

# the Cloverleaf

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Luck High School

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## Spring Concert Held

If you saw girls and boys dressed up in new spring clothes, tuning their voices and instruments, you know that Luck held its annual Spring Concert on May 18, 1976.

In keeping with the bicentennial theme, the senior band and choir entertained with some patriotic tunes. Stage band, swing choir, and the junior band and choir also performed.

Art exhibits were displayed in the gym, demonstrating the talents of many students.

## FHA Hero Convention

Debby Randall, Terri Tyler, Jeanne Lake, and Helga Hansen went to Green Lake with their advisor, Mrs. Winchell, to attend the FHA-HERO convention. There were 1,500 girls and boys there from various schools throughout Wisconsin.

The girls participated in many different events. Debby was in the style show and was a voting delegate along with Helga for the election of state officers. Jeanne was a hostess, and Terri was in the FHA state chorus.

The girls brought a center piece and entered a banner in the contest. They were given certificates for entering.

The girls said the highlights of the trip were the concern sessions on self defense and revival crafts, and a speech given by Dr. James Kern "Growing Throughout Your Whole Life" meaning you never stop laughing. His philosophy was that if people laughed more they wouldn't have so much trouble with ulcers.

The delegates also attended a formal banquet where the speakers were Cathy Nelson of Barron, WI, the national FHA-HERO president, and the state presidents of four other youth organizations.

## CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!



Prom royalty during Grand March.

## Platteville Bridge-Building Trip

Alan Mortensen, John Bazey, Alison Schmidt, Jim Bentz, Helga Hansen, and Mr. Knudson took a trip to Platteville for the annual bridge-building contest and Engineering and Science Exposition on April 2 and 3. The trip began at 5:00 a.m. Friday. During the seven-hour drive, there was plenty of opportunity to study bridge constructions. The students counted about 35 bridges while driving a 50-mile stretch of highway along the Kickapoo River.

Arrival time in Platteville was just after 1:00 p.m. Everyone spent time looking at some of the many exhibits set up, getting weighed on a kilogram scale, and locating the area where bridges were being tested.

The computer center was also open to use. The students challenged the computer to games of tic-tac-toe, landed lunar spacecrafts, played golf, fought wars, and played several tactical guessing games.

Next was a stop for a

chemistry magic show. Two of the college professors presented many 'magical feats' using 'plain ordinary water' for much of their program. The LHS chemistry class has recreated some of these 'feats' with good success. Some examples are the 'anti-gravity machine' and 'lemonade' that turns green when it is shaken.

A stop at a second computer room was also enjoyed. The computer sang several songs using the static from a radio, and made a circle with a star inscribed in it and the words "Class of '76 Luck High School" written outside. The picture was drawn using a pen that moved back and forth and paper that moved to and fro. It was like making a perfect circle with an etcha-sketch.

After checking into the dorm rooms, eating supper at Colonel Sanders, and running some more computer programs, everyone agreed to go bowling in the nearby city

## Bouncing Beauties

Cheerleading try-out time is here again. This year's cheerleading is going to be a little different than in recent years. The student council has ruled that girls that are going out for basketball will not be allowed to try out for boys basketball cheerleading.

Also in recent years the A-squad basketball cheerleaders were also football cheerleaders but this has also changed. Basketball cheerleaders and football cheerleaders will be separate.

Now that girls' basketball has become such a popular sport they have decided to have cheerleaders for them. It's going to be pretty busy for a while with cheerleading tryouts going on.

of Dubuque, Iowa. The scores were not impressive, but everyone had fun.

Next morning after checking out of the dorms and stopping for breakfast, the students visited a mining museum and then returned to the university.

Finally the moment of truth arrived. The ten bridges from Luck were tested. A trip to a computer terminal brought the results and the standings at that time. Alan's bridge was in top place from Luck. It was ranked number 20 after more than 500 bridges had been tested.

Before starting home, a few stops were made at more exhibits, including one on three-dimensional photography. John had a chance to try this 3-D photography when the group stopped at a wayside next to a steep hill.

The students arrived home at about 8:00 p.m., after 39 hours filled with computers, Chemistry, balsam wood bridges, and the inside of the school car.



## In Memorium

Everyone was saddened to hear the news of the tragic fire that took the life of a good friend and fellow classmate, Gary Skow.

Gary was an active student at Luck High. He was Sentinel of the Luck FFA Chapter and played FFA basketball. He played trumpet in the school band and was in choir. He also received the Star Farmer award last year in FFA.

Gary was 18 and was born on April 6, 1958. He was a member of the graduating class of 1976.

### IN MEMORIAM

"We have but faith; we cannot know;

For knowledge is of things we see; And yet we trust it comes from thee, A beam in darkness; let it grow.

Let knowledge grow from more to more, But more of reverence in us dwell: That mind and soul, according well, may make one music as before,

But vaster, we are fools and slight; We mock thee when we do not fear: But help they foolish ones to bear; Help they vain worlds to bear they light.

Forgive the wild and wandering cries, Confusions of a wasted youth;

Forgive them where they fail in truth, And in they wisdom make me wise."

Excerpts from Alfred, Lord Tennyson's "In Memoriam A.H.H."

## Club News

### FHA

The Fha girls went to Maplewood Mall and downtown Minneapolis on May 8 to go shopping.

### PEP CLUB

Soon the Pep Club will be electing new officers. Now they are busy totaling for the new members so they can get their jackets.

### BUSINESS SKILLS

Mr. Lake and nine of his business students attended the Business Skills Contest

at Indianhead Technical Institute, Rice Lake, on May 12.

Twenty-seven different schools participated with a total of 350 students entered.

The nine Luck students were entered as follows:

Beginning Typing- Danette Morten, Lynette Anderson, Melody Dau.

Advanced Typing-Darla Bille.

Bookkeeping I-Jeanne Anderson, Connie Porter, Alison Schmidt.

Bookkeeping II-Jim Mattson.

Sales Manager-Lonna Hanson.

Machine Calculation-Loni Porter.

Trophies for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places were awarded in each contest. In addition, the top winners in each contest receive a scholarship of one semester of books and tuition at the Institute. The top typist also receives a portable typewriter.

## Two 1st's At State

Twenty-six musicians from Luck traveled to the UW-Eau Claire on Saturday, May 1, for the state solo-ensemble music contest.

Six entries from Luck earned the right to go to state by receiving a first with a star at the district contest. They were the swing choir, a sonata, a vocal solo, and two instrumental solos.

The twenty-four members of swing choir were awarded a first at state. Also receiving a first was Helga Hansen's violin solo.

The alto sax solo by Alison Schmidt and the girls' low voice solo by Gwen Brenholt were rated a second, Duane Mortensen and Helga Hansen also received a second on their violin-piano sonata.

Sue Nygren and Donyce Gillespie sang a vocal duet and received a third.

The day wasn't devoted entirely to music. Many students went shopping in downtown Eau Claire, and the stop at the Dairy Queen on the way home was enjoyed by all.

## of The Month

EVENT: Graduation

SONG: School's Out

THOUGHT: How many more days until school gets out?

PASTIME: Parties

FOOD: The school's "gravy train?"

PEOPLE: Seniors

CLASS: Toss up between studyhall and noon hour

CLOTHES: Anything goes

## Nights On Broadway

As usual this year's prom started out with a hectic week of decorating and making plans. All the juniors participated by getting out of study hall and hanging streamers.

By the end of the week the gym was almost finished. Saturday morning some kids came and finished what needed to be done. The only thing missing from the decorations was the band, but by 8:00 they were on the floor and ready to play.

Pretty soon a few couples came walking in. The girls in their pretty formals and the boys in nice suits.

After everyone started dancing, the tension became less and the atmosphere more romantic. The boys waited while their dates were dashing off to comb their hair. The punch girls were busy pouring punch, and of

course, someone tried to spike it.

By 10:30 the parents were coming to watch the grand march, thinking the gym underwent such a change to see their kids dressed up for once.

After the grand march started, the Junior King and Queen, Jerry Davidsavor and Lynn Hall, led the way. They were followed by Jerette Foerst and Brian Rasmussen, Junior Attendants; Joe Morales and Deb Jensen, Senior King and Queen; Louise Stener and Russell Baedke, Senior Attendants, and Gregg Holst and Sharon Holm last year's king and queen.

By the end of the dance everyone couldn't wait to get out of their good clothes and return back to their jeans.

## Home Ec. Girls Go To The Cities

On Wednesday, May 12, the Luck junior and senior home ec. girls went to the cities to tour Maid of Scandinavia, Gregg's House, and Lee Wards.

Maid of Scandinavia is a cake decorating company so you can imagine the oohs and ahhs that arose from the crowd of excited girls.

The next stop was Lee Wards. Lee Wards makes all kinds of craft kits, and the tour took in many interesting things.

Gregg's House in an old historical home where the girls enjoyed themselves tremendously.

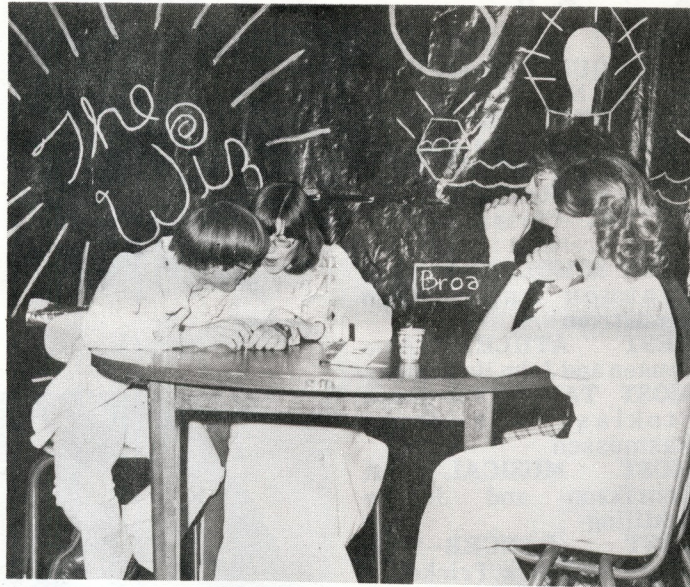
Of course, no trip is complete without stopping at McDonalds, to the delight of everyone.



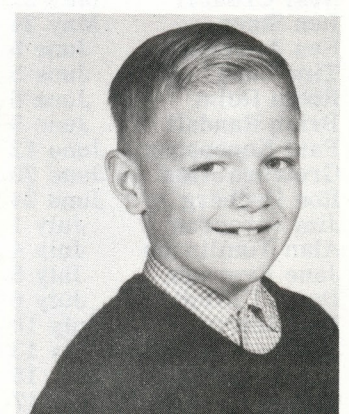
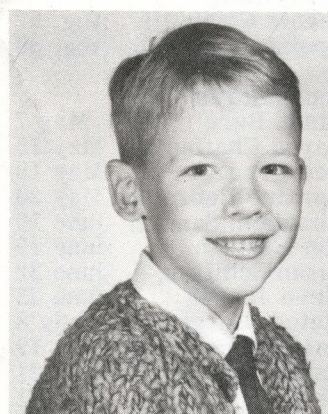
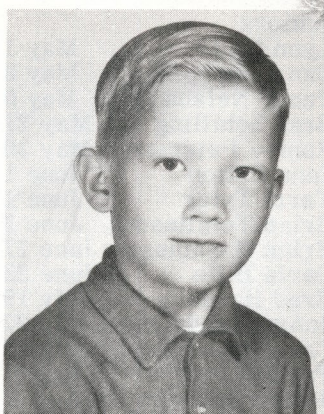
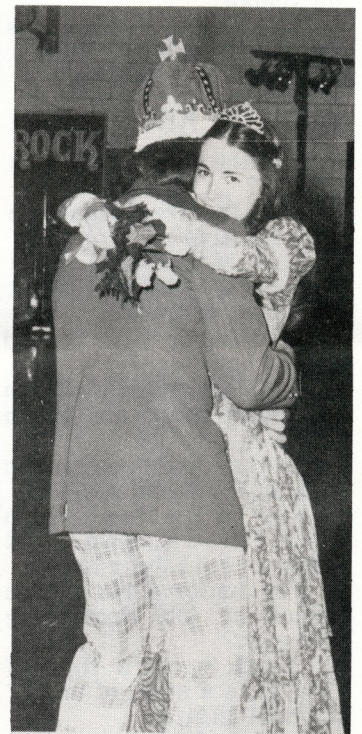
Um! That meal was a real lip-licker!



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## Songs-N-You

'Oh, What a Night'--Prom.

'Boogie Fever'--The raid chase.

'Lying Eyes'--Rick Tricker.

'Squeeze Box'--Prom Cabin.

(There were) 'Only Sixteen'--Prom participants.

'Beer Barrel Polka'--Track team.

'Peppermint Twist'--Remembering ski days.

'Get it Right Back'--Summer.

'Welcome Back'--Mrs. Walsh Richards.

'Wasted Days'--last days in school.

'Back When My Hair Was Short'--Tom E.

## Did You Know . . .

That the prom party was raided?

That the freshman are hyper-active?

Lisa Moore and Paul Konopacki have great potential in track.

That Darla Bille moved into a new house?

Lori Steen and Deb Melin sprained their ankles in track?

Laura Chaffee wasn't in school for three weeks?

Kevin Holm, Brian Tomlinson, and Joel Morgan curl their hair?

The Junior class did an excellent job decorating the gym?

'Youth is not a time of life, it is a state of mind.' Samuel Ullman.

Jeanne Anderson got a haircut?

That L.H.S. students are

## Results of Senior Poll

**MOST QUIET**--Gregg Holst and Sue Nygren

**MOST STUDIOUS**--Kendall Peterson and Sue Hansen

**BIGGEST FLIRT**--John Bazey and Renee Ericksen

**CUTEST**--Chris Moore and Gwen Brenholt

**MOST SCHOLARLY**--Todd Johnson and Bevin Sandstrom

**BEST ATHLETE**--June Jensen and John Haukeness

**MOST TALENTED**--Steve Stoklasa and Dave Rasmussen

**MOST MUSICAL**--Scott Henrikson and Jeanne Schilling

**BEST DANCER**--Doug Kunze and Rick Tricker

**MOST PROMISING FUTURE**--Brian Holm and Sharon Holm

**MOST POPULAR**--Gwen Brenholt and Dennis Johnson

**WITTIEST**--Lisa Tolan and Russ Baedke

Oops!!! The typist got a bit confused. For the actual results check the student bulletin board.

Heed this bit of best advice: Don't give any.

sick of school?

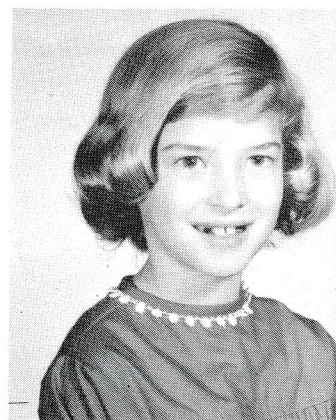
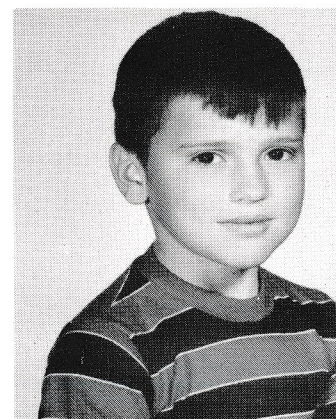
Sue Banitt is going steady with Jeff Cummings?

D.B. (Tyro) should work for Burger King?

That Mr. Goulet and Mr. Kinzler shaved!?!?

That every Saturday night there's a full moon?

Right Tricker??? (Or was it Harlan?)



Pick your friends with care but not to pieces.

## Birthdays

### Freshman

Jacque Hawkins	May 16
Neal Creuzer	May 22
Ron Steen	May 24
Ken A. Johnson	June 5
Tim Lund	June 5
Robin Holm	June 6
Brian Randall	June 9
Paul Konopacki	June 12
Gretchen Nies	June 20
Ron Hedberg	June 24
Jim Sorenson	July 1
Alan Tomlinson	July 4
Jane Everson	July 5
David Clifton	July 6
Bill Rebrovich	July 10
Michael Tyler	July 13
Allen Moslet	July 15
Cary Jensen	July 17

Todd Sweezo	July 27
Cathy Tolan	July 30
Ken W. Johnson	July 30
Kathy Berg	Aug. 4
Jeanie Cogswell	Aug. 21
Louise Anderson	Aug. 30

Sophomores	
Linda Berg	May 7
Karen Chaffee	May 15
Lee Creuzer	May 19
Lorraine Rebrovich	May 20
Elisabeth Sandlin	June 10
Jon Mattson	June 19
Susan Schilling	June 22
Steve Jensen	June 25
Melodi Bergstrom	July 8
Dale Nyreen	July 19
Kathy Jenssen	July 21
Lindsey Byers	July 21

Kerry Lysdahl	Aug. 2
Renee Walsten	Aug. 14
Rena Petersen	Aug. 31

Juniors	
Lynn Hall	May 1
Dan Jensen	May 3
Penny Nelson	May 5
Brad Schilling	May 21
Ronnie Peterson	May 30
June Colton	June 1
Terri Tyler	June 1
Brian Tomlinson	June 2
Brian Rasmussen	June 17
Darla Bille	June 28
Brad Hacker	July 19
JoAnn Hendricks	July 22
Carol Little	July 22
Pat Byl	Aug. 4
Jeanne Johnson	Aug. 7

Dan Morales	Aug. 8
Allison Route	Aug. 18
Debbie Randall	Aug. 24
Gwen Nies	Aug. 25
Scot Moore	Aug. 27

Seniors	
Cris Moore	May 25
Dennis Johnson	June 12
June Jensen	June 18
Sue Hanson	June 28
Sue Nygren	July 2
John Haukeness	July 3
Jeff Sorenson	July 19
Kandi Anderson	July 12
Joseph Morales	July 15
Paul Madsen	July 18
Deb Jensen	July 21
Donyce Gillespie	July 28
Todd Johnson	July 31
Tammy Joy	Aug. 12
Louise Stener	Aug. 26



## Literary Corner

### School Impression

School-  
A place to learn,  
to try and do your best.

School-  
A building of walls,  
rooms, and lockers.

School-  
A meeting place of  
friends,  
relatives, and  
neighbors.

School-  
Something we all should  
take pride in and  
respect.

School-  
Competing against each  
other,  
in sports or subjects.

School-  
A six letter word that,  
determines our lives.

School-  
A graduating class,  
and a high school  
diploma.

School-  
A memory of the past,  
and the hope of a future.

### School Is...

Most people see  
That one side of school,  
The learning and  
studying,  
So you won't be a fool.

School, to so many,  
Is just a place you have to  
go,  
Where teachers and  
principals,  
Run the whole show.

But school, you see,  
Offers so much to each  
one,  
You can broaden your  
mind,  
And still have some fun.

You go to this building,  
Most each day of the  
week,  
You work hard at your  
studies,  
To gain the knowledge  
you seek.

Even after school,  
And on the weekends,  
too.  
School is still there,  
Offering so much to do.

Go out for football,  
Basketball, Golf, or  
Track;  
Try wrestling or  
volleyball,

## Worm Survey

Have you noticed all the  
worms around? Not worm  
worms, but bookworms.

I ran into one the other  
day. He had his nose into  
'Uncle Tom's Cabin.' He  
seemed to be so involved, I  
didn't think I should disturb  
him so I just casually said,  
'Must be a good book.' To  
my surprise he answered,  
'No, I just have to get my 20  
pages read for American  
Lit.'

Sure, I thought, he  
makes it sound like a  
chore, but once you start  
it's hard to put it down,  
isn't it? I know I've been a  
victim of bookwormitis.

As I walked further down  
the hall, I heard someone  
behind me say, 'I'm on my  
third murder.' I turned  
around to say don't do it,  
when I saw that someone  
else had his nose in a book.  
She was reading 'And Then  
There Were None' for

But don't turn back!  
Don't like sports?  
There's still plenty to  
do.

Join a club, or band,  
Maybe acting's for you.

School you see,  
Isn't really that bad,  
There's so much to do  
For each lass and lad.

## Detectives and Ghosts English class.

The worms are  
multiplying by numbers.  
Reading enriches us in our  
every day living. By  
reading murder  
mysteries, our teachers  
realize that this will get  
our interest to read other  
things that will give us  
knowledge and better  
ourselves.

Let's hope these  
bookworms never divide,  
because if they do, the poor  
worm will be squashed  
between page 222 and 223.

## "Rock Around The Clock"

Friday, May 14 was  
Luck's Junior and Senior  
High vandalism dance. At  
the beginning of the year,  
the students were  
promised a free dance if all  
the vandalism money  
wasn't used up. Besides  
some dirty words on walls,  
soapy mirrors and broken  
toilets, there is still half  
the money left. There was a  
charge of 75 cents. Fantuzi  
took the stage that night.  
The dance started at 8:00  
and ended at 11:30.  
Everyone wore out their  
dancing shoes.



Girl tracksters take a break. From left to right: Jeanne I., Linda R., Karen J., Darla B., Jill S., and Kelly O.



## Luck Girls At Grantsburg

The Luck girls' track team was defeated Thursday, April 29, by Grantsburg. The girls had to battle the wind and cold, but put up a good fight. The results of the track meet were as follows:

Discuss-Julie Petersen 91'10".

Shot Put-1st Karen Jensen 27'3", 2nd Jeanne Lake 26'10", 3rd Barb Melin 26'3".

High Jump-2nd Linda Redman 4'2", tied for 3rd Darla Bille 3'9".

Long Jump-2nd Laura Nygren 13'4 1/2".

110 Yd. Hurdles-1st Debby Randall 18.6.

100 Yd. Dash-2nd Barb Konopacki 13.4.

Mile Run-2nd Gretchen Nies 7:07.7.

880 Yd. Relay Kelly Olson, Jill Sandstrom, Barb Konopacki, Lisa Moore 2:03.1.

440 Yd. Dash-2nd Kelly Olson 73.1.

880 Yd. Run-2nd Cathy Tolan 3:02.7.

220 Yd. Dash-1st Lisa Moore 29.7, 2nd Barb Konopacki 30.1.

The final results were Grantsburg 54 3/4 and Luck 50 1/4.

## Golf Is Going

The season looks to be a fairly good one this year with two returning lettermen: Kendall Petersen and Brian Tomlinson.

The team has lost two starters from last year but have good replacements that are making a good note. The team already has had a nonconference match with Turtle Lake and Unity on Luck's home course.

Luck pulled out two wins with a score of 163, beating Unity, 179, and Turtle Lake, 203. Medalists were Kendall Petersen and Brian Tomlinson, both with

38. Other score's were Ron Steen, 40, Harlan Back, 47, and Darryl Peterson's score was scratched with a 50.

The advantage of this year's team will be the early practice start, giving our team the practice necessary to be in midseason form earlier.

Other members of the golf team are Steve Jerrick, Alan Gursky, Tom Jensen, Darryl and John Bazey. Also on the team are Karl Lake, Jeff Jensen, Billy Rebrovich, and John Haukeness. The regionals this year are at Superior and sectionals are at Hayward.



Gee, do you always take such big steps?

## Luck Girls Place Third In Frederic Invitational

The Luck girls, along with six other teams, braved chilly fifty degree weather to compete Tuesday, April 27, at the Frederic Invitational.

Lori Steen obtained three of the four blue ribbons won that day by placing first in the long jump, 100 yard dash, and the 880 yard relay.

Other results are as follows:

Long Jump-1st Lori Steen 15'11".

High Jump-4th Linda Redman 4'2".

Shot Put-2nd Karen Jensen 28'11".

Discus-3rd Julie Petersen 88'5", 4th Barb Melin 88'0".

100 Yd. Dash-1st Lori Steen 12.0.

440 Yd. Dash-2nd Kelly Olson 70.3.

220 Yd. Dash-1st Lisa Moore 29.5, 4th Barb Konopacki 30.0.

440 Yd. Relay-3rd Deb Melin, Sharon Morales, Laura Nygren, Lisa Moore 59.8.

880 Yd. Relay-1st Deb Melin, Jill Sandstrom, Barb Konopacki, Lori Steen 1:59.9.

Mile Relay-5th Gretchen Nies, Laura Nygren, Jill Sandstrom, Kelly Olson 5:14.6.

Team Results-1st Rush City 97

2nd Frederic 92

3rd Luck 84.

## Boys' Track At Stout

On April 2 the boys' track team traveled to Stout in Menomonie for their first track meet of the year.

Although having to practice indoors for the first two weeks, the team had a good showing by tying for seventh, with 22 points, out of 19 schools that participated.

Placing for Luck were Jeff Sorenson with a first in the 50 yard high hurdles and fourth in the 50 yard low hurdles, and Brad Asper with a second in the long jump. Many other members of the team participated but didn't place.

## Report on Boys' Track

April 27 was the date that the Luck boys traveled to Frederic for the Frederic Invitational. The other schools participating were Webster, Turtle Lake, Cumberland, St. Croix, and of course, the host school, Frederic, who ran away with 120 1/2 points which gave the Vikes a first place in team standings.

Second place fell to the Beavers of east - Cumberland, who chewed their way to a team total of 83 points. The Turtle Lakers waved a total of 81 team points which gave their thinclads a third in the team standings.

Fourth place went to the Luck Cardinals with a team total of 80 points - only 1/2 point off the third point score.

There were six places

counted in each event and here are the results of the events in which Luck placed:

Long Jump-1st Asper 18'9".

Shot Put-2nd Johnson 41'10 1/4", 3rd Bach 40'2 1/2".

High Jump-4th Sorenson 5'8".

120 High Hurdles-1st Sorenson 15.6.

880 Yd. Relay-1st Luck 1:42.6.

180 Yd. Low Hurdles-1st Sorenson 21.6, 2nd Asper 22.35.

880 Yd. Run-2nd Morgan 2:18.0.

Mile Relay-5th Luck 4:00.7.

100 Yd. Dash-1st Asper 10.75.

Happiness is a journey not a destination, for when you come to your destination, the journey is over.

## Frederic Dual

On April 13, the Luck track team traveled to Frederic to a duel meet. Luck had a good day but fell short in winning the race.

Brad Asper placed first in the long jump and 100 yard dash. Scott Moore placed second in the long jump. Jeff Sorenson placed first in high and low hurdles and third in high jump. Brad Asper also placed third in low hurdles.

In the shot Harlan Bach placed second and Darryl Petersen third. Doug Kunze placed third in the mile run. Reuben Buck placed first in the 880 run, with Paul Madsen second. In the 220, Luck took second and third with Kevin Fordyce and Joel Morgan. In the 2 mile run Jim Sorenson placed third. In the mile relay Luck placed second.