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## Library News

New books are being put on the shelves of our library every day. They range from light fiction for teenagers to reference books for science.

Among the outstanding in the fiction collection is the Nobel Prize winning book, "Doctor Zhivago" by Pasternak, the Russian author.

Some of the top-ranking books of fiction for juniors and seniors are: The Robe, Great Gatsby, Pride and Prejudice, Way of All Flesh, An American Tragedy, Love Is Eternal, Pilgrims Progress, Moonstone, Jim Lord, and Quo Vadis. Not only are these books on the required list for junior and senior English students to read, but they also appeared on a suggested list of outstanding fiction for college bound students in the National Education Journal. We are very fortunate to have this addition to our library.

If you are looking for some lighter reading we also have: Street Rod, Double Wedding, Tougher Than You Think, Lead-Off Man, Mystery Of Broker-Horse Chimneys, Man Who Laughed At Murder, June Finds A Way, Star Surgeon, and Cat Among the Pigeons.

Among the biographies to interest high school students is that much talked about story of a little Jewish girl, Anne Frank, called Diary of a Young Girl. Lou Gehrig, "The Iron Horse of Baseball" again appears on our shelves. It was on the shelf several years ago but it was so good, it walked away and never found its way back. Also for you sport fans, is Shapir's book "The Sal Maghi Story."

Zim, Zim, Zim, --- no it's not a new yell--- Herbert Zim is the author of eight new science books for use of all students, but for those particularly interested in biology. They are all field guides to help identify birds, flowers, insects, trees, and other plants and animals.



## SKIT CLUB NEWS

As you have already seen at our last few pep meetings, a new club has been organized--the skit club. This club is not a new idea, for it has been tried several times before, without too much success. Therefore, it is more of an experiment one which we hope will work out successfully. Up until this time our pep meetings have been just a routine. You know before going to one exactly what was going to happen. By forming the skit club, we hope to add a little variety to the pep meetings, and arouse a bit more school spirit.

The pep club consists of 34 Senior girls, and is divided into four groups, with each group taking its part in putting on a skit. Our advisor is Miss Hartman. The girls are working quite hard to make this skit club a success, and we hope we are achieving our purpose.

## "F. H. A." REPORT

An F. H. A. meeting was held November 16, 1960. The Snowball was discussed and the members voted on a theme and "Winter Wonderland" was selected. Nominations for the Snowball Queen were made with the stipulation that three girls from each class would be nominated. Out of these girls Karen Folkman was elected Snowball Queen.

After the business meeting there was recreation and lunch was served.

The Snowball will be held on December 28, 1960, and it will be a semi-formal dance.

## "Nite Special"

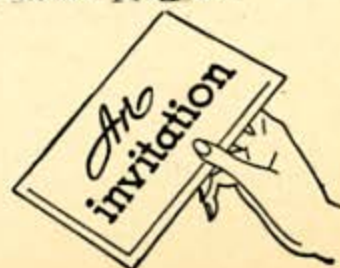
Say "guys" maybe you haven't looked this far ahead, but how about entertaining your best "gal" on December the twentieth. A program consisting of Danish actors, and by golly good ones, is slated. How about it? Take your "sweetheart" to a relaxing program at eight o'clock and out for Pizza afterwards. Now how's that for a good idea!

This program is colorful men! Of special interest is "Brigit" a seventeen year old, cute, Danish teenager who will be one of the stars. She'll have much to tell the teenagers of America about what the Danish teenagers consider really "cool". What do they do on a date? What's the fashion mode and hit-song trend? Let's come and see how our Danish neighbors across the world think and live.

Want to compare our rock and roll with their folk dancing? Then come and see little Erik, seven, and a spirited little lad perform.

This isn't children's play either. Such a top performance as this given in regular theaters instead of our gym would cost you plenty. In fact, the ticket man would ask you to dig into your pocket and fork out \$2.50!

So come and join the crowd Tuesday, December the twentieth. The low, low, prices will be posted. Take that favorite "gal" of yours or if you haven't one, (for Pete's sake find one!), to this high-class entertainment. And remember, Pizza tastes mighty fine after any entertainment. Or maybe a California hamburger with french-fries is your dish! Any way come and enjoy this top-notch program.





### LOITERING IN THE HALLS

Do you know that the number of privileges and the amount of freedom you have in this school depends on you?

The recent ruling about loitering in the halls is an example of this. The student handbook specifically says: "no talking or holding hands by or near the lockers." This rule has not been obeyed, so new regulations have had to be enforced on everyone whether he is an offender or not. Freedom involves responsibility and lack of responsibility causes loss of freedom.

Responsibility in this case meant clearing the hall so that others could walk through. It did not mean standing three or four deep next to the lockers and having a "gab session" every morning. It also did not mean standing in groups of eight or ten in the middle of the hall and forcing everyone to walk around you.

The whole situation was a display of lack of courtesy and consideration of others. Standing in groups near the lockers or in the middle of the hall and blocking the passage of others is not courtesy.

An examination of the situation showed that the freshmen were the worst offenders. It can logically be deduced from this that either the freshmen are unaware of the rules or they have no respect for them.

In any case, the standard rule stated on page 173 of the Student Handbook was not obeyed.

Therefore, new regulations have been set down. The 8:15 bell is a signal for you to start moving to your first hour class. All movement in the halls between 8:15 & 8:30 will not be prohibited but all loitering will.

The new regulations are not designed to make us feel like "jailbirds" but to eliminate congestion in the halls.

Summing up the whole situation, one could apply the maxim, "a stitch in time saves nine."

### Senior News

With the school year well under way, the seniors have begun ordering their name cards and commencement announcements. The graduation announcement for the class of 1961 bears an engraved sketch of our school, something different from other years.

Many seniors went to Shawano Saturday November 5th for the AGT tests. This collegiate test is required by many colleges and Universities.

The Bear Book staff too, is hard at work with its co-editors, Rigges Rosenow and Barbara Svetnicka, under the leadership of Miss Hartman. I know we're all looking forward to receiving our year book next spring.

### Junior News

The Juniors have been very busy for the past four weeks selling magazines in order to earn money for their Junior Prom.

The people who achieved honors were:

high salesmen---Marna Boerst  
2nd. salesmen---Dales Dirks  
3rd. salesmen---Lenore Senzig  
Look Award-----Jane Falk  
Mc Calls Award---Marna Boerst  
Farthest distance-----Gary Hovey---Germany.

Nineteen students won "pajama dogs." They were: Bonnie Boerst, Marna Boerst, Larry Born, Bette Busch, Dale Dirks, Karen Dobratz, Judy Gehm, Lyle Gehm, Lois Hinkfuss, Gary Hovey, Beverly Kell, Joanne Kroening, Nancy Perz, Rhonda Marohl, Kenneth Neitzel, Janice Senzig, Lenore Senzig, Sally Zeman, and Roger Salzwedel.

The class did very fine work and spent a lot of time working for the benefit of the class. Congratulations to the winners.

### A Poor Student

Professor: "You, in the back of the room, what was the date of the signing of the Magna Charta?"

"I don't know."

"You don't, eh? Well, try something else. Who was Bonny Prince Charlie?"

"I don't know."

"Well, then perhaps you can tell me what the Tennis Court Oath was?"

"I don't know."

"You don't? I assigned that last Friday. Where were you?"

"I was out taking the day off with some friends."

"Oh, you were, were you? Do you expect to pass this course?"

"Well, I don't suppose so, Mister. I just came in to fix the radiator."

### Sophomore News

We started the second nine weeks off with a bang, an initiation party. Instead of having stunts during the day we held a party at night for just the sophomores and freshmen. We made the Frosh do stunts and then played records until 11 o'clock.

Some of the stunts turned out to be better than we expected. Bob Westgor gave us a couple bars of "Squaws along the Yukon", Mr. Krull polished the Big "B" with toilet tissue, some of the kids did a very well polka, and Bill Butler volunteered to roll up a spool of thread that accidentally unwound across the gym floor.

The party turned out to be a success, or at least we hope it did. Mr. Hanson turned away some upper classmen who wanted to crash our party. We served refreshments after the stunts, sour punch and potato chips.

### Freshmen News

The freshmen were busy Friday, November 11 carrying sophomore's books. It was Initiation Day and of course, we all looked a sight.

The girls wore: "T" shirts, long woolen socks, one man's bedroom slipper, one man's work rubber, bib overalls worn backwards, bama caps with flowers and the hair worn in rag curls.

The boys wore: tight burlap skirts, blouse worn backwards, nylon stocking cap, gunny sack socks, and rubbers with buckles.

At night we had an initiation party given in our honor by the sophomores. Refreshments were served after we performed several stunts for our upper classmen. Dancing completed the evening program with Mr. Hanson acting as disc jockey.

**Opening Soon!**

**DAIRY  
BAR**

The first meetings for the new year were held as planned from the comments they were very enjoyable.

The new group was the first to have their meeting. They had a business meeting during which they decided to have a candy sale. From this sale they received about \$12. After the meeting, games were played which everyone seemed to enjoy.

The Junior group assembled for their first meeting with great enthusiasm. Sheets were handed out giving the rules and regulations for our meetings. There was some discussion of points for which they will be working. During the meeting they also decided to have a candy sale. The decision was made to have it on Parents Visiting Day. From the sale they made about \$29.

The Senior group gathered together, also, looking forward to another year of fun and merriment. They had a business meeting and decided to have a Christmas party within their own group but no definite date was set. They are going to sell coffee at the basketball games too. After their business meeting, games were played and lunch was served.

## JUST IMAGINE!

### IDEAL B.H.S. STAFF

Superintendent--Frankie Avalon  
Principal--Elvis Presley  
English--Bobby Rydell  
Math--Jane Mansfield  
Shorthand--John Saxon  
Bookkeeping--Fabian  
Typing--Troy Donahue  
Latin--Brenda Lee  
Auto Mechanics--Debbie Reynolds  
Electricity--Annette  
Home Ec.--Jimmy Clanton  
Agriculture--Lana Turner  
Shop--Tuesday Weld  
Social Problems--Dick Clark  
History--Rock Hudson  
Art--Tommy Sands  
Science--Dion  
Girls Phy. Ed.--Paul Anka  
Boys Phy. Ed.--Bridget Bardot  
Band--Duane Eddy  
Music--Connie Francis  
Librarian--Sandra Dee  
Janitars--Liz Taylor & Eddie Fisher  
Office Girl--Marilyn Monroe

Since this is the first time anything has been put into the paper about our Camera Club----I'll tell you about the club first.

So far this year we have had 6 meetings and are on our way to a very successful year. The officers that have been elected are: President, Dan Manthei; Secretary-Treasurer, Bonnie Ebert; and Student-Council Rep, Dan Habighorst. We have 13 members, and our advisor is Mr. Lind.

Thus far this year we have had interesting meetings which have included guest speakers and demonstrations on all phases of photography. We also received workbooks this year which we think will help us a great deal in the study of photography.

Right now we are in the midst of planning our Photo Contest. This contest will be open to anyone in junior or senior high school. There will be prizes awarded for the best pictures and the winners will be announced at a record hop on January 27th, after the Iola basket-ball game, with a well-known disc jockey "spinning the platters"

Any picture (black and white only though) with a minimum size of 2" x 3" will be accepted. There are three categories in which it can be entered: Human Interest, Scenery and Still, and Miscellaneous.

So students, start capturing some poses that you think would be good for our contest and on January 9th, start to enter them in Mr. Lind's room. The limit is one picture per category, per person. We will be handing out sheets of regulations to you individually so that you will know all the necessary details.

### F. T. A. NEWS

At our October meeting the members saw some very interesting film strips on teaching. During the business meeting a letter was read from the Oconto Falls F. T. A. inviting us to attend one of their meetings. We also discussed having a Halloween Sock Hop. This was agreed upon by all and on October 28 we sponsored the dance in the new gym. Rick Priebe was the disc jockey and during the evening he gave away many records and an album. The special feature of the dance was a "Ghost Walk."

### YOU CALL YOURSELF A DRIVER?

This is an article about the driver of yesterday. I am sure you know how the car's were built in the 1920's and 30's. They were modern in those days but are death traps in these days.

Do you really think it was the car that was hazard or the driver behind the steering wheel? Of course there weren't as many accidents then as there are now, but then there weren't as many cars. Yes, it's the drivers attitude that has a great deal to do with how he drives.

Now in Grandpa's day if you were fortunate enough to own a car, boy, you had it made. The pedestrians looked out for you not vice versa. That wasn't the proper attitude, but then you try and tell Grandpa how to drive and all you get is a trip to the wood shed and a speech about how much older and more experienced he is than you. Remember though just because Grandpa drove that way doesn't mean you have the right or privilege to. Do You?

### B.H.S. Top "15"

1. "Many Tears Ago"--Seniors
2. "Sleep"----1st hour study hall
3. "All Right, Be That Way"--Susy and Harvey
4. "Like Strangers"----Sally and Dennis
5. "Gee, But I'm Lonesome"--Barb D.
6. "Love You In The Same Old Way"--Butch and Diana
7. "Let's Have A Party"--Tom T.
8. "One Of The Lucky Ones"--Sandie B.
9. "Devil or Angel"--Bonnie S.
10. "Chain Gang"--B.H.S. Students
11. "Last Date"--Reg and Tom
12. "Togetherness"--Jean and Mike
13. "Let's Think About Living" Teen-age Drivers
14. "So Sad"--All Republicans
15. "I'm Not Afraid"-----All Democrats

## EVENTS AT THE OLD GYM

At about the same time Mr. Hanson was speaking to his basketball team, another coach of B.H.S., was talking to his 20 candidates of all sizes and shapes over in the old gym.

This was Coach Tom Flanagan, our Phy. Ed. instructor and wrestling coach. Unlike Coach Hanson's men, who started playing ball from the first day of practice, Flanagan's wrestlers spent the first weeks conditioning. It is Coach Flanagan's theory that a top wrestler must be in top physical condition, and he certainly tried to prove his point.

Coach Flanagan has high hopes for his team, which consists of five starters from last year's team and seven returning lettermen. The main concern of Mr. Flanagan is his lack of depth in certain weight classes.

As many of you may be unfamiliar with this, "Oldest known sport," I've been asked to fill you in on some of its rules.

Each team has eleven members, each weighing different amounts and is matched against an opponent of his same weight. A single match consists of three, 2 minute periods. The outcome of a single match is dependent on the amount of points each wrestler is awarded for certain accomplishments, such as a take-down or a reverse on his opponent or if he pins his opponent.

For each single match pin, a team's score increases five points and for each decision (won by most points awarded) the team receives three points.

It is Coach Flanagan's hope that near the end of the season he may have an inter-school invitational in which any student may challenge any wrestler to a regular match. So gym boys, take this hint and practice during your gym period on the mats.

The wrestling team wishes to have more team support so, "Turn out for the matches students!" Schedules are posted on the bulletin boards.

The results of our first conference match was Bonduel 27, Brillion 16.



## A FINAL IN FOOTBALL

This fall, season was rather a dull spot in the lives of Bonduel fans as our team was on the short end of the score on 5 out of 8 games; but despite this gloomy fact, we find that as far as statistics go we weren't beaten too badly. If you look at the finals in the scoring department, we were only outscored 76 to 73. Although, this has been a lean year, if you would take one glance at the line-up you may not feel so bad, for over half of the players on the varsity squad were juniors. Another important factor is that we lost five first stringers by way of injuries during crucial parts of the season.

Now that the season is over, the team has elected their captain and most valuable player. Dennis Rank received both awards.

Dennis is certainly worthy of these awards as this big, senior fullback was a most important figure in our yardage and scoring column.

The returns on All-Conference players have recently been turned in, and I'm proud to say that we placed two players on each the offensive and defensive units. This includes Dennis Rank and Tom Westphal on first offensive unit with Bob Barkhaus and Dale Dirksen on the first defensive unit. Joe Klosterman, John Dingell, and Dennis Rank were on the honorable mention defense.

In conclusion I would like to thank the fans who did a fine job of supporting our team; and, for next year, "fellows, lets see you take a clean sweep of the C.W.C."



## WINTER SPORTS OF 60-61

As the weather starts to turn colder, and the snow is getting ready to fly, a group of young men turn their interests toward a young, good-looking chemistry teacher, and the large round ball he holds in his hands.

This event took place some weeks ago in our new gym. As this hardened coach of two years studied the young men in front of him, many thoughts were rushing through his mind. The thoughts were the same that had plagued him ever since the end of the 59-60 season. Thoughts like: how to make up for the loss of his six starters who he lost by way of graduation, how to make up for the lack of height and inexperience of his team, what type of offense and defense must he use in order to best make use of his material?

To you, this may look like a rather bleak picture of things to come in our basketball season; but Coach Hanson is not only a good teacher, he also rates an A in the study and use of strategy.

As I was talking to Coach Hanson in his office shortly before the first game at Pulaski, he outlined the strong and weak points of our team to me and also that of the other teams in the conference. You can believe me when I say, "Our boys will be fighting all the way to hold onto our title as the Champs of C.W.C."

One important factor about our team is that they want to play ball; they are really aggressive. In short, they want to win. It is up to YOU fans to have the same desire also. Turn out to see YOUR games and "Let's go team go!"

Results of games are as follows:

Pulaski 64	Bonduel 50
Marion 53	Bonduel 50
Bonduel 64	Seymour 46
Bonduel 57	Weyauwega 53