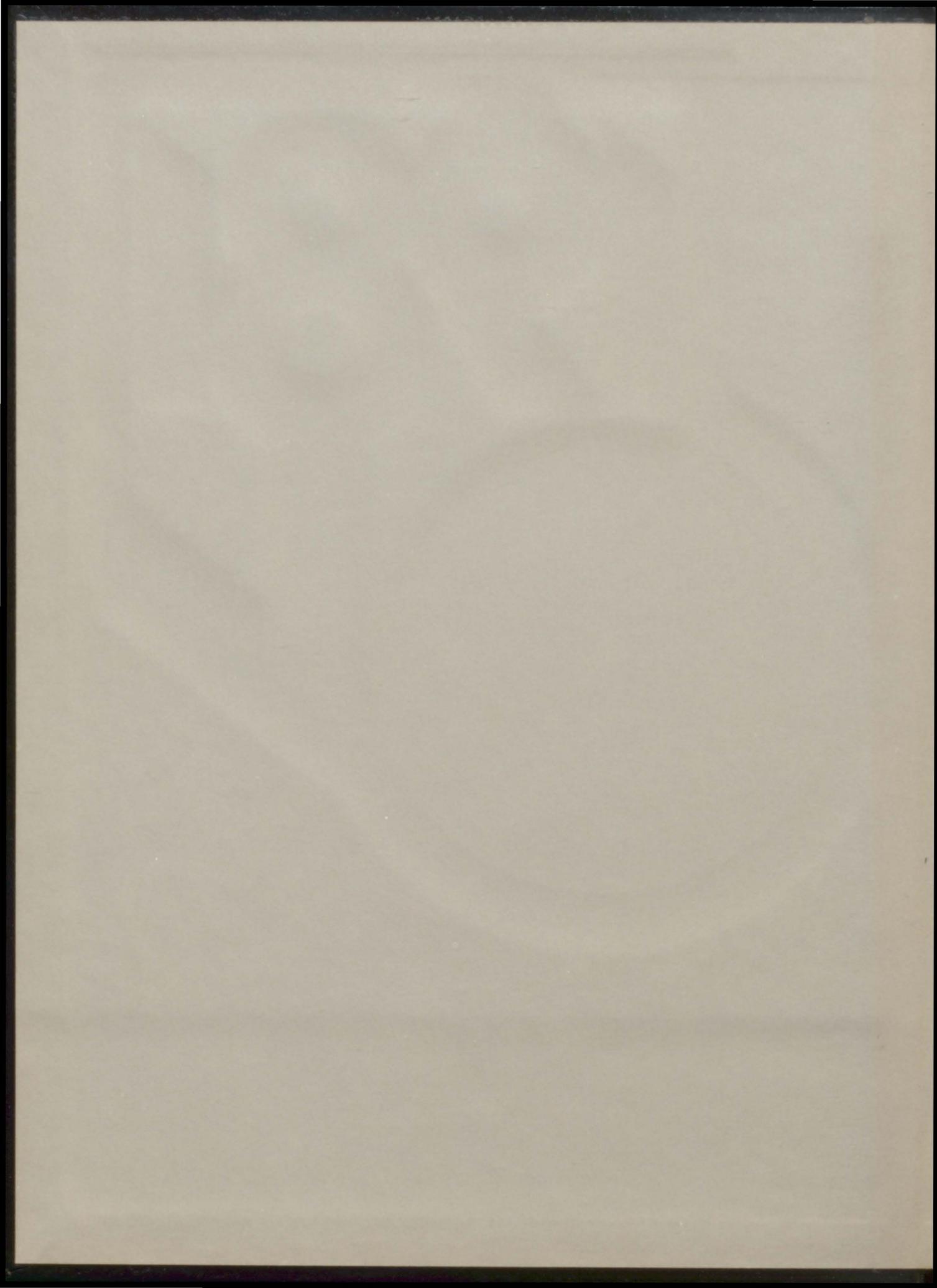
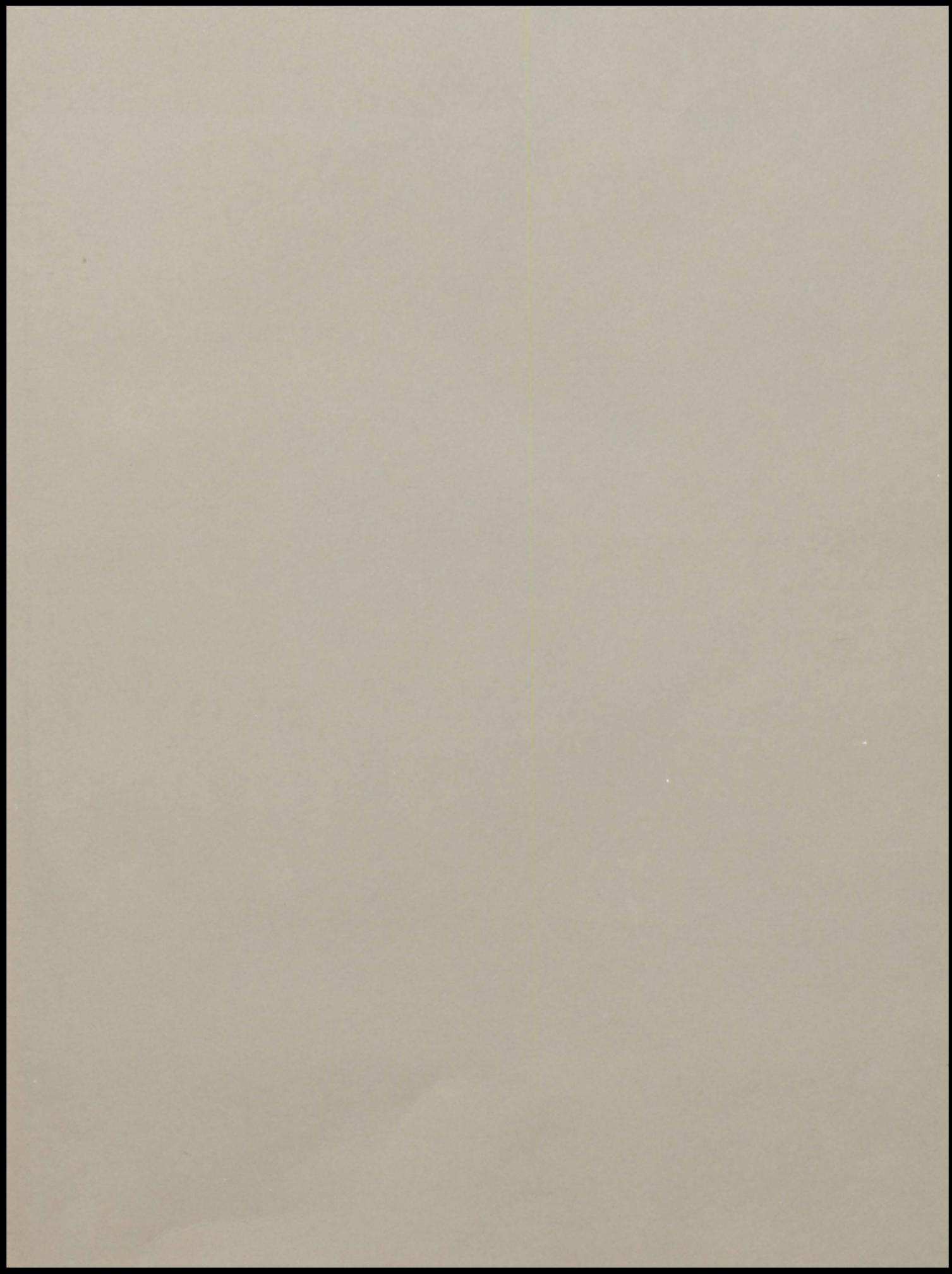


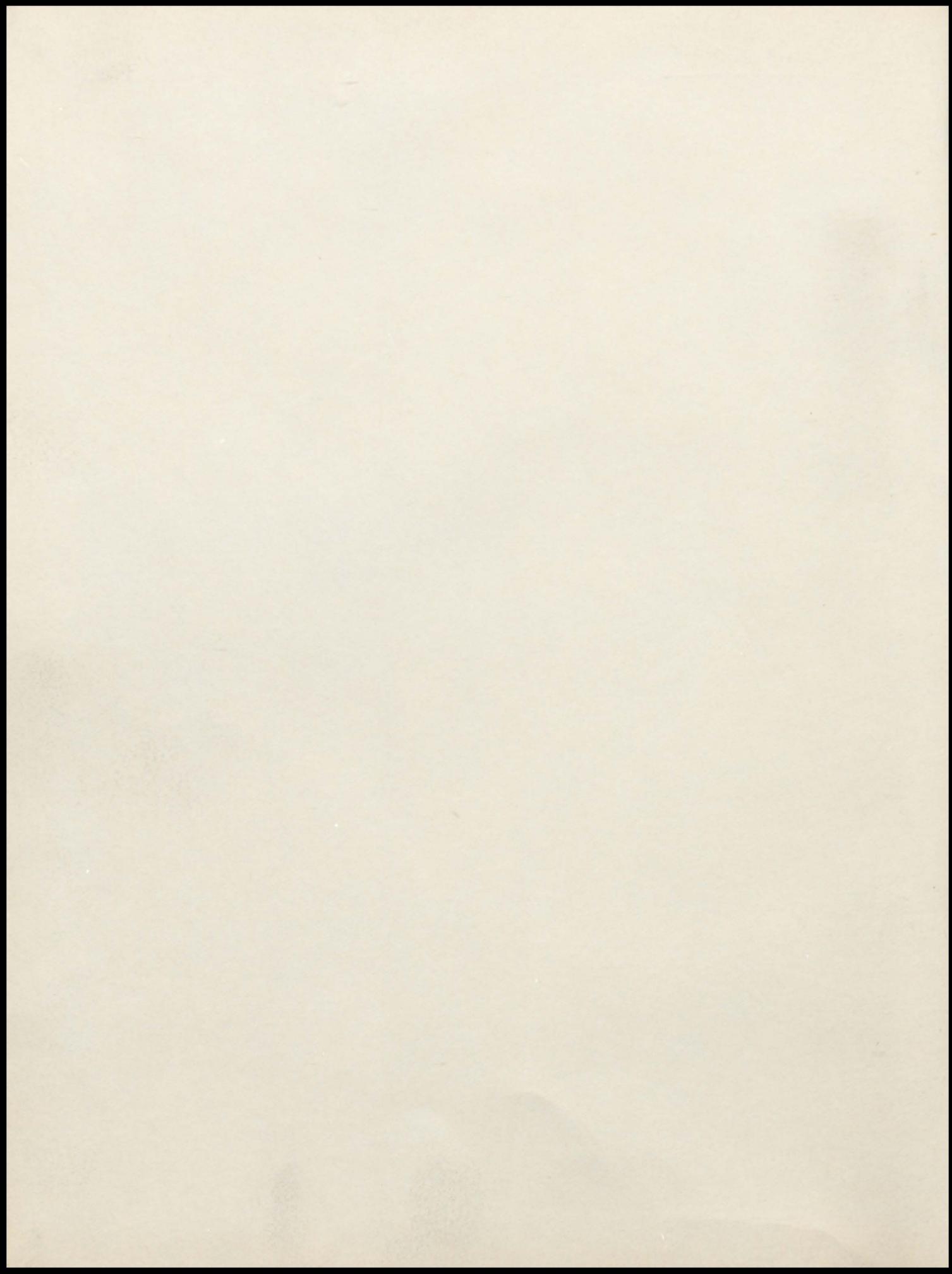
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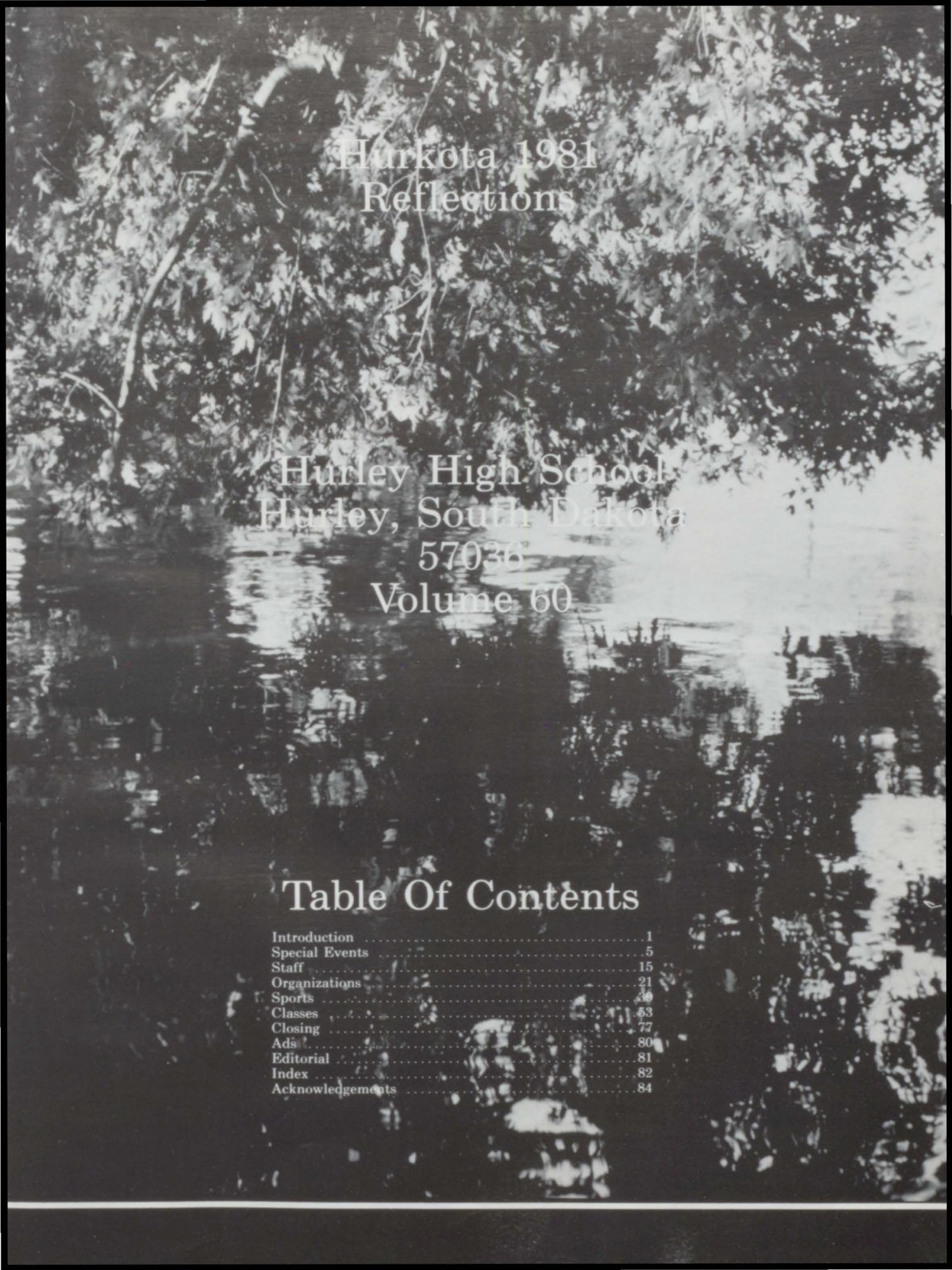


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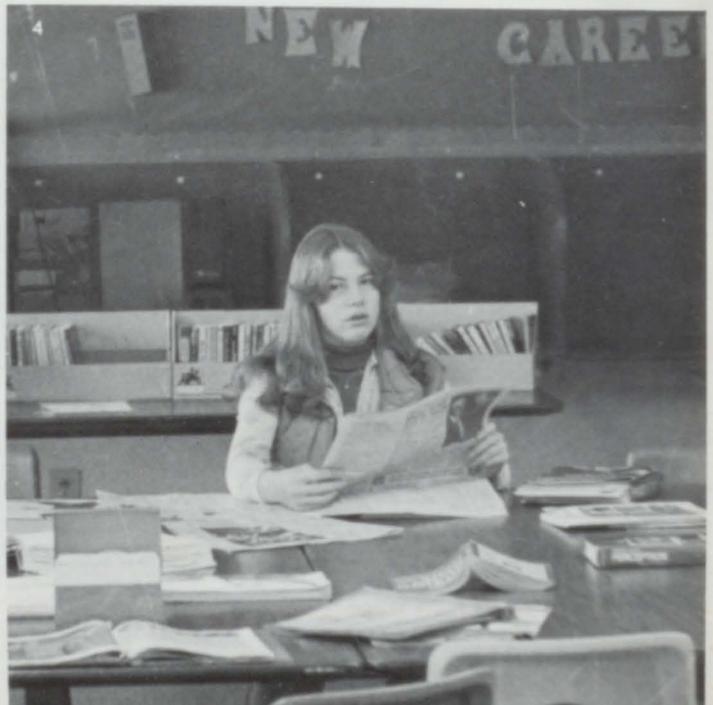
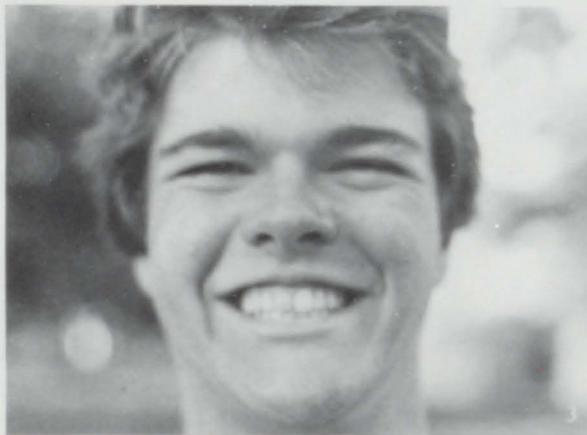
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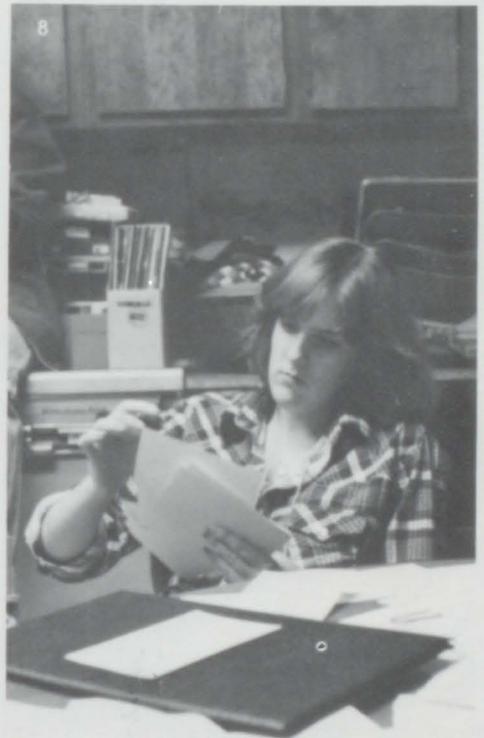
# Reflections Of Hurley High

Every day was wonderful and special;  
 Every minute was exciting and challenging.  
 Every friend was very close and dear;  
 Hurley High held something unique for everyone.  
 Looking back, we remember  
 The good times and those not-so-good.  
 But mostly we are reminded of pleasant memories:  
 Always reflecting on the fun we had;  
 And never forgetting our friends at Hurley High.  
 Reflections means being able to have  
 Good memories about the past  
 And build on those for the future.

— Debbie Nelson



- 1-Taking a break, Schelley Severson daydreams.
- 2-Jackie Smith gives her complete attention to a layout for the annual.
- 3-Todd poses - guess who took the picture?
- 4-Distracted from her newspaper, Teresa Mikkelsen is surprised.
- 5-Tony Ciampa engages in a lively trade at lunch.
- 6-Susan Spomer fires up the crowd at a basketball game.
- 7-Concentrating hard, Bret Ferguson and Tom Benney do their homework.
- 8-Jayne Parsons works to assemble a debate file.
- 9-Mrs. T is shocked to discover her annual staff finished one whole page that day!



# Our Often Forgotten Man

When asked his favorite TV show,  
The 'Untouchables' was his reply.  
When it comes to attacking dirt,  
Our boy is never shy.

We asked his wife how he likes his  
steaks.  
she replied, "Kinda sizzly."  
That reminded us of his nickname,  
For when he was younger,  
Everyone called him "grizzly."

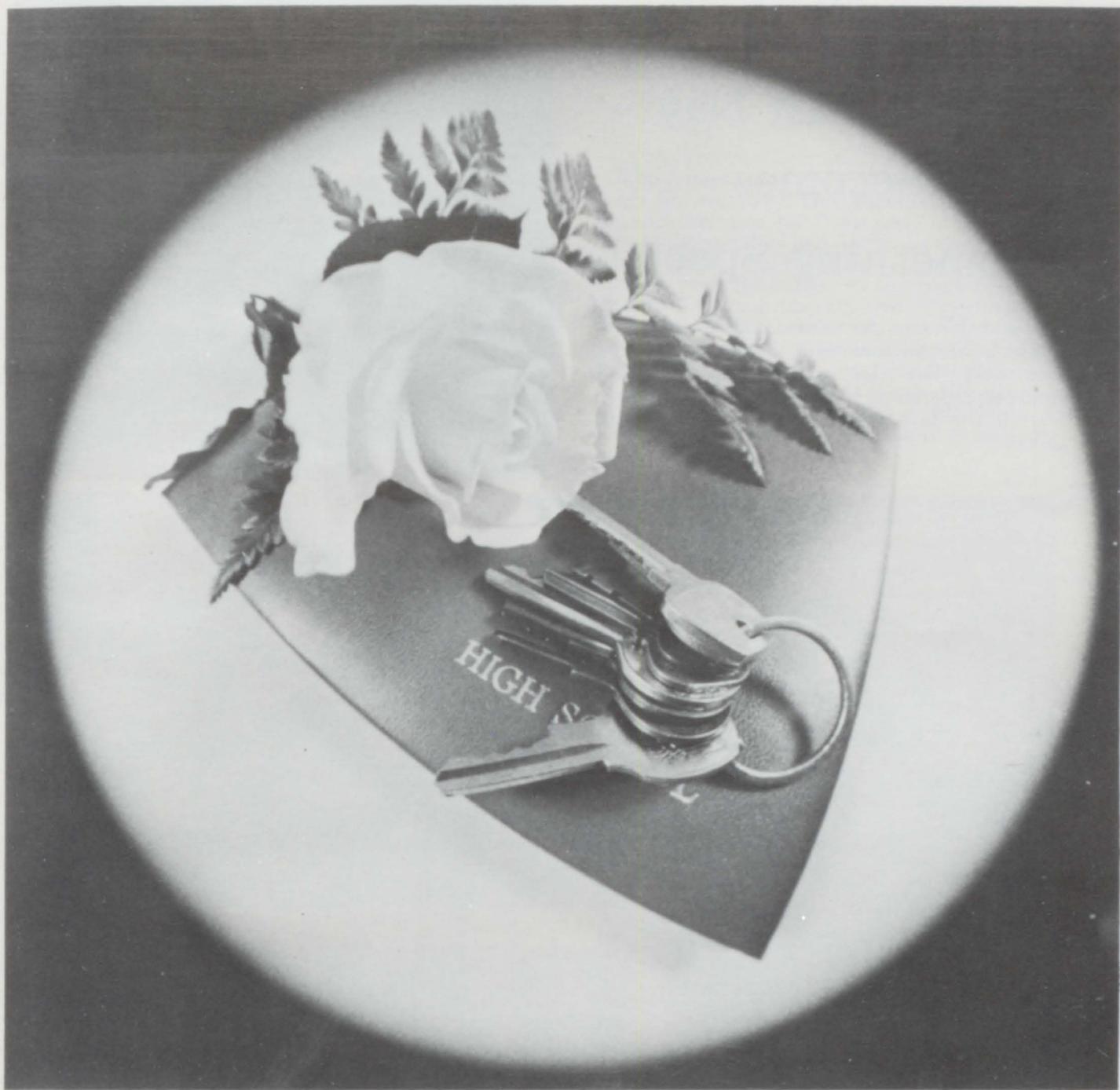
He arrives in the morning early,  
To clean up the previous night's mess.  
Why, who am I talking about?  
It has to be Mr. Ness!

For the chairs he carries,  
And the dirt he buries,  
And the paint he slaps on the wall,  
Is enough during the summer months,  
To make Denise, Jackie, and Mary Ellen,  
Actually sit down and bawl!

As salesmen come through,  
And often they do,  
They tell me our school's the cleanest  
In the West.  
My natural reply,  
Is both simple and sly,  
"It's because our custodian's the best!"  
(Anonymous—G.H.)



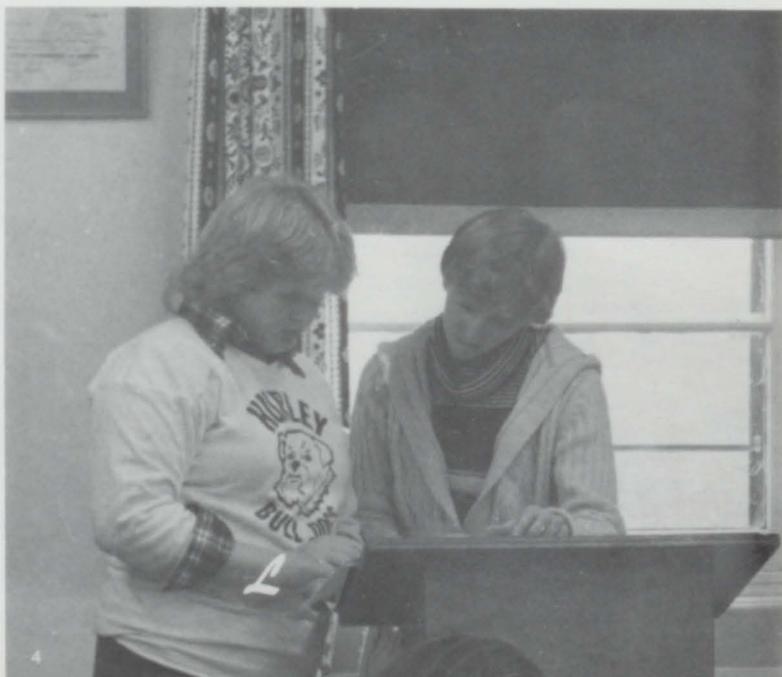
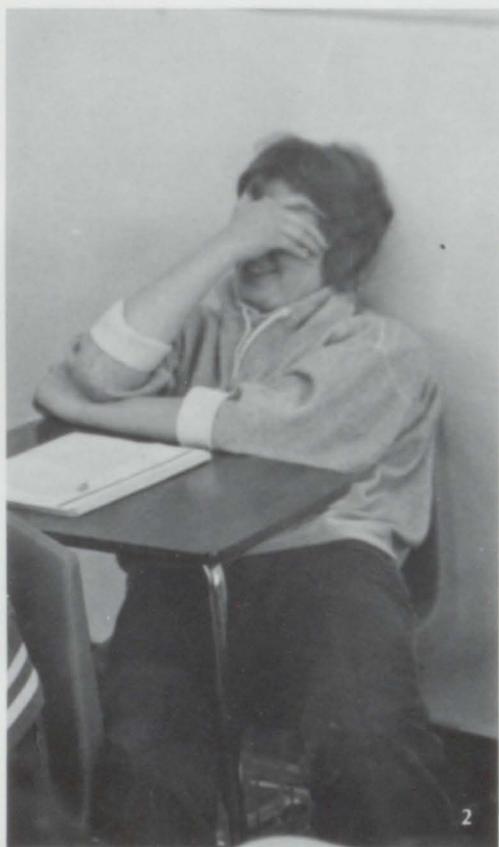
On Awards Day Larry was presented with a Special Service Award in the form of a "Golden Broom" in appreciation of his dedicated service to the Hurley School. The students, faculty, administration, and community members want Larry to know we appreciate him and the good job he does for us.



## SPECIAL EVENTS

# Each New Day Becomes Something Special

This holds true for every student at Hurley. There is always something happening to keep them busy. The trials and tribulations that all students experience provided the most growth. Overall, the days were exciting as well as educational.



- 1-Miss Tschetter instructs her bookkeeping class.
- 2-Beth Nielsen hides her face in dismay just as the camera is being clicked.
- 3-Lorin Larsen takes a break from his demanding studies by relaxing in Coaches chair.
- 4-As Mrs. Potas helps Christi Bright, the rest of the class continues to work.

# A Week Of Thrill And Excitement

The homecoming week of 1980-81 held excitement for everyone. The students in grades 7-12 began working on the floats early in the week. At school the students had fun by having a Hat Day and an Orange and Black Day as part of the homecoming week festivities. As the week progressed anticipation for Friday's activities mounted. The student council decorated the stage in greens and yellows in preparation for Thursday's Coronation. Brenda Alberts and Jim Heidelberg were crowned 1980-81 Hurkota Days Royalty. The burning of the H was Thursday night's finale. The parade was on a windy, but sunny Friday afternoon.



1-Decorating the gym for Coronation, Nancy Christensen and Shari Spomer cooperate to get done fast.

2-Preparing the traditional "H" for Homecoming are Lorin Larson, Jim Heidelberg, Todd Buckstead, and Beth Nielsen.

3-Hard at work, Sheila Weier and Lisa Olesen still find time to have fun with Hat Day.

4-Student Council members Denise Smith and Lisa Olesen put the final touches on the stage for Coronation.



# Homecoming Festivities

The 1980-81 Homecoming festivities started with the coronation ceremonies on Thursday evening. Everyone was a little nervous and excited as they each had a very important part in the activities.

After the ceremonies, everyone congregated outdoors for the burning of the H.

1-Junior Escorts: Tim Flint, Jackie Smith, Penny Odland, and Todd Buckstead.

2-Ladies of the Court: Sheila Weier, Lora Duxbury, Vicki Elcock, and Beth Nielsen.

3-Swordsman: Jerry Wirth, John Jacobson, Jeff Bondesen, Tom Benney, James Wright, Steve Sorenson, Tony Ciampa, and Victor Hovalt.

4-Small Fry: Jerome Georgeson and Beth Trenerry.

5-Royalty Candidates: Mary Ellen Falconer, Jim Heidelberger, Brenda Alberts, Lorin Larsen, Rose Roth, Kurt Schiferl, and Denise Smith.





Mary Ellen Falconer



Brenda Alberts



Jim Heidelberg



Queen Brenda King Jim



Lorin Larsen



Rose Roth

Kurt Schiferl



Denise Smith

# Highlights Of Homecoming

Highlights of Homecoming were the parade and following the parade, the dunking of the coaches. Not only the students but also the spectators became involved in the activities. These events added to the anticipation of that evening's football game.



- 1-Renae Duxbury and Joan Parsons add a bit of humor to the parade.
- 2-Waiting for the parade to conclude, Coaches Schreiber and Christensen are prepared for anything.
- 3-Coach Schreiber anxiously awaits his chance to be dunked.
- 4-Todd Buckstead was chosen as Parade Marshall for the day's activities.
- 5-There goes Coach Christensen-another one bites the water!
- 6-Heads turned as the Royalty continued down Main Street.





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## Bulldogs Fight For Victory

As the week progressed, the Homecoming festivities continued to build excitement throughout the school. The pep rally and the burning of the "H" Thursday night helped get players and fans keyed up for Friday night's football game against Alcester. Everyone was on hand to cheer on the home team.

The Bulldogs fought hard against a tough Alcester team that had many older and more experienced players. Though they suffered a substantial defeat, the Bulldogs did score three touchdowns, one a 62 yard run on a kickoff return. The final score of 19-55 did not reflect the determination and effort the Bulldogs put into the game.

- 1-Lorin Larsen tries to dodge his opponent on his way to the goal.
- 2-Ready for action, Kevin Smidt and Todd Buckstead get set for the next play.
- 3-Spreading enthusiasm through the crowd, Shari Spomer cheers her team on to victory.



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## Keep On Loving You

The Sweetheart Ball made Valentine's Day very special. The FHA girls and Mrs. Potas planned for the evening very carefully. Decorated in the colors of pink, red, and white, the gymnasium took on a romantic atmosphere.

The highlight of this annual event was the crowning of the Sweetheart Royalty. Queen Linda and King Lorin will long remember "Keep on Loving You".

1. Kathy Bondesen, 1980 Queen, crowning the new 1981 Sweetheart Queen Linda Christensen.
2. Candle Carriers: Luke Mikkelsen, Lisa Olesen, Jerry Wirth, Shelia Weier, Bret Ferguson, Rachael Benson, Tim Ferguson, Nancy Christensen, Todd Buckstead, Penny Odland, Gary Heidelberg, and Teresa Mikkelsen.
3. The 1981 Royalty: Linda Christensen and Lorin Larsen.
4. The 1980 Sweetheart Royalty: Rob Sherard and Kathy Bondesen.
5. Royalty Candidates: Kurt Schiferl, Jeannie Sanborn, Lorin Larsen, Linda Christensen, Jim Heidelberg, and Peggy Heirigs.





King Lorin Queen Linda



Lorin Larsen and Linda Christensen



Kurt Schiferl and Jean Sanborn

Jim Heidelberg and Peggy Heirigs





## “Time For Me To Fly”

Choosing “Time For Me To Fly” for the theme, the juniors held their prom on April 25, 1981. The colors were shades of blue, white, and yellow. The junior mothers prepared a delicious meal consisting of ham, corn, baked potatoes, buns, salad bar, and layer desert.

The guest speaker this year was a former teacher, Mr. Everson. He taught English and was also a coach. A country-rock band, White Lightning, provided the entertainment for the dance. As a result of the night, the students have many good memories.

1. Sophomores Jayne Parsons and Tony Ciampa performing the skit during Junior-Senior Prom provided the night's entertainment.

2. Music was provided by a country-rock band “White Lightning.”

3. Mr. Everson, a former English teacher at Hurley, was the guest speaker.

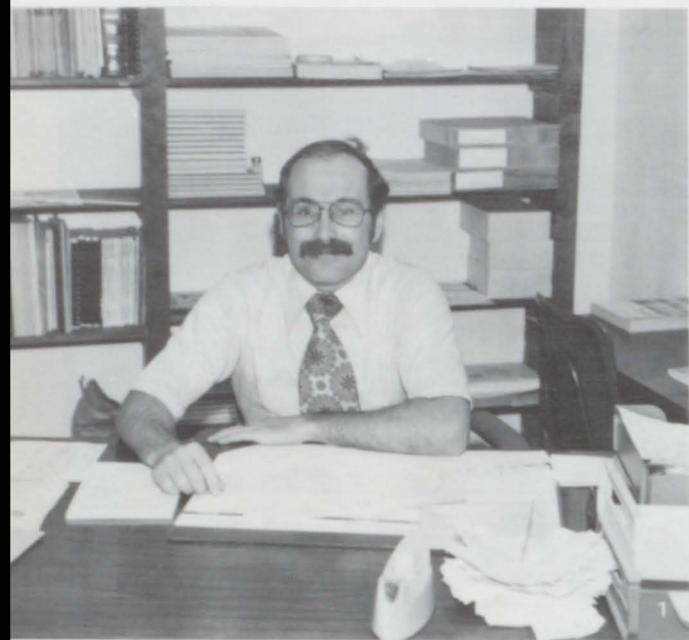
4. M.C. for the special night was Junior class president, Todd Buckstead.

5. Waiters and Waitresses: Back row: Luke Mikkelsen, Kevin Smidt, Mike Mews, Tim Ferguson, Tony Ciampa. Front row: Jackie Jorgensen, Jayne Parsons, Cindy Jorgensen, Rachael Benson, Sheila Weier.





STAFF



## Administration Tackles Duties

1-Mr. Joel Druley was the secondary school principal during the 1980-81 school term. In addition to his everyday duties of class scheduling, disciplining, typing the daily bulletin, having two study halls, and arranging for substitute teachers, he also served as advisor for the Student Council and the Hurley Chapter of the National Honor Society.

2-In his fourth year as superintendent of the Hurley School, Mr. Gary Hansen kept very busy with his administrative duties. As athletic director it was his responsibility to schedule all sports events and arrange for referees. Mr. Hansen did his undergraduate and graduate work at USD in Vermillion.

3-Mr. Delbert Gerlach, the elementary principal, was a new staff member in Hurley this year. He taught biology and had the fifth period study hall. Other duties that occupied his time were Title I director and eighth grade class advisor.





## Support Staff Works Hard

Our school support staff helps out in many ways by keeping things running smoothly.

After working here for several years, Betty Eidem still finds working as the school secretary a challenging job. The cooks contribute by providing nutritious meals every day.

Larry Ness works to keep a healthy and clean environment for the students throughout the year.

Hired to help Larry during the summer were Jackie and Denise Smith, and Mary Ellen Falconer. During the school year, Cheryl Ness helped her dad.

Bus drivers do a tremendous job in transporting the kids to and from school.

1. Betty Eidem at work. 2. Larry Ness performing one of his many duties. 3. Ejner Andersen and Noble Jensen served as busdrivers. Not pictured Donald Georgeson. 4. Mrs. Schissel and Mrs. Schroedermeier take a break from their kitchen responsibilities. 5. The summer helpers pose for their picture.



# Students Nickname Teachers

With names like Christensen, Bergjord, Vondracek, and Trenerry, it didn't take long for the quick and clever Hurley students to shorten them to "Mr. C.," "Mrs. B.," "Mr. V.," and "Mrs. T."

1-Government/economics, history, sociology/psychology, and seventh and eighth grade social studies kept Dean Christensen very busy during school hours. He was also head coach of girls' basketball, boys' basketball, girls' track, and junior high boys' basketball. Mr. C. was one of the junior class advisors.

2-Tom Christiansen advised the junior class and taught industrial arts, as well as general math. He graduated from SDSU.

3-Mike Duffy kept the physics, senior math, and general science classes alert. He was also a junior class advisor. Mr. Duffy is a Dakota State graduate.

4-Karen Bossman taught mathematics at Hurley. Her other duties included being assistant girls' basketball coach and advisor for girls' basketball cheerleaders, the sophomore class, and Pep Club.

5-Rita McGill spent her time teaching high school English and speech classes. She advised junior and senior class plays, one act plays, debate, and declam. She also was the senior class advisor.

6-George Vondracek was the seventh grade class advisor. He was the instructor of the junior high and high school bands and gave individual lessons to grade school students.

7-The grade school music and junior and senior high choruses were directed by Marlys Bergjord. Her teaching duties also included a creative writing class. Mrs. B. is a SFC graduate.

8-Seventh and eighth grade English classes were taught by Loretta Trenerry. She spent the remaining part of her half work day as librarian and advised the yearbook staff.

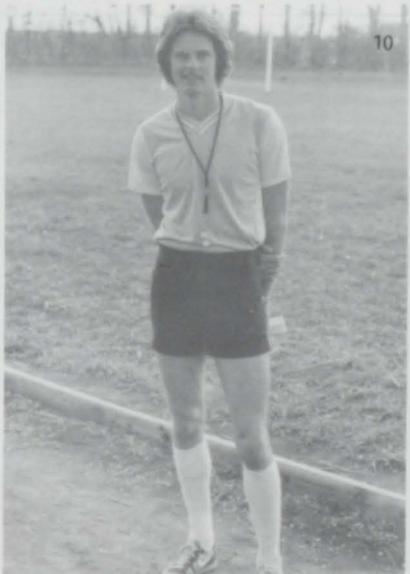
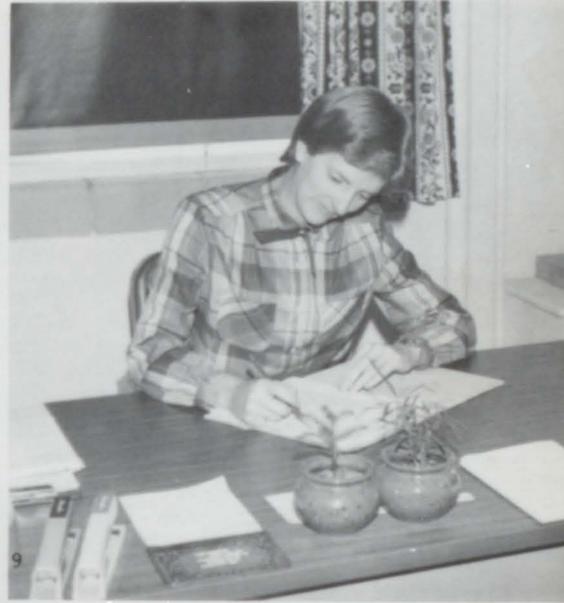
9-Sean Potas, in her fourth year at Hurley, taught eighth grade and high school home economics courses. She was the advisor for FHA and Pep Club.

10-The teacher of all physical education courses was Tom Schreiber. He was head coach of boys' football, boys' track, and assistant boys' basketball coach.

11-Patricia Tigert was the school's part time guidance counselor. She is an undergraduate of SDSU and received her Masters from USD.

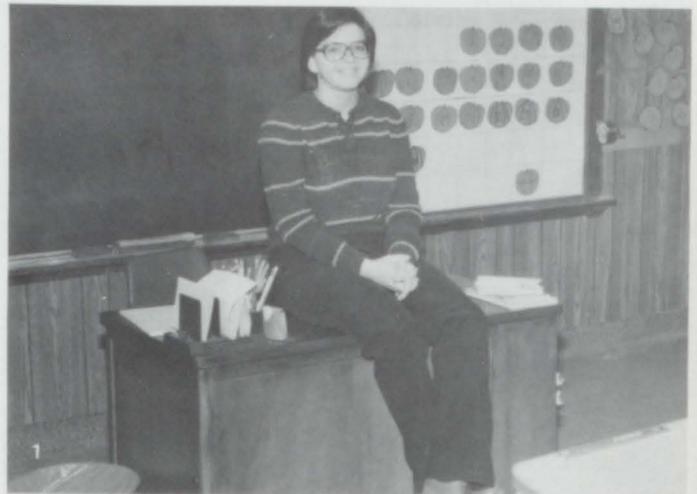
12-The teacher of general business, bookkeeping, and typing classes was Peggy Tschetter. She was the advisor to the sophomore class, school paper staff, Pep Club, and football and boys' basketball cheerleaders.





# Grade Teachers

1. Janice Tiede, a 1980 SDSU graduate, taught fifth grade. She was also a grade cheerleader advisor.
2. Steve Janssen taught the sixth grade. He also coached various athletic activities.
3. Connie McGinnis was the teacher of the fifteen fourth grade students. She was in her second year at Hurley.
4. Jean Lounsbery, in her second year here, taught first graders.
5. Diane DeGroot graduated from Dakota State College with a degree in elementary education. She taught kindergarten.
6. Third grade students were taught by Beverly Spomer, who has enjoyed several years at Hurley.
7. Selva Petersen taught second graders. She has noticed many changes during her years of teaching.
8. Gayle Halverson served as the Title I teacher and was an advisor for the grade school cheerleaders. Dorla Kantack served the school as the speech therapist.





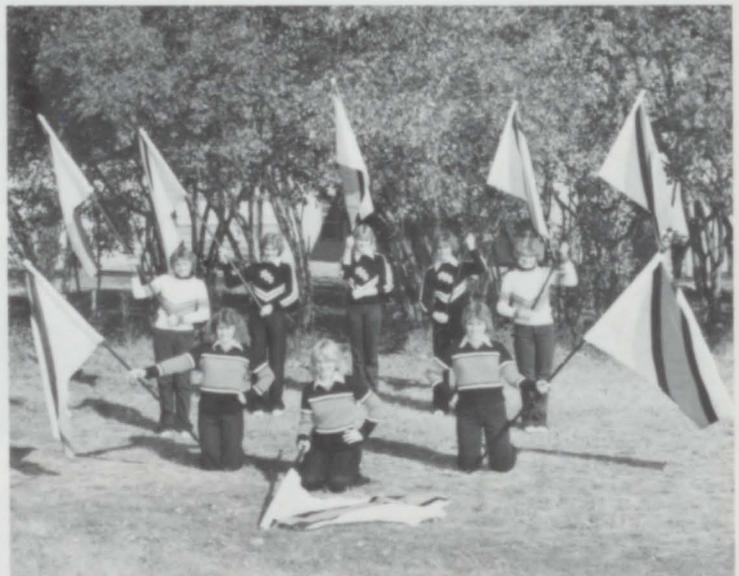
## ORGANIZATIONS



## Band Spruces Up Act

The Hurley High School marching band spruced up its act by purchasing new white spats and orange, black, and white flags. Mr. Vondracek added a new deminsion to the band with a flag corps. The band, for the first time in over five years, marched at a college homecoming. They marched at USD-S and attended the football game after the parade. The band also marched at various high school parades in the area.

Instead of a fall pops concert, the band had a joint Christmas concert with the chorus this year.



Column 1: Mr. Vondracek, Jacki Jorgensen, Brenda Alberts, Rose Roth, Denise Smith. Column 2: Curtis Mikkelsen, Stephanie Lange, Jayne Parsons, Penny Odland, Lora Duxbury, Judith Benson, Mary Flyger, Jeff Ness, Susan Spomer. Column 3: Cherlyn Wirth, Debbie Nelson, Tammy Adrian, Nancy Christensen, Christi Bright, Jeff Knock, Mike Smith, Shawn Brands-

rud. Column 4: Vicki Elcock, Robin Holman, Sandy Lehmann, Suzanne Petersen, Rachael Benson, Philip Wirth, Shari Spomer, Luke Mikkelsen, Linda Christensen, Lisa Olesen, Jeannie Sanborn, Julie Deckert, Teresa Mikkelsen, Kurt Schiferl, Steve Sorensen, Loren Roth, Beth Nielsen, Column 5: Jackie Smith, Peggy Heirigs, Kristy Johpson, Sheila Weier.



# Hurley High's "Blues Band"

Hurley's Stage Band, alias the "Blues Band", performed at many different events this year. Though many were first year members, it was a very successful season. They received third at the 1981 USD Coyote Jazz Festival in Vermillion, and Linda Christensen and Steve Sorensen received outstanding soloist awards. Mr. Vondracek and the stage band are looking forward to even more success next year.



1-Band officers: Penny Odland, secretary; Linda Christensen, President; Kurt Schiferl, Vice-President; Mr. Vondracek; Steve Sorensen, and Nancy Christensen, band council.

2-Mr. V's "Blues Band" performs at the Spring Concert.

3-Stage Band; Front row: Philip Wirth, Sandy Lehmann, Curt Mikkelsen, Christi Bright, Mr. Vondracek. Second row: Kurt Schiferl, Shari Spomer, Penny Odland, Jeff Ness, Mary Flyger, Linda Christensen, Teresa Mikkelsen, Third row: Jean Sanborn, Luke Mikkelsen, Steve Sorensen, Fourth row: Vicki Elcock, Jeff Knock, Bret Ferguson.

4-Sandy concentrates on Mr. V's directions as she performs.



# Small Groups Perform



1-Jeff Knock, Kurt Schiferl, Luke Mikkelsen, Philip Wirth, and Shari Spomer made up the Brass Ensemble.

2-Trumpet trio members were Jeff Knock, Luke Mikkelsen, and Steve Sorensen.

3-The saxophone trio consisted of Linda Christensen, Rachael Benson, and Teresa Mikkelsen.

4-Nancy Christensen, Jayne Parsons and Penny Odland formed the clarinet trio.

5-Soloists who played at the Instrumental Contest in Vermillion were Linda Christensen, Jeff Knock, and Teresa Mikkelsen.

6-Sandy Lehmann and Jeannie Sanborn played a flute duet at contest. They also had the honor of representing Hurley as members of the All State Band.





## Mrs. B Has New Ideas

The Hurley High School Mixed Chorus consisted of 35 enthusiastic musicians who performed at the Christmas Concert, Spring Musical, Homecoming, and Graduation.

The Mixed Ensemble, Swing Choir, and Sextet had a successful year at the vocal contest, bringing home two first place ratings, one one-plus rating and a second place rating.

The Swing Choir also received a first place trophy at the Jazz Festival in Vermillion. The small groups performed at the Christmas Concert, Pops Concert and Spring Musical.



1-Chorus: Back row: Gloria Falconer, Shelly Severson, Cherlyn Wirth, Debbie Nelson, Nancy Christensen, Lisa Olesen, Rachael Benson, Jeff Knock, Marsha Johnson, Mrs. Bergjord. Third row: Teresa Mikkelsen, Shari Spomer, Susan Spomer, Vicki Elcock, Lora Duxbury, Sheila Weier, Marlene Peterson, Cindy Jorgensen, Kristy Johnson, Peggy Heirigs. Second row: Mary Ellen Falconer, Joleen Jensen, Jackie Smith, Penny Od-

land, Steve Sorensen, Jayne Parsons, Beth Nielsen, Linda Christensen, Rosemarie Roth. Front row: Sandy Lehmann, Judith Benson, Brenda Alberts, John Jacobson, Luke Mikkelsen, Jerry Wirth, Jeannie Sanborn, Denise Smith.

2-Chorus Officers: Linda Christensen, Brenda Alberts, and Jeannie Sanborn.

# Musicians

## Display

## Special

## Talent

1-Swing Choir: Back row: Mrs. Bergjord, Beth Nielsen, Shari Spomer, Linda Christensen, Vicki Elcock, Accompanist-Penny Odland. Second row: Jackie Smith, Brenda Alberts, Jayne Parsons, Jeannie Sanborn. Front row: Mary Ellen Falconer, Sandy Lehmann, Denise Smith, Peggy Heirigs. This group took first place at the Swing Coir



Contest and the Jazz Festival both in Vermillion.

2-Sextet: Beth Nielsen, Shari Spomer, Sandy Lehmann, Jeannie Sanborn, Jayne Parsons, Denise Smith. These girls received a first at the vocal contest in Vermillion.

3-The Swing Choir perfected their choreography on "What's More American" for the spring concert.

4-Shari and Vicki dress to impress a "big spender."

5-The girls are really getting into the full "swing" of things in their favorite number, "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy."



# Junior High Musicmakers

This has been a very busy year for the junior high musicmakers. The seventh and eighth grade students were involved in Junior High Chorus, Band and Swing Choir.

The Chorus and Band performed in various concerts throughout the year. The Band members participated in an instrumental contest in Canton in the spring.

A new addition to Junior High Music this year was the Swing Choir. This proved to be a challenging and enjoyable venture for the students.



Junior High Swing Choir: Back row: Laura Heirigs, Paula Georgeson, Helen Falconer, Jacki Georgeson, Velma Severson, Dorothy Brandsrud, Jodi Homan, Linda Peterson, Christi Bright, Queena Lamb, Joan Parsons. Front row: Tim Leber, Mike Smith, Sheldon Hovaldt, Randy Weier, Curt Mikkelsen, Randy Riddle.

Junior High Band: Back row: Jamie Jacobson, Randy Riddle, Mike DeNeui, Sheila Woodward, Julie Deckert, Stephanie Lange, Dorothy Brandsrud. Third row: Travis Hansen, Loren Roth, Mike Smith, Chad Boomgarden, Howard Georgeson, Paul Rayburn, Mr. Vondracek. Second row: Wendy Anderson, Danielle Smith, Paula Georgeson, Shawn Collins, Jacki Georgeson, Jodi Homan, Ben Leber. Front row: Shawn Brandsrud, Kelly Guthmiller, Joan Parsons, Jody Kaarup, Queena Lamb, Tammy Adrian, Suzanne Petersen.



Right: Mike and Loren practice their horns.

Junior High Chorus: Back row: Cheryl Ness, Jamie Boomgarden, Sheldon Hovaldt, Ruth Severson, Christi Bright, Dawn Smidt, Mary Flyger, Robin Homan. Third row: Debbie Smidt, Joan Parsons, Bryan Knock, Amy Mellegard, Philip

Wirth, Randy Weier, Kelly Jorgensen, Queena Lamb. Second row: Jamie Poppenga, Linda Peterson, Julie Deckert, Mike Smith, Stephanie Lange, Tammy Adrian, Suzanne Petersen, Randy Riddle. Front row: Loren Roth, Jason Schroedermeier, Dale Schempp, Brian Andersen, Curt Mikkelsen, Tim Leber, Jody Schroedermeier, Shawn Brandsrud.



# One Acts

## Prove Successful

Good rehearsals and much enthusiasm paid off for everyone involved in the One Acts this year. "Uninvited Ghost," a mystery, provided a break between the two comedies, "Shock of Your Life" and "Sure as You're Born".

- 1-Jim Elliott and his wife-to-be Dorothy go house hunting.
- 2-Mr. Jones keeps an eye on Wilber Mae as Jackie Jorgensen watches from backstage.
- 3-Mr. Maxwell decides he'd be much happier if his son Wilbur had been a girl.
- 4-The "Uninvited Ghost" tries to scare off Bill, one of the teenage explorers.



"Shock of Your Life" by Donald Payton  
 Mr. Maxwell ..... Kurt Schiferl  
 Mrs. Maxwell ..... Jackie Smith  
 Connie ..... Brenda Alberts  
 Betty Lou ..... Penny Odland  
 Wilbur ..... Todd Buckstead  
 Hercules ..... Luke Mikkelsen

"Sure as You're Born" by Donald Payton  
 Wilbur Maxwell ..... Bret Ferguson  
 Betty Lou ..... Denise Smith  
 Connie ..... Sandy Lehmann  
 Mrs. Maxwell ..... Peggy Heirigs  
 Mr. Maxwell ..... Tim Flint  
 Mr. Jones ..... James Wright

"Uninvited Ghost" by Roma Greth  
 Betty ..... Teresa Mikkelsen  
 Madge ..... Susan Spomer  
 Bill ..... Steve Sorensen  
 Rich ..... Kurt Schiferl  
 Nancy ..... Rachael Benson  
 Elaine ..... Sheila Weier  
 Sissie ..... Shelley Severson  
 Jim Elliot ..... Jim Heidelberg  
 Dorothy Warren ..... Jacki Jorgensen  
 Hortense Gardner ..... Linda Christensen  
 Support Personnel ..... Beth Nielsen  
 and Cindy Jorgensen



## Debaters Win Awards

A new trophy was added to the growing collection of debate awards this year. The novice team captured first place in the January Conference Debate meet. Kurt Schiferl and Jim Heidelberg competed in a new event, the Lincoln-Douglas Debate. Jayne Parsons and Teresa Mikkelsen participated in Extemporaneous Speaking. Jayne placed 1st in her division and went on to finals in this competition.

The debaters are already preparing for next year and even greater success is expected! Left: Jayne Parsons gestures to emphasize a point. Below left: Debate team-Advisor, Miss McGill, Kurt Schiferl, Teresa Mikkelsen, Lora Duxbury, Jim Heidelberg. Seated: Jayne Parsons, and Rachael Benson. Below right: Rachael Benson concentrates on her plan of attack for the next debate.



Back row: Rachael Benson, Jeannie Sanborn, Linda Christensen, Todd Buckstead, James Wright, Teresa Mikkelsen, and Jackie Smith. Front row: Brenda Alberts and Lora Duxbury.

## Speaking Abilities Developed

Hard work paid off for the declam participants. Winners of the local contest who advanced to the district contest were Brenda Alberts, James Wright, Todd Buckstead, Jackie Smith, Teresa Mikkelsen, and Linda Christensen. Linda received second place at the District contest and advanced to the Regional contest. Those who earned the opportunity to participate in the Second's contest were Rachael Benson, Lora Duxbury, and Jeannie Sanborn, who received first in her division. The declam participants and Miss McGill look forward to next year.

# Suitable For Hanging

On December second the junior class presented a mystery comedy, "Suitable For Hanging." The play was based on the life of Charlie Hackle and his roommate, Sam Adams, who was big in advertising. Sam's biggest trouble was getting auditions for the almost talented twin sisters, Mini and Maxi. About to be married, Charlie Hackle was a lab technician. He arose one morning just to discover that he had missed his wedding day. After finding himself in the middle of a kidnapping, Charlie discovers that he had been hypno-

tized by two Russian spies. As the story ends, Charlie explains the disaster to his fiancée, and Sam finally gets his big break in the advertising business. The group of fifteen juniors and Miss McGill put a lot of time and effort into the preparation of their first class play. The long hours spent memorizing lines and practicing parts were well worth it. Painting scenery, helping with props, and prompting the actors were duties delegated to the outstanding backstage crew.



## CAST

Maxi and Mini .....	Cherlyn Wieth and Susan Spomer
Sam Adams .....	Bret Ferguson
Charlie Hackle .....	Jeff Bondesen
Abby .....	Teresa Mikkelsen
Mrs. Raney .....	Penny Odland
Mom Hackle .....	Beth Nielsen
Frank Randy .....	James Wright
Tina .....	Schelley Severson
Hilga .....	Vicki Elcock
Anatole Grindstaff .....	Tom Benney
Hans Gruber .....	Tim Flint
Bernard Zapotka .....	Todd Buckstead



- 1-Mrs. Raney is disgusted with her daughter's choice of a husband.
- 2-Beth Nielsen presents their director, Miss McGill, with a token of appreciation for her work on the Junior Class Play.
- 3-Abby listens as Sam Adams directs Maxi and Mini in their jingle for a commercial.
- 4-Two mad scientists, Dr. Zapotka and Dr. Gruber, discuss the newly found formula GE-four squared-five-O-P-Q-TWO.
- 5-Mom Hackle serves refreshments as Charlie Hackle waits and Mrs. Raney and Frank Raney look on.
- 6-James Wright did a really fine job as Mr. Raney.
- 7-Mrs. Raney delivers a lecture on the subject of husband selection to her daughter.
- 8-Hilga, posing as a ballerina, makes her grand entrance.
- 9-Charlie Hackle and Sam Adams search the mysterious suitcase which they found to be full of jewels and money.





# Seniors Entertain In Two One Acts

On May 5, the senior class presented two plays, a drama and a comedy. The first one, "Requiem for a Small Town," starred Kurt Schiferl as Bobby Jo Davis. He was being tried for the murder of the town in which he used to live. This play kept the audience in suspense.

Sandy Lehmann and Jim Heidelberger, starring as Cinderella and the Prince, kept the crowd laughing throughout the play "Cinderella Wore Combat Boots."

Miss McGill's new idea of selling advance tickets to the play boosted attendance. Those who bought an advance ticket were eligible to win \$10 worth of gas from Olson's DX. Mr. Duffy was the lucky winner.



- 1-Mollie and Millie gossip about the upcoming trial.
- 2-Judge Picket listens attentively during Pauline's testimony.
- 3-The Storyteller looks on as Cinderella inspects her combat boots.
- 4-The King contemplates getting his son, Prince Charming, married.

### REQUIEM FOR A SMALL TOWN

Bobby Joe Davis	.....	Kurt Schiferl
Margy Evans	.....	Denise Smith
Mollie and Millie	.....	Rose Roth and Sandy Lehmann
Andy	.....	Lorin Larsen
Pauline	.....	Jeannie Sanborn
Naomi Morton	.....	Linda Christensen

### CINDERELLA WORE COMBAT BOOTS

Storyteller	.....	Linda Christensen
King	.....	Kurt Schiferl
Prince	.....	Jim Heidelberger
Motherella	.....	Peggy Heirigs
Godzella	.....	Mary Ellen Falconer
Cinderella	.....	Sandy Lehmann





1-During intermission Brenda and Miss McGill pick the winning gas raffle ticket.

2-Cinderella lovingly waits on her step-mother and step-sisters.

3-The Prince and Cinderella get to know each other through "The Bump."

4-The King contemplates getting his son, Prince Charming, married.

5-Bashful Godzella unsuccessfully tries to lure the Prince's attention.

# Clubs Have A Successful Year

H-Club's main activity for this year was Homecoming. The building of the "H" was messy, but great fun. An activity enjoyed by the whole town was dunking the coaches were good sports!

Few in number, the Pep Club showed great school spirit this year. The Pep Club made a lot of money from their hard work at the concessions. Although there were few pep rallies, each one was memorable since the skit committee always managed to prepare a spirit-filled skit.

1-H-Club: Back row: Steve Sorenson, Kurt Schiferl, Lorin Larsen, Tim Flint, Todd Buckstead, Tony Ciampa. Fourth row: Kristy Johnson, Cindy Jorgensen, Rachael Benson, Peggy Heirigs, Sandy Lehmann, Jean Sanborn, Cherlyn Wirth, Vicki Elcock, Susan Spomer. Third row: Beth Nielsen, Marlene Peterson, Jackie Smith, Penny Odland, Denise Smith, Jacki Jor-



gensen, Teresa Mikkelsen, Mary Ellen Falconer. Second row: Jim Heidelberger, President; Linda Christensen, Vice-President; Brenda Alberts, Secretary/Treasurer. Front row: Advisors: Mrs. Janssen, Mr. Christensen, and Mr. Schreiber. 2-Kurt Schiferl puts on his Sunday best and helps build the "H" for Homecoming.



3-Pep Club: Back row: Vicki Elcock, Cherlyn Wirth, Peggy Heirigs, Joleen Jensen, Cindy Jorgensen, Shelley Severson, Lisa Olesen, Teresa Mikkelsen, Kristy Johnson, Marsha Johnson, Marlene Peterson. Fourth row: Lora Duxbury, Judith Benson, Sheila Weier, Third row: Mary Ellen Falconer, Jayne Parsons, Jean Sanborn, Susan Spomer, Jackie Smith, Denise Smith, Sandy Lehmann. Second row: Vice-Pres., Rose Roth, Skit Chairpersons-Linda Christensen, and Beth Nielsen; Secretary-Penny Odland; President-Brenda Alberts. Front row: Advisors: Miss Bossman, Mrs. Potas, and Miss Tschetter.





# Students Learn By Doing!!

**Paper Staff-**There were seven members on paper staff during the year. They were kept busy writing stories on the happenings in the school.

**Annual Staff-**The many active people on the Annual Staff kept busy selling ads to raise money for the annual. All of the staff members worked hard doing layouts, writing copy and taking pictures.

**Librarian Assistants-**Mrs. Trenerry had many students to help keep the magazines and books in good condition and in order in the library. As the students worked in the different areas of the library, they learned a great deal about how a library operates.



1. Paper Staff-Miss Tschetter, Shari Spomer, Nancy Christensen, Rachael Benson, Lora Duxbury, Teresa Mikkelsen, Sheila Weier, Jayne Parsons.

2. Annual Staff-Vicki Elcock, Cherlyn Wirth, Lisa Olesen, Jackie Smith, Peggy Heirigs, Penny Odland, Cindy Jorgensen, Shari Spomer, Lora Duxbury, Debbie Nelson, Shelley Severson, James Wright, Todd Buckstead, Kristy Johnson, Nancy Christensen, Rachael Benson, Sheila Weier, Jayne Parsons, Rose Roth, Teresa Mikkelsen, Tim Flint, Mary Ellen Falconer, Mrs. Trenerry, Susan Spomer, Marsha Johnson, Marlene Peterson, Jacki Jorgensen, Brenda Alberts, Linda Christensen.

3. Library Assistants-Peggy Heirigs, Jayne Parsons, Shelley Severson, Debbie Nelson, Cherlyn Wirth, Cindy Jorgensen, Rachael Benson, Nancy Christensen, Kristy Johnson, Beth Nielsen, Marsha Johnson, Sheila Weier, Charles Hagenbuch, Jeff Ness, Mary Ellen Falconer, Gloria Falconer, Rose Roth, Mrs. Trenerry, Judith Benson, Lisa Olesen, Frank Heirigs, Teresa Mikkelsen, Marlene Peterson, Lora Duxbury, Jacki Jorgensen, Brenda Alberts, Gary Heidelberger.

4. Annual Officers-Mary Ellen Falconer, Cherlyn Wirth, Penny Odland, Vicki Elcock.





## Linda Leads FHA

Our FHA tried some different activities this year. During Homecoming Week, the girls sponsored 'Bulldog Week', having an 'Orange and Black Day' and 'Hat Day'. In January, a volleyball marathon was held. Pledges from the townspeople amounted to approximately \$300.

For the annual dineout, we visited various places in Sioux Falls: Bell Telephone, Argus Leader, Children's Inn, Juvenile Court Center, and a play at Sioux Falls College. On March 30, our FHA Regional Convention was held at Scotland with many girls taking active part in the convention.



FHA: Bottom row: Linda Christensen-President, Penny Odland-Vice President, Sheila Weier-Local and Regional Historian, Jackie Smith-Secretary. Row 2: Mrs. Sean Potas-Advisor, Mary Ellen Falconer. Row 3: Teresa Mikkelsen, Marsha Johnson, Rachael Benson. Row 4: Peggy Heirigs, Nancy Christensen, Rosemarie Roth. Row 5: Sandy Lehmann, Jayne Parsons, Jeannie Sanborn, Denise Smith. Row 6: Judith Benson, Lisa Loesen, Lora Duxbury. Row 7: Shari Spomer, Gloria Falconer. Row 8: Susan Spomer, Cherlyn Wirth. Girls pose with Captain 11 in the picture at the right.



The Honor Society is a group of people selected for academic and leadership abilities. The 16 members are from the sophomore, junior, and senior classes. They are notified of their membership and receive a pin on Awards Day. Mr. Druely served as the group's advisor.

Honor Society: Bottom Row: Beth Nielsen, Denise Smith, Jackie Smith. Row 1: Linda Christensen, Jayne Parsons, Sandy Lehmann, Jeannie Sanborn. Row 3: Sheila Weier, Mary Ellen Falconer, Row 4: Debbie Nelson, Todd Buckstead, Penny Odland, Teresa Mikkelsen. Not Pictured: Brenda Alberts, Peggy Heirigs, Steve Sorensen.



# Class Officers Have Responsibilities

Responsibility, new ideas and patience are all needed by class officers. This year's officers proved themselves equal to the difficult tasks of leading a class. Along with organizing their classes' Homecoming float entries, the officers made important decisions. For the Seniors the decision included Homecoming, Skip Day, and Graduation. The exceptionally beautiful prom was evidence of the excellent leadership in the Junior class. The Sophomore class officers prepared their class for the upcoming years at Hurley High. These students overcame many obstacles during the year and look forward to greater responsibility in student government. Although they are new to the high-school scene, the Freshmen officers showed themselves to be excellent leaders. They helped their class adjust to new experiences in high school.

1. Sophomore: Secretary, Rachael Benson; President, Sheila Weier; Vice-President, Tony Ciampa.
2. Junior: Vice-President, Beth Nielsen; President, Todd Buckstead; Secretary, Susan Spomer.
3. Senior: President, Linda Christensen; Secretary, Mary Ellen Falconer; Vice-President, Brenda Alberts.
4. Freshman: Vice-President, Nancy Christensen; President, Lisa Olesen.





## School Leadership Is Effective

Two committees in the Hurley school system worked hard all year to keep the school running smoothly. These were the Board of Education and the Student Council. Those who were elected to fill these positions had to be responsible and full of energy.

One of the School Board's major projects, appreciated by the entire community, was the refinishing of the gym.

The nine members of the student council kept Homecoming week exciting and well-organized. They raised money for the Christmas film by having a gas raffle and a dunking machine after the Homecoming Parade.

Student Council: Jerry Wirth, Steve Sorensen, Todd Buckstead, Lorin Larsen, Linda Christensen, Lisa Olesen, Sheila Weier, Penny Odland, Denise Smith.

School Board: Back Row: Gary Hansen, Lowell Andersen, Harold Heirigs. Front Row: Donald Benson, Gene Odland, Betty Eidem, Don Rayburn.

Student Council President: Denise Smith.





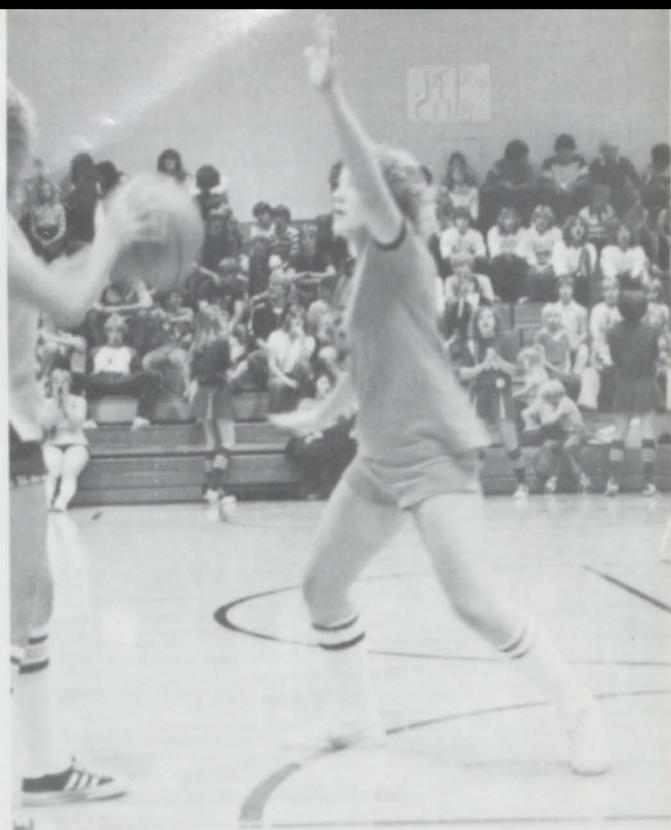
SPORTS

# Young But Determined Kids

This year's Junior Varsity team consisted mostly of young and inexperienced members. In spite of these disadvantages the girls struggled through a competitive season to achieve a final 6-8 record. The high scoring of Teresa Mikkelsen and Lisa Olesen, coupled with a strong defense, contributed to a successful season.

The hours of practice, long bus rides, and team effort provided the opportunity for the girls to develop friendships while having fun and gaining experience.

Back row: Penny Odland, Shari Spomer, Nancy Christensen, Kristy Johnson, Sheila Weier, Coach Karen Bossman. Third row: Christi Bright, Cindy Jorgensen, Dawn Smidt, Teresa Mikkelsen. Second row: Student Manager Brenda Alberts, Jackie Smith, Jacki Jorgensen, Lisa Olesen, Student Manager Rose Roth. Front row: Robin Homan and Judith Benson.



1-Closely watching her opponent, Jacki Jorgensen tries to stop a pass.  
2-Cindy Jorgensen cuts into the lane hoping to get the ball.

	We	They
Beresford	19	25
Elk Point	28	30
Centerville	26	17
Gayville-Volina	16	36
Alcester	16	27
Harrisberg	15	32
Wakonda	25	23
Freeman Academy	25	10
Parker	20	28
Irene	11	13
Marion	21	19
Viborg	22	27
Sioux Falls Christian	20	16
Canistota	33	15



Girls' Basketball Varsity Squad: Back row: Coach Dean Christensen, Jackie Smith, Cindy Jorgensen, Peggy Heirigs, Nancy Christensen, Shari Spomer, Kristy Johnson, Sheila Weier, Teresa Mikkelsen, Lisa Olesen. Second row: Student Manager Bren-

da Alberts, Denise Smith, Beth Nielsen, Penny Odland, Linda Christensen, Sandy Lehmann, Student Manager Rosemarie Roth.



1-Linda Christensen shoots a freethrow while Peggy Heirigs awaits the rebound.

2-Co-Captains Denise Smith and Linda Christensen receive the team trophy for the District Champs.

## District Champs

The highlight of the 1980 girls' basketball season was the victory over Viborg in the District Championship. Long hours of practice, dedication, and self-discipline paid off. Starting the season with a victory over Beresford supplied the girls with a winning attitude which carried through most of the season. Many of the games were close contests and kept the crowds in suspense.

Linda Christensen received All-Conference, Honorable Mention, and Most Valuable Player recognition. Denise Smith earned the Hustler Award. Beth Nielsen was selected for the All-Conference team. Penny Odland was the Most Improved Player.

	We	They
Beresford	49	36
Elk Point	33	39
Centerville	38	35
Gayville-Volin	38	55
Alcester	40	54
HJarrisburg	37	47
Wakonda	31	40
Freeman Academy	32	31
Parker	37	59
Irene	37	23
Marion	36	32
Tri-Valley Tournaments		
Gayville-Volin	32	41
Viborg	25	39
Sioux Falls Christian	40	20
Viborg	43	50
Sioux Falls Christian	34	31
Canistota	51	29
Districts		
Beresford	30	20
Viborg	50	47
Regionals		
Parkston	34	47
Freeman	17	70



# Boys Have Tough Season

The boys' basketball 1980-81 season ended with a 2-16 overall record. The boys fought through many close battles during the year. Coach Dean Christensen and his assistant, Tom Schreiber, managed to keep the boys "keyed up" for the contests. The boys

did a commendable job of maintaining a spirit of enthusiasm and competition. When District play rolled around the Bulldogs drew a bye for the first round of action and then were defeated by Beresford in the semi-finals.



Parker	39	71
Marion	44	72
Centerville	44	57
Gayville-Volin	39	72
Wakonda	45	63
Alcester	39	79
Tri-Valley Tournaments		
Hudson	54	41
Viborg	41	67
Gayville-Volin	24	44
Wakonda	63	80
Harrisburg	53	58
Hudson	55	41
Canistota	37	49
Irene	56	69
Freeman Academy	29	35
Viborg	30	61
Menno	39	67
Sioux Falls Christian	51	57
District		
Beresford	48	89

**We** Varsity Basketball: Back row: Gary Heidelberg, Tim Flint, Jim Heidelberg, Bret Ferguson, Jeff Knock, Todd Buckstead, Lorin Larsen, Tony Ciampa, Jeff Ness, Kevin Smidt, and

**They** Jerry Wirth. Front row: Statistician Lisa Olesen, Manager Jacki Jorgensen, Coach Dean Christensen, Assistant Coach Tom Schreiber, and Manager Beth Nielsen.

Todd waits anxiously to get the rebound from his opponents.



# Team Shows Spirit

Though the season was not totally a great success, the boys learned a lot of the basketball fundamentals that will help in the years to come. The eighth graders added a great deal of team spirit and learned responsibilities throughout the season. The boys improved on their self-confidence while they earned the support of their fans. Everyone tried their best to pull off a successful year. The team was ambitious and always strived for victory.



1. Jerry "skies" for the jump ball.
2. Attempting to block the opponent's shot is Jeff Knock.
3. Jerry Wirth and Jeff Ness race down the court.
4. Back row: Statistician Lisa Olesen, Coach Dean Christensen, Bryan Knock, Philip Worth, Kelly Jorgensen, Dale Schempp,

Brian Andersen, Assistant Coach Tom Schreiber, Jody Schroedermeir, Manager Jacki Jorgensen. Front row: Jeff Ness, Tim Ferguson, Bret Ferguson, Jeff Knock, Kevin Smidt, Gary Heidelberger, and Jerry Wirth.

# Track Teams Do Their Thing

The girls' track team showed much improvement this year. The 400 meter relay team cut their time, finishing one place away from qualifying for the state meet. Sometimes the girls placed in the top five overall team standings. A highlight of the season was when the freshmen girls took first place at the Centerville Invitational Meet.

The boys also did a good job of representing Hurley. Because more boys came out for track they were able to run a few relays.

Lorin Larsen was the only person from Hurley to qualify for the state meet when he placed first in the long jump and triple jump, and second in the 300 meter hurdles. Single-handedly, Lorin earned the third place rating in the state.



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1-Expressing a variety of emotions at a track meet are Linda (the serious one), Nan (the silly one), and Denise (the thirsty one)!!  
2-Cindy gives her all in her effort with the shot put.

3-Girls' Track Team: Back row: Coach Dean Christensen, Teresa Mikkelsen, Christi Bright, Jeannie Sanborn, Shari Spomer, Nancy Christensen, Linda Christensen, Cindy Jorgensen, Penny Odland, Lisa Olesen, Marlene Petersen, Manager Beth Nielsen, Manager Sandy Lehmann. Front row: Assistant Coach Karen Bossman, Robin Homan, Jackie Jorgensen, Judith Benson, Lora

Duxbury, Jackie Smith, Denise Smith, Brenda Alberts.

4-Boys Track Team: Back row: Assistant Coach Steve Janssen, Bret Ferguson, Coach Tom Schreiber. Row 2: Tim Flint, Tim Ferguson, Jerry Wirth, Jeff Ness. Front row: Lorin Larsen, Tony Ciampa.

5-Kicking off the 800 meter relay team is Tim Ferguson.

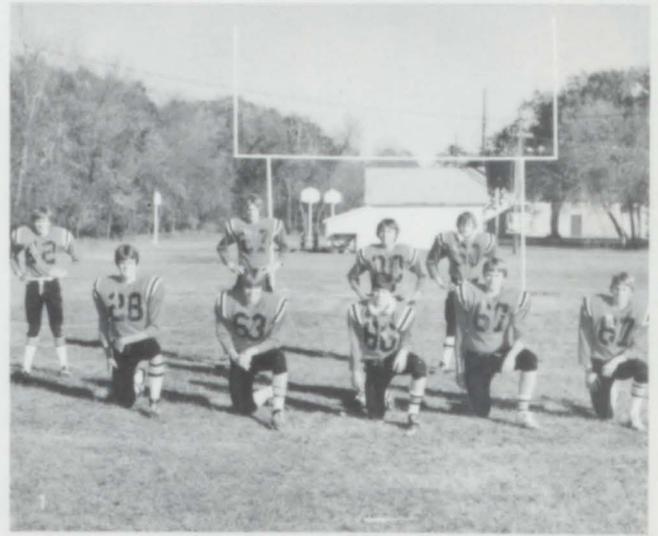
6-Tim Flint tries a new approach at improving his form during a practice session.

7-Lorin Larsen participated in the Howard Wood Relays.



# Seniors Led Bulldogs

The Bulldogs were led this year by seniors Lorin Larsen, Jim Heidelberger, and Kurt Schiferl. Though their successes were minimal, their spirit and determination carried them through the year. Senior co-captains Lorin Larsen and Jim Heidelberger led the team in rushing with 747 yards, 10 touchdowns, and 241 yards, 2 touchdowns respectively. The defense was led by Lorin Larsen and junior Tim Flint. Larsen was selected for the All-Conference football team, with Tim Flint and Jim Heidelberger receiving Honorable Mention for their efforts. The team played with pride and had many commendable team and individual efforts.



1-Offense: Back row: Steve Sorensen, Lorin Larson, Kevin Smidt, Tim Flint. Front row: Todd Buckstead, Bret Ferguson, Frank Heirigs, Kurt Schiferl, and Jeff Ness.

2-Back row: Coach Steve Janssen, Coach Tom Schreiber, Manager Mike DeNeui, Manager Travis Hansen, Jason Schroedermeier, Philip Wirth, Brian Anderson, Bryan Knock, Jody Schroedermeier, Kelly Jorgensen, Tony Ciampa. Middle row: Dale Schempp, Jeff Ness, Jerry Wirth, Gary Heidelberger, Jeff

Knock, John Jacobson, Curtis Mikkelsen, Frank Heirigs. Front row: Steve Sorensen, Kevin Smidt, Bret Ferguson, Tim Flint, Todd Buckstead, Kurt Schiferl, Lorin Larsen, Tim Ferguson, and Jim Heidelberger.

3-Defense: Standing: Frank Heirigs, Tim Ferguson, Kevin Smidt, Tim Flint, Steve Sorensen, Lorin Larsen, Todd Buckstead, Kneeling: Bret Ferguson and Kurt Schiferl.

	We	They
Marion	6	44
Centerville	8	60
Gayville Volin	8	34
Alcester	19	55
Wakonda	19	43
Hudson	21	20
Irene	18	44
Viborg	8	66





# Leaders In Spirit!

During the summer, seven Hurley cheerleaders attended a cheerleading camp. Although the girls had a week of hard work learning new routines, stunts, and tumbling, they brought home very impressive awards to show for it.

The cheerleaders for the boys' varsity basketball team earned the Award of Excellence. This award is given to the most outstanding squad at camp.

For a second year, Jean Sanborn

was chosen out of fifty-five girls to receive the All-American Cheerleader Award. This award is given for cheerleading ability and for spirited personality.

Together the Hurley cheerleaders brought home the spirit stick for their continued pep and enthusiasm throughout the week at Madison.

The cheerleaders did a great job leading the fans in supporting the Bulldogs.



1-Denise Smith watches in anticipation.  
2-Cheering the Bulldogs to victory during districts is Jayne Parsons.  
3-Boy's Varsity: Back row: Denise Smith, Jackie Smith, Susan Spomer, and Sandy

Lehmann. B-Team: Shari Spomer, Rachael Benson, and Nancy Christensen.  
4-Girls BB Varsity: Jayne Parsons, Jean Sanborn, and Mary Ellen Falconer.  
5-Mary Ellen cheering the fans on.



# Athletes Receive Honors

Athletics played an important part for many students at Hurley High School. Throughout the year, those who excelled in sports received many honors for their outstanding abilities. These athletes worked many long strenuous hours and certainly deserved the recognition they earned.



1-Female Athlete of the Year: Linda Christensen.

2-Male Athlete of the Year: Lorin Larsen.  
3-Girls' Basketball All-Conference and Honorable Mention: Beth Nielsen and Linda Christensen.

4-Football and Boys' Basketball All-Conference: Lorin Larsen. Football and Boys' Basketball All-Conference Honorable Mention: Jim Heidelberg and Tim Flint.



# Struggling Season For Jr. High

Jr. High Girls' Basketball was coached this year by Miss Peggy Tschetter. The season record was 1-5 for the seventh grade and 2-4 for the eighth grade team. The girls gained much needed experience in spite of their record. They learned the basics of shooting and ball handling, and the fundamental rules of the game.

The Jr. High Football team finished the season with a very good 2-1 record. A lack of area competition prevented the boys from more contests. The Bulldog Pups were coached by Mr. Steve Janssen. These young athletes proved that they were a tough, competitive team and show promising potential.



1-7th and 8th grade basketball: Back row: Queena Lamb, Linda Peterson, Suzanne Petersen, Tammy Adrian, Coach Peggy Tschetter, Julie Deckert, Shawn Brandsrud. Front row: Robin Homan, Dawn Smidt, Christi Bright, Amy Mellegard, and Stephanie Lange.

2-7th and 8th grade football: Back row: Jamie Boomgarden, Curtis Mikkelsen, Philip Wirth, Mike Smith, Brian Andersen, Bryan Knock, Gary Heidelberg, Jerry Wirth. Front row: Jason Schroedermeier, Kelly Jorgensen, Jody Schroedermeier, Dale Schempp, Frank Heirigs, John Jacobson, Jeff Ness, and Jeff Knock.



# Grade Sports

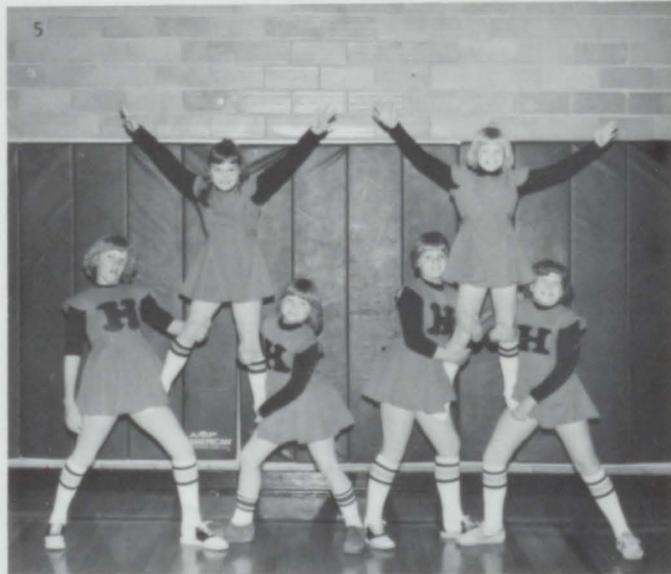
1. 7th grade cheerleaders: Top: Shawn Brandsrud, Suzanne Petersen, Front: Queena Lamb, Joan Parsons, Linda Peterson.

2. Jr. High Basketball: Back Row: Curt Mikkelsen, Philip Wirth, Jamie Boomgarden, Bryan Knock, Kelly Jorgensen, Brian Anderson, Coach Christensen. Front Row: Jody Schroedermeier, Dale Schempp, Mike Smith, Jason Schroedermeier, Tim Leber, Randy Riddle.

3. 5th and 6th grade basketball: Back Row: Donnie Jager, Chad Boomgarden, Howard Georgeson, Tim Spomer. Front Row: Coach Janssen, Ben Leber, Mike DeNeui, Travis Hansen.

4. 6th grade cheerleaders: Top: Paula Georgeson. Second Row: Dorothy Brandsrud, Joddie ppenga. Front Row: Jodi Homan, Jackie Georgeson.

5. 5th grade cheerleaders: Top: Wendy Andersen, Jill Oltmanns. Front: Jody Kaarup, Kelly Guthmiller, Sheila Woodward, Danielle Smith.



# Sportsmanship Develops



The Boys' and Girls' Junior High track teams showed definite promise for upcoming years. Many times these seventh and eighth graders were called on to participate in high school meets. They learned much about what future years in track will hold for them. This was quite an experience as it was the first time many of them had endured tiring practices and weary muscles.

1-Suzanne Peterson nears the finish line.

2-Boys' Jr. High Track Team: Back row: Coach Tom Schreiber, Jamie Jo Poppenga, Raye Sherard, Mike Smith, Philip Wirth, Curtis Mikkelsen, Coach Steve Janssen. Front row: Randy Riddle, Jason Schroedermeier, Brian Anderson, Jamie Boomgarden, Kelly Jorgensen, Jody Schroedermeier, Dale Schempp.

3-Girls' Jr. High Track Team: Back row: Coach Dean Christensen, Christi Bright, Debbie Smidt, Tammy Adrian, Stephanie Lange, Dawn Smidt, Robin Homan, Assistant Coach Karen Bossman. Front row: Manager Beth Nielsen, Shawn Brandsrud, Queenna Lamb, Suzanne Peterson, Joan Parsons, Manager Sandy Lehmann.

4-Miss Bossman coaches Christi Bright on her shot put techniques.



# Rally Day

Rally Day 1981 was a day filled with sunshine and excitement. Kids in grades K-6 spent the day participating in many running and field events. Although they're still young, their competitive spirit and good sportsmanship were evident. The upset of the day was the girls' victory over the boys in the tug-of-war contest.

1-Some 5th and 6th grade girls take a break from the tough competition at Rally Day.

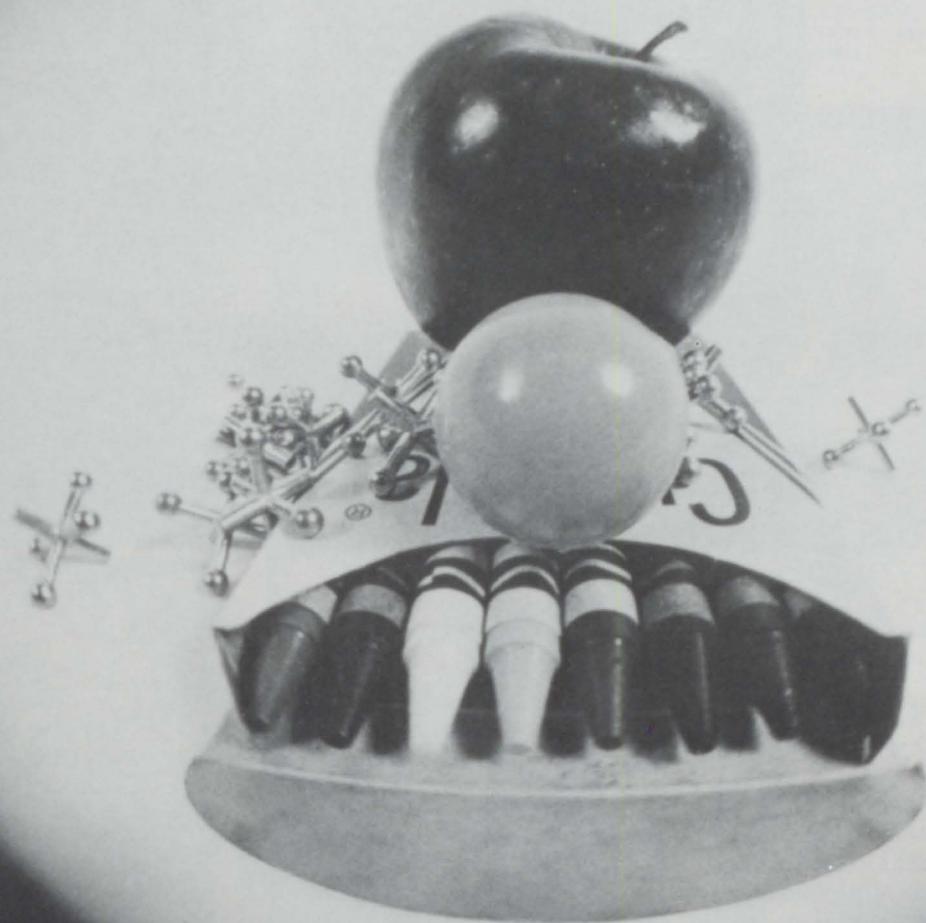
2-Giving it all she's got is Jody Homan.

3-The sack race was one of the roughest all day.

4-One contestant's sack seems to be getting the best of him.

5-Travis Hansen and Tim Spomer strive for the finish line.





# CLASSES

## Twelve Year Students



## Girls And Boys Staters

Who have been together through loose teeth and playground fights, high school prom and government class? The Hurley High School 12-year students! These students have attended school in Hurley all 12 years. Brenda Alberts deserves special recognition for having missed only one day of school since second grade.

Participation in government was the main emphasis of the week for the Girls and Boys Staters. They learned that being a government official is often frustrating and difficult. In addition to this, much time was devoted to making friends and having fun. Much valuable experience was gained from their weeks at Mitchell and Aberdeen.



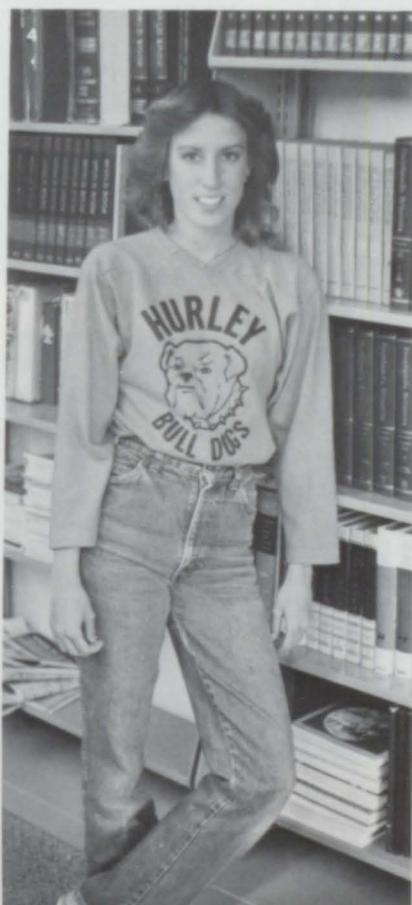
Top: Twelve year students; Peggy Heirigs, Brenda Alberts, Jeannie Sanborn, Linda Christensen. Bottom: Boys and Grils Staters; Jeannie

Sanborn, Jim Heidelberg, Linda Christensen, Lorin Larsen, Sandy Lehmann, Kurt Schiferl.

# Senior Honors

Seniors have the opportunity of earning many honors for their abilities and activities. Among the requirements for these awards are grade averages, leadership qualities, and community involvement. These people were selected for their performance based on all four years of high school.

1-Good Citizen Award: Denise Smith.  
 2-Senior Honor Students: Mary Ellen Falconer, Sandy Lehmann, Jeannie Sanborn, Linda Christensen, Denise Smith. Not Pictured: Brenda Alberts, Peggy Heirigs.  
 3-Good Citizen Award: Jim Heidelberger.  
 4-Valedictorian, DAR, and John Philip Sousa Awards: Jeannie Sanborn.  
 5-Co-Salutatorian and Arion Award: Sandy Lehmann. Co-Salutatorian, Jazz Band Award, and FHA Award: Linda Christensen.

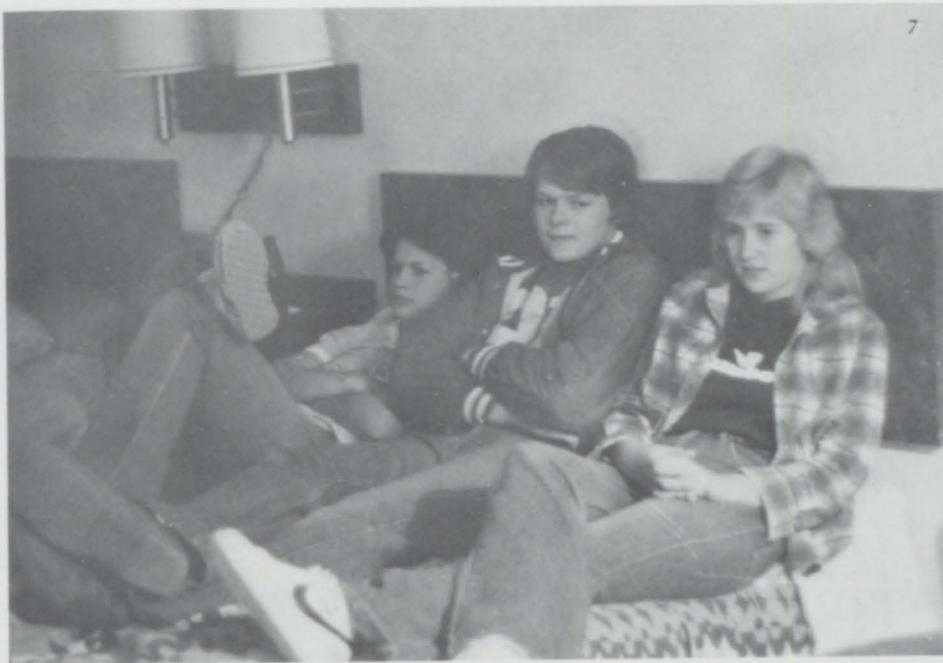


# Seniors Take An Adventurous Trip

Early Friday morning on May 8, ten Hurley High seniors left on Senior Skip Trip. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Roth and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith served as chaperones and enjoyed their four day weekend with the seniors at the Holiday Inn near Spearfish.

Touring the Badlands on the way out was a new experience for several of the seniors. A trip to the Cosmos provided a glimpse into the mysteries of the unknown. Other sights visited were Mount Rushmore, Rushmore Cave, Spearfish Canyon, and Terry Peak. Some of the seniors visited Reptile Gardens while others went shopping in the Mall in Rapid City. Riding horses at Nemo and swimming in the heated pool also proved enjoyable and memorable.





1-Mrs. Ivan Roth and Mrs. Dennis Smith listen to the Seniors talk of the upcoming trail riding.  
 2-Mt. Rushmore provides a scenic background for the sightseers.  
 3-Linda, Mary Ellen, Sandy, and Jeannie wait anxiously for the camera to take their picture—closely avoiding a fall into the cold water.  
 4-Jim attempted to “break” a so-called horse at Nemo.  
 5-Rose concentrates on staying on the horse as Sandy, Jim, and Kurt watch.  
 6-Brenda prepares for the day’s activities while still recuperating from Friday’s long drive to Spearfish.  
 7-Waiting for everyone else to get ready for a day of sight-seeing, Denise, Kurt, and Linda relax and watch their favorite cartoon.  
 8-Sandy grabs a bit of shut-eye during a lull in the journey.  
 9-Denise found a new friend at Wall Drug.



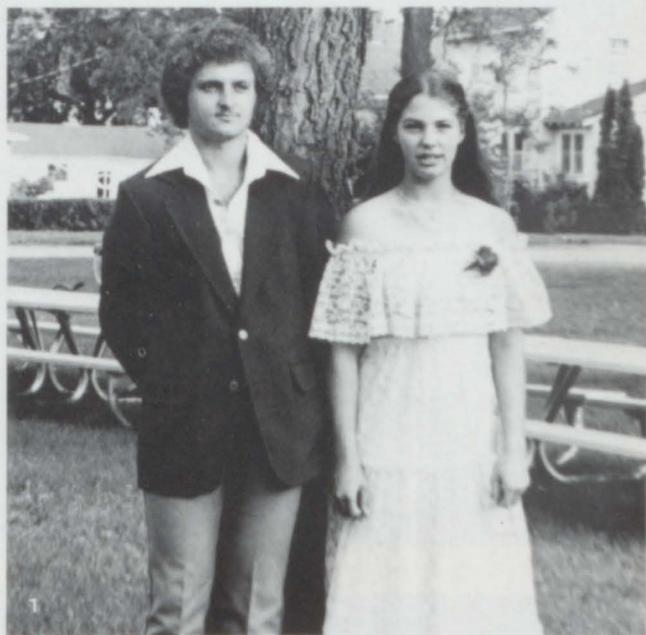
# Graduation 1981

The eleven seniors chose the colors of blue and light blue for their class. "Forward We Move, For Today Has Just Begun" served as the class motto. The flower carriers presented the class flower, the red rose, to each of the seniors.

Because of the long-awaited rain, Baccalaureate and Commencement were held in the school auditorium. Father Schiltz, from the Idylwilde Catholic Church, gave the Baccalaureate sermon.

Sandy Lehmann and Linda Christensen gave their Co-Salutatorian addresses and were followed by Jeanie Sanborn, the Valedictorian. Dr. William Nelson, the President of Augustana College, gave the commencement address.

Even though the class was small, they were filled with talent, ambitions, and abilities that they used to make their mark on Hurley High.



1. Jeff Bondesen and Teresa Mikkelsen were chosen as flower-carriers. 2. Mr. Gene Odland presents Denise with her diploma. 3. Jim's smile reflects his thoughts. 4. Hurley graduates of 1981. 5. Junior Escorts: Todd Buckstead, Vicki Elcock, Penny Odland, and Tim Flint. 6. Peggy and Mary Ellen stand in the reception line.





Class of '81

Sandy Lehmann

Brenda Alberts

Rosemarie ROED

Peggy Heirigs

Mary Ellen Saloner

Denise Smith

Jamie Lambert

Linda Christensen

Kurt Schjold

Jim Heidlberger

Arund Larsen

## Small In Size Large In Quality

The eleven seniors gave living proof of the old adage: "It's not the quantity, but the quality that counts." The number of honors, medals, and awards received by this group was astonishing considering their small numbers. Although they were a small class, they were always a close group and often helped each other in their many accomplishments. We hope these individuals maintain their level of success as they leave Hurley to pursue their individual futures.

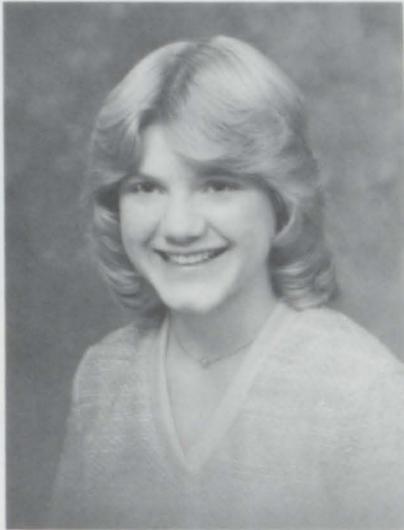


1. Peggy and Linda are diligently practicing for an upcoming concert.
2. Rose is amused with the copy she is typing for the annual.
3. Brenda pauses to rest against the wall in the midst of a hectic day.
4. Discussing matters of extreme importance, Mary Ellen and Peggy catch up on all the weekend activities.
5. Skip Day provides relaxation for Jim while Mrs. Delores Roth continues her supervision duties.



# Seniors

1981



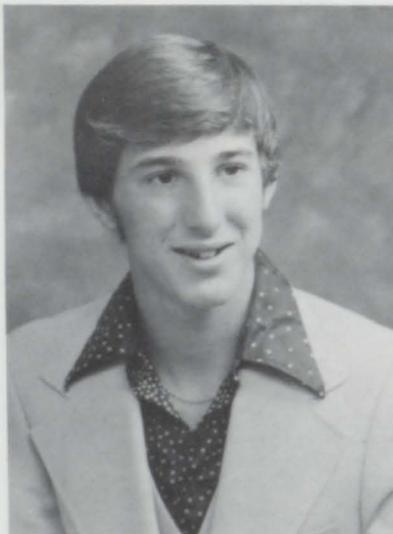
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Jim Heidelberg



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# Seniors

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Lorin Larsen



Rosemarie Roth



Sandy Lehmann



Kurt Schiferl



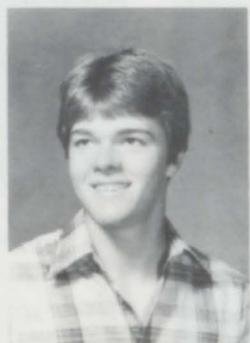
Jeannie Sanborn



Denise Smith

# Juniors Have Active Year

Fifteen students made up the junior class this year. Magazine sales kept them very busy in the fall. Everyone took an active part in the Junior class play "Suitable for Hanging" and worked hard to make it a big success. Much hard work was also put into planning and decorating for the Jr.-Sr. Prom. Many juniors also took part in extra curricular activities. They are all looking forward to an exciting senior year.



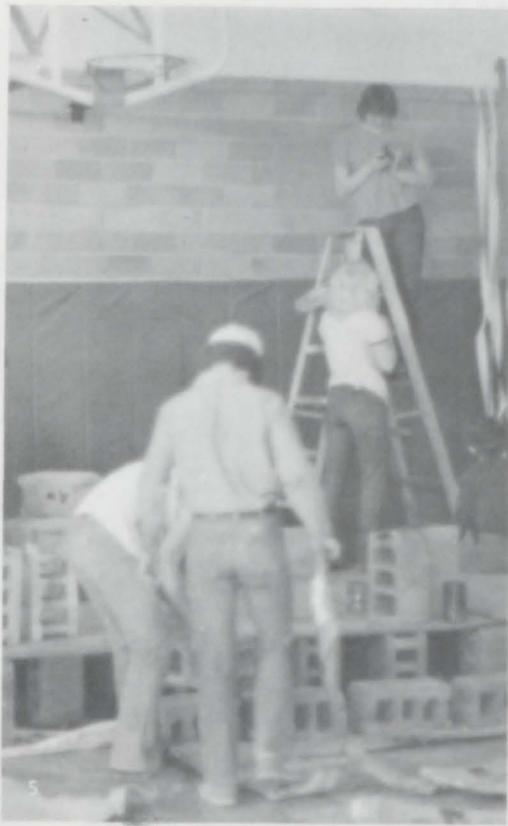
Tom Benney  
Jeff Bondesen

Todd Buckstead  
Vicki Elcock



Bret Ferguson  
Tim Flint  
Teresa Mikkelsen

- 1-Typical of all juniors, Marlene studies American History.
- 2-Class president, Todd Buckstead, pauses to view the chaos surrounding him as the prom date nears.
- 3-Bret hams it up for the camera.
- 4-Jackie seems to be having a bit of a problem digesting the information she is hearing.
- 5-Striper, Schelley, Tim, and Jeff contributed to the construction of the prom decorations.
- 6-Cherlyn, Susan, and Schelley took on the challenging job of building the "starcase."
- 7-Marlene heads the girls' team in a tough tug-of-war contest.



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Beth Nielsen  
Penny Odland

Marlene Peterson  
Schelley Severson  
Jackie Smith

Susan Spomer  
Cherlyn Wirth  
James Wright

# Sophomores Learn

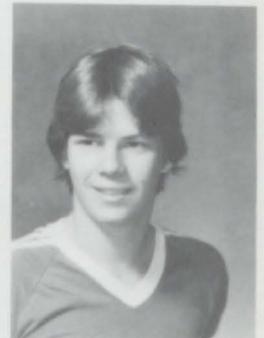
The 1980-81 Sophomore class had both a busy and challenging year. The number increased to sixteen when Tim Ferguson joined Hurley High, but decreased to fifteen when Joleen Jensen moved away.

Their abilities were tested by numerous classes and projects throughout the year. A large percent were active in football, basketball, track, and cheer-leading. Others were involved in FHA, Pep Club, and Annual Staff. Many also participated in one-act plays.

Although the class only placed third on their Homecoming float, their spirits weren't down for long. Some enjoyed being candle carriers for Sweet-heart Ball and others had the honor of being chosen as waiters and waitresses for the Prom.

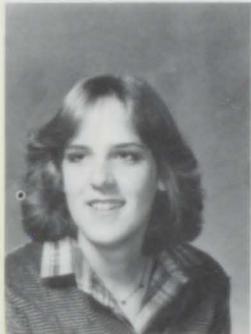
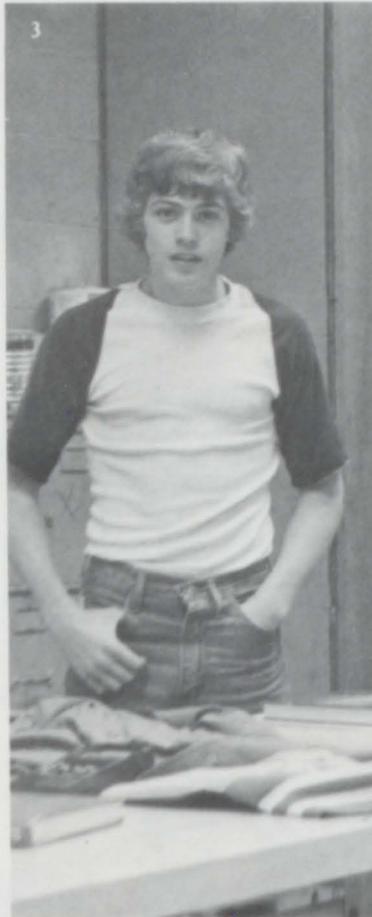
An unforgettable experience shared by all Sophomores was Typing I class. All the Sophomores learned a great deal and are ready to take on their Junior years.

- 1-Sheila Weier takes great care in her work as a librarian aide.
- 2-Tony Ciampa seems content to let the world go by.
- 3-Mike Mews waits for Mr. Christensens's instructions before beginning his assignment.
- 4-Jayne Parsons waits patiently (?) in front of Al's Studio as pictures are being developed.
- 5-Cindy Jorgensen, Kevin Smidt, and James Wright show their sense of school spirit by participating in 'Hat Day'.



Rachael Benson  
 Scott Dangel  
 Joleen Jensen  
 Marsha Johnson

Not Pictured;  
 Tony Ciampa  
 Tim Ferguson  
 Kristy Johnson  
 Cindy Jorgensen



Jacki Jorgensen  
Luke Mikkelsen  
Jayne Parsons  
Steve Sorensen

Mike Mews  
Debbie Nelson  
Kevin Smidt  
Sheila Weier

# A Class With "Class"

Making decisions is a big part of being freshmen, and these kids really enjoyed that challenge. They got to choose certain classes as well as a variety of extra-curricular activities. These extras took up much of their time, but they always found time to be a little "wild and crazy."



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- 1-Jerry and Charles are momentarily distracted from their work.
- 2-Johnny did his best to enjoy his going away party.
- 3-Gary wears his coat in hopes of keeping his brain warm.
- 4- Goose puzzles over Mr. Christian-sen's general math lecture.
- 5-Judith looks busy—are looks deceiv-ing?
- 6-Frank seems to have lost interest. Does anyone know where he put it? (see pg. 79)
- 7-Freshmen enthusiasm for English seems less than contagious.



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Judith Benson  
Charles Hagenbuch

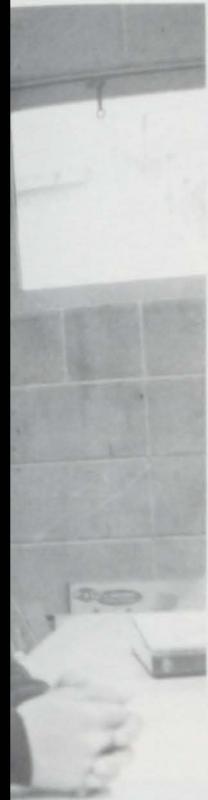


Nancy Christensen  
Gary Heidelberg  
Jeff Knock



Lora Duxbury  
Frank Heirigs  
Jeff Ness  
Shari Spomer

Gloria Falconer  
John Jacobson  
Lisa Olesen  
Jerry Wirth



# Students Learn Much

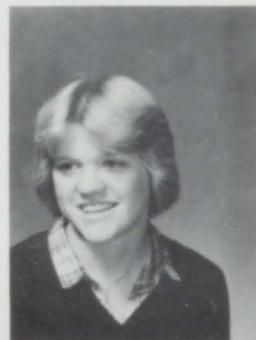
With seventeen members the eighth grade class was the largest and one of the most active groups this year. The class work seemed never ending at times, especially the English assignments. Mr. C. tried some new approaches to make his classes more fun. Most of the students had the opportunity to do some copying in Science class but a certain group of four boys became especially talented in

this area. Miss Bossman made Math classes educational and enjoyable at the same time. In Shop and Home Ec. classes students gained valuable knowledge.

Due to the few numbers of high school students, many of these eighth graders gained valuable experiences in B-team and Varsity competition in various athletic activities this year.



Brian Andersen  
Christi Bright  
Mary Flyger  
Robin Homan



Sheldon Hovaldt  
Kelly Jorgensen  
Bryan Knock  
Amy Mellegard



Curtis Mikkelsen  
Jason Schroedermeier  
Dawn Smidt

Cheryl Ness  
Jody Schroedermeier  
Debbie Smidt

Dale Schempp  
Ruth Severson  
Philip Wirth

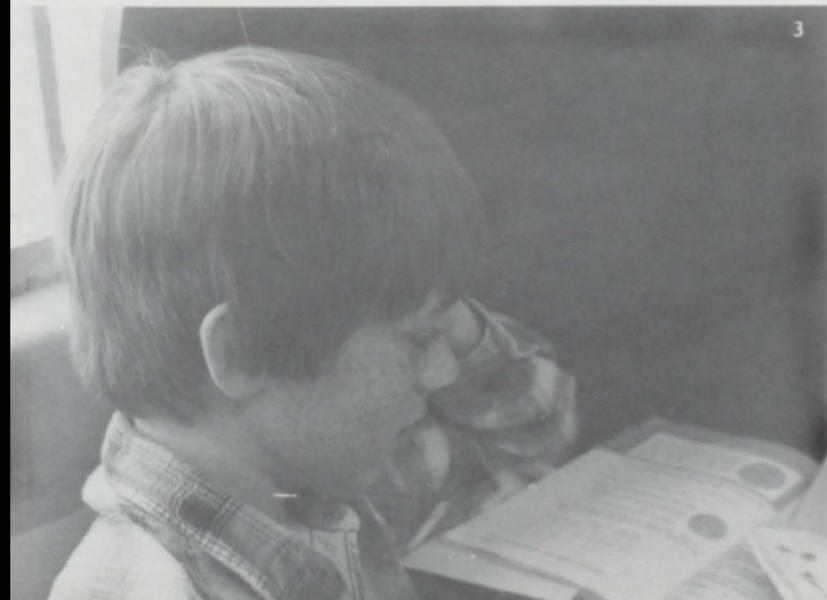
1-7th and 8th grade basketball pyramid: Row 1: Jamie Boomgarden, Bryan Knock, Philip Wirth, Kelly Jorgensen, Mike Smith. Row 2: Coach Christensen, Dale Schempp, Randy Riddle, Curt Mikkelsen, Jason Schroedermeier. Row 3: Tim Leber, Brian Andersen. Top: Jody Schroedermeier.

2-Two girls who have caused much confusion for their classmates and teachers are the identical twins, Debbie and Dawn Smidt. For those of you who still aren't sure who is who, Debbie is on the left and Dawn is on the right.

3-Believe it or not, Jason Schroedermeier found some time to spend with his school books when he wasn't making his presence known in the halls. Here he ponders a math problem.

4-The camera catches Robin Homan's attention as she heads for track practice.

5-Dale Schempp gets a quick refreshing drink of water before the bell rings.



# Entering Junior High

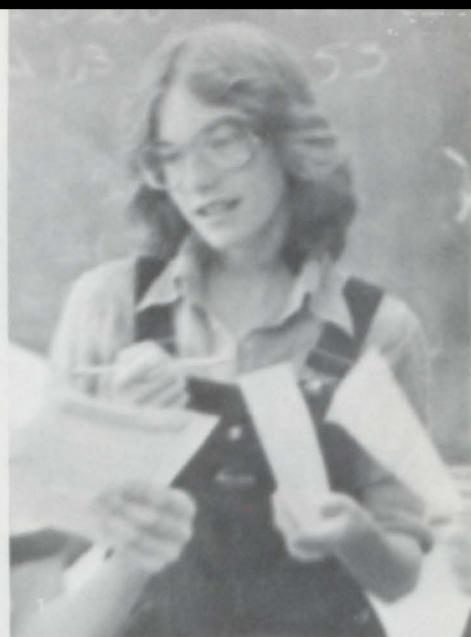
Changing from the elementary to junior high level posed new challenges and opportunities for the seventh graders. The number of students dropped to fifteen when Rodney Zeimen moved to Sioux Falls and Jule Deckert returned to California.

Switching teachers for each class period provided variety and some frustration for this group, but by the end of the first few weeks adjustments had been

made.

The kids were excited when their Homecoming float earned second place honors. With Mr. V's help, a dance for the seventh and eighth grades was sponsored by this group.

By participating in a wider range of extra-curricular activities, these young teenagers learned more about group participation, their classmates and themselves.



Tammy Adrian  
Jamie Boomgarden  
Shawn Brandsrud

Queena Lamb  
Stephanie Lange  
Tim Leber

Joan Parsons  
Suzanne Petersen  
Linda Peterson





1-Suzanne Petersen compares answers on an English worksheet with her classmates.

2-Linda Peterson has the unique ability to do two things at once. Here she unconsciously blows a bubble while raising her hand in class.

3-Jamie Jo Poppenga and Tim Leber are listening to an interesting story as they wait for the morning bell.

4-Joan Parsons is caught by the camera during the Homecoming parade.

5-In a rare moment of concentrated study the seventh graders work in study hall.

6-Randy Weier seems exasperated with this particular assignment.

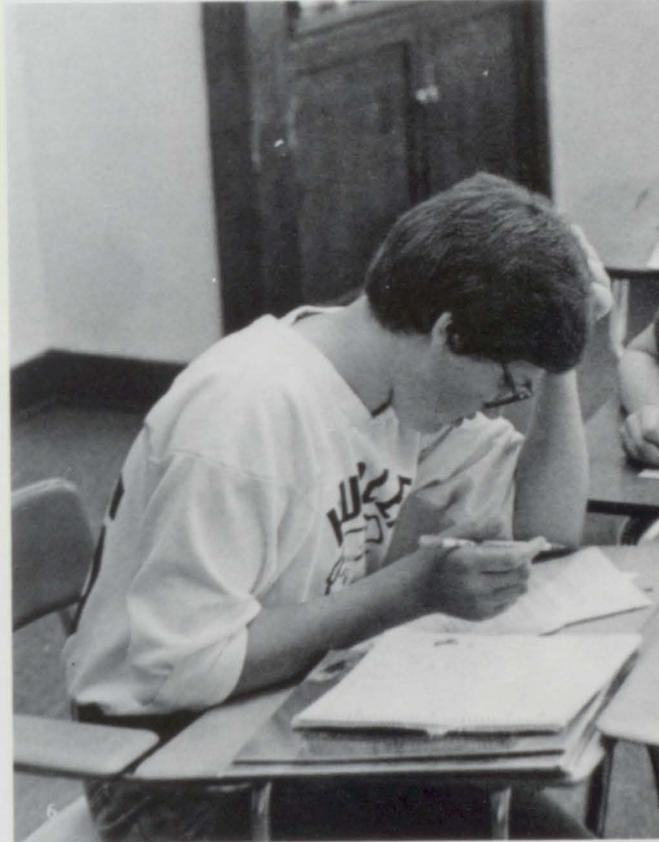


Loren Roth  
Raye Sherard



Mike Smith  
Randy Weier

Jamie Jo Poppenga  
Randy Riddle



# Fifth And Sixth Graders Active

The fifth and sixth graders had their first chance to experience some high school activities during the 1980-81 school year. The students participated in basketball, cheerleading, and B-Band. While working toward their individual goals, the students learned cooperation and sportsmanship.

During the year a cheerleading clinic was held for the purpose of teaching the young girls cheering techniques. These girls learned a variety of cheers, stunts and jumps to help them now and in future years.

All year the students kept themselves busy by preparing for Junior High in the classroom as well as in these extra-curricular activities.



Sixth Grade: Back Row: Dorothy Brandsrud, Helen Falconer, Joddie Poppenga, Velma Severson. Second Row: Mr. Janssen, Janie Jacobson, Timothy Spomer, Paula Georgeson, Jacki Georgeson, Travis Hansen. Front Row: Jodi Homan, Laurie Heirigs, Shawn Collins, and Michael DeNeui.

Fifth Grade: Back Row: Chad Boomgarden, Howard Georgeson, Jody Kaarup, Sheila Woodward, Donnie Jager, Second Row: Jill Oltmanns, Greg Johnson, Jamie Jacobson, Danielle Smith, Kelly Jo Guthmiller. Front Row: Miss Tiede, Ben Leber, Paul Rayburn, Wendy Andersen, Duane Falconer, and Anna Jensen.

1-During the cheerleading clinic, the girls were taught several stunts.





# Students Enjoy Learning

Favorite subjects chosen by the second graders were math and reading, third grade-art and science, and fourth graders liked math and social studies.

Together these classes had an exciting year learning, playing, and finding out about themselves and each other.



Fourth Grade: Back row: Todd Spomer, Chad Ness, Stacy Reiners, Tracey Mork, Tim Johnson. Second row: Shannon Andal, Kristie Georgenson, Richard Heidelberger, Sharon Trenerry. Front row: Miss Constance McGinnis, teacher, Kristi Lange, Renae Duxbury, Kathy Jorgensen, Tim Koehler, Keith Nelson.

Third Grade: Back row: Chris Schrodermeier, Stacy Boomgarden, Jeff Severson, Matt Collins, Jeremy Jacobson. Second row: Kent Mehlhaf, Kristin Aeschlimann, Herman Hovaldt, Stephanie Petersen, Hudley Coleman. Front row: Mrs. Beverly Spomer, teacher, Jennifer Adrian, Aaron Gerdes, James Ness, Teresa Abbas, Mark Bunger.



Second Grade: Back row: Kristin Woodward, Cindy Andersen, Susan Peterson, Molly Gerdes, Jamie Brandsrud, Chris Hovaldt. Front row: Mrs. Selma Petersen, teacher, Todd Koehler, Jimmy Jager, Mitch DeNeui, Carmen Rayburn, Dan Leber.

# Those First Years

The kindergarten and first grade students had a year full of new experiences and growth. Each of the classes enjoyed P.E. and they also participated in the musical "Sesame Street Meets the Muppets".

These classes found that learning the basics, especially reading, can be very enjoyable and exciting. Everything that comes later in life is based on these basic reading, writing, and mathematical skills. The kids not only learned fundamentals, but they also learned courtesy, cooperation, and safety.

The first school experiences can be difficult, but the youngsters handled it well.



1. Eric Aeschlimann (carrying chair), Jerome Georgeson, Eric Knock and Angela Collins are getting situated for music class.

2. First Grade: Back row: Joel Oltmanns, Eric Knock, Sara Mellegard, Samuel Collins, Delena Johnson, Kristy Jorgensen, Beth Trenerry. Front row: Mrs. Jean Lounsbery, teacher, Amy Morck, Jerome Georgeson, Becky Johnson, Eric Aeschlimann, Christina Deckert, Angela Collins. Not pictured: Amy Christensen.

3. Shelly Mills poses prettily for the camera.

4. Kindergarten: Back row: Amy Abbas, Trina Hansen, Leasa Woodard, Laura Woodard, Jacklyn Brandsrud, Heidi Mehlhaf. Front row: Mrs. Diane DeGroot, teacher, Joseph Mikkelsen, Shelly Mills, Dalice Johnson, Rebecca Leber, Sara Bunger.



## Junior High Is Challenging

Junior high years are known to be full of changes. The 32 seventh and eighth graders found new challenges and rewards during the nine months of school. Not only did class work provide opportunity for growth but also the extra-curricular participation stimulated their minds and bodies. Experimenting with new activities helped build self confidence which will prove to be invaluable during high school years.

1-Judith Benson and Shawn Brandsrud watch carefully as their hands are being dealt for a friendly game of cards during a band study hall.

2-Switching their rapt attention from Mr. Tom Christiansen to the camera, the eighth grade boys take a break.

3-The seventh graders have a good time clowning around during a long-awaited class party.



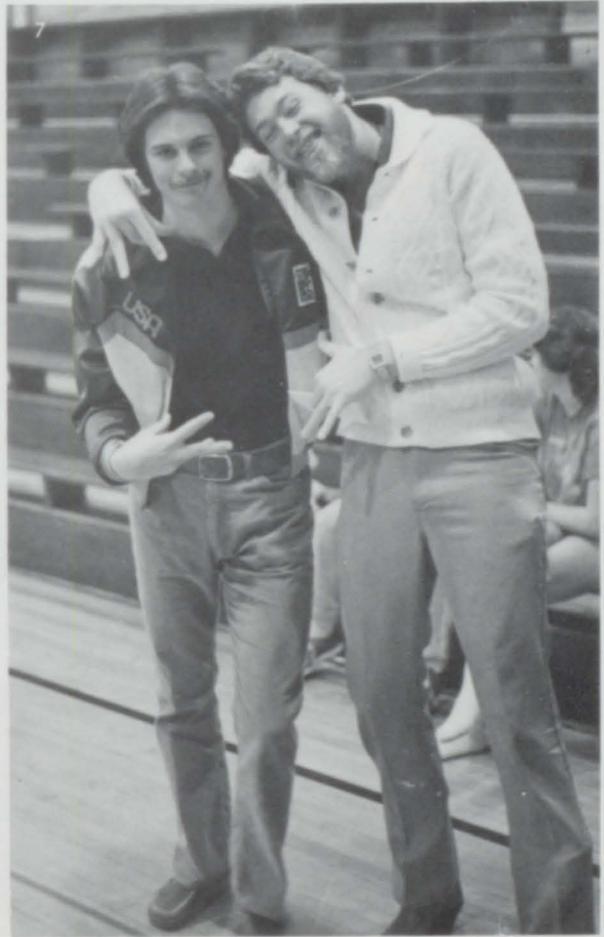
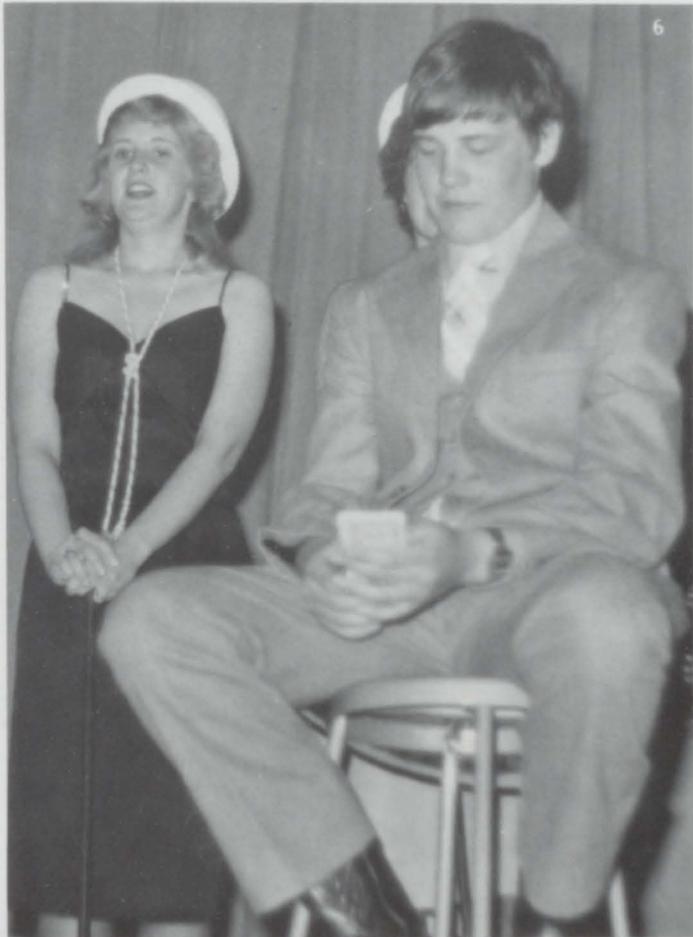
# Reflections Of Days Gone By

Every student experienced one type of growth or another.  
 All of us learned new items of interest that were educational.  
 We took on new challenges and learned how to handle them.  
 Just about everyone tried to do their best in everything they attempted.  
 Those who didn't give their all learned that "you get out of life what you put into it."  
 The ability to work with others required patience and determination.  
 There were a lot of responsibilities to go along with school activities;  
 These will help us develop into reliable adults.  
 Hopefully as we reflect back, we will realize that our foundation was given to us here at  
**HURLEY HIGH!**

—Debbie Nelson

- 1-The science classes' favorite visitor, Fred, gives the day's lecture.
- 2-Scott Dangel, caught by the camera, shows off his Mexican sombrero.
- 3-Trying to look busy, the library aides ham it up.
- 4-Jacki Jorgensen releases some inner frustration.
- 5-Frank's search continues!!! See p. 69.
- 6-Jeff Knock, "The Big Spender", appears embarrassed by Linda Christensen's charms.
- 7-Perhaps we students had more effect on our teachers than we realized!





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The Hurkota staff and I have put much time, thought, and energy into the preparation of this annual. Our goal was to capture a true memory of 1981 and present it to you on these few pages. We hope that you feel our attempts have been successful and that you enjoy "Reflections."

Sincerely,

Mary Ellen Falconer  
Editor

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