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Feuding Anyone?

It's spring again and that means more than one thing - the time has come for a spring play. "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" is a comedy-love story. It brings us back to the days of feuding and ignorant mountain folk.

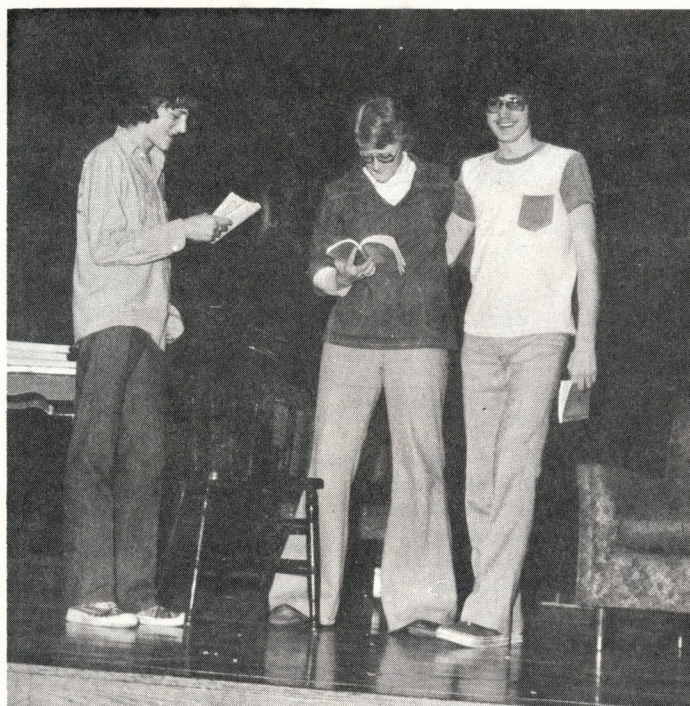
The Tollivers and the Falins hate each other, but there hasn't been a skirmish for a couple years. June Tolliver and her distant cousin Dave are expected to get hitched some day, but Jack Hale, a policeman, enters into the life of June, creating jealousy in Dave.

June's cousin, Loretty, secretly loves Buck Falin and the feud starts again, when, supposedly, Bub Tolliver shoots Buck's father.

Paul Madsen and Brenda Morgan play the male and female leads of Jack and June. Darryl Petersen plays the jealous Dave Tolliver and Mike Seager plays Bub. June's cousin, Loretty Tolliver, is played by Linda Redman.

Other parts are: June's father, Judd, played by John Bazey, Uncle Billy and his wife, Ole Hon, played by Daryl Bazey and Jeanne Anderson. June's stepmother, Hannah, and

Dreamy Days Ahead



High School Romances

her sister Sal are played by Sue Nygren and Wendy Nelson. Red Fox is played

by Greg Holst; JoAnn Hendricks plays Ma Falin, and Sandra Pederson plays the Northern school teacher, Anne Saunders.

Joyce Walker and Vic Chartrand are working hard at their parts as Student Directors and the crew is also very busy with props and costumes. Don't miss this play, it's going to be a doozy (doozy?) (doozy!).

Forensic's Contest

The sub-district forensic contest was held at Luck on March 11. Luck hosted Unity, St. Croix, and Osceola. Those people who participated were rated A, B or C.

Linda Berg, Paula Clausen, and Paul Madsen received A ratings from Luck. These three traveled to the district contest at Hudson on March 27.

Linda Berg received a first at the district contest and can compete in the State contest April 24th at Madison.

Style Show

The FHA put on their annual style show on April 1st at 8:00. The theme was "Pieces of April."

Many girls modeled outfits they have sewn in the past year. Craft items were also displayed.

Musical entertainment was also provided. Wendy Nelson played background music.

New officers were initiated at the end of the style show, and all members earning pins, necklaces and rings received them then.

Refreshments were served by the old officers and new officers handled the clean-up.



NEW FHA officers: Debby Randall, Karen Hasewinkle, Wendy Nelson, Kelly Olson, Terri Tyler, Helga Hansen and Lynn Hall.

Encouragement vs. Criticism

As in anyone's life, things tend to go wrong at one time or another. It is at these times that I sit back and take a good look at myself and people in general.

People are unthinking creatures, with tongues that cut like blades. Abe Lincoln once said, "He has the right to criticize who has the heart to help." Most people apparently read only half the quote, "He has the right to criticize." Everybody is quick with harsh, cutting comments. Know-it-alls pop up all the time, especially when you need it the least. In all walks of life there is one major link missing between friends, encouragement.

Encouragement can do more for your morale than gasoline does for a car. Indeed, just as gasoline makes a car go, so too, does encouragement create a desire to strive to excel. It is by far easier to achieve a goal when you have someone you can rely on for kind words.

How sad that society doesn't realize this. Faultfinding is not difficult. Maybe that's why there are so many avid faultfinders. It is easier to criticize than help; easier to cut down a tree than raise a sapling; easier to shoot a sick puppy than nurse it to health. Yes, to criticize takes no brains, no heart, no feelings, but encourage and to offer a hand takes a big person with a gentle being and loving heart.

Sharon Takes Second

Sharon Jorgenson recently won second prize in a national contest sponsored by Scholastic magazine.

Sharon made a poster advertising the book *Fahrenheit 451* and entered it in the category "persuasion." Her poster was one of several made and entered in the contest by members of Mrs. Krey's science fiction class.

For winning second prize, Sharon received \$10 and Mrs. Krey was able to choose 25 free paperback books for her classroom.

Horoscopes

Aries (Mar. 21-Apr. 20) Go out and jog or play ball. If you are working, make sure in advance that you will get paid fairly. No use getting mad later. Share your free time with friends.

Taurus (Apr. 21-May 20) This is no time to go on a spending spree. Use your creativity to entertain guests at a party.

Gemini (May 21-June 20) Your activities seem centered around your neighborhood. Someone may like you very much, yet not be able to show it.

Cancer (June 21-July 20) The past year has been very important to you. You have learned a lot. Plan next year's courses and activities now.

Leo (July 21-Aug. 21) You are a child of the sun, full of life and enthusiasm. Your moods swing. One moment you are touchy, the next over confident.

Virgo (Aug. 22-Sept. 22) Don't hide in the house; get outside in nice weather. Don't feel guilty when you get the lazies--rest, and make up for them later.

Libra (Sept 23-Oct. 22) Lately, things have been

boring. The opposite sex is more fun right now but don't expect to meet the love of your life.

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 22) Try to understand your parents' point of view, even though you have to go your own way.

Sagittarius (Nov. 23-Dec. 20) Lots of action and lots of fun. If you have a job, make a super effort. It'll pay off in recommendations later.

Capricorn (Dec. 21-Jan. 19) This is your month. Try something new. Your feelings are probably quite intense under your calm surface.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Physically, this may be your most vigorous month. You hate being bored, and you are always looking for excitement.

Pisces (Feb. 19-Mar. 20) Make use of your spare time. You'll have more pep than usual. How about giving your room a spring cleaning (repulsive as it may sound)?

Girls' Phy Ed

All the girls have been playing kickball. The girls really get into the game, yelling and screaming at each other. Some of the games get pretty rough and tempers rise and fall, but the teams finally realize

A & B Solo & Ensembles

The 1976 A & B solo and ensemble contest was held at the Siren Grade School, March 16.

We entered many various groups. The ratings are as follows: Class A, 1+ Alison Schmidt, Gwen Brenholt, Helga Hansen, Duane Mortenson, Sue Nygren, and Donyce Gillespie. These people will go on to Eau Claire.

Other ratings in class A, 1st Sue Nygren, the mixed quartet, the double trio, girls' quartet, girls' trio, 2nd: Joyce Walker, John Bazey, girls' duet (L. Nygren and L. Jerrick), girls' duet (J. Walker and J. Walker), clarinet choir, boys' barbershop, 3rd: girls' trio.

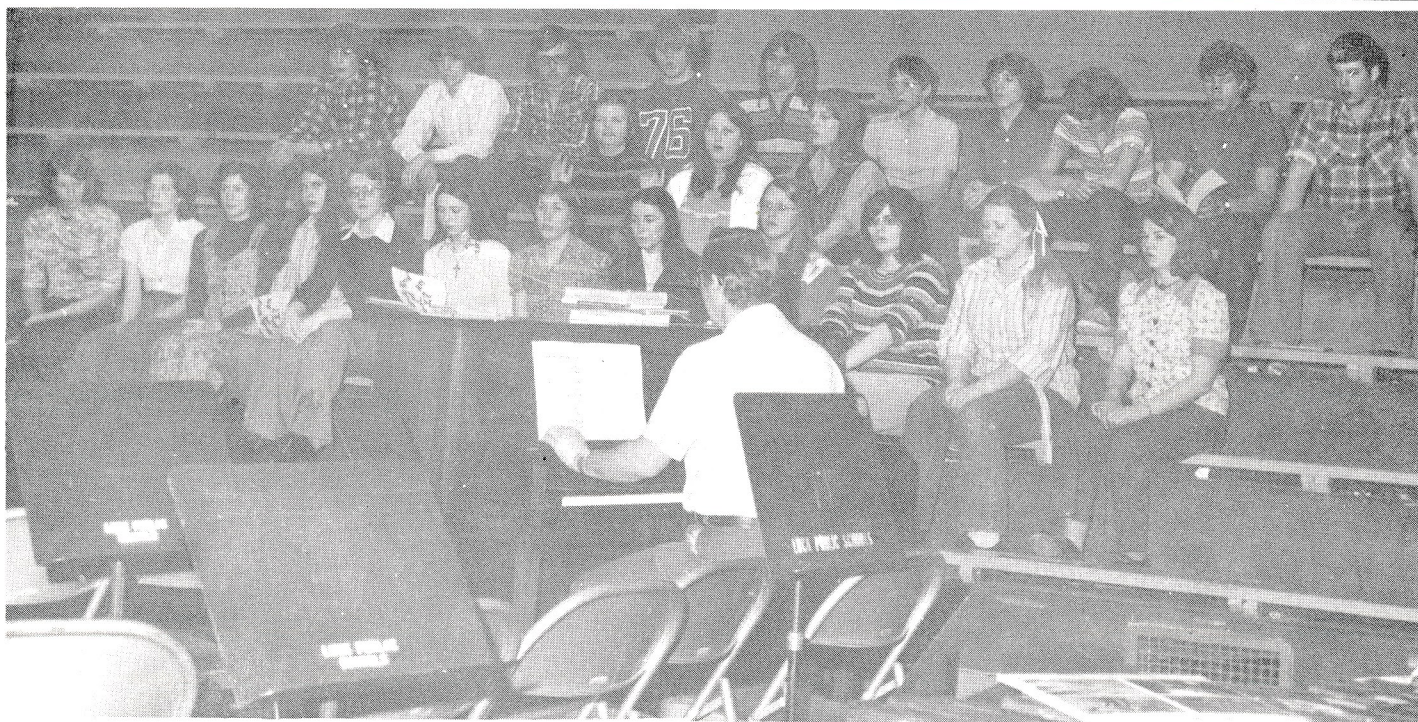
Class B ratings are: 1st-boys' quartet, Paul Konopacki, Renee Erickson, Paula Clausen. Clarinet quartet, brass sextet, 2nd: Karrie Melin, Karen Jensen.

that the game wasn't for life or death and they resume old friendships again.

Girls' P.E. is waiting for proper weather to go outside. Tennis seems to be one of the most popular of the outside games.



Who's got the beat?



The Swingers Swing??

A New Kind of Concert

This year all the music directors from the area schools got together and decided to change the format of the Solo and Ensemble Contest.

Over the years it has become very difficult to schedule the students involved in Swing Choir and Stage Band for any other ensemble because there are so many kids in these two groups.

The directors came to the decision that instead of trying to work around these two groups, they would perform and be rated on a different day. This performance would take place as a concert on March 23 at 7 p.m. at Unity High School.

The Swing Choir performed the tunes "What Kind of Fool Am I" by Leslie Brecusse and Anthony Newly and an excerpt from the musical "Gypsy" by Jule Styne.

The Stage Band performed "Satin Doll" by Duke Gillington and "We've Only Just Begun" by Roger Nichols.

The Swing Choir received a 1st in Class A Music, and will travel to Eau Claire for State contest the first weekend in May. Stage Band also received a first, but in Class B Music.

Of The Month

Food: Lasagna
Song: "Oh, What a Night."
Girls: Linda Berg, Karen Chaffee, Lori Steen
Boy: Jeff Sorenson
Event: April Fool's Day
Sport: Track
Saying: "Waal, ain't he the Beatenest?!"
Shoes: Sandals
Weather: Sunshine and 70.

Did You Know

That we don't have school on Fridays? (because of snow!)
That Cris Moore is getting married?
That the Luck girls placed second at sectionals?
That the Luck boys visited State?
That March 17 it was 56 degrees?

That March 30 only two seniors went to Grants - burg.

Songs-N-You

"Windsong" - March weather
"Here Comes the Sun" - Track season
"Slow Ride" - Sophomore drivers ed. students
"Why Can't We Be Friends" - Frederic and Luck girls
"Games People Play" - Back seat business
"Long Tall Teen" - Jeff Sorenson
"Yesterday" - Our seniors were bucktooth babies
"Nights on Broadway" - Prom
"Listen to What the Man Says" - Mr. Larson
"Thank God I'm a Country Boy" - Play cast
"Bridge Over Troubled Water" - Sucker fishing
"When Will I See You Again" - BB season
"Arm & Arm Naturally Babe" - Grand March
"Oh What a Night" - Last weekend
"Jeremia Was a Bullfrog" - And bananas don't have bones either
"You Are So Beautiful" - Luck boys & girls
"Star Spangled Banner" - Happy Birthday America!!



Daryl Bazey--were you supposed to be on stage??

The Thin Clads-And Their Sweat Begins To Run

"Around 35 or so," was the answer Coach Miller gave when asked about the turnout for boys' track this season.

Track shorts reveal the legs of five returning lettermen from last year's small squad. The five seniors are Brad Asper, Paul Madsen, Joel Morgan, Jeff Sorenson, and John Stenberg.

Joining the ranks of these senior stars will be "newcomers" John Bazey, Doug Davidsavor, and Doug Kunze. The rest of the squad consists of a handful of jocks from each the junior and the sophomore classes, and approximately twelve or thirteen from the freshmen.

Despite the obvious lack of experience of the bulk of the squad, the Cards appear to have lots of potential and should be fast learners.

It's All For The Annual

Tuesday, March 2, an annual event

At Luck High School, the day before Lent,

A day to behold, like none you have seen,

Stand up or sit down, now smile and lean.

Directions were given from left and from right

From cameras a flashing we all had no sight.

Before our eyes we saw little spots

Poses in trash cans, by windows, plant pots.

The teachers accomplished a whole lot that day,

And tried to keep order in every way.

The kids learned their lessons, as they always did.

Roaming the halls and stealing trash lids.

"Sue Nygren, who's next and where do we go?"

"Give me a minute and I'll let you know."

It was photograph day, Plop, Plop, Fizz, Fizz.

Now that it's over, What a relief it is!



You said your Dad whopped you???



Debby and Dana head down the runway

FFA Contest

On March 27, a group of FFA members participated in the annual Ag technique contest, held at the University of River Falls.

This contest involved the following different fields of participation: plant science, animal evaluation and selection, electricity, farm management, feeds, animal products, machinery, tractors and engines, soils and agriculture mechanics.

The contest consisted of 30 to 60 minutes of tests. There were about 60 schools involved in this annual contest.

The Luck FFA Chapter could enter two contestants in each field. The two contestants worked as a team. The individual contestants' points were totalled, and an average was arrived at.

The registration and the test took until 11 a.m. The remaining of the day was devoted to roaming around the college campus, bowling, swimming, playing foosball, playing pin ball, and enjoying the wonderful smorgasbord dinner paid for by the FFA Chapter.

At the end of the day the awards were given out to the best teams in each field. A separate school achievement award was also given out.

An Easter Poem

'Twas the night before Easter and all through Luck's halls,

Came the echo of tennis, track and basketballs.

The uniforms and equipment were all put away.

In hopes that new ones would arrive, Easter day.

From out near the parking lot,

Arose such a clatter, The doors all flew open to see what was the matter.

Across the gym he made his great flight,

Of bright red and of bright white.

Despite his fluffy tail, It was really a shock

To discover the Easter Bunny was a real super jock!

Happy Easter!