mrs. Harriman, Advisor



## 1976 BEAVER FOOTBALL



ROW 1: A. Nelson, M. Ball, J. Hadorn, B. Smith, D. Gerike, B. Whalen, D. Barka, R. Rupprecht, E. Pettis. ROW 2: D. Schroeder, C. Halderman, M. Olson, G. Kamrowski, A. Deaton, T. Turner, J. Pettis, M. Geuke, G. Pettis, L. Berlin. ROW 3: Coach Osborn, Coach Crowe, Coach Vandehey, R. Raycher, J. Knuth, M. Gabler, B. Gabler, D. Lee, A. Reetz, R. Wallace, T. Stanek, R. Weiss, J. Pettis, B. Drehmel, Coach Anderson.

## THE STORY

This year Coach Osborn started out the season with a young, inexperienced team, but as the season progressed they were maturing into a contending force in the Dairyland Conference. Two big conference wins early in the season were dampened by the loss of two key Beaver players. Nevertheless the team gave it their all - though losing the next five games to tough conference teams in some very close and exciting games.

TEAM
WE
THEY

Cadott29

McDonnell $0 \quad 14$
Blair 41
Lincoln 7
Central (Homecoming) $0 \quad 22$
Osseo-Fairchild 0
Alma $0 \quad 6$
Independence $0 \quad 14$
Whitehall 6

## OFFENSIVE AND DEFENSIVE PLAYERS LEAD BEAVERS



ROW 1: L. Berlin, T. Stanek, M. Ball, D. Lee, B. Gabler, M. Geuke, M. Gabler. ROW 2: R. Wallace, J. Hadorn, J. Pettis, J. Knuth.


ROW 1: A. Reetz, B. Gabler, D. Lee, M. Geuke. ROW 2: J. Pettis, M. Ball, M. Gabler, J. Pettis, J. Knuth. ROW 3: B. Weiss, R. Wallace.


HEAD COACH - J. Osborn


COACHES - T, Crowe, R, Anderson, M. Vandehey, J, Osborn

## SENIOR STARS OF "76"



DOUG LEE
HONORABLE MENTION


TODD HOREL HONORABLE MENTION


LANNIE BERLIN


MIKE GEUKE ALL CONFERENCE


JOHN PETTIS HONORABLE MENTION


GERALD PETTIS


DON SCHROEDER


RAY WALLACE HONORABLE MENTION


BOB WEISS


## BEAVER BASKETBALL '76



ROW 1: T. Horel, J. Perkovich, D. Kirkham, S. Berg, M. Dickinsen, Mgr. T. Grunewald, Coach Vandehey. ROW 2: M. Gabler, T. Stanek, D. Lee, B. Strauch, M. Kaeding, D. Halvorson.


## SENIOR GUARD TANDEM



TODD HOREL


Doug shows form in shooting.



DOUG LEE


Todd with a jumper.


All-conference form.

## B-TEAM '76



ROW 1: C. Barka, H. West, M. Brown, B. Strauch, B. Piel, M. Thode, T. Arndt, D. Maurer, Coach Jacobson. ROW 2:


ROW 1: T. Reed, R. Schmitt, A. Madsen, J. Hahn, C. Canaday, D. Karolus. ROW 2: G. Halverson, D. Anibas, D. Wallace, R. Kaeding, A. Berry, R. Lee, J. Knuth, S. Richardson. ROW 3: J. Stenson, T. Halderman, R. Rugotzke, M.
Brown, C. McCarthy, A. Buttke.

CAGER ACTION


Strauch and Stanek go high.


Doug jams 2.


Strauchs a scraper


Dantly sets the screen.


Fast break?


JV's get jump.

## VARSITY WRESTLING '76



ROW 1: C. Dalton, D. Sieg, D. Travis, R. Weiss, M. Klatt, K. Rupprecht. ROW 2: B. Cabler, R. Rupprecht, R. Stensen, J. Bettis, M. Gueke, K. Bohl. ROW 3: Mr. Fitzsimons, S. Pettis, D. Weiss, M. Olson, M. Johnson, B. Sieg, J. Pettis, T. Turner, C. Schilling, J. Rugotzke, Mr. Doering.

THE STORY

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|  | WE | THEY |
| Cadott | 12 | 42 |
| Stanley-Boyd | 11 | 42 |
| Lincoln | 44 | 14 |
| Edgar | 15 | 38 |
| Sparta | 14 | 38 |
| Greenwood | 17 | 33 |
| Alma | 49 | 12 |
| G.E.T. | 39 | 18 |
| Independence | 23 | 25 |
| (Non-Con) |  |  |
| Loyall | 12 | 35 |
| Whitehall | 36 | 27 |
| Durand | 27 | 32 |
| Chetek | $1 s t$ |  |
| Independence | 18 | 30 |
| Blair | 47 | 9 |
| Dairyland | 3rd |  |
| Osseo | 51 | 6 |
| Central | 29 | 18 |
| Regional | 4 th |  |

This year the Beavers were fortunate in sending four wrestlers on to the sectional tournaments. The four included Keith Rupprecht, Roger Weiss, Ken Bohl, and John Pettis. Keith placed fourth.

Keith Rupprecht at 132 and Ken Bohl at heavyweight were both chosen for the Dairyland Conference All-Star first team. Bill Gabler was picked for the second team.

The wrestlers finished 2nd in conference with a 6-1 record.


## SUPER SENIORS



Mike Gueke


John Pettis

Coach
R. Doering


Coach
T. Fitzsimons


## JR. HIGH WRESTLING



ROW 1: P. Pettis, C. Dalton, B. Finck, S. Pettis, J. Stensen. ROW 2: M. Richardson, D. Rugotzke, G. Cloud, D. Tallman, R. Buttke, R. Purdun, R. Hamman, Mr. Doering.



John wins again.


Ken comes through.


Jr. Keith Rupprecht


Bill's Brut Strength.


Freshman Dale Travis.

## CROSS COUNTRY RUNNERS


K. Kuehn, J. Volbrecht, D. Teasdale, J. Frankenberger, M. Purdun, A. Tallman, R. Weiss, Mr. Kardin.


Happy, Sleepy, Dopey, and Grumpy.


Juice on the loose.


Its a Munchkin.


Tinker Bell


Coach Jacobson

Bill smells victory.

What a pile-up.


SNAP SHOTS


Nate Weatherspoon


I've got a headache.


FOOTBALL: BOTTOM: Rosentreter, A. Steadman, P. Becker, L. Fouts, J. Kunz. TOP: A. Meirrow, J. Berry, K. Barka, S. Silvernail, T, Luedtke.


## CHEERLEADERS ENCOURAGE SPIRIT

This year the football cheerleading squad was a combination of both the wrestling and basketball cheerleaders. When the season ended, they each pursued their own sport. Their spirit and enthusiasm was contagious because soon they had a large group of Beaver Backers at each game. The cheerleaders' efforts were not wasted as they received appreciation and gratitude from the players, the students, the coaches, and the public.


JR. VARSITY: L. Karolus, J. Schultz, B. Strauch, S. Peterson, S. Ida.


WRESTLING: L. Fouts, A. Steadman, J. Berry, M. Rosentreter. MASCOT: Serena Larson.


Alt. A team bb. Elaine Pettis
Alt. B team bb. Mary Shong
Alt. wrestling Penny Zho


BASKETBALL: ROW 1: J. Kunz. ROW 2: S. Silvernail, A. Meirow, K. Barka, P. Becker, T. Luedtke.

## JR. AND SR. VARSITY VOLLEYBALL



ROW 1: K. Barka, K. Weiss, C. Frankenberger, M. Shong. ROW 2: Mrs. Pulse, L. Harden, J. Hoffman, L. Grams, H. McCord, C. Schmidt, V. Lange. ROW 3: C. Cloud, W. Wilkinson, B. Anibas.


This year volleyball has been offered to Augusta High School girls for the second consecutive season. Volleyball is now a conference wide sport and growing in popularity among the schools.
The girls were coached this season by Mrs. Pulse, which for her was her first year in this sport.


Brenda Anibas, Cindy Cloud

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

OUR STORY

MATCHES

WE
Blair
Lincoln 1
0
Central 3
Osseo 3
Alma 0
Independence 2
Whitehall 1
1

THEY
3
3
1
1
3
3
3

ROW 1: DOWN: S. Halvorson, S. Silvernail, K. Cloud, C. Anibas, R. Quick. ROW 2: M. Weiss, B. Stanek, M. Rosentreter, J. Dickinsen, R. Woodford, M. Shong. ROW 3: Mrs. Pulse, C. Rupprecht, A. Knuth, P. Herrick, J. Weiss.


Janice Hoffman was voted most valuable player.


## GYMNASTICS BUILDS CONFIDENCE



BEAM: M. Rosentreter, E. Luedtke, F. Johnson, C. Solsrud, L. Rugotzke, P. Luedtke, J. Gilbertson, B. Strauch. STANDING: K. Barka, R. Knuth. KNEELING: S. Mansur, J. Anderson. SITTING: D. Zhe, M. Herrick, B. Christopher, D. Thomas, J. Larson, P. Thode, Mrs. Osborn, C. Osborn, A. Honnadel, K. Herrick. SPLITS: K. Zillmer, E. Turner.

Gymnastics is a relatively new sport, and each year expanding with young ladies brimming with vitality and the endurance to cope with the many needed hours of practice. This is Augusta's second year of competition, and only one of the two other schools in the conference that have gymnastics. This year the girls have 4 away meets, at Independence, Cadott, Alma and Arcadia. In competition the girls do compulsory routines which consists of four events: the uneven parallel bars, vault, beam, and floor exercise. The girls are scored individually and at the end of the meet, team points are added from the results, much the same way as track scoring is done.

This year for the first time in history, Augusta is hosting a home meet.


SENIOR STAR: Rosemary Knuth

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## AHS CAGERS



ROW 1: Mr. Anderson, K. Weiss, J. Dickinsen, D. Schwoch, J. Hoffman, C. Steínke, B. Anibas. ROW 2: C. Schmidt, M. Shong, S. Ida, L. Harden, B. Stanek.


SENIOR STAR: J. Kunz ROW 1: S .

ROW 2:


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## WINTER BALL

The 1976 Winter Ball was held on February 7, from 8 until 12. The music was provided by "Pzazz." Pat Becker was voted Queen with Matt Gabler as King. The court consisted of five senior girls and their dates.


Brenda Anibas, Astrid Braun, Jeanne Woodford, Joy Kunz, Pat Becker, Matt Gabler, Mark Kaeding, Bernie Yule, Mike Ball, David Moldenhauer.


King Matt Gabler and Queen Pat Becker.


Joy Kunz and Mark Kaeding


Jeanne Woodford and Bernie Yule.


Brenda Anibas and David Moldenhauer.


Astrid Braun and Mike Ball.


L. Timm, H. McCord, K. Barka, S. Sieg, D. Marcellis, QUEEN: T. Luedtke, KING: S. Geske, P. Wilkom, D. Moldenhauer, D. Hall, J. Perkovich, J. Pettis.


## A TIME FOR US



QUEEN: Terry, KING: Stan

The time was an important factor for us as we started planning and decorating for the 1975 Junior Prom held April 19th. Representing our theme was a huge grandfather clock that was viewed in the center of the dance floor. In times to come we will be crossing many bridges as we did that night. For


CROWN BEARERS:
Jeanne Smith and Brad Bethke


## HOMECOMING DANCE HONORS TEAM

The 1975 Football Team was honored on September 27 as we lost to Eleva-Strum Central 022. The King and Queen were crowned by last year's royalty Dennis Lee and Debbie Strauch at halftime ceremonies. The dance afterwards was sponsored by the Pep Club and music was provided by Out of Limits.


SENIOR
Mary Rosentreter - Todd Horel


QUEEN: Susan Silvernail KING: Ray Wallace


JUNIOR
Janice Hoffman - Alan Deaton

May Shong - Allen Reetz


## AHS BAND PERFORMS FOR COMMUNITY

SENIOR BAND:
TROMBONES
M. Gabler
A. Bertram
M. Thode
C. Hoffman
B. Whalen
D. Teasdale
S. Harden
BARITONE
N. Starck
M. Budimlija

TRUMPETS
L. Becker
S. Silvernail
G. Kamrowski
B. Travis
J. Holmgreen
J. Boettcher
J. Sarauer

DRUMS
A. Tallman
B. Seufzer
D. Hoffman

TUBA
A. Deaton
D. Weis

FLUTES
S. Silvernail
S. Ida

| J. Kunz | BARITONE |
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| C. Steinke | SAXOPHONE |
| C. Heller | C. Bauch |
| PICCOLO | CLARINET |
| L. Fouts | D. Sell |
|  | L. Timm |
| ALTO CLARINET | R. Knuth |
| B. Strauch | J. Berry |
|  | B. Strauch |
| TENOR SAXOPHONES | S. Silvernail |
| C. Anibas | B. Stanek |
|  | OBOES |

L. Karolus
J. Dickinson
R. Knuth
J. Berry
B. Strauch
B. Stanek

OBOES
J. Saraurer
T. Smith
R. Harke

BASS CLARINET

MISSING
M. Rosentreter
M. Shong

FRENCH HORN
B. Weis
A. Braun
L. Luedtke
A. Steadman
J. Seufzer
L. Taylor
J. Hadorn
B. Rupprecht

ALTO SAXOPHONES
D. Barka
M. Olson

## MUSIC ACTIVITIES



TWIRLERS:
S. Ida
S. Silvernail
M. Rosentrater

ALL-STAR BAND
ROW 1: S. Silvernail.
ROW 2: D. Sell, L. Timm.
ROW 3: J. Dickinson, B. Strauch, B. Anibas.
ROW 4: A. Steadman, A. Braun, N. Starck,
L. Becker, M. Gabler.

## JUNIOR HIGH ALSO PARTICIPATES



ROW 1: A. Timm, K. Bauch, R. Lee, B. Kuehn, C. Solsrud, J. Dobrenz, K. Schwartz, D. Butcher, N. Timm. ROW 2: C. Harke, J. Luedtke, J. Lutz, M. Richardson, L. Rugotzke, W. Strauch, P. Thode, D. Sell, C. Osborn, K. Canaday, S. Richardson, D. Karolus, P. Shong, J. Gilbertson. ROW 3: G. Watenpool, R. Thomas, T. Halderman, A. Berry, C. Winserski.

## DEVELOPS SELF-AWARENESS



SENIOR CHOIR, ROW 1: C. Teasdale, E. Pettis, L. Raether, J. Piel, D. Walker, L. Fouts, S. Silvernail, L. Timm, D. Dekan, J. Kunz, T. Luedtke, J. Lee, C. Schmitt. ROW 2: T. Jungerburg, T. Hilmanoski, C. Steinke, J. Hoffman, P. Watenphul, P. Becker, M. Shong, D. Sell, J. Dickinson, J. Berry, T. Smith, L. Karlous, J. Schultz, S. Silvernail, Mr. Gard. ROW 3: S. Halverson, S. Holler, K. Heller, S. Ida, L. Lone, W. Gabler, J. Pettis, D. Teasdale, M. Johnson, S. Larson, B. Anibas, L. Taylor, B. Strauch, D. Smith, C. Anibas, B. Stanek. ROW 4: T. Doan, J. Boettcher, J. Anderson, R. Roberts, D. Lee, T. Stanek, J. Holmgren, R. Wallace, D. Lombardo, G. Kamrowski, D. Hoffman, D. Schroeder, R. Wallace, M. Dickinson, R. Drehmel.


ALL STAR CHOIR, ROW 1: D. Walker, J. Hoffman, C. Anibas. ROW 2: C. Steinke, P. Becker, J. Kunz, J. Berry, ROW 3: R. Wallace, T. Stanek, W. Gabler, D. Hoffman, G. Kamrowski.

This year proved to be an interesting one for the music department. October 14 the Music Mothers held a bake sale at the Augusta Bank with the AHS Pep Band performing. Friday, October 17 they sponsored a dance in the gym. These projects are designed to raise money for a new piano and for summer Music Camp scholarships.

The Dairyland Band and Choir November 1 at the Whitehall Auditorium.

In November the Woodwind Quintet traveled to Alma Center. They demonstrated different types of woodwind music and gave the members of the Alma Center Band a chance to get acquainted with students from Augusta. The Quintet was available for community performances throughout the year.

This year two concerts were held for the Christmas season. The first featured the Jr. High Band and Choir, the Jazz Band, and the Woodwind Quintet. The second concert the Sr. Band and Choir and the Sax Quartet performed this traditional Christmas Concert.

Along with these concerts there was a special concert to celebrate the Bicentennial.

## JAZZ BAND PLAYS CONTEMPORARY



ROW 1: C. Bauch, C. Anibas, J. Dickinson, J. Sarauer, B. Anibas, J. Luedtke, ROW 2: S. Harden, N. Starck, M. Gabler, D. Teasdale, A. Tallman. ROW 3: B. Rupprecht, G. Kamrowski, S. Silvernail, L. Becker, S. Silvemail, A. Bertram, W. Seufzer.

## JUNIOR HIGH ALSO PARTICIPATES



RoW 1: Mr. Gard, K. Swartz, P. Arndt, A. Honadel, F. Johnson, L. Turner, S. Richardson, J. Knuth, B. Fink, A. Berry, K. Smith, K. Zillmer, K. Rindahl, J. Gilbertson, D. Sell. ROW 2: S. Walker, B. Rupprecht, R. Lee, P. Thode, C. Solsrud, K. Mayer, R. Hammond, M. Christopher, C. Canaday, D. Tallman, L. Rugotzke, J. Johnston, T. Hagadorn, V. Rupprecht, M. Pettis. ROW 3: J. Bodza, P. Shong, S. Geske, K. Kelly, K. Obsorn, J. Lobil, E. Driskell, J. Schroeder, K. Bauch, C. Schiefelbein, M. Kiefer.

## STUDENT COUNCIL IS INCLUDED IN POLICY



ROW 1: D. Barka, A. Steadman, F. Johnson, D. Hoffman, R. Raycher, M. Travis, N. Starck, Secretary. ROW 2: J. Hadorn, P. Willkom, President, J. Knuth, M. Gabler, P. Becker, T. Drehmel, Treasurer. NOT PRESENT: S. Geske, V. President, Mr. Tlusty, Adv.

## ANNUAL STAFF RECORDS YEAR'S EVENTS



Row 1: P. Becker, B. Thom, D. Marcellis, B. Weiss, J. Woodford, J. Sieg, N. Carlson. ROW 2: J. Kunz, R. Knuth, L. Kiefer, S. Skoug, A. Taylor. ROW 3: Mrs. Buchholz - Advisor, B. Anibas, T. Horel, D. Moldenhauer, P. Willkom.

## SCHOLARS OF TODAY AND TOMORROW

NHS

National Honor Society creates an enthusiam for scholarship, stimulates a desire to render service, promotes worthy leadership, and encourages the development of character in pupils of Augusta. The faculty chooses members from a list of students with B or better averages. Students consider it an honor to be a member of NHS.

High Quiz Bowl participants are chosen for their quickness and ability to respond to a question accurately. Although the team did not compete on TV this year, we want to congratulate captain, Janice Hoffman, and her team. Thanks to Mrs. Silvernail for coaching them.


BOTTOM TO TOP: J. Kunz, D. Marcellis, D. Moldenhauer, P. Becker, M. Gabler, B. Anibas, S. Silvernail, D. Walker, J. Hoffman, L. Harden, R. Knuth, N. Starck, Advisor, Mr. Jacobson.

## HIGH QUIZ BOWL



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## FORENSIC STUDENTS KEEP BUSY



SEATED: D. Sell, J. Dickinsen, S. Silvernail, K. Barka, L. Karolus. STANDING: ROW 1: S. Ida, Advisor - Mrs. Mary Palm, P. Watenphul, B. Weis, E. Pettis, S. Silvernail, J. Frankenberger, M. Dickinsen, L. Fouts, J. Berry, A. Steadman, Advisor - Mrs. Kathyrn Bugher. ROW 2: J. Holmgreen, M. Shong, T. Stanek, P. Becker, B. Anibas, M. Kaeding, T. Drehmel, C. Anibas, B. Stanek, S. Harden, S. Skoug, M. Rosentreter, A. Mierow, J. Hoffman.


Fall One-Act Play: A. Mierow, L. Fouts, S. Silvernail. TOP: T. Drehmel, D. Hoffman, J. Holmgreen.

The school year of 1975-76 marks the 51st year of Augusta High School's participation in the Wisconsin High School Forensic Association. The purpose of this organization is to stimulate an interest in various forms of speech, to improve the quality of high school speech work and to provide opportunities for competition through inter-school forensic activity.

Spring forensic events involve thirty-five students under the direction of Mrs. Mary Palm, assisted by Mrs. Kathryn Bugher. Thirty of these students will be participating in competitive events.

Invitational Tournaments will be held at Chippewa Falls on February 28, at Durand on March 4, and at Stout University on April 10. The Dairyland Invitational at Osseo is scheduled for the evening of February 25. Contest dates include Saturday, March 13, Saturday, March 27, and Saturday, April 24.

On Wednesday, February 25, the team traveled to Osseo for the Dairyland Invitational and came home with the first place trophy. Congratulations to a job well done.

## PEP CLUB B00STS SPIRIT



Pep Club members form the basis of the Augusta High School cheering section. This year 90 students joined. Activities for the year include: selling buttons, making posters, decorating the A-frame, and attending all sports events. Homecoming requires total involvement of the members. They perform in the parade; they organize all halftime activities; and they sponsor the dance following the game. The major responsibility is to generate spirit and enthusiasm at A.H.S. Members are: ROW 1: J. Sieg, A. Steadman, E. Pettis, J. Luedrke, A. Mierow, K. Weiss, S. Skoug, R. Rupprecht. RoW 2: T. Smith, L. Becker, J. Schultz, J. Lee, J. Weiss, K. Barka, W. Wilkinson, B. Anibas, T. Grunewald. ROW 3: B. Stanek, R. Harke, A. Deaton, A. Tallman, S. Rindahl, K. Rupprecht, B. Strauch, L. Timm, S. Ida, L. Harden. ROW 4: S. Silvernail, S. Silvernail, S. Halvorson, D. Nehring, H. McCord, V. Lange, C. Schmidt, J. Hoffman, R. Canaday, C. Steinke. ROW 5: J. Frase, T. Jungerberg, J. Knuth, J. Smith, D. Sell, L. Karolus, D. Maurer, R. Quick, B. Schwooh, S. Sieg, D. Walker, S. Dickinsen, S. Peterson, D. Lee. ROW 6: M. Rosentreter, A. Steadman, J. Kunz, T. Stanek, T. Hore1, N. Starck, M. Kaeding, M. Budimlija, T. Drehmel, M. Shong, M. Dickinsen.



PIN 'EM!

## GAA ENCOURAGES GIRL'S SPORTS



TOP TO BOTTOM: K. Weiss, S. Rindahl, T. Luedtke, B. Strauch, J. Schultz, S. Harden, L. Karolus, R. Harke, D. Sell, A. Knuth, K. Barka, K. Knuth, S. Ida, V. Lange, L. Becker.


AROUND: T. Doan, S. Rindahl, E. Luedtke, S. Mansur, J. Weiss, L. Berlin, R. Quick, B. Stanek, S. Silvernail, C. Rupprecht, J. Piel, J, Hoffman, L. Grams, L. Harden, S. Sieg. ACROSS: T. Walker, P. Herrick, S. Halvorson, M. Weiss.


AROUND: J. Kunz, P. Becker, D. Hall, D. Schwoch, C. Schmidt, J. Berry, I. Lee, A. Steadman, M. Shong, M. Rosentreter, L. Taylor, D. Works, L. Fouts, S. Skoug, M. Budimlija, N. Starck. ACROSS: H. McCord, W. Wilkinson, A. Mierow

The GAA girls have kept busy this year by sponsoring a variety of sports and sports affiliated events. Starting off the year, GAA hosted the volleyball parents night, then came the fall baseball tournament, and Halloween party. One Monday every month is set aside for a sports night and for each event attended a designated amount of points are earned. If a member attends meetings and activities it is possible to build up enough points to merit a letter and trip at the end of the year. The advisor is Mrs. Diehl.


OFFICERS
K. Barka, Secretary-Treasurer
R. Knuth, President
P. Becker, Vice-President

## PHOTO CLUB RECORDS EVENTS



ROW 1: B. Anibas, M. Gabler, A. Madsen, J. Sieg, P. Luedtke. ROW 2: N. Carlson, M. Shong, A. Steadman, C. Schmidt, Advisor - Mr. Fitzsimons.


SITTING, LEFT TO RIGHT: J. Seig, B. Anibas, A. Madsen. STANDING: N. Carlson, M. Shong.



The Photo Club managed to make enough money during the last two years to buy their own textbooks, which are now being used by the members. Each meeting covers certain materials in the book and also includes some slides of films of relevant material. Brenda Anibas and Jeanne Sieg are both quite competent in the darkroom photography and other members will be learning this sort of thing as they study their texts.

## COUNCIL PROMOTES GOOD LIBRARIANS



FRONT ROW: C. Marcellis, M. Herrick, B. Strauch, J. Hoffman, J. Kunz, D. Muszynski, C. Steinke, D. Muszynski, L. Bundy, Advisor: Mrs. Bugher.


President - Joy Kunz, V. President - Nancy Starck, Secretary and Treasurer - Diane Nehring

Library Council members play an important role in the Library. The aides are responsible for the magazines, books, and the A. V. materials. During the years, the seniors journeyed to the Northwestern State Librarian Convention held at Eau Claire North. They learned what school and student librarians felt created good and bad conditions in a library such as over-crowding and book selections. We all had an interesting and fun day.

A monthly bake sale is our fund raiser for this year. Everyone pitches in and does their share of the work. At the end of the year, we will give a scholarship to a senior who is going on to school. To finish the year, everyone relaxes and has a good time on our annual spring trip.

The Library Council would like to congratulate America on its 200th birthday.

## FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



Row 1: G. Kamrowski, C. Newgard, R. Roberts, K. Heller, S. Holler, J. Herrick, R. Wallace, M. Dickinsen, T. Stanek, B. Yule, D. Price, B. Raether, G. Lone, L. Olson. ROW 2: Advisor - Mr. Gavin, M. Johnston, J. Gibson, E. Reetz, B. Strauch, D. Smith, L. Fouts, B. Strauch, D. Barka, H. West, B. Briesmiester, L. Mierow, D. Lombardo, R. Heller, J. Lone. ROW 3: D. Bergman, R. Peterson, B. Gabler, D. Maurer, J. Pettis, J. Pettis, D. Gerike, T. Arndt, J. Hadorn, M. Ball, T. Turner, B. Raycher, T. Dekan, G. Loibol, B. Buttke, J. Hagedorn. ROW 4: C. Haldeman, B. Wallace, S. Watenphul, R. Rupprecht, M. Gueke, D. Drehmel, D. Schroeder, B. Smith, G. Pettis, J. Krueger, J. Suefzer, M. Johnson, J. Rugotzke. ROW 5: D. Muszynski, A. Slyvester, M. Kuhn, J. Messerschmidt, M. Johnson, D. Herrick, J. Boettcher, T. Pulse, L. Berlin, C. Steinke, D. Walker, B. Arries, M. Gabler, B. Strauch, M. Klatt, D. Bergman. RoW 6: E. Piel, K. Knuth, J. Volbrecht, K. Hatch, J. Smith, D. Halvorson, A. Deaton, J. Knuth, T. Drehmel, S. Geske, A. Reetz, K. Bohl, K. Rupprecht, S. Arndt, D. Kirkham.


OFFICERS: Mike Gueke - Chaplain; John Pettis - Sentinel; Ray Wallace - Treasurer; Don Schroeder - Vice-President; Mr. Dave Gavin - Advisor; Matt Gabler - President; Mark Dickinsen - Parliamentarian; Cindy Steinke - Secretary; Denise Walker - HistorianReporter.

The FFA is an organization that concerns and teaches members many different prospects of farming for the future. This year the club has been active in many events and contests, such as the Soil Judging Contest, the Meat Judging contest at the Fat Stock Show, the Ag Techniques Contest at River Falls, the Public Speaking Contest, and the Corn for Polio Drive. Delegates are chosen to attend the World Dairy Expo at Madison, and the State and National FFA Convention.


SOIL JUDGING TEAM: J. Boettcher, K. Hatch, B. Briesmiester, M. Dickinsen.


MEAT JUDGING TEAM: M. Gabler, D. Kirkham, A. Deaton.

## FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA



KNEELING: L. Karolus, J. Schultz, B. Strauch, S. Silvernail, D. Muszynski, T. Luedtke, R. Canaday, P. Honadel, P. Tomkowiak, L. Becker, C. Johnson, P. Harke. STANDING: Mrs. Jill Rybak, Advisor, P. Becker, E. Pettis, J. Kunz, D. Nehring, J. Sieg, D. Marcellis, C. Anibas, B. Anibas, M. Shong, S. Harden, B. Stanek.


OFFICERS: SEATED: D. Nehring, Secretary; P. Becker, President; E. Pettis, Vice-President; J. Sieg, Treasurer. STANDING: C. Anibas, HistorianReporter; J. Kunz, Parliamentarian; D. Marcellis, Recreation Leader.

The 1975-76 Future Homemakers of America is composed of 24 members of which 11 were freshmen just welcomed into the organization. The Annual Initiation practice was held in order to invite the mothers together and officially enter the new members. The Fall Rally was held at North High School, Eau Claire. Community efforts by the club includes a Halloween party for preschool and elementary school children. Stanley parties are popular for club members and other community women. This was a FHA fund raiser. Christmas caroling is enjoyed by both the group and older community members. Efforts are made at holidays to enlighten the lives of the residents of the nursing home, with small gifts. The FHA also joins with the FFA in making a float for homecoming or perhaps enjoy a winter party. The Banquet held at the end of the school year combines both groups. Representatives from the club are chosen each year to the State Convention at Green Lake. Best wishes to all for a successful Bicentennial year from the 1975-76 FHA.

## DRAMA CLUB ACTS PROFESSIONALLY



ROW 1: R. Weiss, S. Skoug, W. Wilkinson, C. Schmidt, K. Weiss. ROW 2: A. Mierow, K. Barka, S. Ida, T. Stanek, Mrs. Radke - Advisor. ROW 3: M. Shong, A. Steadman, B. Strauch, M. Rosentreter. ROW 4: D. Hoffman, D. Marcellis, T. Luedtke.


OFFICERS: Karen Barka - Secretary; Ann Mierow - President; Sue Skoug - Treasurer; Roger Weiss -Vice-President.

The Drama Club consists of students who are interested in developing their theatrical talents and performing them. A short Christmas play entitled SECOND SHEPHERD'S PLAY, was performed in front of the student body. This play was known as a miracle play which is the earliest form of drama. On Friday, March 26, and Saturday, March 27, the club presented the play STEPHEN VINCENT BENET'S STORIES OF AMERICA. The play is a history of America's settlement and development told through the works of Stephen Benet.




ACT NATURAL!

## AUGUSTA SCHOOLS LOOK TO THE FUTURE

Since 1954 when an addition was built to provide a gym, music department, and some additional classrooms Augusta High School has continued to expand its opportunities for students providing an excellent education to all who are willing to pursue one.

Throughout the history of the school, we have had superintendents with the students best interest in mind: Archie K. Lyon from 1923 to 1932; F. G. MacLachland from 1933 to 1945; H. T. James from 1947 to 1949; J. J. Bichler from 1950 to 1954; Arthur A. Kopp from 1955 to 1958; Neil Fellrath from 1955 to 1962; Glen Dahl in 1963; and William Kean from 1964 to 1968. Mr. James Larson, the present superintendent was employed in 1969. In the seven years of his leadership, the school has built a vocational addition, offering opportunities in career courses for Augusta students as well as students from Altoona, Fall Creek, Osseo-Fairchild, and ElevaStrum, a bus facility, an art center, and now a high school with an expanded media center to be completed in 1976.

Many extra-curricular activities have grown along with the school. Football started in 1902, basketball as early as the school, wrestling in 1962; and baseball. In addition, today we offer track and cross country for boys. At one time, there was a tennis team, but when the coach moved, the team folded.

Girls' sports started as early as the boys with a girls' basketball team competing with other schools earlier than 1914. Through the years this became an intramural sport, with GAA being organized to provide athletic competition for the girls. During the 1969 school year girls' teams were organized and competition began with other area schools in the fields of basketball, volleyball, softball, track and gymnastics.

Organizations exist in all areas of interest for every student as the development of activities for leisure time is almost as necessary for the well-being of the students as education. Drama clubs and forensics have always been active with Augusta receiving many " $A$ " ratings at district and state contests as well as entertaining the community. Activities in publications, home economics, Ag, audio visual, Photography, scholarships and athletics are available to all.


Community Committee helps plan the new school.


GROUND BREAKING: M. Hanson, G. Smith, J. Larson, G. Stanek, T. Henning, G. Lee, M. Thode.



During these years the mode of transportation has changed from horse and buggy, requiring students to walk, or to board with someone in town during the week. Today large yellow buses creep along the highways and byways picking up students each morning and dropping them off again each evening. With the building of a separate elementary school on the old fair grounds by the overhead in 1964, the original building on Main Street has been used only as a junior and senior high school. At this time the rural school youngsters were also brought into the new school.

In 1975, the community voted to build a high school as the present building is out-of-date, crowded, and seems to be falling apart at the seams. The first plan included a swimming pool and an auditorium, but these were omitted in the plan that was finally okayed. From wood stoves and slates to air conditioning and television, from 'reading, 'writing, and 'arithmetic to reason, rhythm, and logarithms, the Augusta Schools continue to grow and keep place with the world.


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