

CHENGWATANA

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Announce Honor Roll

Grade 12

Janet Bell
Barton Bliss
Flaine Caroon
Jeanette Franzen
Agnes Haberman
David Heedt
Ronald Hanson
Albert Harvey
Patricia Henry
Jim McClellan
Dennis Nelson
Lee Anne Nelson
Vernice Nelson
Sharon Roubinek
Areatha Rike
Art Smith
JoAnne Vosika

Grade 11

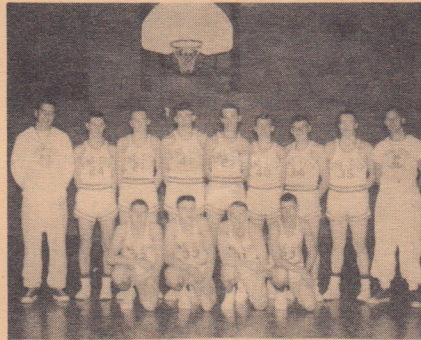
Janice Anderson
Judy Froelke
Muffy Gillespie
Betty Habrman
Barbara Miller
Collette Ostrom
Johanne Stoffel
Emily Stream
Maureen Walsh
Rose Mary Weis
Antoniette Wurm
Winifred Wurm
John Barry
Richard Baker
Bobbie Kurzhals
Nancy Selleck

Grade 10

Joni Hancock
Sandra Hansen
James Bauer
Joanne Erskine
Danny Erhart
Donald Janson
Dorothea
Dorothy Plessel
Beth Ann Roegge
William Shaffer
Judy Siebert
Marilee White
Judy Sommer
Marlys Tollefson
Fred Tuma
Shirley Smetana

Grade 9

David Blanchard
Jane Engel
Dale Kuzel
Douglas Lantis
Judy Skalicky
Janet Anderson
Margaret Babolik
Larry Fischer
Phyllis Herrud



Dance a Success

After a blizzard and a few days delay, the Soph-Ball was given by the sophomores for the Senior High, on Tuesday, Nov. 20. The decorating was done Tuesday afternoon under the supervision of Janet Kozak and Shirley Thieman who acted as the decoration committee chairman. The whole class worked together with pres. Billy Shaeffer to have the P.C.H.S. auditorium done by 8:00.

The jukebox supplied the music for a series of "Mop Dances" which left some poor boy dancing with a cute, little trick of a mop at the end of a song.

The sophomore homeroom teachers Mr. Rigney, Mrs. Erskine, and Mr. Ellsworth were there as chaperones. At 12 everyone left agreeing that sophomores should give more parties.

Grade 8

Pauline Anderson
Merodell Blost
Leslie Kotek
Dean Lindstrom
Chris Shaffer
Patricia Anderson
Ruthann Chalupnik
Mary Dipprey
Madonna Finger
Robertta Goodrich
Marilyn Johnson
Bonnie Kurzhals
Kathryn Meyer
Bonnie Ostrom
Barbara Sausen

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Basketball

The thump of basketballs on the hardwood, the smell of sweat, and the tender blisters announce the arrival of the '56-'57 basketball season. Coaches Bethel, Sporer, and Clark are rounding the three teams into shape in hope of a rewarding season.

"A" squad members returning from last years discouraging season are Jerry Yost, Butch Sommer, Jerry Nelson, Mike France, Doug Blomberg, Kenny Cahill, Denny Nelson, Art Smith, John Barry and Captain Jack Swedlund. The boys have a year of experience behind them and a strong desire to improve last year's poor record.

In the weeks of practice that have passed, the team shows a 100% improvement from the '55-'56 season. We doubt if any team in the league has the depth and varsity experience available to coach Bethel and his two partners in crime. Tuesday, November 27, starts the season rolling with a non-conference tilt at Sandstone.

compliments

We, the Junior Class, wish to thank everyone who helped make our play a success. The cast, under the direction of Mr. Rigney, worked very hard to present "Miss Jimmy", a three act farce, by Jean Provenge, and we think they did a fine job. Not only was it hard work, but everyone had lots of fun. Special thanks go to Mr. Rigney and his wife for the delicious "banquet" after dress rehearsal. I'm sure everyone will be looking forward to next year's production by the same class.

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SPORTING THING

Would you rather watch TV or write an editorial? I'm doing both. Crusader Rabbit is in a spot; he and Rags are trying to save Lady Marion from the Blaggards. My sermon is on sportsmanship. We thought it would be fitting because of the coming basketball season. Clevah, Clevah.

The boos hurt your team and your school's reputation -- a reputation that takes years to build and one chorus of boos and heckles to tear down. You say you don't boo the opposing team? Wonderful! But how about the officials? The guy on "Medic" has a perforated ulcer. Tough eh? They're human, too, you know. (The officials, not the ulcer.) They can and do make mistakes. True, some make more than others, but an official cannot reverse his decision no matter how bad he realizes his call was.

Now, don't get me wrong, I'm not accusing you of anything; I'd just like to discuss the matter with you. What do you think of it? This space is open every issue for an editorial. Let us hear from you.

To make a long story short...

Is Ronnie Hansen's ring really at the jewelers? Seems like more and more of them are disappearing every day. There's a rumor going around that Archie and Dean-na were seen at the Soph wishing well with a bucket of pennies!! Anything for charity. See the Juniors, are looking forward to Spring and the Prom, especially M. Smith!!

Looks like P. C. H. S. was blessed the a bunch of born barbers. Some of those hallway haircuts are really snazzy. A bit drafty in the wind though -- right Jim? Say, isn't it about time for the Jrs. to order their class rings? Can't wait to see what style they chose. Are you a Soph. or Jr. interested in being on the Chengwatana staff? If so, sign up in Mr. Clark's room this week!!

Pep Club initiation is coming up. Oh, happy day for the Sophomore girls!! Say, ever realize that so many things could be done with little words like mice, kiss meese and kees? Can't remember his name but he proved that Romance of Words is more than keeing. Really terrific, Agree?? What do you think of the new BB uniforms? They really put the finishing touches on making our school shine at the basketball games. School spirit really boomed in the best rip-roaring pep assembly we have ever had last Tuesday noon. Makes for a winning team. Congratulations kids! Hope you had a Happy Birthday Muff! Well I guess that's all til' the Christmas issue. So long.

Answers to Doodles

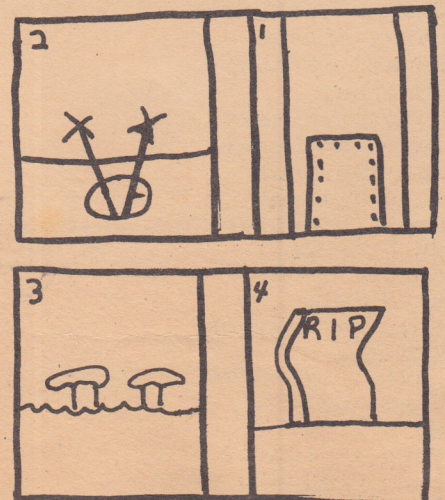
1. Long underwear worn by very cautious man.
 2. Early bird caught strong worm.
 3. Dutch boy with thumb stuck in dike.
 4. Bombs one for Rambo Rancor

What If?

Eileen E. had black hair?
 Janet was a chime and not a bell?
 Winnie was a bug and not a worm?
 Carol was a farmer instead of a Miner?
 Doug was an iceberg and not a Blomberg?
 Judy was a winter instead of a Sommer?
 Ronnie was a plumber and not a Baker?
 Duane was a thumb instead of a Finger?
 Jo Ann and Gerald were cents and not Mills?

Janice A. couldn't giggle?
 Areatha and Virg weren't together at noon?
 Judy were taller than Kenny?
 John B. flunked an algebra test?
 Jeannette didn't wear her red Bermudas to the Liner?
 Billy T. couldn't dance?
 Dick S. couldn't find Sue's locker?
 Mr. H. gave his quick easy quizzes on time?
 Bart forgot Janet's phone number?
 Jack S. had a crew cut?
 Mr. B. didn't hand out a geography assignment?
 Joy wore size 12 shoes?

GET THIS



Big Joke



Exchanges

Pipestone-"THE SMOKE SIGNAL"

"Do you know," he gurgled delightedly, "This morning, I got out of bed, went out on the porch, picked up two bottles of milk, a bottle of cream, and the morning paper and I didn't drop a thing."

"What's so hot about that?"

"No string on my pajamas!"

Finlayson-"FALCOM FLASHER"

Mr. Arimond had been having quite a little trouble with the chemistry class, as they were unable to answer any of the questions he had asked. Exasperated, he commanded, "If you are dumbbells, stand up."

After a short time, Jeannette Franzen stood up.

Noticing her, Mr. Arimond asked, "Jeannette, do you consider yourself a dumbbell?"

"No sir," Jeannette answered, "I didn't like to see you standing up all by yourself."

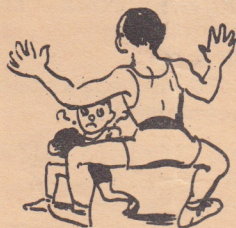
Honor Roll Cont.

Grade 7

Robert Bauer
John Shaffer
Louise Stanton
John Carlson
David Machart
Mary Jean Reiser
Stephanie Sauser
Joanne Soderbeck

Winter Concert

All-Star Band and Chorus had their annual concert at Hinckley on November 19. Twenty-seven band members and eighteen chorus people took part. The whole band had ninety members in it and the chorus had eighty members. The All-Star Band and Chorus is made up of people from different towns and made into one great group. Everyone enjoys this trip very much.



Sports Review

Moose Lake- "MOOSE CALL"

Woman driver to companion after parking car-----
"That's close enough, we'll walk to the curb."

Virginia-"STAR OF THE NORTH"
Photographer: Do you want a large or a small picture?
Senior: "A small one."

Photographer: Then close your mouth, please."

The Dragons lost their first game of the season in a bitterly fought contest that went to Sandstone, 30-24.

The game was primarily a defensive battle with both teams employing a tough zone defense.

Although the Dragons outplayed their opponents they had trouble hitting the basket.

Yost was high for the Dragons with 3 points.

TELL US YOUR



Surpressed Desires

Janet B. - to go to Paris
Janet R. - to be a football player

Bart-my desires are all depressed

Polly-to visit New York's swank night-clubs

Art- to see a blond with a million dollars in her hand sitting in a gold Cadillac whistling at me.

Roger P.-to be as smart as John Barry.

Janice R.-to get an "A" in physics.

Marg- I've got mine! (56 class ring)

Gary S.-to play football with Marilyn Monroe and Kim Novak.

Butch-to skip school and go "dear" hunting



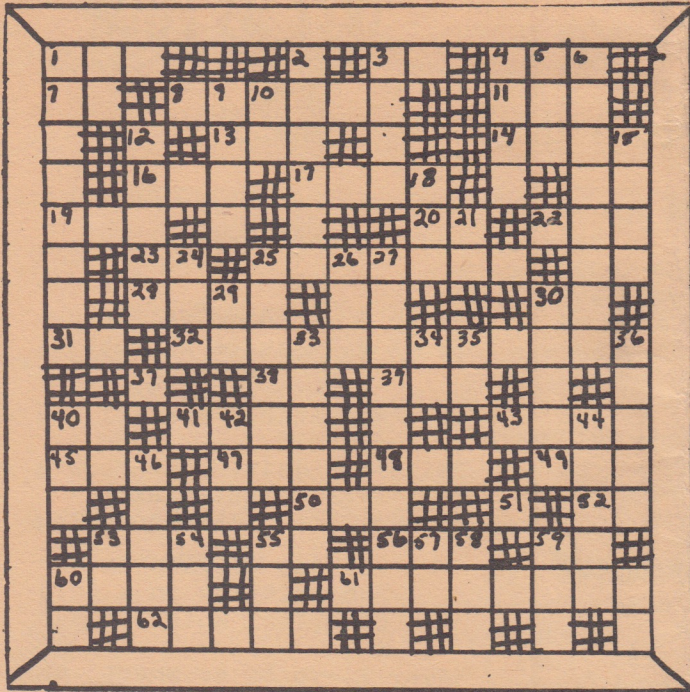
Oh, say farewell to Plessel,
Alas, he is no more.
What he read as H₂O
Was H₂SO₄ (Sulfuric acid)



you think of something —

We couldn't!





Cross-

word

by

JANICE

(Across continued)

Across

1. Very important person
3. Proceed or move on
4. Necessary in order to publish any magazine or news
7. Associated press
8. Country fighting against Egypt
11. A mouselike animal
13. ___ and downs.
14. Prime minister of England
16. go + e
17. distance measured by foot in walking
19. to make an attempt
20. form of to be
22. an instrument for writing
23. Peter Pan
25. Gov. of Minnesota
28. A beardless wild goat of the Himalayan region
30. Negative answer
31. Natalie Wood
32. A day set aside in appreciation to God for goodness.
38. Nelson Eddy
39. to chew & swallow
40. Dell Bethel
41. Chemical abv. for salt
43. A destructive weapon used in war
45. A little white lie
47. Affirmative answer
48. Adverb that asks a question.
49. to seize unexpectedly
50. Santa's expression (not aha)
52. possessive pronoun
53. Grand Old Party
55. United Nations
56. an exclamation given about a pretty girl

60. ___ Freeman movie star
61. Defeated Dem. vice pres. candidate.

62. New star. Love Me Tender

Down

1. School holidays
2. President of Egypt
3. gaiety, mirth
4. Any defined extent of land surface
5. Father
6. Defeated Demo. cand. for pres.
9. Cause of trouble in Egypt is ___ Canal
10. Richard Powell
12. Nile River runs through country
15. Sum of 1+8
18. Jerry North's partner
21. Slang for mother
24. Richard Nixon's wife
25. Joined Britain in fight in Middle East
26. Expression of excitement
27. Pres. of U. S.
29. Herbert Hoover
30. Vice Pres. U. S.
33. Defeated gubernatorial cand. in Minnesota.
34. Arthur Godfrey reversed
35. Neutral pronoun
36. to talk too much
37. 4th vowel
40. Demo. Farmer Labor
42. Affirmative votes
44. Pres. wife
46. Popular singer recorded "Thee I Love"
50. Personal pronoun
52. Move on
53. An intimate friend
54. Prefix meaning one
56. Preposition
57. What we're trying to prevent in Orient
58. Clinging vine
59. Personal pronoun
61. Roy Rogers

Say!

Don't be surprised if we cheerleaders come up with some new cheers during the basketball season this year. We attended a cheerleading clinic conducted by "Doctor" Lawrence Herkimer at Clouquet on October 20th and came home filled to the brim with new ideas and cheers. I must admit that we felt pretty silly at first when we all took the floor to do some group cheering but despite our inexperience compared to Mr. Herkimer, every one made a good showing. Trying to cheerlike Mr. Herkimer is like trying to make your little sister with her buck teeth, straight hair, and runny nose, over into a second Marilyn Monroe, but it was really worth the time and effort. In my opinion, the cheerleading clinic is something that should be repeated year after year.

We'd like to thank Mr. Ziebarth and Mr. Oldenburg for making it possible for us to attend, also Miss Conley, our advisor, who went along, to make sure we behaved as all proper young Pine Citians should. I'm sure that the whole school will benefit from the medicine "Doctor" Herkimer prescribed for us meaning lots of pep, cheer, and good sportsmanship. How about it kids? Let's really get out and make ours the peppiest school around!

The members of the Pine City football squad elected John Barry as their next year's captain.

We all wish John and the team great success next year. The team also voted Butch Sommer as this year's most valuable blocker.

One more girl has been added to the cheerleading squad of our fair school. Rici Norstrom was chosen by the Jr. High to join with Sue, Bonnie and Peggy. Let's stick with these kids in cheering the "B" squad to victory.