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Mr. Hanson: "This gas is deadly poison. What steps would you take if it escaped?"
Judy Stern: (Quickly) "Long ones, sir."



PRIZE WINNING FLOAT MADE BY THE JUNIOR CLASS

HOMECOMING

October 7, another Homecoming planned and organized by the Student Council, was held under the romantic setting of "Harvest Moon." The Sax Sawyer Orchestra furnished appropriate music. Reigning in honor as King and Queen were John Dobrats and Marilyn Kneuppel.

The following were class representatives: freshmen, Leon Drage and Carol Niles; sophomores, Ken Rudie and Bonnie Surdell; juniors, Harvey Westphal and Jean Breitzman; seniors, Dan Highborst and Bonnie Ebert.

A fall setting was carried out with cornstalks, pumpkins, and other such fall articles. The orchestra was a five piece combination. The Student Council hopes that all present enjoyed themselves.

Jerry Henn: "How did you do on your history test?"
Bonnie Kammecke: "Well, er you see it was like this..."
Jerry Henn: "Yeah, I failed too."

STUDENT COUNCIL

Having elected new officers for the current year, the student council is well under way. As Ruth Boelter transferred to a different school, Sheilah Labutzke was elected as president to take her place. Other newly elected officers are: Dave Mueller, vice-president; Lenore Senzig, secretary; Annette Wartman, treasurer.

Mr. Weix told us that on October 7 all student council members were free to decorate the gym.

The three picked to choose judges for the floats were Marilyn Young, Judy Roloff, and Bonnie Ebert. We decided that the prizes for floats would remain the same: \$5 for first prize; \$3 for second prize; and \$1 for third prize.

Mr. Weix said the parade need not start before three o'clock. The order in which the floats appear was planned by Bernice Skieberry. Your Student Council, most certainly, has been quite busy!

Alumni News

WHERE ARE OUR GRADUATES?

- James Abel, Working in Black Creek.
- Jerome Abel, Working in Appleton.
- Sharon Bahr, at home.
- Joann Balthazor, working in Milwaukee.
- Sandra Beilfuss, Wisconsin Finance Office, Shawano
- Gale Bergsbaken, working at Suamico.
- Kathy Blom, Mrs. Lowell Thompson.
- John Boelter, Stevens Point State College.
- Gloria Boerst, getting married October 15
- Maribeth Boerst, working in Grade School Office.
- Jim Boettcher, working for Gas Line Construction.
- Janet Bogacz, working in an insurance office, Neenah
- Allen Bohm, Vocational School, Green Bay.
- Geraldine Bohm, at home.
- Marcia Bohm, Mrs. Arthur Brodhagen.
- Alice Brisk, working in Chicago.
- Carol Brodhagen, going to Nursing School.
- Hope Cagle, working in Shawano.
- Gerald Diemel, in Armed Forces.
- Bill Dussling, Ripon College
- Elaine Ebert, Concordia College in St. Paul,
- Lee Ebert, St. Norberts
- Beverly Fischer, Pulaski Shoe Factory
- Judy Fisher, A.A.L. Office
- Nancy Folkman, at home
- Connie Froelich, working in Cecil Bank.
- Ione Gehm, A.A.L. Office in Appleton.
- Jim Grunwald, Stevens Point State College.
- Carol Gueller, Neilsons, Green Bay
- Lee Habighorst, Navy
- Marcia Henn, Kaukanna County Normal
- Margaret Henn, working in Clintonville.
- David Heuer, at home
- Lee Hilliker, Green Bay Vocational School.
- Dale Hinze, at home
- Allen Holewinski, at home
- Alfred Hovey, Lakeland College.
- Carol Jarosinski, at home
- Robert Klatt, Working in Two Rivers
- Jim Klevesahl, Armed Forces
- Sandra Klosterman, A.A.L. Office.
- Audrey Knueppel, A.A.L. Office.
- Priscilla Lemhouse, engaged to Dennis Teeman.
- Bill Letter, working at Black Creek.
- Robert Liesner, at-home
- Jim Luepke, in the Army
- Don Monthei, working at Schieiber's Cheese Factory
- Janice Monroe, Hartford Insurance Office.
- Harry Mroczynski, Navy.
- Steve Nault, Lawrence College
- Lee Ness, working in Milwaukee.
- Lorraine Nischke, Office Port Howard, Green Bay.
- Ken Manthei, at home.
- Bonnie Marohl, working at A.A.L. Office.
- Tom McClone, working for the Gas Construction Co.
- Roger Meisner, married and is working in Gillett.
- Wayne Moeller, in the Army.
- Rose Moesch, attending Mount Sinai Nursing School.
- Neil Olson, going into Air Force
- Leon Pludeman, at home
- Dick Popp, in army
- Don Radloff, working at Myron Boerst Cheese Factory
- Karen Radtke, married
- Dick Rudie, navy
- Robert Runge, working in Cecil
- Shirley Schmidt, married
- Judy Sell, office, Port Howard, Green Bay
- Allen Sievert, in Armed Forces
- Keith Spoehr, working on farm at Leeman
- Judy Tischer, going to Beauty Culture School in Green Bay
- John Truesdale, Univ. Ext. at Green Bay
- David Vanden Brook, working at Appleton
- Gary Vander Velden, at Stevens Point
- Boni Weix, Stevens Point
- Charles Wendt, working in Bonduel Gamble Store
- Diana Wendt, at Beauty Culture School in Green Bay
- Nancy Wendt, going to School in Madison
- Donna Westerfeld, Pulaski
- Dennis Zeeman, working in
- Betty Zuehlsdorf, U.W. in Milwaukee



Freshman News

The Freshman have elected their class officers. They are as follows: President, Nancy Hoefs; Vice President, Ruth Raaths; Student Council Representative, Owen Boettcher.

We are gradually getting accustomed to our new school routine, and are eagerly looking forward to Freshman initiation.

F.T.A. News

The Future Teachers of America held its first meeting of the year on September 20. At this meeting officers were elected and they are as follows: President, Susan McCormick; Vice President, Annette Wartman; Secretary, John Krueger; Treasurer, Ruth Polzin; Librarian, Evonne Ollman; and Student Council Representative, Boni Ebert.

We also discussed different projects for the coming year. One of the things agreed upon was that when any teacher is absent from school, some senior F.T.A. member will take over their classes for the day.

At a meeting in the high school library, October 3, the group voted to sponsor a Halloween Sock Hop, Friday evening, October 28 with a well-known disc-jockey spinning the "Platters."

So, students, don't forget to reserve October 28 for a night out with the ghosts and goblins.



Tips On Dancing



Mr. Slaby

Our newest industrial arts teacher, Mr. F. Slaby, comes to us from Fish Creek, Wisconsin. When studying to become a teacher, he attended Stout State College where he majored in industrial arts. Here at Bonduel he teaches Electricity, Metals and Auto Mechanics.

Mr. Slaby was married two years ago in September and he and his wife have one little girl, Cindy, six months old.

As for hobbies, he likes hunting, fishing, and art.

Since this is the first school he has taught, he hasn't formed many opinions of it as yet, he says he does like it though, and it seems to be a nice place to work.

B.H.S.'s New Subjects

Bonduel High's three new subjects this year are metal shop, electricity and auto mechanics. All of these are taught by a new teacher Mr. Fredric Slaby.

Metal workshop is basically for the sophomores of Bonduel. The boys work with different types of metals and some lathe work is done.

The second new course is electricity which is primarily a junior subject. These boys will do a great deal of work with motors, televisions and radios or any work that is connected with electricity.

The next new course is auto mechanics which is a senior subject only. In this class the boys find taking a car apart and seeing what makes it tick very interesting. They are now working on the old high school buses.

These subjects are very worthwhile and we hope the students are enjoying them.



Dancing is even more fun when the boy leads. If a girl has a tendency to lead she can overcome it by following the movements of her partner's shoulders while bringing her feet together at the end of each step.

A boy's pockets are for his personal possessions. The wise girl carries an evening bag when she goes to a dance instead of dropping her compact and comb in her partner's pocket.



Mr. Louis Kroil

Mr. Kroil was born in Shawano. He has always lived in Cecil and resides there with his parents. He has a sister, Shirley, who is married, and a brother, Wayne who is attending college.

Mr. Kroil graduated from Eau Claire with a major in history. His future plans include to begin work on a masters degree.

On the average, Mr. Kroil doesn't think the students enjoy themselves enough. He also thinks there should be more time to further develop athletics. However, as a whole, Mr. Kroil thinks the attitude of the students is pretty good.

His advice to young people is to do whatever you do as best you can.

Favorite food= steak
 Favorite color= red
 Favorite pastime=
 hunting and fishing



Mrs. Ursula Krueger

Mrs. Ursula Krueger is now part of the office staff at Bonduel High School. She is married to Wilber Krueger and they have one daughter Kaye, who is in the fifth grade at the Bonduel Public School. She was originally from Zachow, and she graduated from Shawano High School.

Her hobbies are bowling and golfing, which she enjoys very much.

She doesn't think there is much difference between the teenagers of today and years before.

She stated that she has not had any special training for her job, and she enjoys it very much. She especially enjoys it because she enjoys being with the kids and working with them.

Her advice to young people is to try and get all the education they can now, because they will always be able to use it.

Parents Day

Nov. 9th

See, inspect and visit your school in action

We'll be Looking for you



Mr. Timothy Burke

As you know, Bonduel High School has had a prominent influx of new teachers. One of them is Mr. Timothy Burke. His home town is Green Bay, and he attended St. Norbert College in West DePere. He has majors in English and History and a minor in French. He puts his knowledge of English to good use since he teaches English in grades eight through twelve. His interest is in the drama and opera. He is also an avid reader. One of his best traits is his likeable and friendly personality.

Who's, When, Where, Why!

Who is Tommy's Latest????
 What happened to K.F. after the hayride?
 Will Darrell T. get his license in time?
 What's happening at all the pajama parties?
 Why aren't D.C. and S.Mc. such good friends?
 What happened to Sally Z.
 Why does Mary Jo get along so well with the Truesdales?
 What finally happened to Mr. Janssen? Censored!!
 Does J.V. have a long drive-way too?
 Why does K.R. flip over B.S.?
 What happened to Dan H. in physics class?
 Who lost their marble in speech class?
 Why the sudden interest in pulp magazines in speech class?
 Why play football at Cecil on Saturday night?
 Is Tom C. just beginning to wake up?
 Where was the fire Tuesday night?
 What happened to Stoltencow and Behr on Saturday night?
 How do the Freshmen get acquainted so fast?



Mr. Herbert Herb

Mr. Herb has become a very familiar figure around BHS--especially for those of us blessed with a mathematics course. Familiar as his figure may be, not many of us know too much about the "man" Herb. Because of this I was asked to interview him for our school paper. I found him to be an interesting man, full of contrasts and I'm sure you'll enjoy knowing him too.

Mr. Herb is married to an Appleton girl named Diane. He has one daughter. He and his wife met in Appleton which is Mr. Herb's hometown. He went to high school in Appleton and got straight A's in all the math courses. His father is an assistant foreman at K.C. in Neenah.

After completing high school in 1950, Mr. Herb was in the Navy for four years, and worked for two years for an insurance company. Then he went to Oshkosh State Teacher's College for four years and got a B.S. in Math and Physics. This is his first year of teaching.

Mr. Herb has many outside interests. His favorite author is Shakespeare, he enjoys poetry very much; golf is his favorite sport, and if he could be anyone he'd choose Al Jolson. His favorite season is spring, and favorite food is beans, of all things.

He was very favorably impressed by BHS and Bonduel in general. He thinks it's a nice town, nice school building, and the people are friendly all around. He says discipline at school is excellent with few exceptions, but (and I'm quoting) "I'd like to do away with a few!"



Mr. Ostwald

Mr. Sam Ostwald, the new band director at Bonduel High School this year, is a native of Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

Mr. Ostwald graduated from Lawrence College in Appleton, where he has a major in music education, and a minor in English Literature.

He is a veteran of four years in the U.S. Air Force, where he played in the band.

Mr. Ostwald entered the field of music for many reasons. He believes music can really help people in many ways. There is a great need for it in a school system. Music is a means of self-expression; it can provide a creative hobby; it is very desirable for cultural reasons alone. It provides a vocation for some students, is a good source of self-discipline, and encourages cooperation, as well as developing a sense of responsibility. He also believes that a good music system improves religious music, such as singing in choirs, etc.

Mr. Ostwald has, as most teachers do, several pet peeves. One is people who don't practice. Another is parents who don't get behind their children, although he hasn't noticed this to be prevalent in our school. Another pet peeve of his is all this clutter in the hallways, for the purpose of the halls was not intended to be somewhere to throw all your trash.

Mr. Ostwald likes it here, and he likes the people. He finds that the faculty has been much more than cooperative. And by the sound of that peppy band we hear playing each morning we know we like him here too!

This year the G.A.A. groups are off to another booming start. They have had a very large increase in the membership. There are between 85 and 90 girls in the organization this year.

This year, due to the large membership, there are three groups. The groups have had their election of officers for the coming 1960-1961 season. The results are as follows: Senior G.A.A.; President, Sheilah Labutzke; Secretary, Annette Wartman; Treasurer, Betsy McCormick; Point Recorder, Regges Rose-nov. This group will meet the second Thursday of every month. Their first meeting will be held October 13.

Junior G.A.A.

President, Bonnie Surdell; Secretary, Judy Radloff; Treasurer, Janet Porter; Point Recorder, Diana Cagle. This group will meet the fourth Thursday of each month. Their first meeting will be held on October 27.

The third group is a new group. They do not have a general name as yet. The officers of this group are as follows: President, Karen Dobratz; Secretary, Jean Hilliker; Treasurer, Jean Bernicke; Point Recorder, Marna Boerst. This group will hold its meetings the third Thursday of the month. Their first meeting will be held on October 20.

Last year the girls in the Junior G.A.A. ordered sweaters. They have arrived, and the girls are now wearing them very proudly. I imagine you have seen them around too. They certainly do look nice, girls!

The Sr. G. A. A. won 2nd. prize in the Homecoming parade on October 7.

CONGRATULATIONS GIRLS.

Senior News

The Senior Class held their first meeting this year on September 6 with Tom Carroll, the Junior president conducting the meeting. New officers were elected and are as follows: President, Judy Roloff; Vice-President, Dan Habighorst; Secretary, Bonnie Erickson; Treasurer, Gary Westphal.

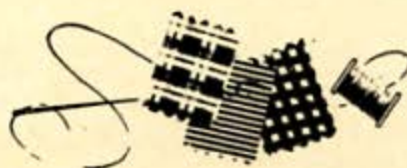
September 22 and 23 were the days on which the Seniors had their pictures taken at school. The annual staff had Mr. Jaeckel take the pictures at the high school this year instead of the usual studio poses.

Girl's Glee Club

With the 1960-61 school year just beginning the Girl's Glee Club elected their officers for the year. Sue Fleigle was chosen for the office of president, Sophie Sobiesczyk was chosen as treasurer, and Judy Gehm was chosen to take roll call.

Last year the G. G. C. learned many music fundamentals, they have started right in singing Saprano-alto music. They will be singing these Saprano-alto songs for half of the year and if they make enough progress in this group, they will be able to sing I & II Saprano-alto music by Christmas.

The music period for G.G.C. is also changed. This year it meets 7th hour on Tuesdays and Thursdays for the duration of the year. This is twice the time you girls had last year to practice, so let's really get in Girl's Glee Club an organization you can really be proud of !!



F.H.A. NEWS

The new officers for this year are as follows: President, Marilyn Young; Vice-President, Karen Folkman; Secretary, Susy McCormick; Treasurer, Diana Cagle; Parliamentarian, Bonnie Erickson; Historian, Bonnie Surdell; Reporter, Audrey Luepke; Song Leader, Barbara Dingeldein; Student Council Representative, Annette Wartman.

A meeting was held Tuesday evening, September 27, for all who wanted to join F.H.A.; the freshmen were also welcome to join. Rules and regulations were discussed and new plans were made.

A Snow Ball dance was one of the events the F.H.A. is planning to sponsor; a Turkey Trot dance is also being planned by a committee that was chosen; another committee was also chosen for our homecoming float.

Also, F.H.A. members signed up for babysitting in their free time on voting day for our community so people can have the time to go and vote.

Junior News

The Juniors hope to have a very successful year under the capable leadership of these class officers: President--Harvey Westphal, Vice-President--Dale Dirks, Secretary--Sandra Boettcher, Treasurer--Diana Cagle, Student Council Representative--Sophie Sobiesczyk.

The Homecoming Representatives are Harvey Westphal and Jean Breitzman.

We were all sad to hear that Rev. Boelter was called to a church in Ohio. That meant the departure of Ruth Boelter, our fellow classmate. She was a friend to all and was always smiling. We are certainly going to miss her.

Mixed Chorus

All mixed chorus business will be presided over this year by the newly elected officers that were chosen at a recent meeting.

John Krueger was elected president, and Miss Hoge appointed Ruth Pelzin, treasurer and Beverly Kell, secretary. A robe committee was selected to take care of robes and this committee includes Roganne Genke, Gloria Buseh and Robert Zuehlendorf. Lynda Joy Jensen and Shirley Horn will be the music librarians.

Although no fall concert is planned at the present time, the chorus is working diligently on new music.

Sophomore News

Well, everybody is back to school and happy, we hope.

The sophomore class started the year off by electing new officers as follows: President, Bob Brodhagen; Vice President, Clayton Blom; Secretary, Cathie Blom; Sandy Schultz, Treasurer; and Carol Peebles represents us in the Student Council.

At our meeting, our president appointed a float committee, which includes Cathie Blom, Shirley Horn, Audrey Dingeldein, Edward Kroening, James Sager, and Ralph Hawkins.

At the Homecoming dance, we were represented by Ken Rudie and Bonnie Surdell.

Let's Improve Those Pep Meetings

Should we have a pep meeting every week? My answer is "No" because I believe that our pep meetings are not achieving their purpose, they are becoming a waste of valuable time, which could be put to better use in the classroom. This opinion is held by a portion of the faculty and student body. Why should we have a pep meeting every week if we are just wasting time.

Pep meetings are supposed to inspire the team and show them they have the backing of the student body. Our pep meetings seem to have the opposite effect. The team passes its energy on to the student body. If it weren't for the team, Mr. Niles, and Mr. Kroll, our pep meetings would have no "Pep" or life at all.

The fault obviously lies mainly in you, the students. The cheerleaders can't do all your yelling for you. Their purpose is not to show off in front of the student body, but to lead cheers, your cheers. If you give them your support they will be inspired to do a better job, and this inspiration will be passed along to the team.

If the cheerleaders and the student body work together, then and then only will improvement be made. All concerned can show improvement. If you don't know the cheers, make an effort to learn them. You can only accomplish something if you put forth effort. Don't say "Let George do it". George is probably doing his part but, are you?

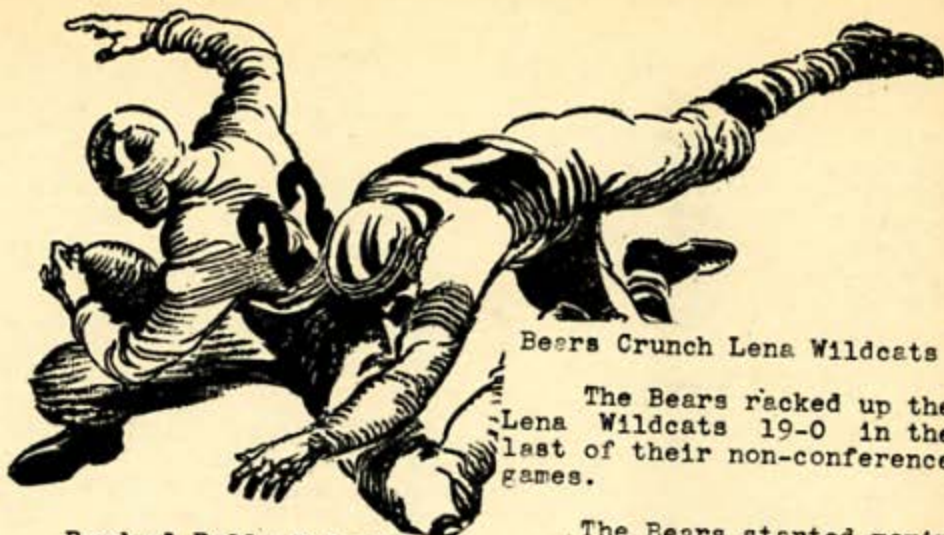
My concern is not to abolish weekly pep meetings, but to improve them so that they are something worthwhile and not a waste of time as they now are.

Remember, the team represents Bonduel High School and you the students are Bonduel High School.

If you have any suggestion about the improvements of our pep meetings, they can be given to Mr. Janssen personally or put in his mail box in the office.

Opinions or suggestions pertaining to school will also be welcome. Remember, only if you show an effort can anything be improved.

Always try to drive so your license will expire before you do.



Bears Crunch Lena Wildcats

The Bears racked up the Lena Wildcats 19-0 in the last of their non-conference games.

Bonduel Rolls Pulaski 12-0

The Bonduel Bears opened their grid season against their arch rivals, the Pulaski Red Raiders, on the Pulaski gridiron.

Both teams were held scoreless in the first quarter but in the second, Senior Fullback, Dennis Rank, passed to End Leon Stuewer, for a 27 yd. T.D. play.

Later in the quarter, Rolland Hilliker broke loose for a 75 yd. run, but it was called back because of clipping at mid-field.

Early in the fourth quarter, Bonduel again got the ball rolling. Dan Habighorst's 40 yd. run to the Pulaski 20 yd. line set up the ball for a T.D. by Hilliker on a 7 yd. scamper around right end.

The Bears defense played an outstanding game by stopping the Raiders four times after they had penetrated inside the Bear's 15 yd. line. This strong defense consists of Leon Stuewer, and Tom Carroll at ends, Clarence Froemming, Harvey Westphal, Mel Klosterman, Dale Dirks, and Mike Rudie in the interior. Junior center, Bob Barkhaus, played well along with half-back, Lyle Gehm.

Mr. Burke: (Rapping on desk) "Order Please?"
Joe Klosterman: "Hamburger with onions for me."

Mr. Kroll: "Why were the so-called dark-ages?"
Carol Dehn: "During the day of the knights."

The Bears started moving early in the game when Lena lost the ball on downs and Bonduel connected with a 65 yd. march and a score by Dennis Rank around the right end.

Slightly before the half, Bonduel was located on the 6 yd. line of Lena and Rank shot a pass to Leon Stuewer for the Bears second T.D.

After the half-time, Bonduel was again on the march. The Big Bear Fullback, again scored but this time over the left end.

Much credit of the ground is given to young Ken Rudie, who racked up several gains of over 20 yds.

The reserves of Bonduel took over in the third quarter and although they threatened several times they were unable to score.

The defense of the Bears proved too strong for Lena and they never advanced within the Bonduel 40 yd. line.

Bears Lose to Luxemburg

The Luxemburg Bluejays handed our Golden Bears their first loss in their second non-conference start.

Although our Bears were on the bottom of the 21-0 score, we find that the statistics of the game were very close. Luxemburg had only 10 first downs to our 9 and we completed 6-12 passes for 70 yds. to the Bluejay's 2-4 passes and 18 yds. Bonduel's longest gain was by Don Jeske for 17 yds.

Several times the Bears were within scoring range, but they always bogged down. The ball was lost on downs on the 5 yd. line.