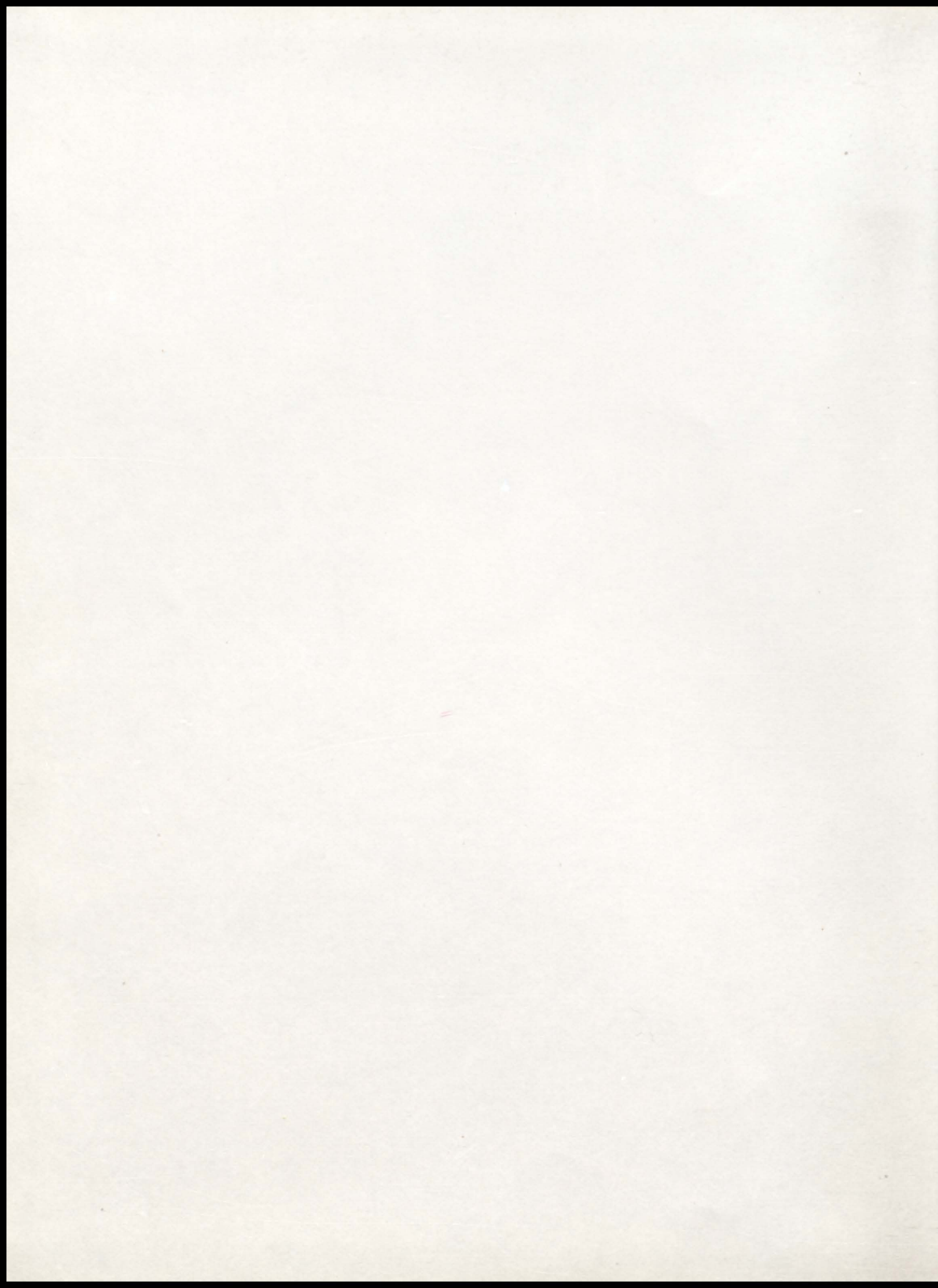


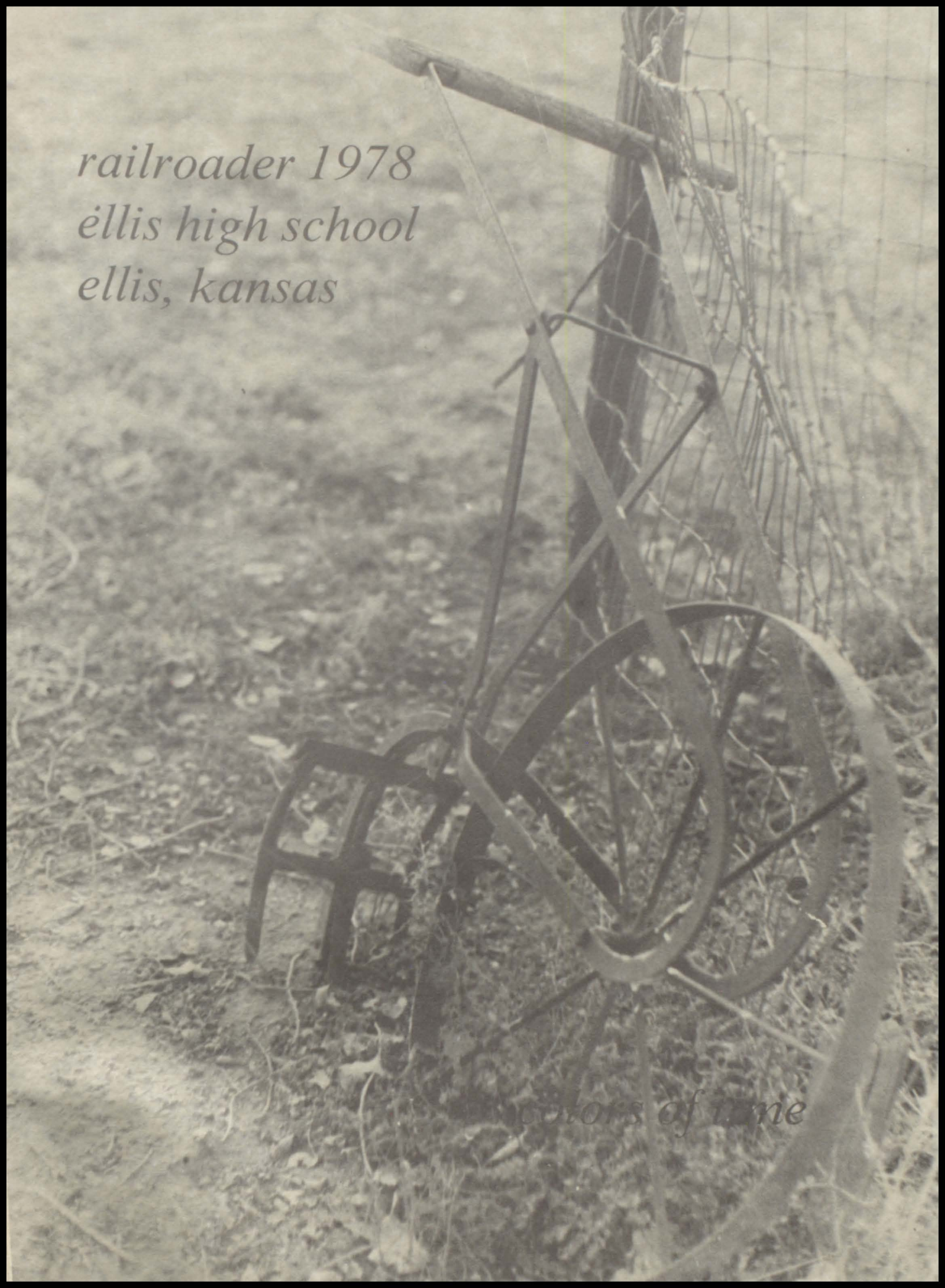
RAILROADER









A vintage black and white photograph of a bicycle leaning against a wire fence. The bicycle is positioned diagonally, with its front wheel and handlebars visible. The fence is made of wire mesh and wooden posts. The ground is covered in dry grass and leaves. The overall tone is nostalgic and rural.

*railroader 1978
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our lives are patterns of change

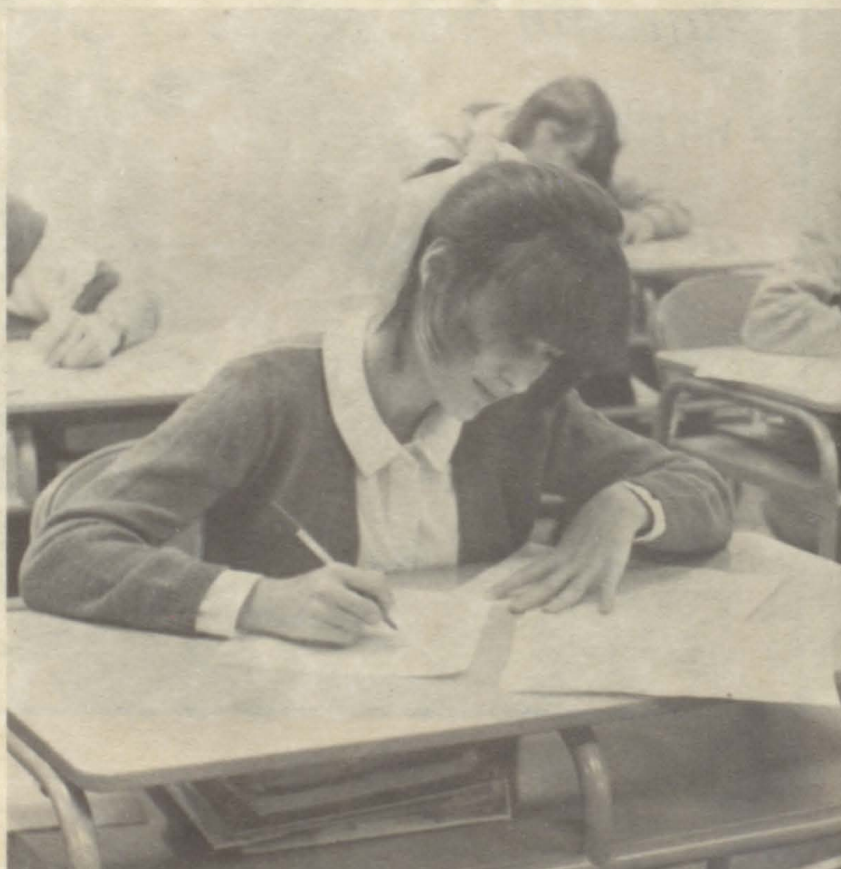




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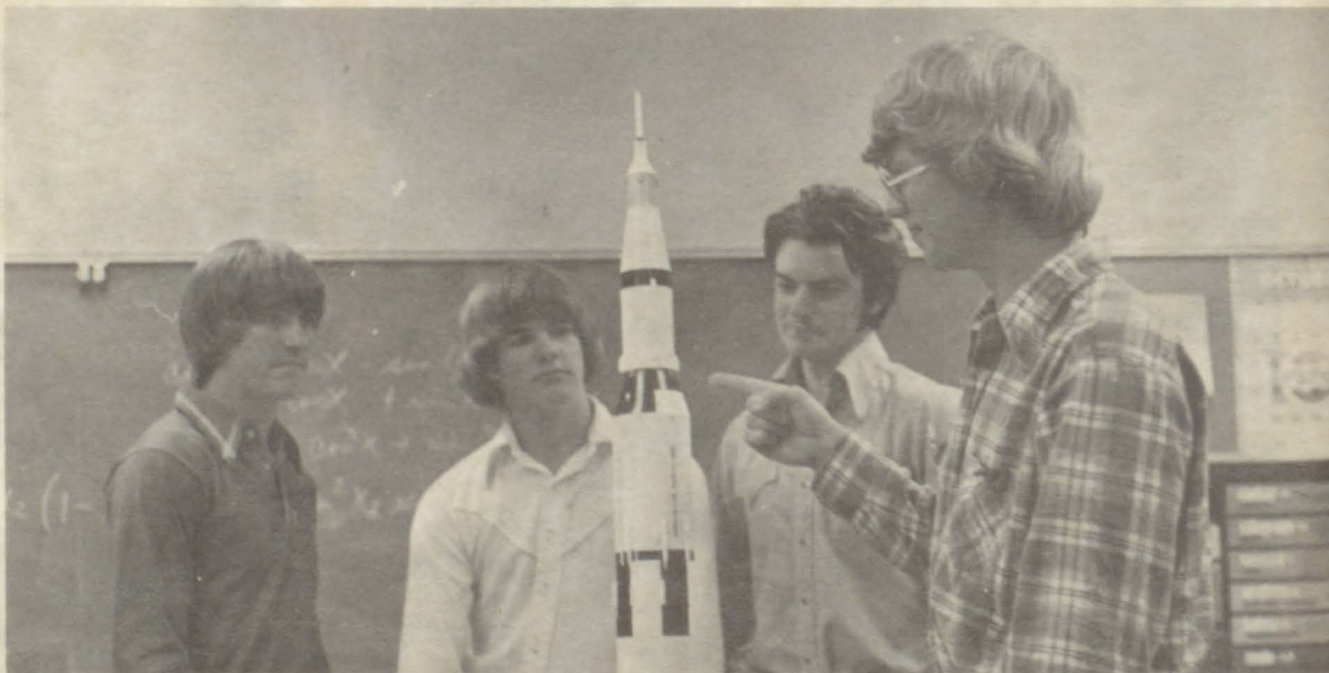
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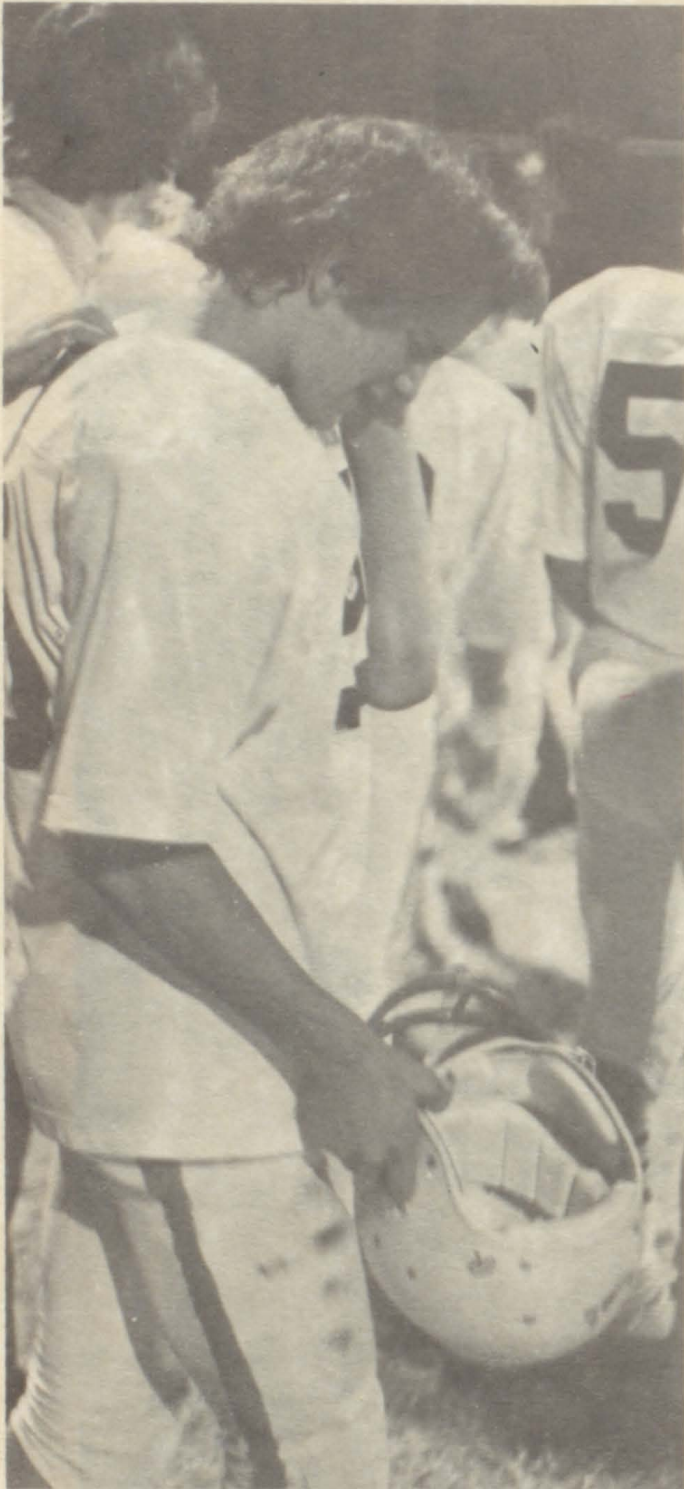
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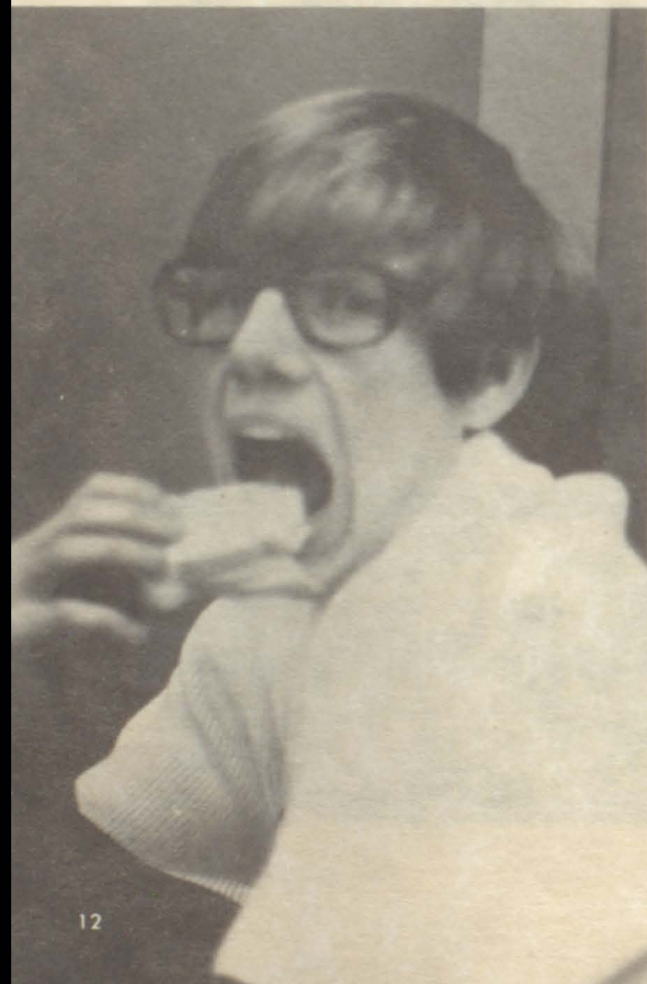
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dedication christens new high school



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One of the most important events that got the year rolling was the *Service of Dedication* honoring our new facility. The address of dedication was presented by Dr. Merle R. Bolton, Commissioner of Education for the State of Kansas. Ellis High Stage Band highlighted the ceremony, keeping the audience relaxed before and after.

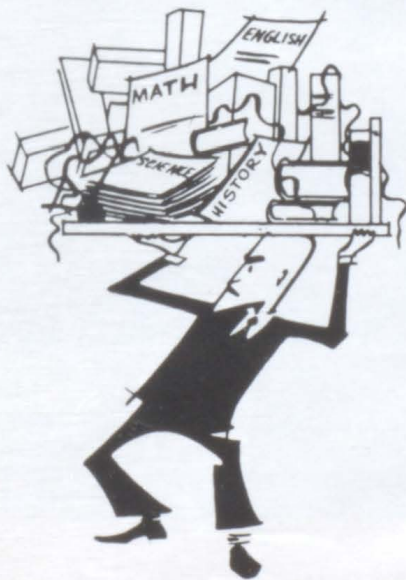
1.) Ellis High School Stage Band displaying their talent before the Service of Dedication. 2.) Dr. G. A. Surface, President of the Board of Education, welcoming the audience and participants.

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administrators are tops

The administrators rate high with the students of EHS. They are not only the authorities, but are the friends of the students, as well.



1.) Superintendent "Rocky" Rorabaugh. 2.) Principal George Bray. 3.) Schoolboard Members: *Left to right*, Pres. Dr. Surface, Rod Clark, Larry Patterson, Ernie Pfeifer, Art Honas, Laurien Leiker, Loren Gugler. *Not pictured*: James O'Rourke. *Also pictured*: Superintendent, Mr. R. D. Rorabaugh.



personnel . . .

Providing the students and faculty of EHS with many services is the personnel. Their hard work and efforts keep our school running smoothly.

1.) Secretary for the high school, Mrs. Dorothy Waldschmidt. 2.) Secretary of the superintendent's office, Mrs. Marge Wiesner. 3.) Aiding Mrs. Waldschmidt in the many tasks of the office this year were office help: *Left to right*, Gayle Schafer, Geraldine Weber, Linda Brenner, Brenda Augustine, and Anita Kinderknecht. *Not pictured*: Caylia Engel and Curtis Weber. 4.) Working diligently in the library to help the librarians was Terry Basford. 5.) Librarians Mrs. Pauline Deutscher and Mrs. Virginia Fabrizio.



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teachers show true personalities

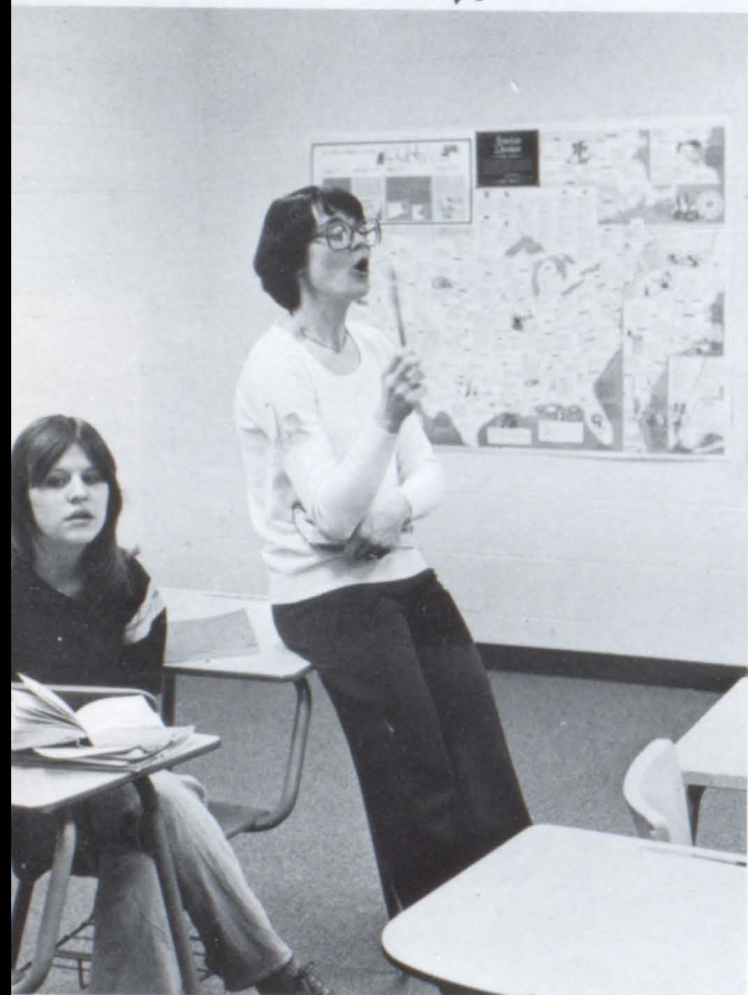
The faculty of Ellis High School are not always slave-drivers and as serious as they may seem. Sometimes we fail to realize that they have their own interests and personalities.

1.) Mr. Cooper demonstrates for his students how to do the difficult "under the leg" knot. 2.) Mrs. Heimer demonstrates for her class the most efficient way to catch flies. 3.) Mr. Pfeifer demonstrates to his students how to receive a pleasant buzz from their electrical outlets.



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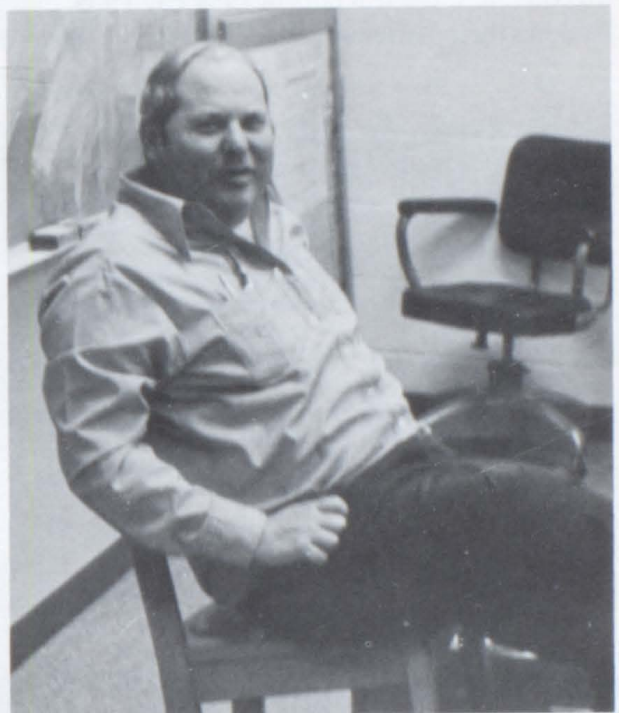
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1.) Mr. Tom Bowen, Boys Physical Education, Boys Basketball Coach, and Drivers Education. 2.) Ms. Jackie Neidig, English, Forensics, and Speech. 3.) Mr. Arlin Mills, Algebra I and II, Advanced Math, Geometry, and Physics. 4.) Mrs. Billinger, English.



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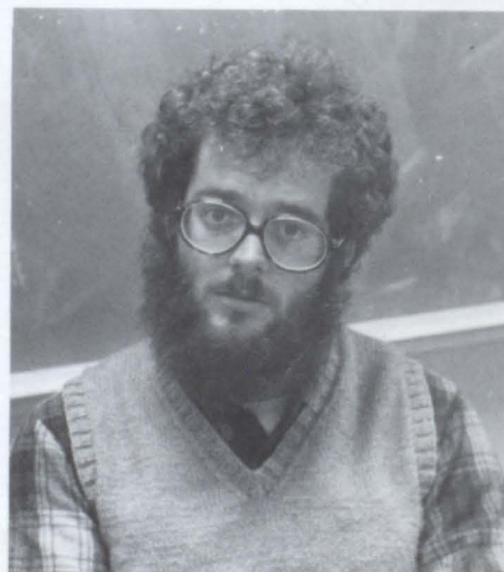
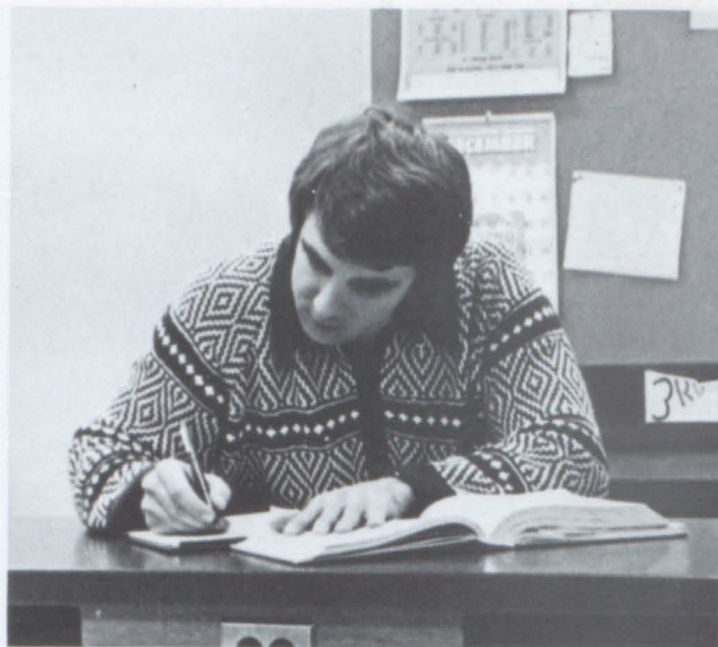
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teachers back students

A teacher's day is full of books, assignments, papers, and tension: Students, thinking of their own tiresome day, many times do not realize that teachers have much less time to spend on their own interests than the students. The time that these devoted people give to the students at Ellis High School can't always be known. Our problems are their problems, our joys are their joys, and our burdens are theirs as well. They are friends, instructors, foes, all of these. We are all in this together, and the teachers of Ellis High are backing their students to their fullest.

1.) L. Dean Lavielle, teaches Biology I and II. 2.) Howard Raff teaches Psychology, Sociology, and Counseling. 3.) Irene Kroeger teaches Bookkeeping, Typing I, and Shorthand. 4.) John Schmaus teaches Journalism and German.



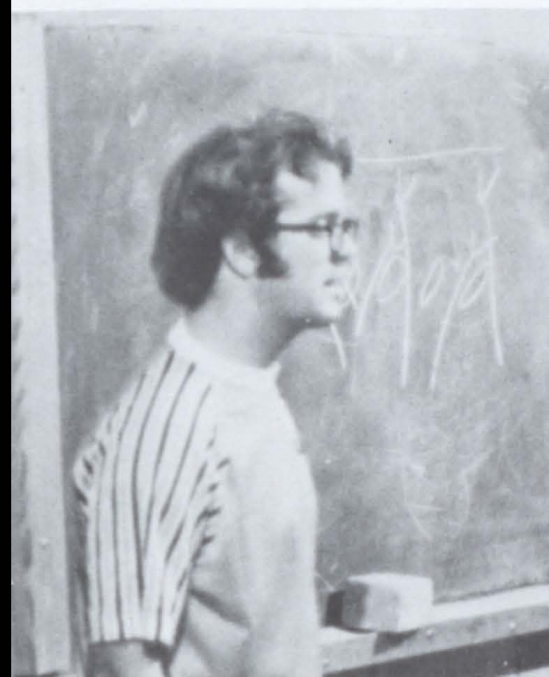


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1.) Mr. Dwight Nelson, Woodworking and Mechanical Drawing. 2.) Mrs. Virginia Duell, Home Economics I, II and III, Occupations, and Family Living. 3.) Mr. Stan Higley, Study Hall. 4.) Mr. John Kolaeny, World History, American History, and American Government. 5.) Left to right: Miss Patricia Hoke, Girls Physical Education, and Mrs. June Glantz, Business Arithmetic, General Math, Typing II, and Consumer Economics.

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personnel pushes on!

As in all previous years the personnel of EHS has provided its students with outstanding service. We would like to commend them for their determination and hard work. 1.) Keeping our new building in tip top shape this year were custodians, Gilbert Augustine, and Charlie Waldschmidt. 2.) Providing appetizing and delicious meals for the students were Barbara King, Caroline Schumm, and Billie Bollig. 3.) Transporting the rural students to school through all kinds of weather were Robert Armbrister, Ray Eaton, Alan Heronome, Raymond Kroeger, Bill Farr, Ted Gerber, and Art Kroeger. *Not pictured: Stan Bittel and Patty Patee.*



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language arts diversified

The study of language opens many roads and highways for the students of EHS. Not only are the basics of English taught, but students also have the opportunity to explore the pathways of foreign language, speech, and journalistic writing.

1.) Miss Neidig laughs at the presentation of one of her speech students. 2.) C. Duell, G. Schafer, G. Weber, and B. Augustine (hidden) discuss ideas for the yearbook. 3.) German students relax after doing their assignment. 4.) English students try to get assignments done before the bell rings.



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math and science courses provide interest

Not only do the math and science classes provide work for the students, they also offer many interesting and exciting projects to work on. Field trips, new formulas, and experiments were only a few of the many projects experienced by the students during the year.

1.) Mr. Mills shares a laugh with his Algebra I class. 2.) G. Wagoner and S. Kinderknecht work on the dissection of their frog in Biology I. 3.) Mrs. Glantz relaxes after instructing her General Math class. 4.) Mr. Lavielle and his Biology II class pose for the camera on a field trip.



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the body- builder, p.e.

1.) Mr. Bowen's P.E. class enjoys a game of volleyball. 2.) Karla Kutina may be attempting a somersault from a kneeling position. 3.) Brad Leiker attempts to spin a basketball. 4.) Gladys Flax steadies herself as she prepares for a return to the trampoline.



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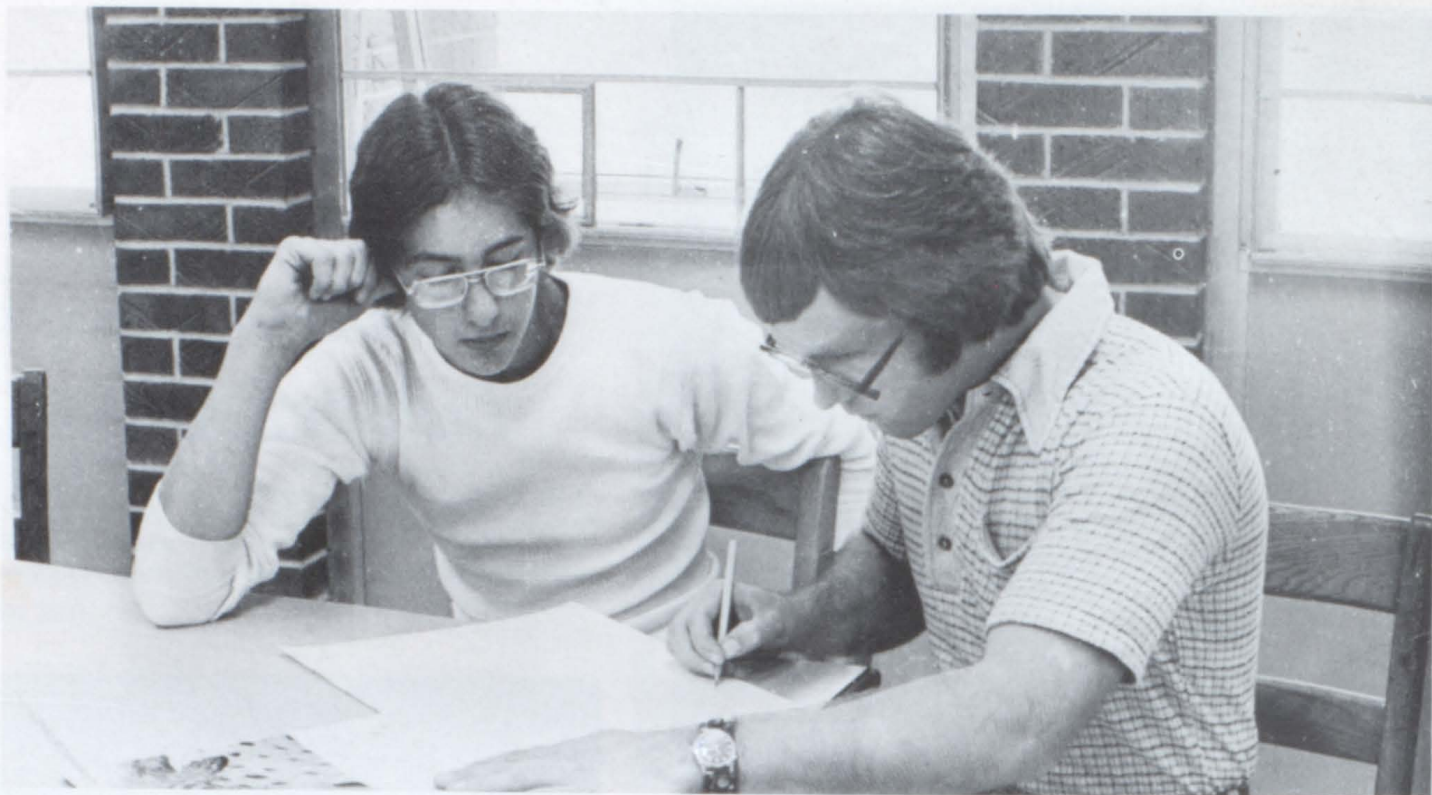
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1.) Mr. Cooper helps Keith Gaschler with his drawing. 2.) Leonard Augustine takes a time-out while doing his welding in general shop. 3.) Dave Schoenberger works steadily on his mechanical drawing.

students acquire practical skills

Besides the basic college preparatory courses, the students of EHS are offered many courses in which to create and acquire new skills.

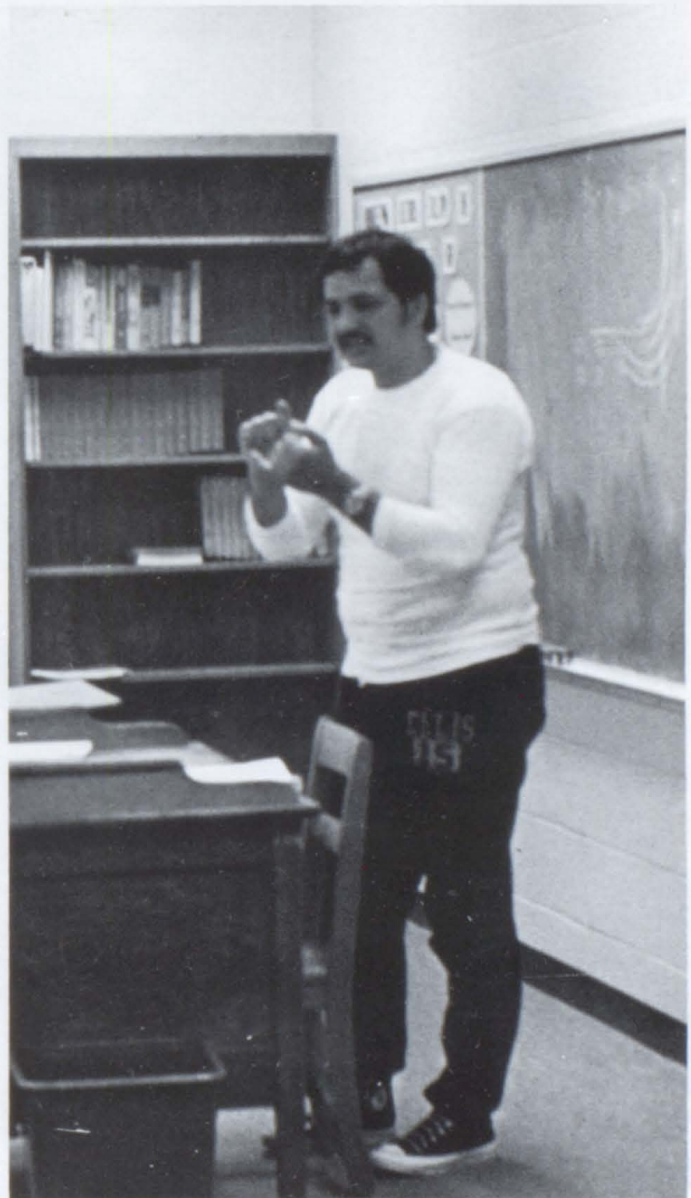
1.) Learning to sew is only one of the many skills mastered by the Home Economics students. Mrs. Duell aids the students in the proper methods of sewing. 2.) Smiling for the camera, Steve Flinn displays one of the many projects created in Woodworking. Here he plays the role of the face of the clock made by David Pfeifer. 3.) Becoming competent and safe drivers is of extreme importance in our society. Mr. Bowen lectures to his Drivers Education class the severity and importance of defensive driving.



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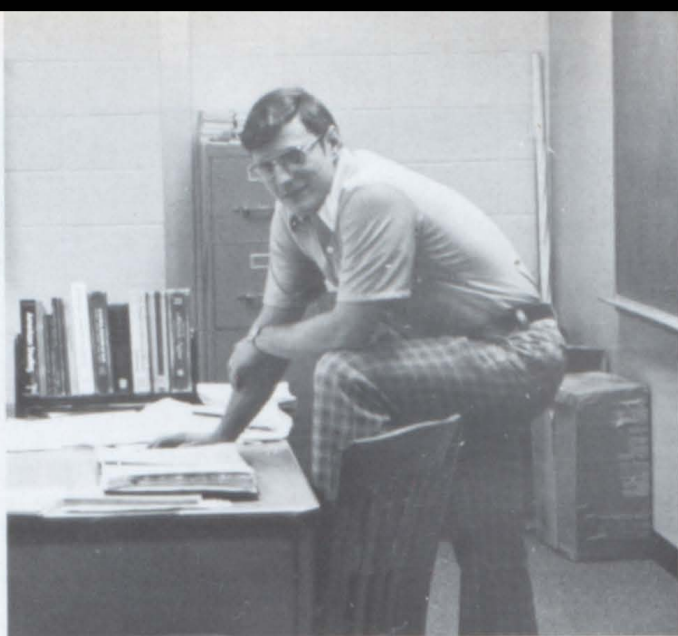
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the past revisited

During the academic year students revisited the past's of both the United States and the rest of the world under the guidance of Mr. John Kolacny. The American and World History classes touched all aspects of the various countries, bringing students from the beginning days up to and including today.

1.) Mr. John Kolacny. 2.) T. Armbruster, K. Peterka and V. LaBarge work in American History. 3.) M. Karlin reports on a current event in Constitution. 4.) J. North studies his World History.



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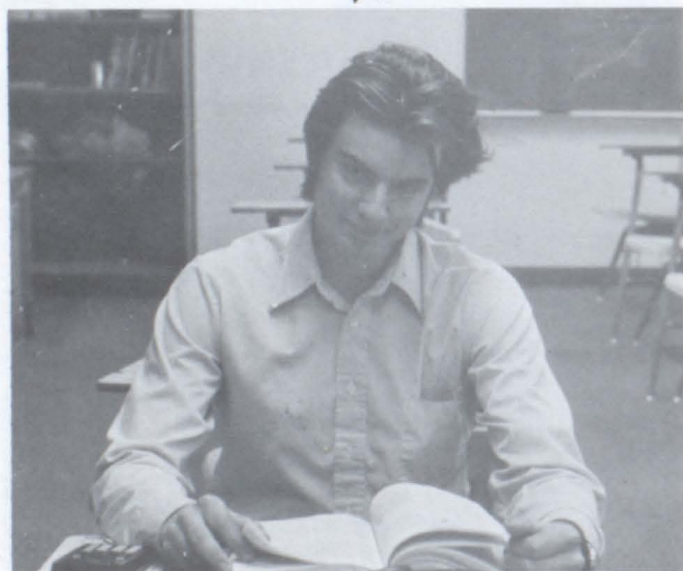


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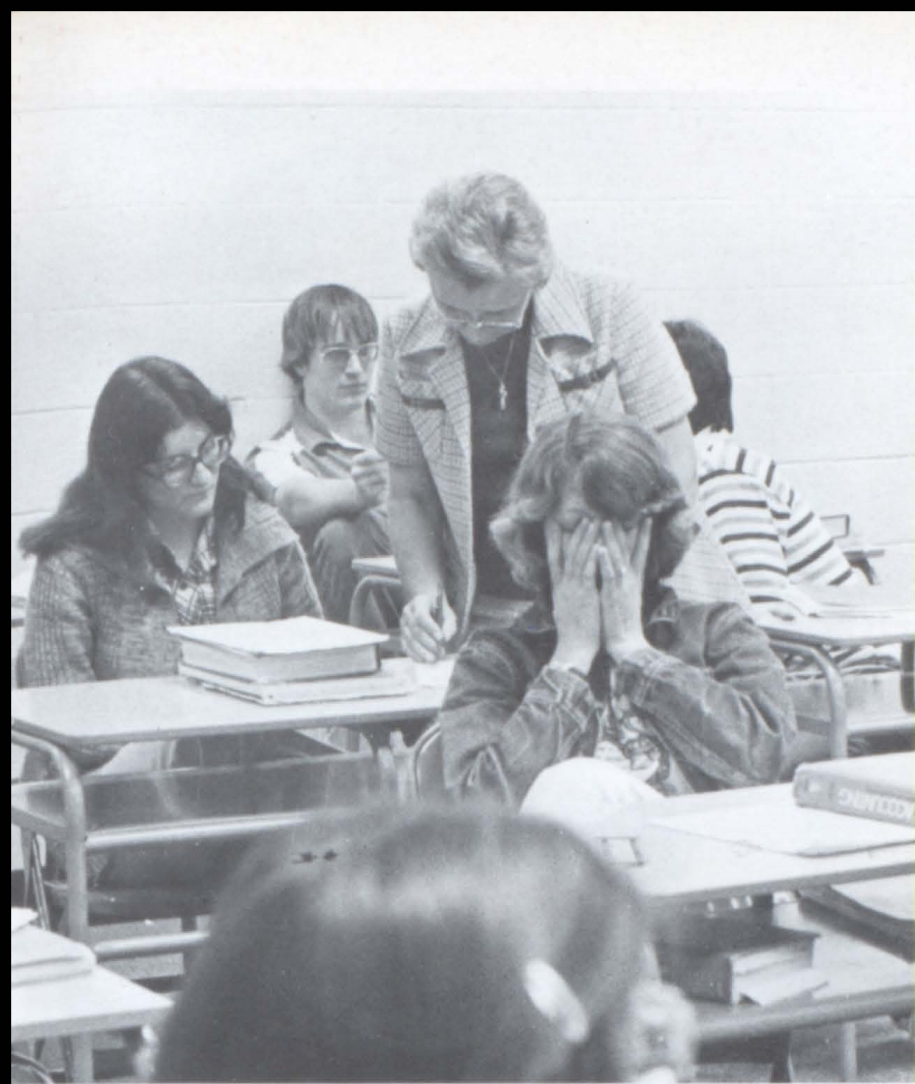
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students learn business and clerical skills

Future secretaries, bookkeepers and typists may be one of the occupations of many of the students at EHS. Under the instruction of Mrs. Irene Kroeger and Mrs. June Glantz, the students are taught the various business and clerical skills needed to become secretaries or the basic skills the students may need for personal use.

1.) Cara Slaughter listens intently as Mrs. Kroeger explains her accounting assignment. 2.) Alan Kohl unsticks one of the keys on his typewriter during Typing I. 3.) Lisa Rupp and Susan Engelhardt work to complete their Bookkeeping assignments. 4.) Ronald Johnson relaxes after an hour of Typing.



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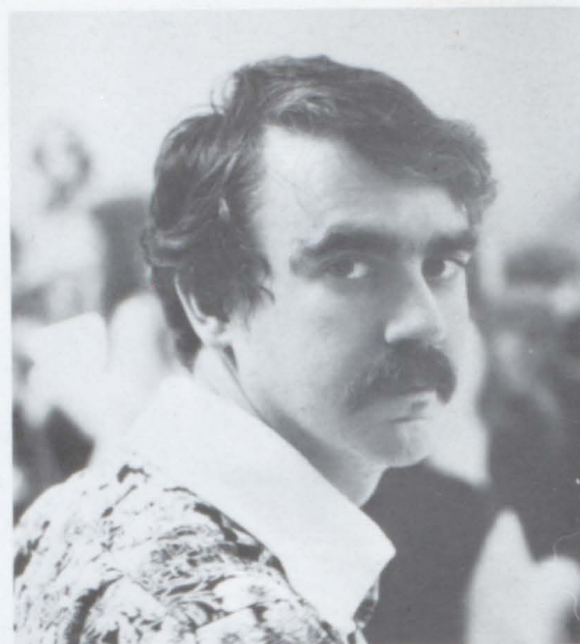


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the entertainers

The various musical groups provided entertainment for the school and community throughout the year by performing for numerous functions and presenting concerts.



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1.) Director Glen Davis. 2.) Flutists C. Ray and D. Mayes concentrating on a musical score. 3.) Chorus Members: *Front row:* J. Kuhn, C. Engel, B. Glendenning, K. Kutina, B. Glendenning, C. Zachman, L. Dinkel, K. Hrabe, K. Vine, D. Augustine. *2nd row:* D. Light, G. Fisher, R. Williams, J. Waldschmidt, T. Lang, S. Kinderknecht, K. Herman, K. Geschwenter, C. Duell, T. Erbert, T. Gable. *3rd row:* D. Mayes, J. Begler, N. Trudeau, R. Honas, R. Augustine, M. Kuhn, A. Henrickson, C. Pfeifer, G. Gnad, C. Bongartz, V. LaBarge, T. Deutscher, D. Augustine. *Back row:* W. King, J. Ball, K. Schamel, G. Haas, S. Flinn, L. Wiesner, C. Dinkel, K. Gaschler, R. Kuhn, L. LaBarge, M. Fabrizio, D. Schoenberger, G. Begler, C. Kinderknecht.



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1.) Stage Band Members: *Front row:* J. Ball, P. Williams, K. Weber, K. Fox, K. Honas, T. Honas, R. Honas. *2nd row:* C. Lang, S. Flinn, E. Peterson. *3rd row:* A. Kohl, K. Schamel, R. Williams, M. Hendrickson. *At piano:* G. Wagner. *Standing:* D. Keller, J. Begler, C. Kinderknecht, M. Martin, C. Duell, R. Knieling, K. Geschwentner. 2.) Singers: *Front:* W. King, J. Ball, A. Kohl, S. Flinn, M. Hendrickson. *Back:* T. Deutschen, J. Kuhn, K. Weber, R. Williams, R. Knieling, M. Bittel, P. Williams, D. Keller, C. Duell. 3.) Band Members: *Front:* G. Wagner, R. Knieling, C. Pfeifer, Y. Bongartz, T. Deutscher, M. Younger, C. Ray, D. Mayes. *2nd row:* K. Hrabe, R. Ptasek, D. Romey, S. Weber, B. Glendenning, C. Engel, P. Williams, J. Ball. *3rd row:* K. Schamel, R. Williams, D. Schoenberger, R. Honas, T. Honas, C. Kinderknecht, M. Hendrickson, K. Honas, E. Peterson, S. Flinn, C. Lang. *Back:* D. Keller, J. Begler, M. Martin, C. Engel, Director Davis.

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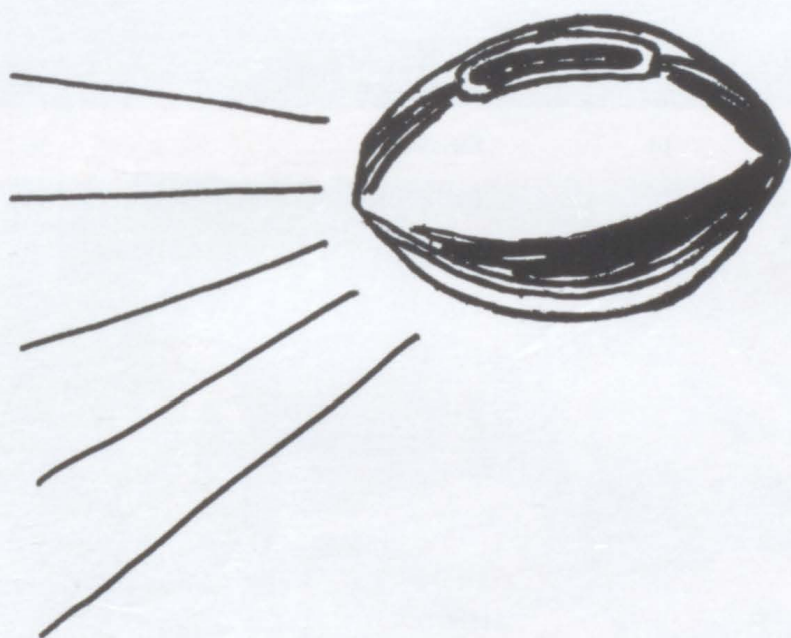


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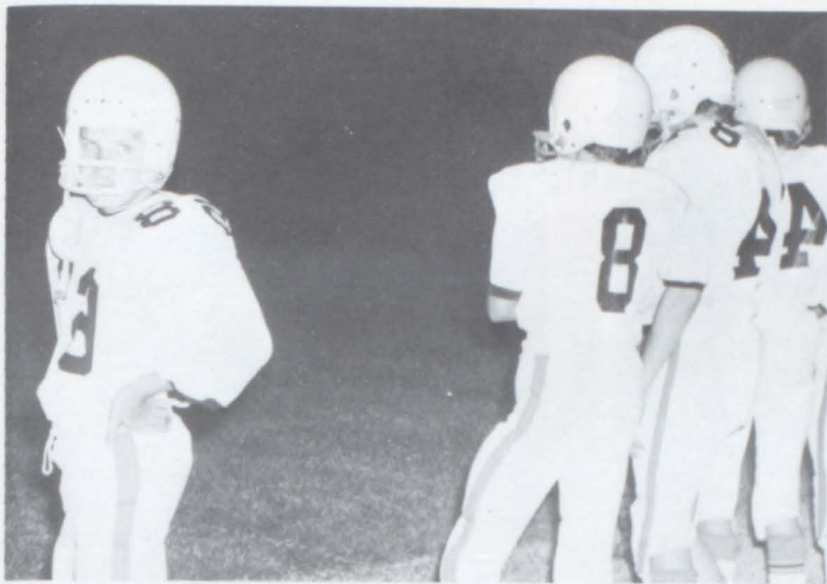


Stamina and endurance did not seem to waver the outcome of the season. Despite the lack of support and victories, Railer determination was high.

1.) Left to right, front row: M. Fabrizio, R. Johnson, B. Augustine, G. Erbert, D. Henderson, K. Fox, B. Leiker, D. Herman, and D. Schoenberger. 2nd row: E. Peterson, K. Schamel, M. Light, K. Peterka, M. Henderson, M. Henrickson, W. King, B. Befort, W. King. 3rd row: G. Beglar, M. Bieker, Asst. Coach S. Higley, G. Bieker, T. Henderson, T. Voss, S. Dennis, T. Erbert, C. Honas, T. Roberts, S. Flinn, G. Leiker, T. Herman, and Coach Gordon. Not pictured: D. Honas, R. Befort, L. Kinderknecht.

FOOTBALL SCORES

		Ellis
6	LaCrosse	12
12	Wilson	6
00	Victoria	40
00	Wakeeney	55
14	Stockton	56
16	Plainville	35
14	Osborne	28
8	Phillipsburg	24
14	Hill City	36



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1.) D. Henderson takes time out to pose. 2.) G. Leiker shows a sign of victory. 3.) T. Henderson and M. Henderson discuss the game at halftime. 4.)

▶ 3 Players listen intently while coaches go over plays.



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1.) Coach Higley gives advice to the guys.
2.) Senior M. Henderson. 3.) C. Honas has
the ball after making a great catch. 4.)
Coach Gordon cheers the team on to
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spirit week enhances enthusiasm



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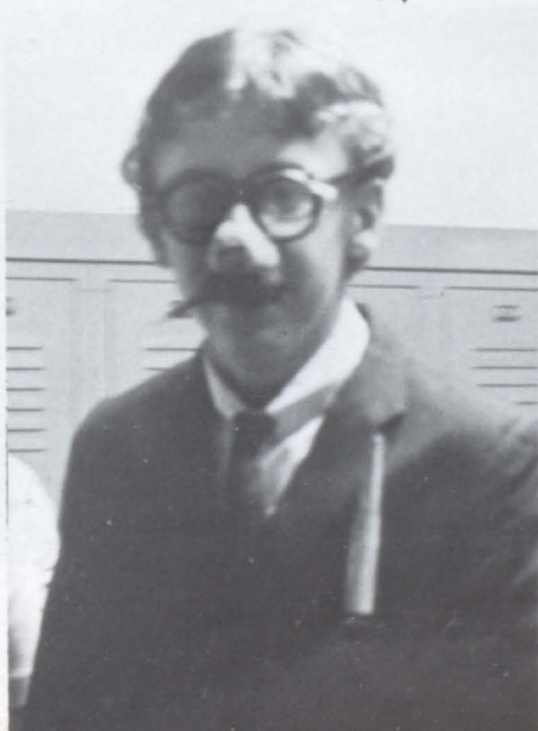
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EHS students showed that they had much enthusiasm during Spirit Week by participating in the weeks events.

1.) Kiss seemed to be popular on the day when they dressed up like a famous person. From left to right: S. Dennis, T. Herman, H. Honas, and D. Herman. 2.) On Masquerade Day S. Flinn, M. Light, and G. Gnad showed their spirit by dressing up. 3.) Freshman devoting their time to their float showing that it can be number 1. 4.) K. Weber dresses up on 50's day. 5.) G. Kinderknecht portrays Groucho Marx.

brenda and tony reign



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The football players elected Brenda Gaschler to be the 1977 Homecoming Queen and Tony Erbert was chosen king. The loss of the game did not deter the homecoming spirit. The dance turned out to be a very successful one, and Queen Brenda had a great time.

1.) Candidates: Tim Herman, Brenda Gaschler, Steve Dennis, Cheryl Duell, Gin Fisher, and Tony Erbert. 2.) Queen Brenda and King Tony.





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1.) Tim Herman and Gin Fisher. 2.) Steve Dennis and Cheryl Duell. 3.) Gin Fisher, Brenda Gaschler, and Cheryl Duell.

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1.) Cross Country Runners:
Left to right: Mike Bongartz,
Wayne King, Gregg Herman,
Robbie Disney, and Curtis
Weber. 3.) Wayne King
running at meet.



Triangular at Ellis — Second
Wamego — Fourth
Plainville — Third
Ellis Invitational — Fifth
Oakley — Fifth
Hays — Fourth
MCL Tourney — Second
Regional — Third
State — Ninth



cross country goes to state

Having only five boys running for cross country did not affect the efforts of Coach Lavielle. At the state meet in Wamego, Mike Bongartz ran for tenth and the team placed ninth.



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1.) Robbie Disney at State Meet.
2.) Mike Bongartz receives 10th place medal at State. 3.) Cheerleaders getting ready to give out trophies.

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1.) Gregg Herman running at meet. 2.) Coach Lavielle listens as Mr. Rorabaugh announces winners. 3.) Only Senior runner Curtis Weber.



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freshmen begin long journey



Amrein, Arlene
Armbruster, Sonja
Augustine, Bob
Befort, Rodney



Befort, William
Begler, George
Bieker, Debbie
Bongartz, Cheryl



Bongartz, Yvonne
Boos, Steven
Brock, Gregory
Deutscher, Tammy



Dinkel, Leoba
Dorzweiler, Karen
Dorzweiler, Sharon
Downing, Mike



Engel, Creta
Flax, Gladys
Fox, Karla
Gabel, Rhonda



Freshman class officers are: K. Gaschler — Treas., M. Light — Pres., M. Henrickson — Sec., and C. Bongartz — V.P.

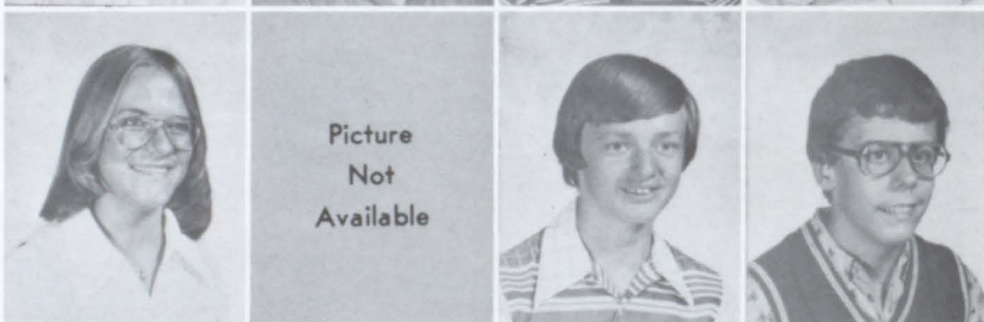
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Glendenning, Beth



Henderson, Dale
Henrickson, Michael
Honas, Chris
Honas, Darryl



Honas, Rose
Hrabe, Kamilla
Kinderknecht, Cornell
Kinderknecht, Gregory



Kutina, Carla
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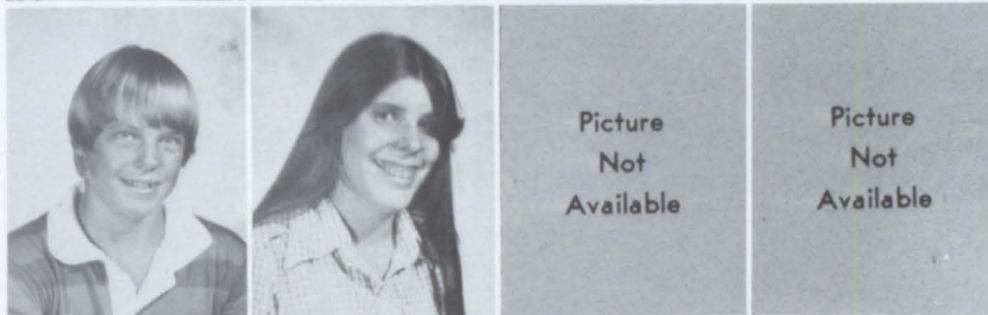




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Pfeifer, Kevin
Riedel, Mary
Schafer, Marian
Schmidt, Marlene



Schoenberger, David
Seitzinger, Kimberly
Vine, Kevin
Voss, Monte



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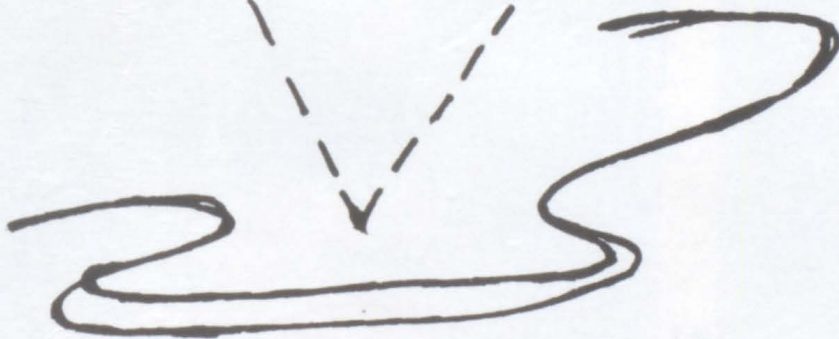
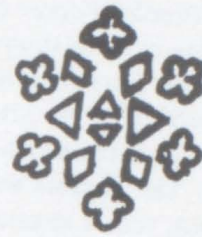
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helen keller comes to life

The class of '79 proved their talent by making *The Miracle Worker* the most successful play in the history of EHS. The evening performance drew as large a crowd as the afternoon performance, totaling their profit to \$600.00. The Juniors were reluctant to perform such a dramatic play, but the cooperation displayed by the cast and helpers under the direction of Miss Neidig was excellent.

1.) The cast for the play was *Front row:* D. Keller, K. Schamel, W. King. *Back row:* J. Begler, A. Honas, A. Henrickson, C. Zachman, C. Ray, C. Engel, D. Augustine, R. Wideman, K. Weber, L. Rupp, M. Riedel, K. Turner, J. Ball, R. Augustine, and G. Herman. 2.) The director of the play was Miss Neidig. 3.) Miss Sullivan (A. Honas) gives sign language to Helen (C. Zachman). 4.) Shown again is Miss Sullivan (A. Honas) and Helen (C. Zachman).



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1.) Helen Keller (C. Zachman) is shown with her parents (G. Herman and D. Augustine). 2.) Mrs. Billinger prepares A. Honas for the play. 3.) Mrs. Keller (D. Augustine) expresses her joy as her daughter improves.



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hopes diminish

The hopes for victory began diminishing for the basketball team and their supporters early in the season. Though morale was high, the team seemed unable to build that extra gusto that is needed to make a winning team. Support was lagging later in the season, but the guys kept searching for the extra boost to bring them a victory. 1.) T. Roberts, D. Herman, C. Honas, G. Herman, T. Herman, Coach Bowen, G. Leiker, R. Disney, G. Lambrecht, P. Patterson, and C. Weber. 2.) G. Herman goes up for the ball. 3.) Tim and Danny are ready to score.



<i>We</i>		<i>They</i>
62	Victoria	72
50	Wakeeney	44
55	Ness City	56
45	Plainville	54
50	Hill City	74
63	La Crosse	72
42	Oakley	79
49	Smith Center	58
60	Norton	62
78	Stockton	70
	MCL Tournament	
51	Wakeeney	36
39	Hill City	79
38	Osborne	46
70	Wakeeney	67
54	Victoria	63
47	Quinter	41
40	Phillipsburg	54
	Regionals	
48	Spearville	68





1). The B-team members are Tim Roberts, Gregg Herman, Mike Bongartz, Danny Herman, Wayne King, and Greg Erbert. 2). The band begins practice for playing at a home game. 3). Bill Befort goes up for two points.



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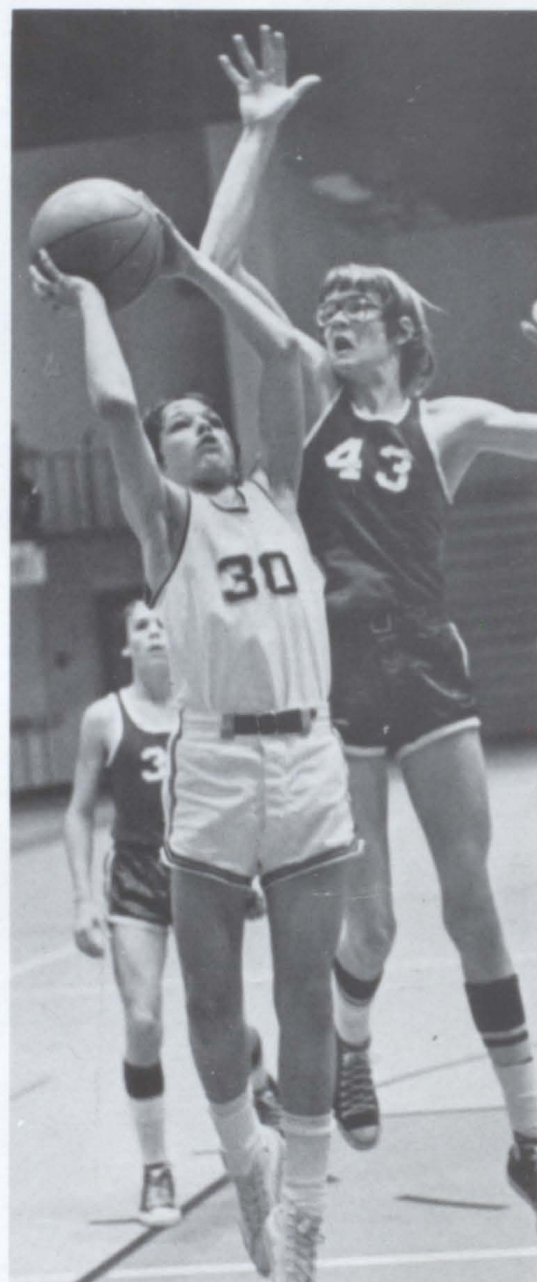
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Smith Center	45
Norton	42
Stockton	29
Osborne	42
Wakeeney	60
Victoria	29
Quinter	51
Phillipsburg	51





1.) The Freshman Team: B. Leiker, D. Honas, B. Befort, B. Augustine, D. Schoenberger, S. Boos, M. Light, K. Pfeifer, and K. Gaschler. 2.) Mr. Bowen gives instructions during a time out. 3.) D. Honas goes up for a basket.



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girls go to state

This year the girls did a tremendous job. They took first place in MCL, first in league, in substate and regionals. They went to state but were defeated in the first game by Perry-Lecompton.

1.) The Team: R. Aschenbrenner, K. Turner, J. Begler, M. Bittel, L. Rupp, M. Pfeifer, R. Augustine, C. Ray, P. Williams, D. Keller, K. Geschwentner, and K. Weber. 2.) M. Pfeifer goes up for a shot. 3.) Eager hands are ready for the rebound.



US	THEM	US	THEM
42	Victoria	34	P-burg
37	Wakeeney	35	Regional
43	Ness City	33	St. John
49	P-ville	27	Spearville
29	Hill City	28	Kingsley
34	Oakley	53	Sub-State
61	Smith Center	35	Leoti
55	Norton	41	Stockton
43	Hays	54	State
61	Stockton	55	Perry-Lecompton
	MCL		
64	Smith Center	57	
41	Hill City	34	
59	Stockton	48	
49	Osborne	31	
62	Wakeeney	51	
61	Victoria	36	

1.) M. Kuhn and M. Pfiefer show the
of winning. 2.) The B-Team and
Freshman Team: *Left to right*, C. Eng
Kuhn, T. Gabel, R. Gabel, S. Weber.
Back row: R. Williams, M. Younger,
Schafer, D. Light, Y. Bongartz, D.
Augustine.



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B-team		
US		THEM
12	Wakeeney	27
16	Victoria	12
19	P-burg	26
8	Victoria	12
11	Wakeeney	30
7	Ness City	20
7	P-ville	18
12	Hill City	24
8	Oakley	32
12	Smith Center	26
17	Norton	13
26	Hays	50
10	Stockton	24

Freshman		
US		THEM
11	Trego	37
15	Victoria	43
22	Osborne	12
12	Victoria	46



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enthusiasm lags

Wrestling enthusiasm seemed to have lost some of its colour by the season beginning with a team that was wanting in participants. Coach Stan Higley hastened to get the squad into first rate condition, but the team's ability could not match the strength of the opponents.

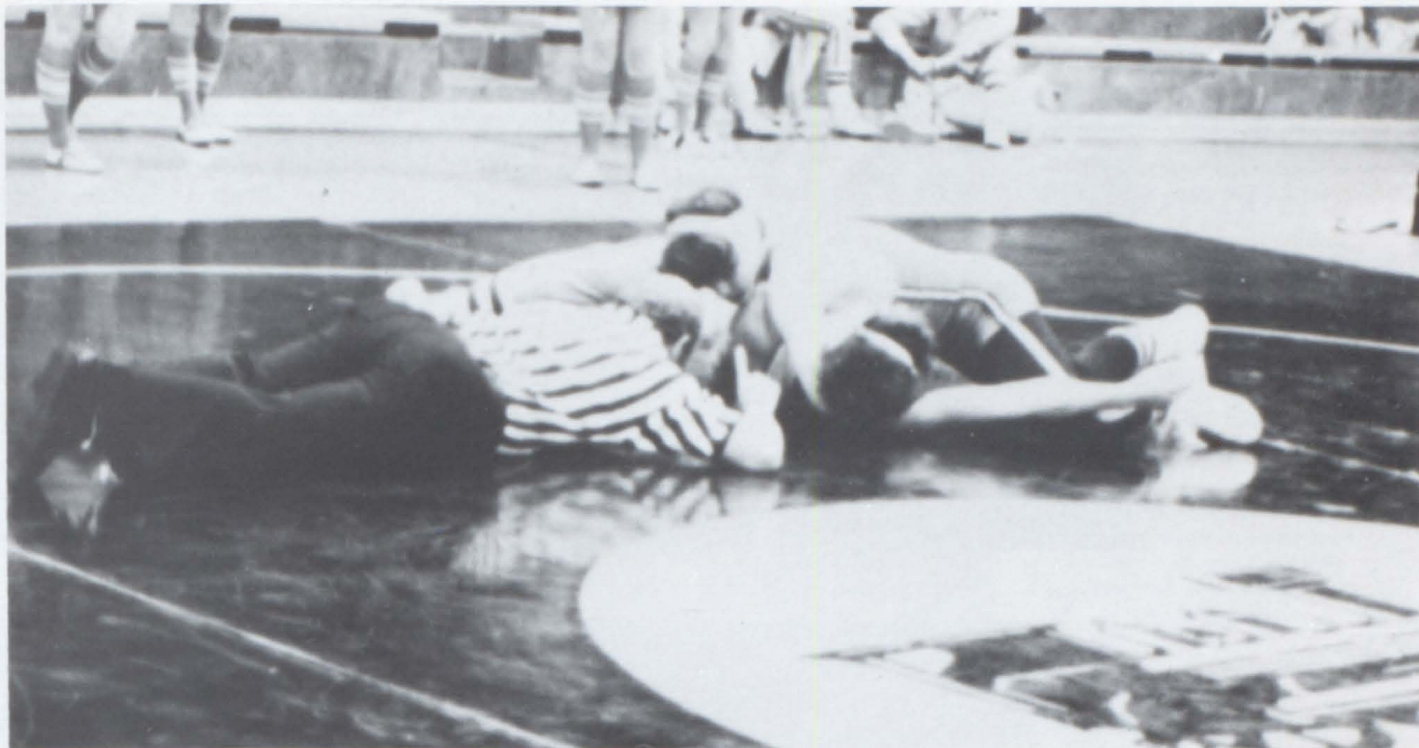
1). The Team: Clyde Lang, Alan Kohl, Steve Flinn, Eric Peterson, Coach Higley, Rodger Fischer, Gilbert Kinderknecht, Mike Henrickson, Bruce Houghton, Tom Peterka, Kevin Fox, Dennis Wolf, Mike Dinkel, and Mark Bieker. 2). Gilbert Kinderknecht moves on his man. 3). Coach Higley looks on with approval.



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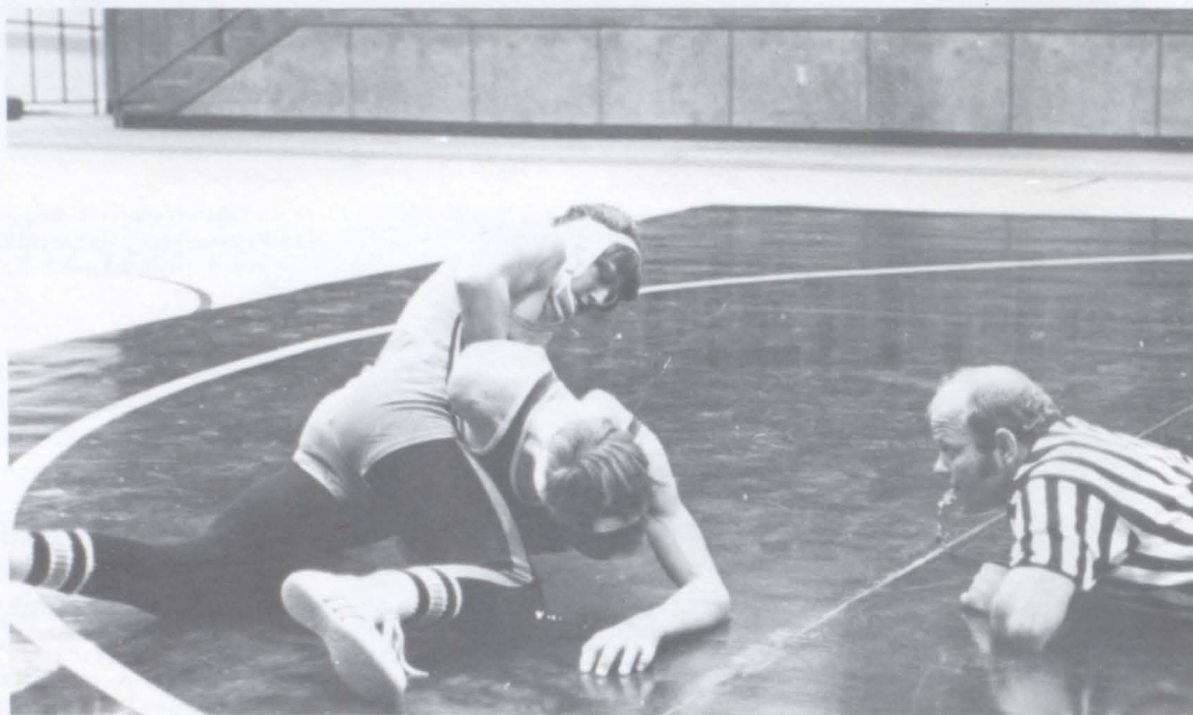
1). An Ellis wrestler is in the position to pin an opponent. 2). Eric Peterson is congratulated by his opponent.

We		Them
6	Smith Center	53
21	Osborne	42
26th	Osborne Invitational	
33	Victoria	18
30	Stockton	36
11	Plainville	45
21	Hill City	40
39	Wheatland	18
54	Marquette	12
0	Norton	60
6	Wakeeney	57
6th	P-Burg Invitational	
25	Phillipsburg	42
6th	P-Burg Classic	
12th	Regionals	

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1). Eric Peterson taking down his opponent. 2). Gilber Kinderknecht attempts to pin his man. 3). One of the EHS wrestlers pins a man to add up points to win the match.

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drummer boy inn

The Kayettes held their annual Snoball dance to the theme of Drummer Boy Inn. The students enjoyed dancing to the music of the Flatland Band.

1.) Queen and King for this year were Randy Augustine and Joan Lambrecht. 2.) Attendants were Geraldine Weber and Alan Kohl. 3.) Gayle Schafer and Steve Dennis.





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1.) The Sno-ball royalty are G. Schafer, S. Dennis, B. Glendenning, J. Waldschmidt, K. Turner, R. Augustine, J. Lambrecht, A. Kohl, G. Weber. 2.) The Flatland Band provided the entertainment for the couples. 3.) The princesses are B. Glendenning, Fr., J. Waldschmidt, So., and K. Turner, Jr.



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1). Wayne King and Judy Waldschmidt were one of the couples to attend Sno-ball. 2). The couples enjoyed dancing to the Flatland Band. 3). Sno-ball servers for this year were Brenda Honas, Ann Rupp, Brenda King, and Sandy Bongartz.

sophomores entertain

1). Jenny Schoenthaler played "Mazie" in the play "Horton Hears A Who." 2). Clyde Lang portrayed the wolf in "Little Red Riding Hood." 3). Sue Kinderknecht shows her outfit she made in Home Ec. 4). Diane Mayes also models her outfit.



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The Sophomore class officers are
From left to right: Michelle
 Glendenning, Treas., Judy
 Waldschmidt, Sec., Mary Bittel, Vice-
 President, and Tom Peterka,
 President.



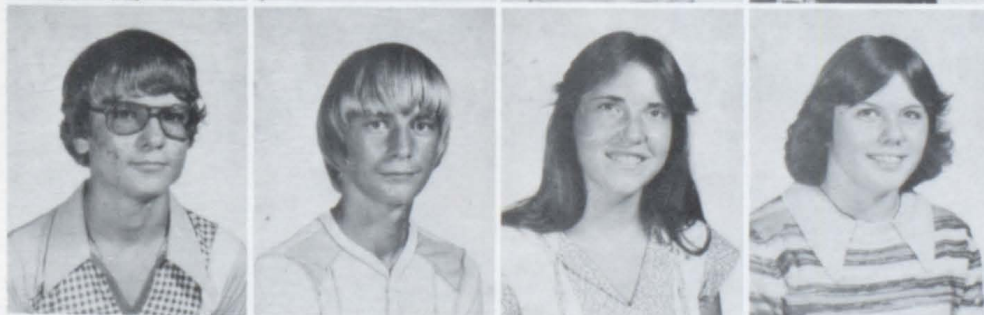
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Bongartz, Michael
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 Erbert, Greg
 Erbert, Tracy
 Ernst, Kay



Fischer, Rodger
 Fox, Kevin
 Gabel, Tammy
 Geschwentner, Kim

Glendenning, Michelle
Gnad, Grace
Gnad, Marvin
Haas, Gary



Herman, Danny
Herman, Karla
Honas, Mark
Houghton, Bruce



Huffman, Phil
Johnson, Ronald
Keller, Daniel
Kinderknecht, Brian



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King, Wayne
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Kuhn, Joleen



Lambrecht, Gail
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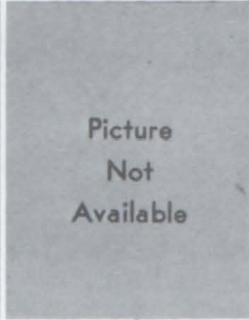


Mayes, Diana
Parsons, Troy
Peterka, Thomas
Pfiefer, Marlene





Ptaschek, Roxie
Romey, Dee Dee
Schmidt, Tina
Schoenthaler, Jennifer



Slaughter, Alane
Smith, Terri
Solomon, Roger
Stegman, Dorrene



Stegman, Pamela
Voss, Todd
Wagoner, Geraldine
Waldschmidt, Judy



Waldschmidt, Mary
Weber, Mark
Wolf, Donald
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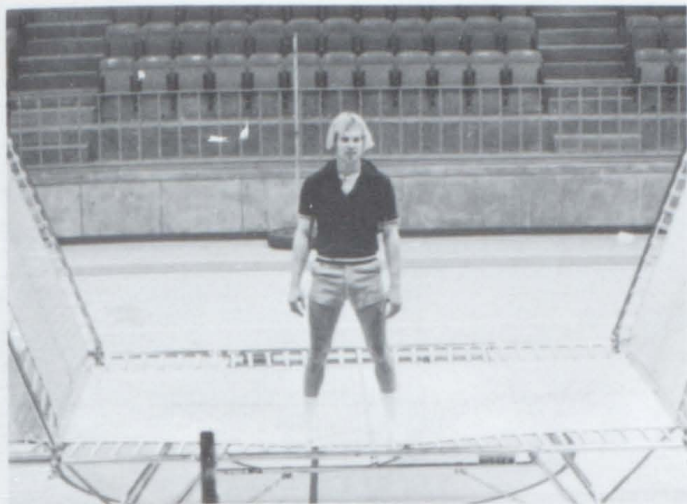


stucco hemmed in

Leading the school and organizing many activities is the student council. Initiating the new high school was an obstacle that prevented Student Council from exceeding to the fullest this year, but it still provided the students with fulfilled activities and events.

1). Members of STUCO are C. Duell, P. Waldschmidt, S. Weber, B. Gaschler, M. Flax, J. Waldschmidt, J. Begler, K. Weber, C. Ray, A. Kinderknecht, C. Lang, W. King, C. Honas, R. Augustine, T. Erbert, B. Houghton, and M. Fabrizio. *Not pictured* is D. Herman. 2). Officers who led the way this year are C. Duell — vice-president, M. Flax — secretary, B. Gaschler — president, and M. Fabrizio — treasurer.





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lyceums provide insight

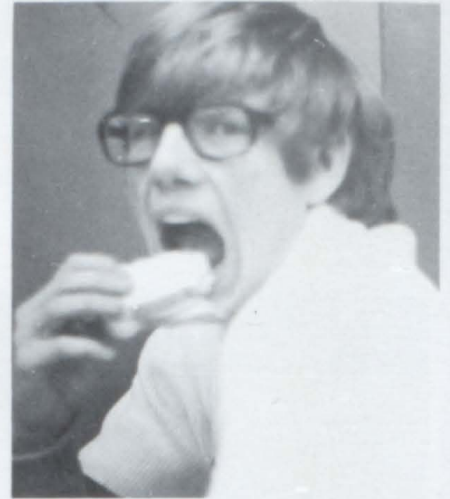
Lyceums were one of the activities that student council scheduled for the school year. They not only provided entertainment, but also a chance to broaden the student's intellectual experiences. They presented a new insight to the many opportunities available in our transient and changing world.

1). Spaceball Stars. 2). Escape artist Charlie Myrick. 3). Clifford Guest and doll, the king of ventriloquists. 4). Humanitarian Marc Minnis.

i heard . . .

. . . Now, tell me again what happened second hour . . . Who did Miss Neidig kick out of class . . . Well, she told me . . .

Lunchtime is one of the most important times of the day. It gives the students a chance to catch up on all the latest news and events of the day and provides an escape hatch for all of the pent-up restlessness that has mounted during the day. Not only is it a time to be with friends, but also a time to tame the lion in the stomach.



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1). Bruce Houghton sizing up his sandwich. 2). Crystal Ray is hesitant. 3). Spaghetti is a favorite for Michelle Armbrister.



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1). Mark Weber enjoys his lunch. 2). Friends help lunch go down easier. 3). Rose Honas, Tracy Erbert, Diane Mayes and Kim Geschwentner concentrate on their coordination.



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kayettes provide community service

Some of the Kayettes many involvements this year revolved around the community. They helped clean the city parks and helped the elderly assail the winter weather. Their main fund-raising activity was selling holly, which usually provides them with enough funds for the full year.



1). Kayette Board and Officers: C. Gnad — Treas., G. Weber — Sec., A. Honas — Vice-Pres., J. Lambrecht — Pres. *Second row:* C. Ray, G. Gnad, R. Knieling, K. Turner, A. Kinderknecht, G. Lambrecht, J. Waldschmidt, M. Flax, and C. Zachman. 2). Senior Kayettes: *Front:* T. Honas, B. Augustine, C. Duell, G. Schafer, J. Lambrecht, C. Gnad, C. Engel. *Second row:* C. Slaughter, A. Kinderknecht, D. Erbert, B. Gaschler, P. Herman, M. Armbrister, and G. Weber. 3). Sophomore Kayettes: *Front:* M. Pfeifer, R. Knieling, G. Lambrecht, D. Mayes, K. Geschwentner, M. Bittel. *Second row:* G. Gnad, T. Lang, D. Light, J. Schoenthaler, M. Glendenning, T. Erbert, J. Waldschmidt. *Third row:* G. Wagner, T. Schmidt, R. Ptasek, D. Romey, and K. Herman.





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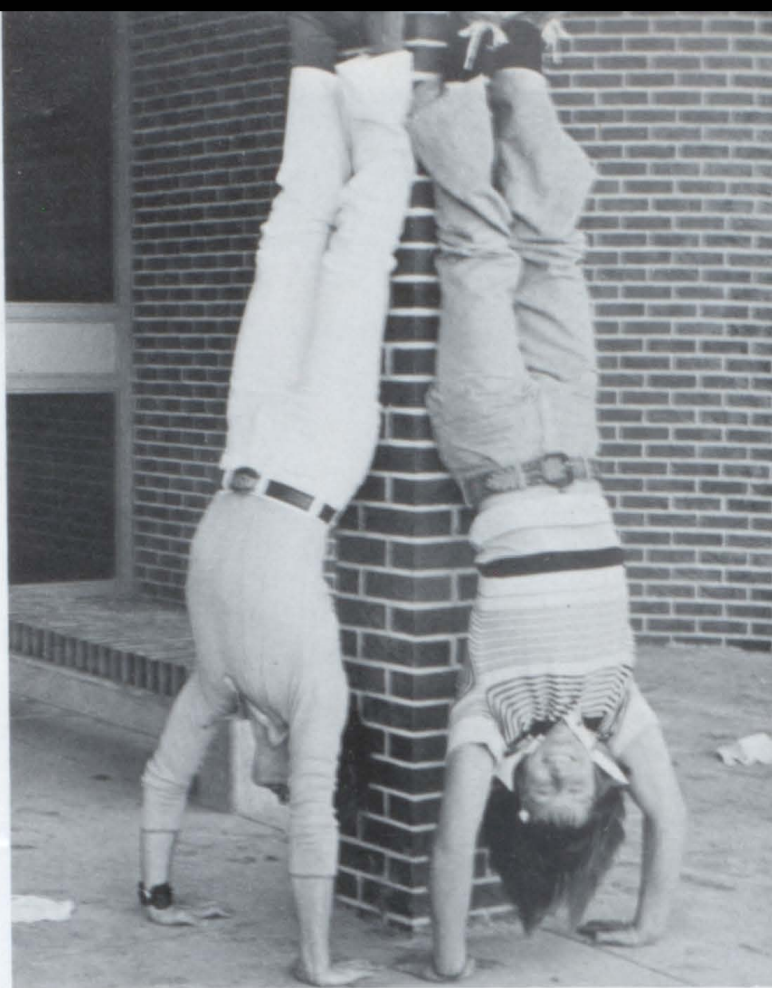
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1). Junior Kayettes: *Front*: L. Dietrich, E. Amrein, T. Hilgenberg, D. Keller, A. Hendrickson, C. Engel. *2nd row*: A. Honas, K. Turner, J. Begler, L. Rupp, K. Weber, M. Flax, D. Augustine, C. Zachman. *Back*: J. Erbert, J. Wiesner, V. LaBarge, N. Trudeau, R. Augustine, J. Gottschalk, C. Ray, P. Williams, and D. Mayes. 2). Freshman Kayettes: *Front*: S. Dorzweiler, Y. Bongartz, R. Gabel, C. Bongartz, C. Engel, J. Weber. *2nd row*: B. Glendenning, P. Waldschmidt, K. Dorzweiler, M. Riedel, A. Amrein, B. Glendenning. *3rd row*: M. Martin, S. Weber, R. Williams. *4th row*: M. Younger, T. Deutscher, R. Honas. *Top*: M. Schafer, C. Pfeifer, and G. Flax.

people

1). Steve Brock features his monkeyshines. 2). "Hey, Alan, this glue that you guys invested in science class really works." 3). "We weren't trying to skip, honestly."

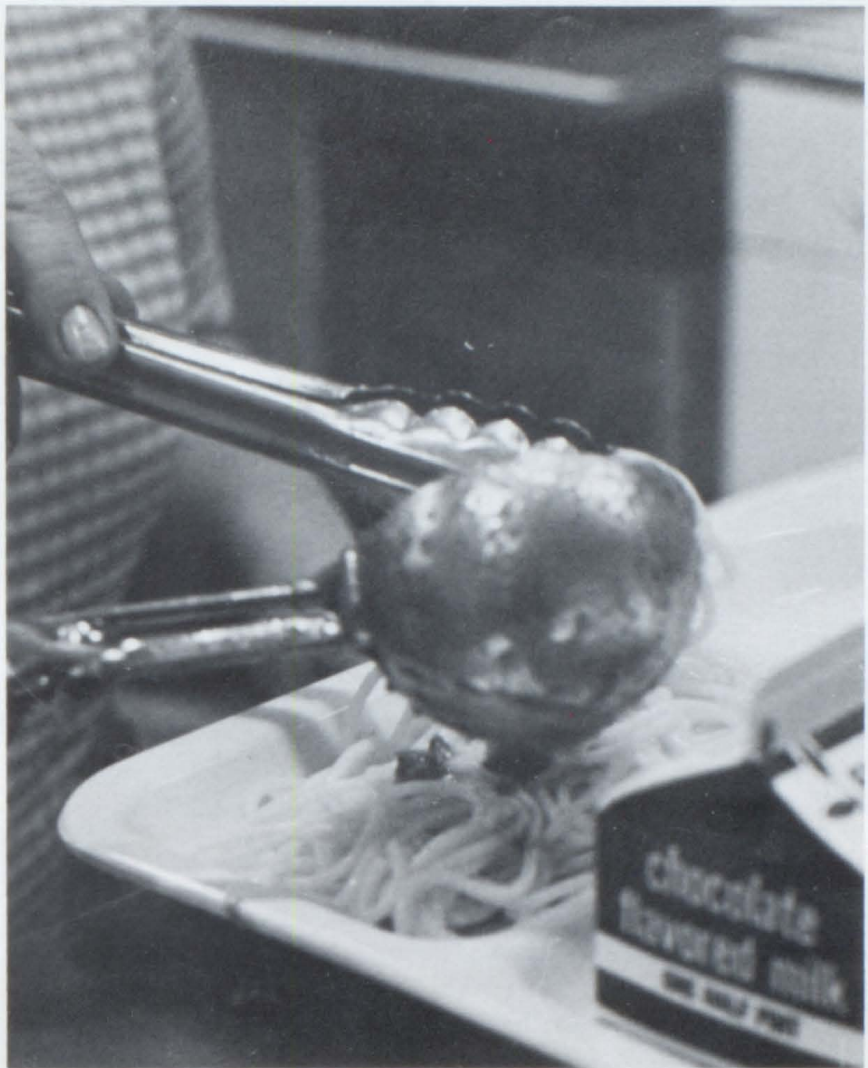
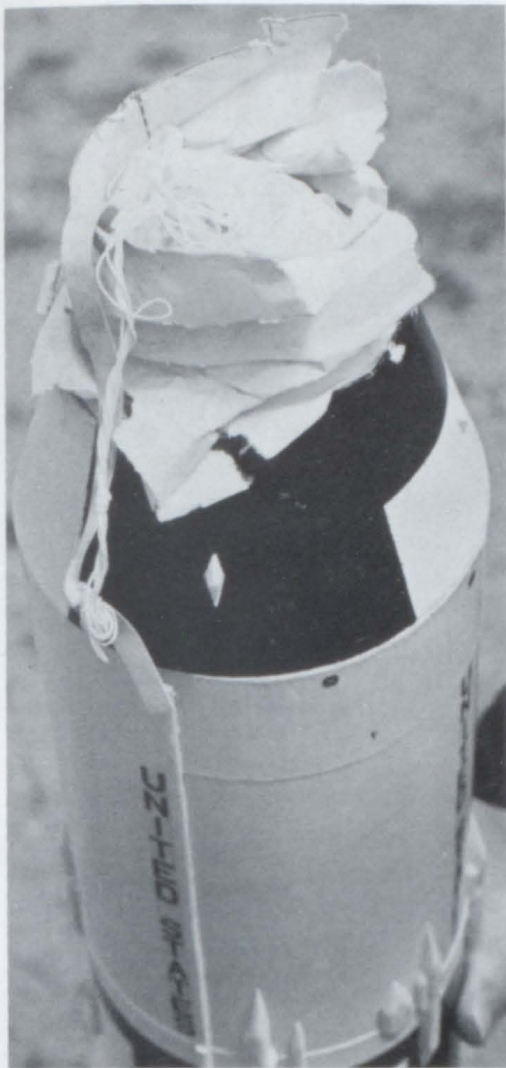


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and their creations

1). The Physics class witnessed a crash landing when the parachute of their rocket failed to open. 2). Who's creation was this? 3). Karla Herman exhibiting her creative intelligence.



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their changing image

This year the Future Homemakers of America achieved every goal that they had set up to work for. They held a dance to support the building fund, had speakers in the evenings to help teens better understand pregnancy and its responsibilities, and to help them discover the resources available to them if in a crisis, and organized many other student involvements.

The members also enjoyed their annual events, such as the taco party, Christmas potluck, and gift exchange, the Sweetheart Dance, state meeting, and the Parent Appreciation Banquet. The year proved to be a success for the Future Homemakers of America.

1). The officers who helped make this year a success are Crystal Ray, Jackie Begler, Andrea Honas, Ann Henrickson, Christa Engel, Kelly Weber, Lisa Rupp, and Deanna Keller. 2). Helping the officers and club was Mrs. Duell.





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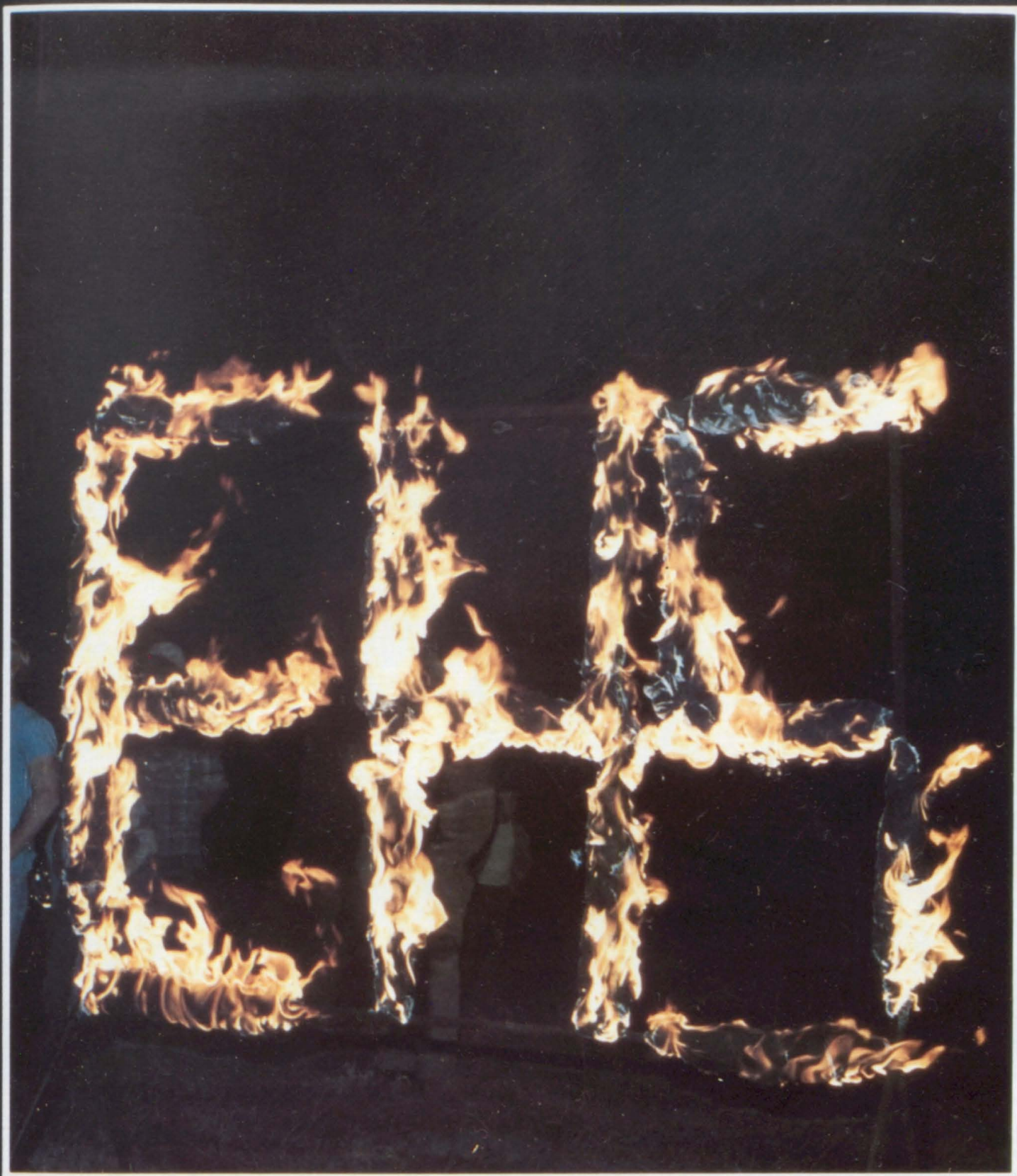


FHA Members: 1). *Standing:* T. Gabel, T. Erbert, T. Lang, J. Waldschmidt. *On couch:* R. Ptaschek, D. Mayes, D. Light, K. Herman, G. Wagner. *On floor:* R. Kneiling, G. Gnad, C. Duell, J. Kuhn, M. Bittel, M. Glendenning, K. Geschwentner, J. Schoenthaler, D. Romey, T. Schmidt, G. Lambrecht. 2). *Standing:* M. Martin, K. Kutina, K. Seitzinger, R. Honas. *On couch:* A. Honas, C. Engel, J. Begler, L. Rupp, D. Keller, K. Weber, C. Ray. *On floor:* A. Hendrickson, P. Williams, D. Mayes, D. Augustine, C. Zachman, M. Flax, S. Weber, B. Glendenning, K. Turner, R. Gabel, C. Bongartz, M. Younger, R. Williams, M. Riedel, J. Wiesner.

“As we stood gazing at the flaming letters that represent our school’s name, I pondered the happenings of the years both past and present in which I existed as a part of EHS, and wondered about those yet to come.”

*Brenda Gaschler
Homecoming Queen*





a golden past a brighter future

The Future Farmers of America celebrated their fiftieth year as a club by participating in a number of events. At the Dairy Judging Contest in Hays, the chapter brought home a second place trophy. In November, the chapter attended leadership school and in January, they attended the Denver Stock Show. To outsiders, the club appeared to accomplish many tasks, but to themselves, the goals they had intended to accomplish were not satisfactorily reached.



1). FFA Officers: *Front row:* Darrell Augustine — reporter, Bruce Befort — sentinel. *Back row:* Mark Fabrizius — vice-president, Dave Pfeifer — president, Leroy Flax — treasurer, Dennis Wolf — secretary. 2). FFA Members: *Front:* D. Augustine, M. Weber, D. Keller, D. Wolf, L. Augustine, R. Befort, B. Houghton, M. Gnad, R. Kuhn, C. Hrabe. *Back:* P. Rupp, M. Fabrizius, D. Wolf, B. Befort, D. Pfeifer, L. Flax, K. Pfeifer, D. Wolf, K. Gaschler, R. Wideman, advisor Ealdon Pfeifer, M. Gaschler.



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sweetheart sweet candy

Candy Zachman was elected as FFA Sweetheart for the annual Barnwarmer dance. Candy attended District FFA Meeting with the guys to compete with other chapters' sweethearts.

1). Back: Lynda Dietrich, Ann Hendrickson, Elaine Amrein, Millie Flax, Sweetheart Candy Zachman. Front: Andrea Honas, Kim Turner. 2). FFA's homecoming Parade entry.

stucco provides respite





coach neidig leads team to high ratings

The forensics team has shown superb talent this year by placing in every tournament they participated in and by receiving excellent ratings. The expertise demonstrated by the team is the result of the inspiration and direction of coach Jacque Neidig. Her leadership has provoked a new awareness of the interpretive arts in our school. The team is grateful for her dedication and commitment to them.

1). Steve Flinn and Alan Kohl performing an improvised duet act, "Catching Flies." 2). The one-act play, "Once Upon A Playground." 3). Andrea Honas demonstrating her dramatic interpretation of *Sybil*. 4). Coach Jacque Neidig. 5). Candy Kachman giving an informative speech on wifebeating. 6). Joe North interpreting "Jesus Christ Superstar."



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1). Forensics Team: *Front row:* T. Gable, J. Waldschmidt, M. Bittel, J. Schoenthaler, M. Hendrickson, Coach Neidig. *Second row:* T. Schmidt, G. Wagner, C. Duell, T. Erbert, R. Knieling, M. Gnad. *Back row:* A. Kohl, W. King, S. Flinn, R. Honas, R. Fischer, G. Kinderknecht, G. Gnad, C. Lang. 2). *Back row:* T. Deutscher, C. Bongartz, C. Engel, M. Glendenning, B. Glendenning. *Third row:* K. Dorzweiler, M. Riedel, P. Waldschmidt, S. Dorzweiler, M. Martin. *Front row:* C. Pfeifer, B. Glendenning. 3). The one-act play, "Once Upon A Playground."



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spirit boosters!

The cheerleaders kept the crowds going when spirit and support began lagging, and this became quite common this year. The limitations put on the activities in school kept the squads from excelling to what they had planned, but the cooperation shown by all squads helped to get a few events going.

1). Varsity Squad: Peggy Herman, Deanna Keller, Kelly Weber, Michelle Armbrister, and Cheryl Duell, head cheerleader. 2). Wrestling Squad: Ruth Knieling, Tracy Erbert, Cheryl Bongartz. 3). Jr. Varsity: Kim Geschwenter, Tammy Gabel, Sue Weber, and Rose Honas.





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pep club shines

The large membership in Pep Club assured consistent support for the teams throughout the sports season. The club did their job well and many opponents may remember them because of their enthusiasm and their sparkling spirit.

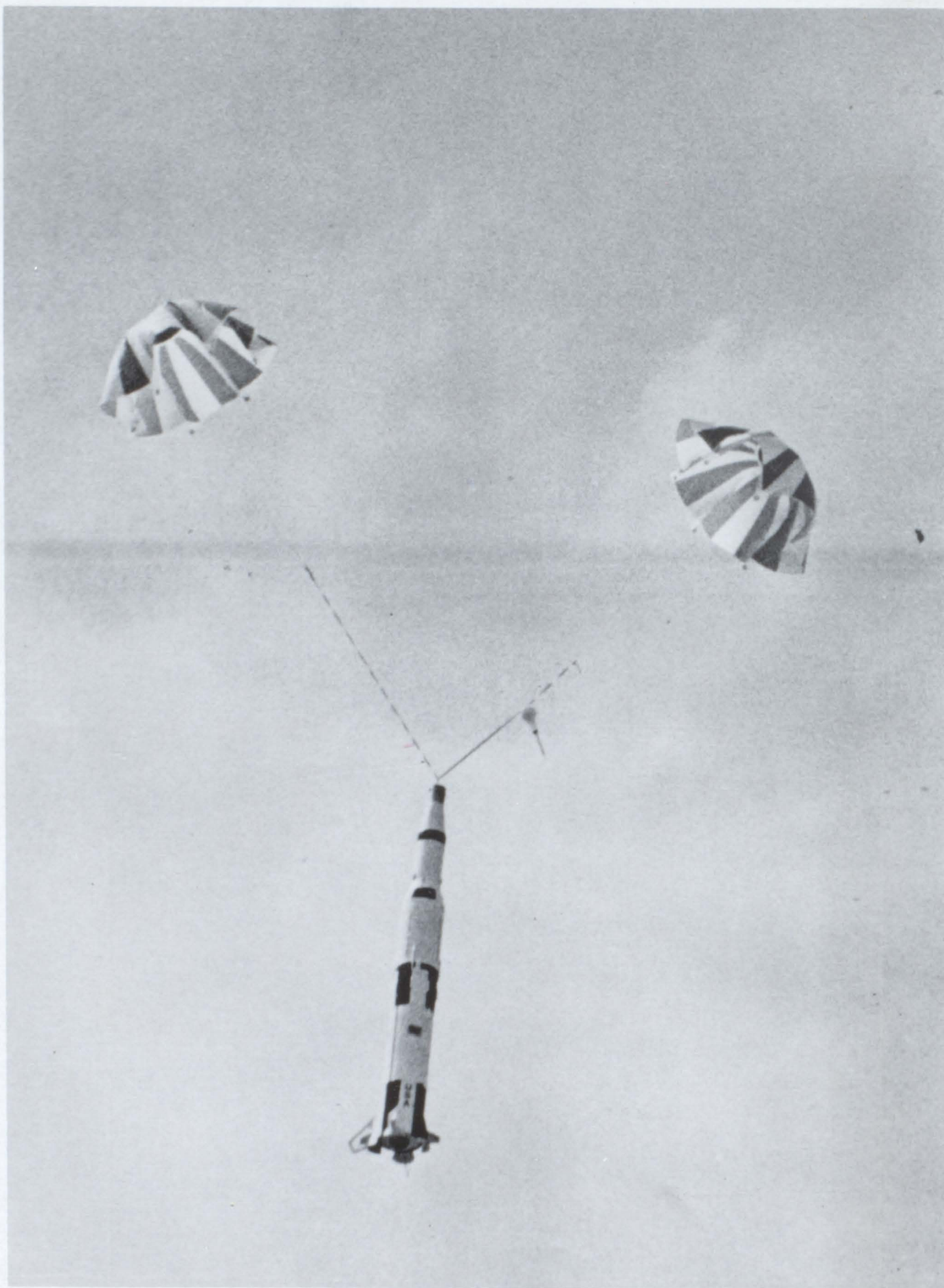
1.) Pep Club Members: *Sitting:* K. Weber, M. Waldschmidt, R. Ptaschek, L. Dietrich, J. Erbert, M. Martin, C. Engel, C. Duell, C. Zachman, D. Mayes, D. Keller. *Kneeling:* R. Gable, R. Williams, R. Knieling, T. Gable, T. Erbert, S. Weber, T. Deutscher, C. Bongartz, Y. Bongartz, D. Augustine, M. Flax, A. Henrickson, D. Bieker, J. Schoenthaler, K. Geschwentner. *Standing:* M. Younger, M. Bittel, T. Desaire, G. Wagner, D. Mayes, C. Slaughter, R. Younger, D. Light, K. Herman, L. Dinkel, A. Honas, K. Turner, J. Begler, L. Rupp, J. Gottschalk, C. Ray, B. Augustine, P. Herman, P. Williams, R. Honas, M. Armbrister. 2.) Officers: K. Herman — secretary, T. — Erbert — Vice-president, L. Rupp — President, M. Bittel — Treasurer, J. Begler — Stuco Rep. 3.) Pep club in action.



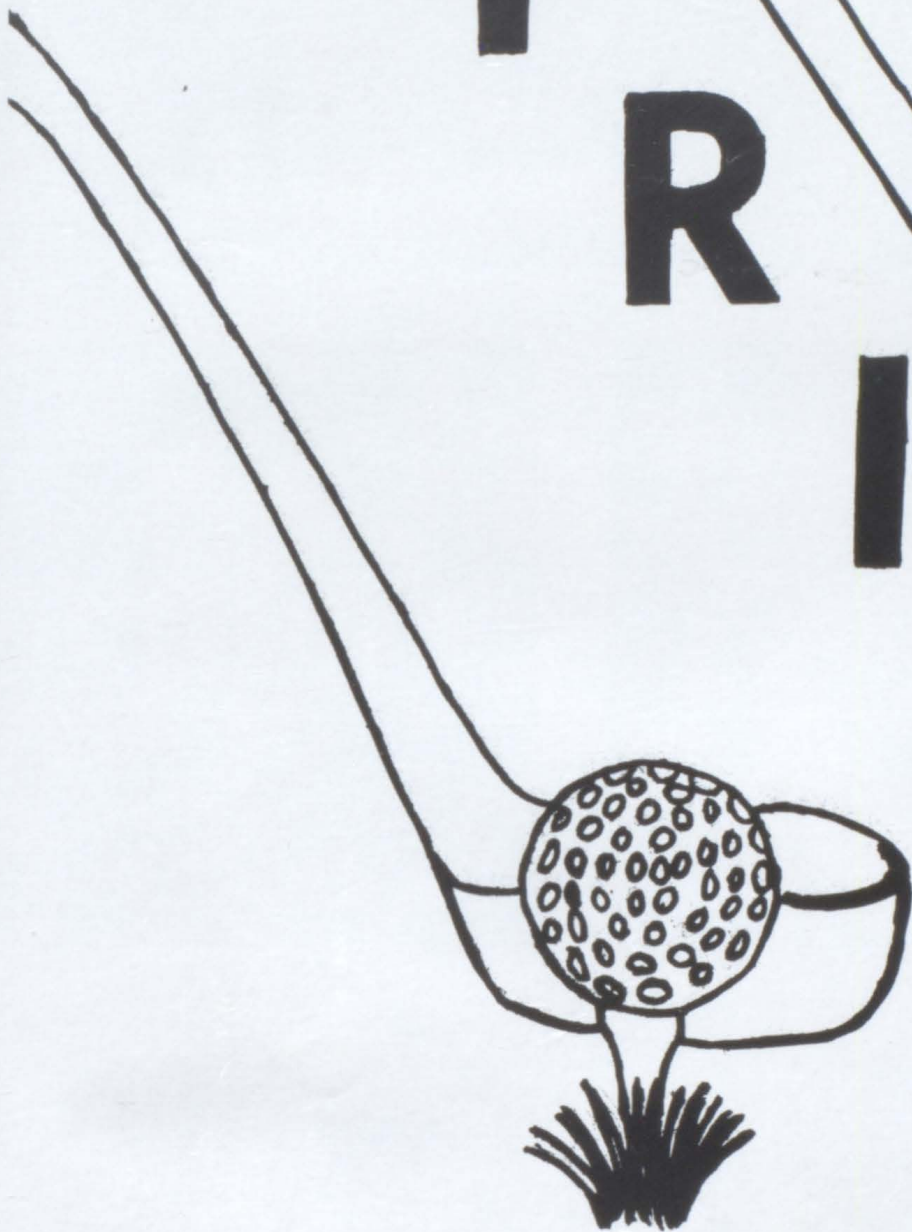


*that i may
care enough
to love enough
to share enough
to let others become
what they can be.*





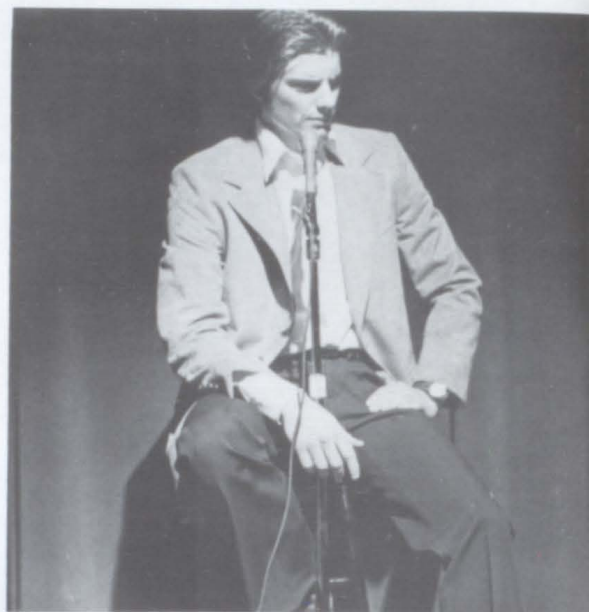
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rock'n roll

The seniors presented "Rock-n-Roll" as their annual play. The musical was performed one afternoon and two evenings, entertaining a full house each time. Directors Jeanette Billinger and Glenn Davis were proud of their efforts and the perfection of their cast who made it a superb musical-comedy.

1). Harold Honas and his gang show their talent — YEAH! 2). Steve and Tim argue over Brenda. 3). Joe started the play with a solo. 4). The Cast: C. Duell, T. Honas, B. Gaschler, B. Augustine, J. Lambrecht, G. Schafer, M. Henderson, H. Honas, K. Peterson, C. Zachman, G. Leiker, C. Weber, T. Herman, J. North, G. Kinderknecht, L. Wiesner, S. Flinn, and A. Kohl.





1). The cast exits doing the bunny hop. 2). M. Henderson shows his talent. 3). The students of HHH show their enthusiasm before the football game. 4). T. Herman tells how to capture a girls heart.



golfers are invincible

The outcome of the golf season proved successful this year as the team moved in at each tournament to steal the top three positions. Coach Gordon and the golfers unleashed their potential, keeping their spirits high throughout every drive and stroke that brought them nearer to being a number one team.

1). Two-man team are brothers Greg and Brad Leiker. 2). Kevin Schamel and Wade King take time out to pose. 3). The Team: Pat Patterson, Steve Dennis, Brad Leiker, Phil Huffman, Ron Johnson, Alan Kohl, Kevin Schamel, Jack Ball, Mike Downing, Wade King, Danny Schoenberger, Greg Leiker, Troy Parson and Coach Gordon.



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1). "It's not here!" 2). Steve Dennis is winding up for a drive. 3). Coach Gordon is taking it easy.

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tracksters track on

Despite the fact that a majority of the team were young, the team showed that they really knew what they were doing. The team came home after every meet with plenty of medals. Mike Bongartz was the only member to go to state.

One of the jumpers stretches to make a few more inches. 2) G. Kinderknecht moves a few more paces to the finish line. 3) The Team: C. Honas, M. Riedel, L. Kinderknecht, B. Befort, H. Light, T. Herman, R. Disney, Coach Bowen, D. Schoenberger, R. Augustine, D. Honas, G. Kinderknecht, W. King, B. Houghton, M. Henrickson, J. Perez, M. Bongartz, and D. Herman.

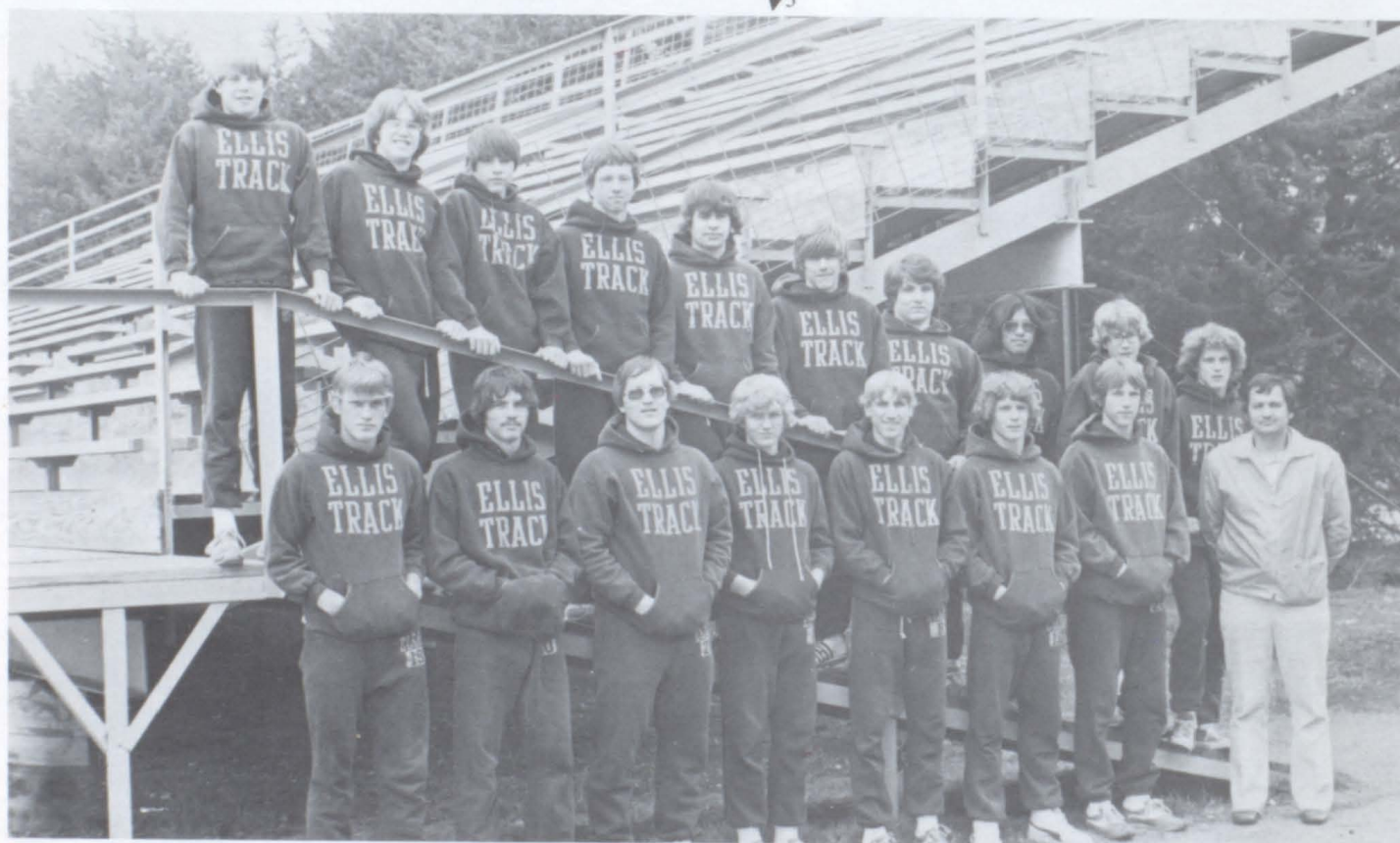


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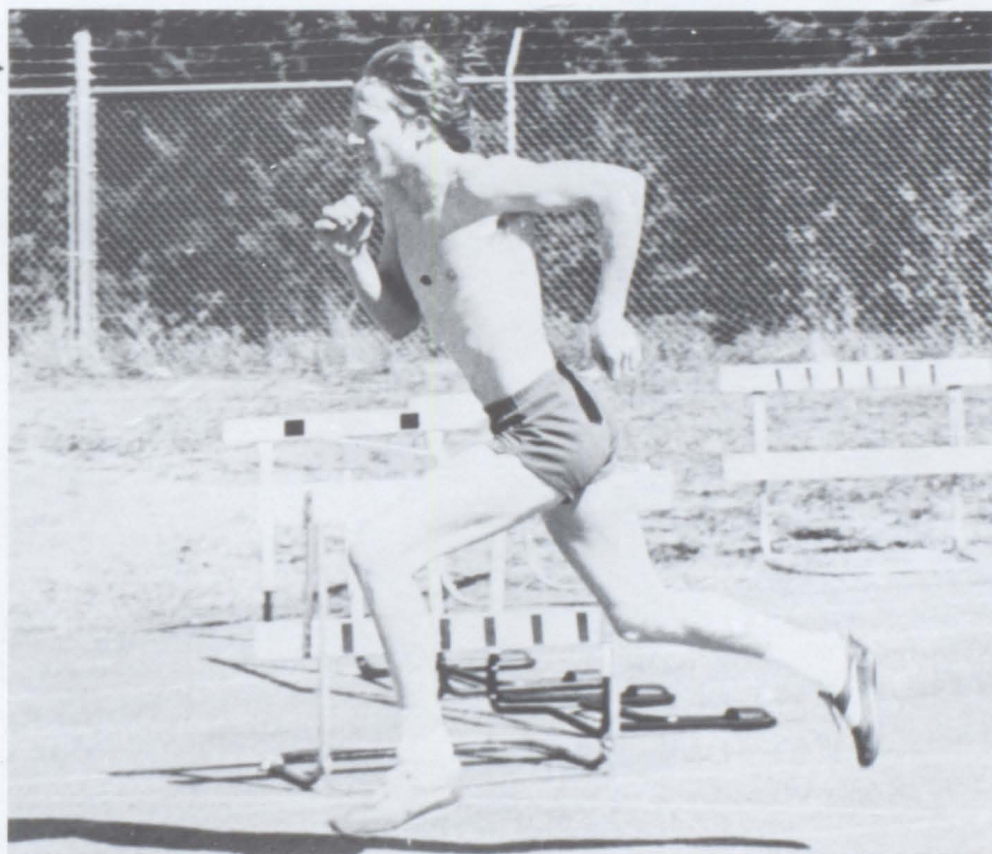
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1.) Mike Riedel shows his talent of jumping.
2.) Tim Herman worships the sun. 3.) Robbie
Disney dashes to the end.

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Ellis Invitational	Fourth
Norton	Third
Plainville	Fourth
Stockton	First
Wakeeney	Third
Victoria	Fourth
MCL	Sixth

1). Mike Bongartz shows how tiring that last lap can be as he nears the finish line. 2). Danny Herman (Right) and Tim Herman (Left) show their technique of jumping hurdles.



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girls moving on

Under the guidance of Mr. Kolacny, the girls managed to bring about a successful season. All the girls accomplished at least one medal and they managed to send Roberta Augustine to state.

1). M. Kuhn winds up to throw the discus. 2). Mary and Jolene Kuhn work to build up their leg muscles. 3). The Team: M. Kuhn, R. Aschenbrenner, S. Weber, Y. Bongartz, K. Turner, J. Kuhn, A. Honas, K. Weber, D. Bieker, T. Desaire, D. Light, M. Schafer, L. Dinkel, L. Rupp, R. Augustine, and G. Schafer.



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1). Rose Aschenbrenner speeds up to gain control of the race. 2). LeAnn Dinkel nears the finish line. 3). LeAnn Dinkel, Deb Bieker, and Lisa Rupp look on as Mr. Kolacny wraps up Roberta Augustine's ankle.





1). Some of the runners are taking it easy on the field. 2). R. Augustine pulls ahead to win. 3). R. Aschenbrenner and A. Honas practice for regionals.

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Ellis	Third
Norton	Third
P-ville	Sixth
Stockton	Third
Wakeeney	Second
Victoria	Fifth
MCL	Fifth



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come sail away

This year's prom turned out to be a success. The theme was "Come Sail Away." It was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall. A banquet was served by the prom servers which was followed by the servers routine. Later on in the evening "Believe It or Not" entertained the Juniors, Seniors and faculty.

1). Mary Bittel and Galen Pfiefer enjoy dancing to the band. 2). The dance floor was crowded on almost every song.



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1). Some of the students took time out of their eating to pose. 2). Some of the couples take time out to give the band a hand. 3). Robbie Disney and Karla Herman show off a few dance steps.

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1). The servers were Wayne King, Karla Herman, Danny Herman, Mary Bittel, Gary Haas, Kim Geschwentner, Judy Waldschmidt, Jolene Kuhn, Tom Peterka, Tammy Gabel, and Mike Bongartz. 2). The couples did a slow dance. 3). Brenda Gaschler and Caylia Engel show off with a wave to the photographer.



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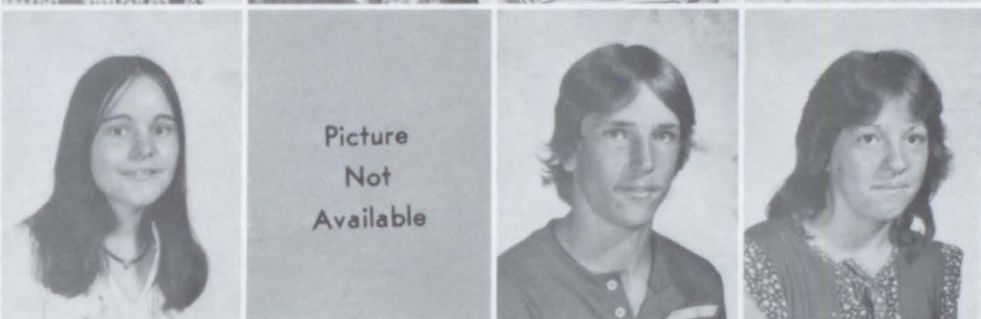
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The Junior Class officers are *From left to right*: Rob Disney, Pres.; Deanna Keller, V-Pres.; Kim Turner, Sec.; and Candy Zachman, Treas.

Engelhardt, Susan
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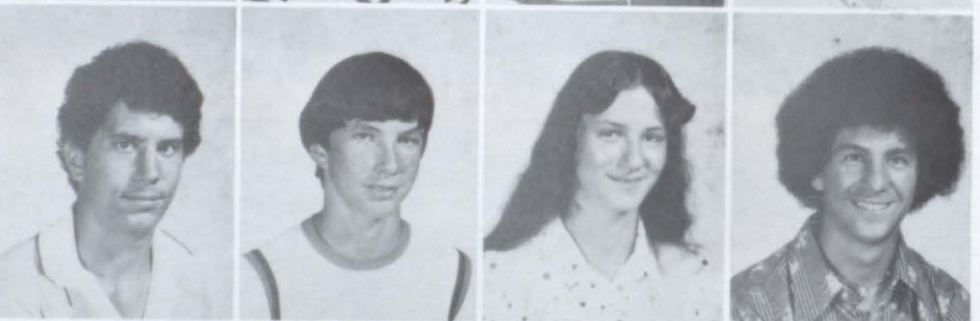
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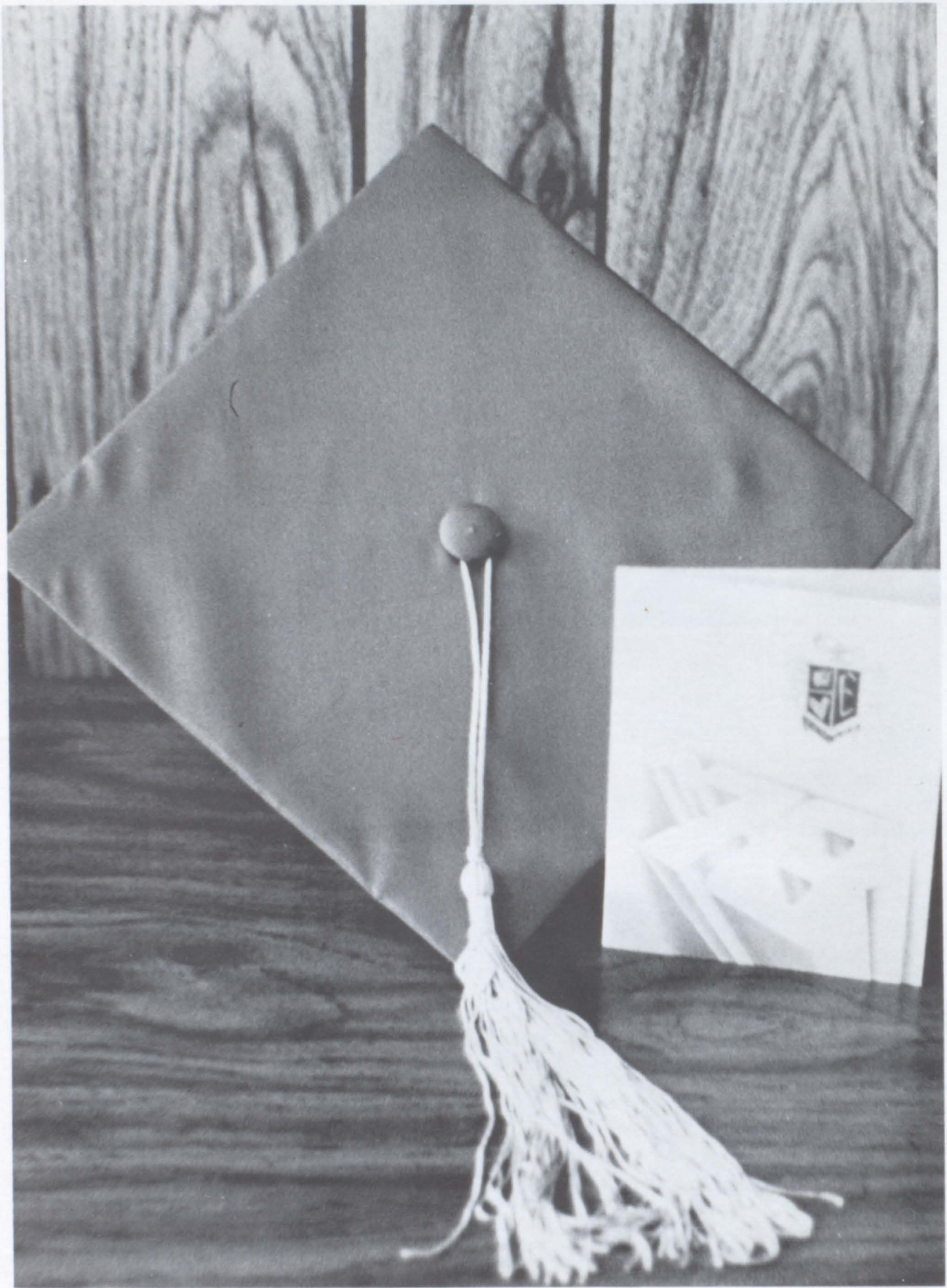


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salutatorian — karl peterson

outstanding musician — kenneth honas

outstanding forensics student

alan kohl

outstanding wrestler — gilbert kinderknecht

outstanding business student

brenda augustine

elks lodge leadership scholarship

cheryl duell

kansas honor students

*brenda augustine
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greg leiker*

*karl peterson
gayle schaffer
geraldine weber*

dar citizenship award — cheryl duell

girls' state

*andrea honas
candy zachman
alternates
kelly weber
trena hilgenberg*

boys' state

*les kinderknecht
kerin schamel
alternates
pat patterson
kenneth honas*

seniors ponder life after graduation



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As the last year rolled around for the Class of 1978, the realization of the world outside became clearer and more vivid with the ending of every event that the class worked together for. The last quarter of the year was filled with the excitement and awareness of leaving the sheltered environment of 1706 Monroe.

The many different anticipations for the future were as unique and individual as every graduate who had dreams and who had the intense desire to make those dreams come true.

1.) President Lloyd Dorzweiler, Vice-President Steve Dennis, Treasurer Gayle Schafer, Secretary Harold Honas. 2.) Homecoming parade entry. 3.) Seniors sending the basketball girls off with hopes of a victory at the State tournament.

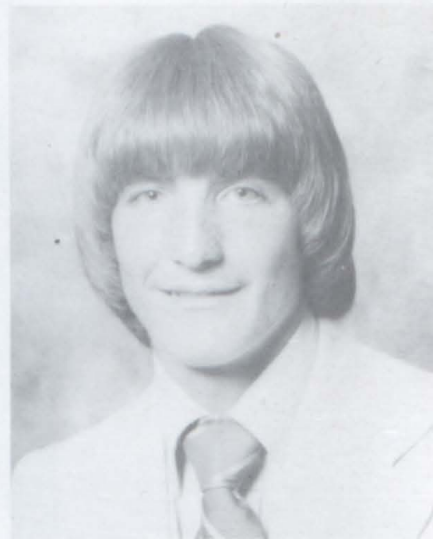
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Michelle Armbrister



Brenda Augustine



Randy Augustine



Larry Brack



Linda Brenner



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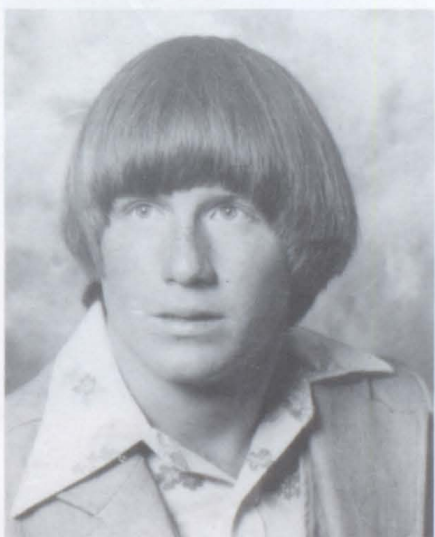
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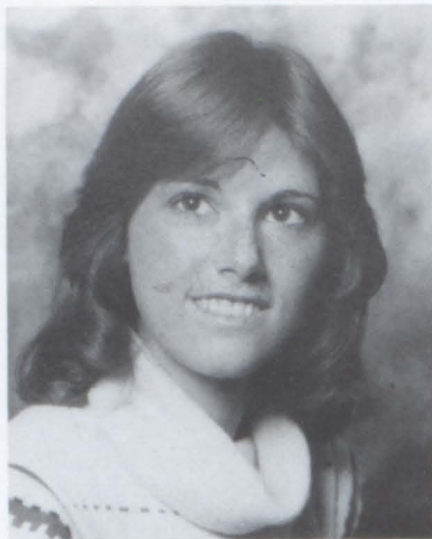


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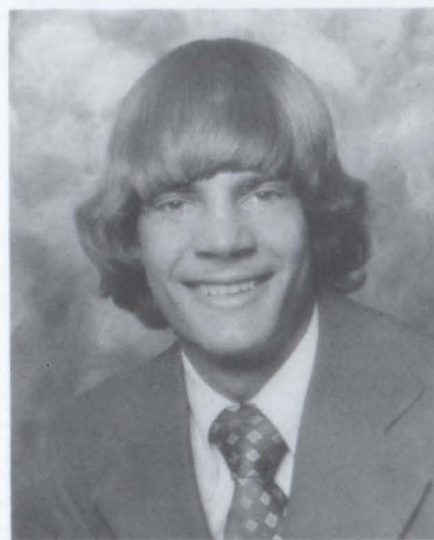
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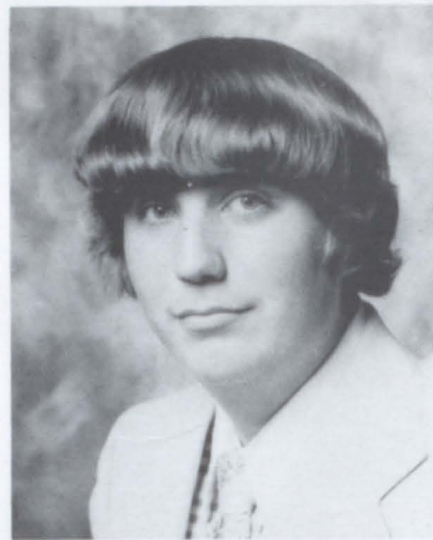
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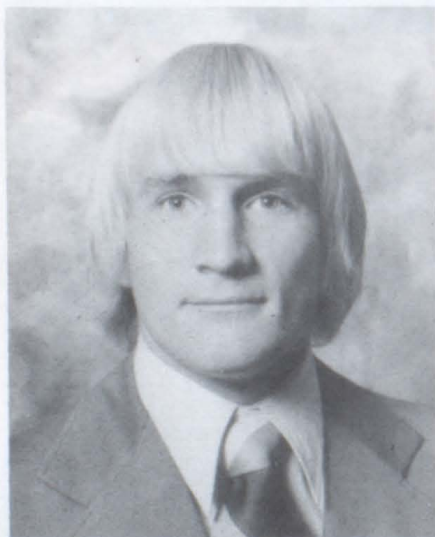
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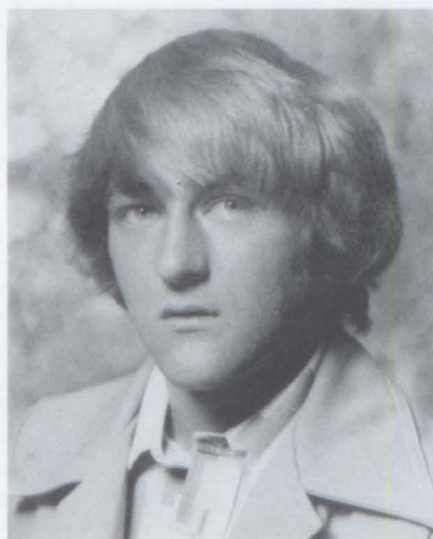
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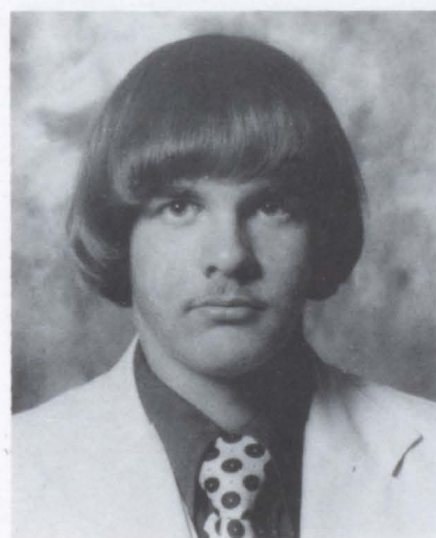
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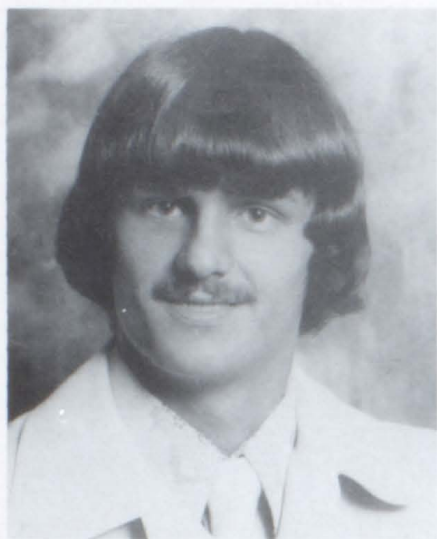


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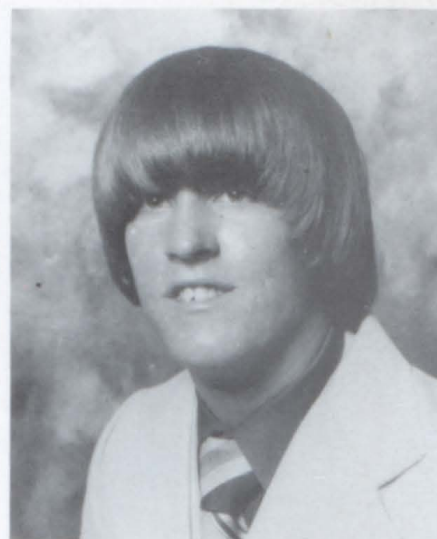




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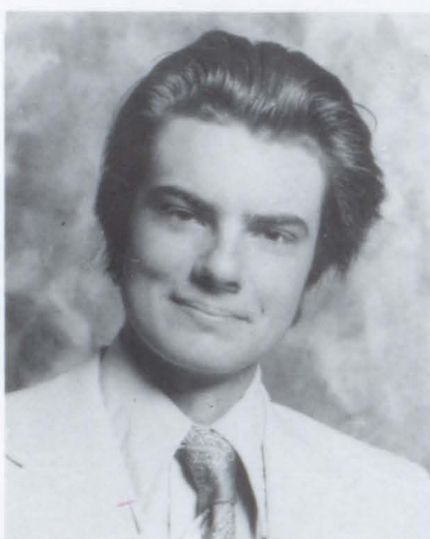
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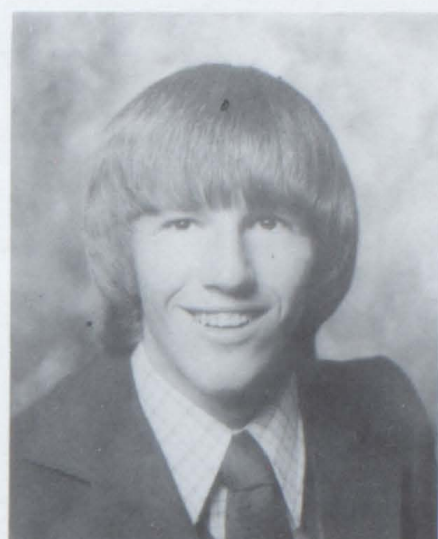
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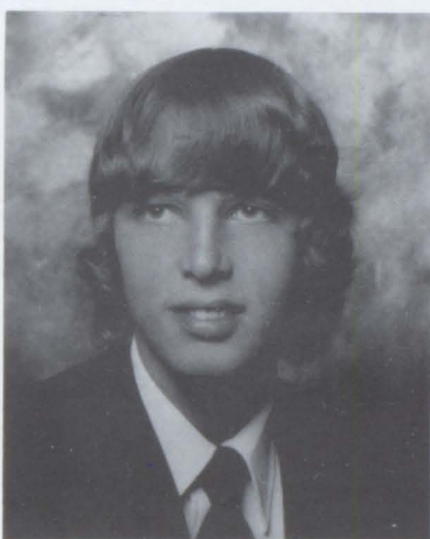
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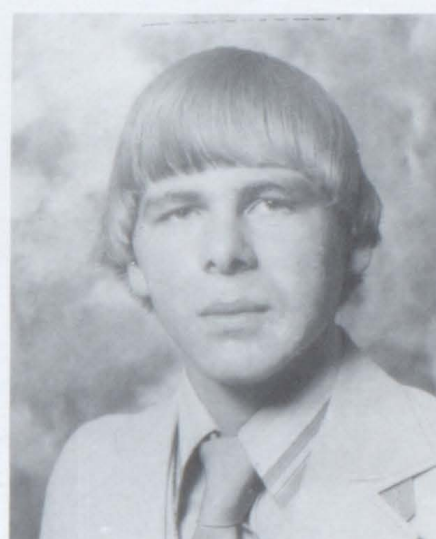
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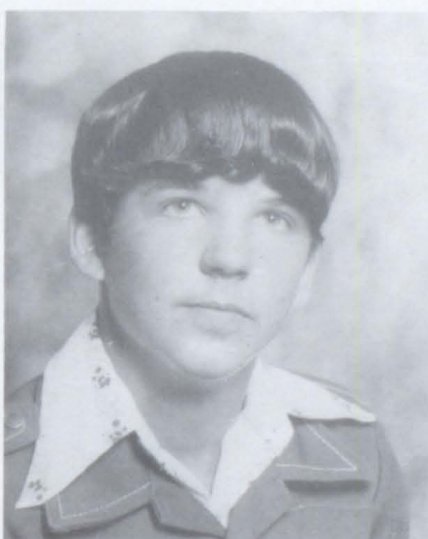
Leon Wiesner



Dennis Wolf



Rose Younger



Curtis Zachman



portrait of the class of '78

ARMBRISTER, MICHELLE — Track 1; Kayettes, 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club Treas. 3; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Stuco Rep. 1; Snoball Princess 2; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Girl's State 3; 1st Place — Regional Journalism Contest — Photography 4; Journalism 4.

AUGUSTINE, BRENDA — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club Pres. 3; Pep Club Sec. 2; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Office Help 4; Kansas Honor Student 4; Sr. Play 4; Chorus 1, 3; Two 3rd Places — Regional Journalism Contest 4; Journalism 4.

AUGUSTINE, RANDY — Wrestling 1, 2; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Stuco Rep. 4; Prom Server 2; Snoball King 4.

BRACK, LARRY — Chorus 1.

BRENNER, LINDA — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Office Help 4; EHS Singers 3; Chorus 3; Journalism 4.

BRUNGARDT, VERONICA — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2; Journalism 4.

DENNIS, STEVE — Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Track 1; Golf 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3; Stuco Rep. 1, 2; Letterman's Club 1, 2; Class Vice-Pres. 4; Prom Server 2; Homecoming King Candidate 4; Snoball King Candidate 4.

DISNEY, SHARON — Track 1, 2; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Class Treas. 1; Prom Server 2; Forensics 4.

DORZWEILER, LLOYD — FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Pres. 4; Boy's State Alt. 3; Office Help 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3; Jr. Play 3; Journalism 4.

DUELL, CHERYL — Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Head Cheerleader 4; Track 2; Tennis Manager 2; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Vice-Pres. 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Stuco Rep. 2, 4; Stuco Vice-Pres. 4; Prom Server 2; Girl's State 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; DAR Good Citizen 4; Elks Leadership Scholarship 4; EHS Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 3, 4; Forensics 3, 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Journalism 4.

ENGEL, CAYLIA — Tennis 1; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; FHA 1, 2, 3; FHA Officer 2; Office Help 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Forensics 1, 2, 3.

ERBERT, TONY — Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1,

2; Wrestling 3; Track 1; Stuco Rep. 2, 3, 4; Prom Server 2; Homecoming King 4.

ERBERT, DEBBIE — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Class Sec. 2; 3rd Place — Regional Journalism Contest 4; Journalism 4.

ERNST, JULIE — Kayettes 1, 2, 3; Chorus 2, 3; Journalism 4.

FISHER, VIRGINIA — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 3; Prom Server 2; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Office Help 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1; EHS Singers 4; Stage Band 4; Band 4.

FLAX, LEROY — FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Treas. 4.

FLINN, STEVE — Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Letterman's Club 1, 2; Class Treas. 3; Boy's State Alt. 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 1, 2, 3, 4; EHS Singers 3, 4; Chorus 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4.

GASCHLER, BRENDA — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Stuco Rep. 2; Stuco Sec. 3; Stuco Pres. 4; Prom Server 2; Barnwarmer Sweetheart 3; Homecoming Queen 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; EHS Singers 3; Sr. Play 4; Journalism 4.

GESCHWENTNER, DEBBIE — Kayettes 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Chorus 2; Stage Band 3, 4; Jr. Play 3; Journalism 4.

GESCHWENTNER, JEFFREY — Cross Country 1, 2; Track 1; Basketball 1.

GNAD, COLLETTE — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Treas. 4; FHA 3; Office Help 3; Girl's State Alt. 3; Chorus 2, 3; Journalism 4; Perfect Attendance.

GUGLER, DOUG — Basketball Manager 2; FFA 12; Chorus 3.

HAGEN, REX — FFA 1, 2, 3, 4.

HENDERSON, MARION — Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2, 3; Track 1; FFA 1, 2, 3; Letterman's Club 1; Office Help 4; EHS Singers 3; Sr. Play 4; Journalism 4.

HERMAN, PEGGY — Basketball 1, 2; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Sec. 1; Class Vice-Pres. 2; Stuco Rep. 3; Snoball Princess 1; Prom Server 2; Shorthand Award 3; Forensics 2; Chorus 2; Jr. Play 3; Journalism 4.

HERMAN, TIM — Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2; Class Vice-Pres. 1; Class Pres. 2, 3; Prom Server 2; Homecoming King Candidate 4; Boy's State 3; Sr. Play 4.

HONAS, HAROLD — FFA 1, 2, 3; Class Sec. 4; Dane G. Hansen Scholarship 4; Chorus 2, 3; Sr. Play 4.

HONAS, TERESA — Tennis 1, 2; Basketball Manager 1, 3; Track Manager 1; Cheerleader 2; Pep Club 1, 2; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1; Office Help 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2; Stage Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4.

KARLIN, MIKE — FFA 1, 2; Chorus 2, 3; EHS Singers 3; Journalism 4.

KINDERKNECHT, ANITA — Track 1; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 4; Stuco Rep. 4; Office Help 4; Kansas Honor Student 4; Band 1; Journalism 4.

KINDERKNECHT, GILBERT — Football 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 4; Sr. Play 4.

KOHL, ALAN — Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 2, 3, 4; Class Treas. 2; Letterman's Club 2; Stuco Treas. 3; Outstanding Musician 3; Snoball King Candidate 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; EHS Singers 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4.

KUHN, MARY — Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 3; FHA 1, 2; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; All State Basketball Game 4; Basketball All League 3, 4; Journalism 4.

LABARGE, LELAND — Cross Country 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 3; Class Pres. 1; Stuco Rep. 1; Letterman's Club 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.

LAMBRECHT, JOAN — Tennis 2; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 3; Kayette Pres. 4; FHA 3; Pep Club 1; Office Help 3, 4; Snoball Princess 3; Snoball Queen 4; Chorus 1, 2; Band 4; Sr. Play 4; Journalism 4.

LEIKER, GREG — Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2; Class Vice-Pres. 3; Kansas Honor Student 4; KU Scholarship 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4.

MICKELSON, BILLIE — Track 1, 2; Kayettes 1; Pep Club 1, 2; FHA 2, 3; Chorus 3; Journalism 4.

NORTH, JOE — Cross Country 1, 2; Honorable Mention in Chemistry in Emporia Scholarship 4;

Band 1, 2; Stage Band 1, 2; Forensics 2, 4; Play 4.

PETERSON, KARL — Wrestling 1; Boy's State 3; Kansas Honor Student 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Stage Band 2; Sr. Play 4.

PFEIFER, DAVID — Football 1, 2; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Treas. 3; FFA Pres. 4; Chorus 1, 2; EHS Singers 1, 2; Sr. Play 4.

RUPP, PAT — Wrestling 1, 2, 3; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3; EHS Singers 3.

SCHAFER, GAYLE — Track 4; Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 2, 3; Class Sec. 3; Class Treas. 4; Library Aid 2, 3; Perfect Attendance 1, 2, 3; Girl's State Alt. 3; Office Help 4; Kansas Honor Student 4; 2nd Place — Regional Journalism Contest; 2nd Place — State Journalism Contest; Snoball Queen Candidate 4; Forensics 2, 3; Stage Band 3; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play; Band 4; Journalism 4.

SCHUSTER, DAVID — FFA 1, 2, 3.

SLAUGHTER, CARA — Tennis 1; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 4; Pep Club 4; Forensics 2, 3.

WEBER, CURTIS — Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Letterman's Club 2; Prom Server 2; Office Help 4; Chorus 2, 3; Sr. Play.

WEBER, GERALDINE — Kayettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Kayette Board 3; Kayette Sec. 4; FHA 2, 3; Barnwarmer Candidate 3; Office Help 4; Snoball Queen Candidate 4; Kansas Honor Student 4; 2nd Place — Regional Journalism Contest; 3rd Place — State Journalism Contest; Chorus 3; Journalism 4.

WIESNER, LEON — FFA 1, 2, 3; Chorus 2, 4; Sr. Play.

WOLF, DENNIS — Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Stuco Rep. 3; FFA Sec. 4; Stuco Rep. 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3.

YOUNGER, ROSE — Transfer 2; Track 2, 3; FHA 2, 3, 4; Kayettes 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Forensics 2; Chorus 3.

ZACHMAN, CURTIS — Perfect Attendance 2; Sr. Play.

success depends on the second letter, "u"



The senior class of 1978 stepped out of the high school scene into a world that hungers for leaders and people with success in their goals. The class motto is: Success depends on the second letter, "u." They chose as their colors royal blue and silver. The class flower was a blue tinted carnation representing endurance, power from knowledge.

1). The graduating class of 1978. 2). Valedictorian Gayle Schafer. 3). Salutatorian Karl Peterson. 4). Dr. Surface presents diploma to David Schuster.





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1). Leroy Flax receives his diploma 2). Greg Leiker, Joan Lambrecht, and Curtis Zachman march out of the past and into the future. 3). Mary Kuhn is congratulated.

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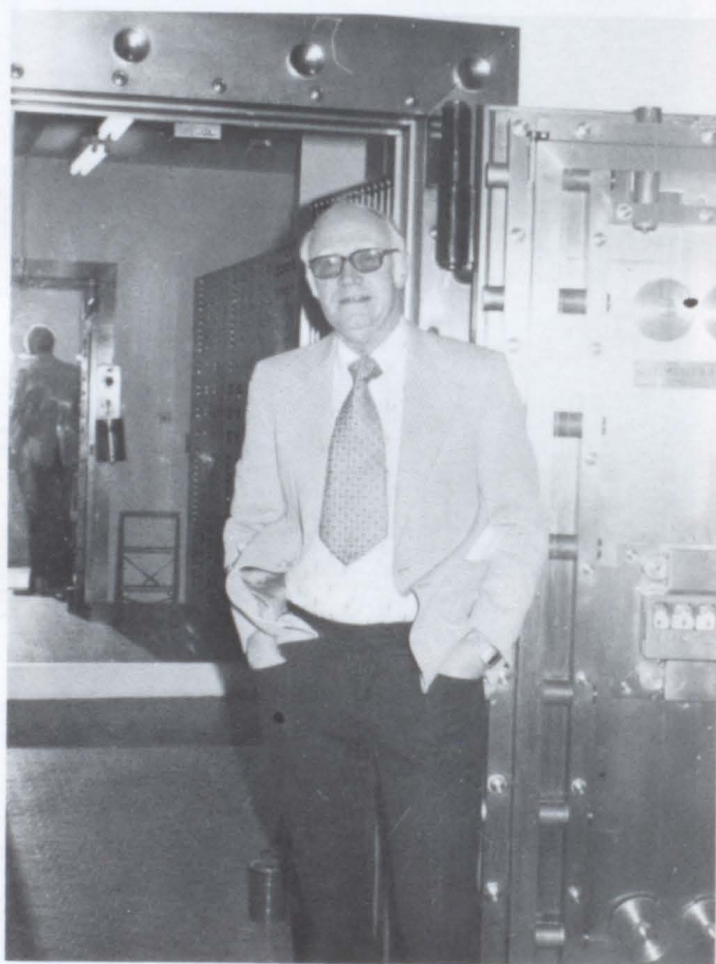
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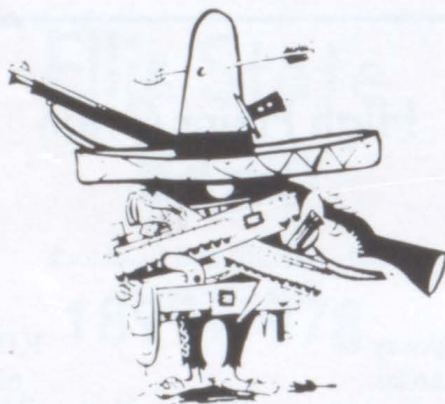
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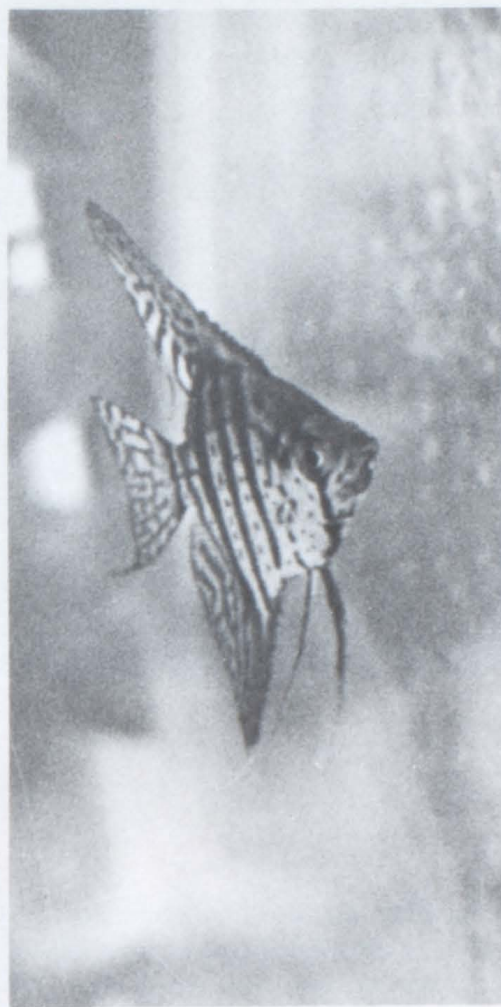
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