

Above, left, D. Beukelman, Jeanne Hoekstra, vocal soloists.

STUDENTS WIN SIX SUPERIOR RATINGS

By Jeanne Hoekstra

All four of Corsica's small ensembles won a superior rating at the Region V vocal contest February 7 in Kimball. The groups taken were:

Girls Trio--Jeanne Hoekstra, Ginger Schrank, Marcia Vanden Hoek.

Girls Triple Trio--Renee Tecklenberg, Nancy Scholten, Jeannie Hoekstra, Ginger Schrank, Janice Brink, Mary Van Roekel, Marcia Vanden Hoek, Evelyn and Jeni Van Dyke.

Mixed Vocal--Faye Menning, Jeanne Hoekstra, Janice Brink, Ginger Schrank, Marcia Vanden Hoek, Darrell Vanden Hoek, Doug Brink, Dick Bordewyk, Arend Kuyper. Swing Choir--"The Sands of Time."

Jeanne Hoekstra and Dwight Beukelman received superiors on their solos.

Those receiving excellent ratings on their soloswere, Ginger Schrank, Janice Brink, Debbie Bartelt, Pam Engelland, Faye Menning, and Kevin Van Genderen. Lonnie Van Zee received a good rating.

TWO FIRST-PLACE HONORS CAPTURED AT INSTRUMENTAL CONTEST

By Mary Van Roekel,

On February 19, the annual instrumental music contest was held at Lake Andes. Participating from Corsica were three soloists and one group.

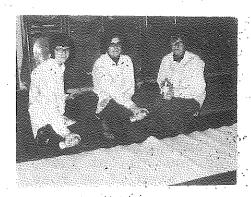


Faye Menning

Receiving superior ratings were Faye Menning on baritone and the clarinet quintet. Lindi Gruenewald on clarinet received an excellent rating. Mary Van Roekel on cornet received a fair rating.

The clarinet quintet consists of Lindi Gruenewald, Londa Gruenewald. Brenda Peters, Kathleen Kuyper, and Sandy Beukelman. The accompianists were Bev Zwart, Londa Gruenewald, and Faye Menning.

Be sure to attend the Music Concert March 1.



Above, left, L. Teunissen, C. Rus, M. Ligtenberg.

PEP CLUB HELPS BOOST PLAYERS EGO

By 'Bev Zwart

The Comets entered the first game of the 1973 District Tournaments with lots of pep and enthusiasm, thanks to the efforts of the cheerleaders and student body. On February 20 the girls in pep club came to school donned in oversized white shirts. Throughout the day, these shirts were colorfully marked with signatures and little pep. phrases. Along with this, the cheerleaders planned an extra-special pep rally of 30 minutes featuring the Comets' starting five as guest cheerleaders. Everyone carried all this excitement to Chamberlain where we combatted the Plankinton Pirates. After a close game, we fell to the Pirates by a mere two points, but everyone remains proud of the basketball team and their supreme efforts to prove that they are still No. 1.

EDITORIALS

EVEN IF WE LOSE, WE GAIN

Maybe we didn't win all our basketball games and wrestling meets this year, but I still feel that we have gained. Not everyone can win, and we need good losers as well as winners. I feel the Corsica students have worked hard and learned to take defeat with a smile. We have seen some schools show poor sportsmanship to an opposing team and we have learned a lesson from it. Our players worked hard, improved, and never gave up; losing some games by a very small margin.

As many of you know, we lost our first game in the district tournament but the boys played a terrific game and the pep club and band were great. I'm sure their enthusiasm encouraged the players and coach. We can be very proud of our team, pep club, band, and fans. So, even if we lose, we gain. J.H.

School is rapidly drawing to a close, only thirteen more weeks left at this writing, and I encourage all of you students to put forth your best efforts in your studying, make a good showing and bring your grades up. The record you make in high school will be very important to you in future years as well as the recommendations you get on your behavior and attendance in school. So make up your mind to do your best.

Pre-registration will be coming up for your next years courses during the fourth nine weeks.

You students have been doing much better about bringing in those exucse slips and getting your make-up slips in on time. Keep it up! Thank you! Mr. Hall

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SPORTSMANSHIP

IS IMPORTANT

Congratulations are in order to the basketball and wrestling coaches, teams, cheerleaders and student body for a fine job of performing during the basketball and wrestling season just completed. I feel that the teams improved a great deal as the season progressed, they never gave up once, always trying until the last whistle, they were always hustling and gave it a one hundred per cent all the The cheerleaders time. gave us good leadership and worked equally hard. The student body showed very good support throughout the year. Finally, I would like to complement the student body, cheerleaders, and teams for showing outstanding sportmanship, which I feel is essential in a school. Let's keep it up kids.

I would like to congratulate Miss Hoekstra for being selected as our school representative for the Outstanding Teenager of America with her hard work and participation in school and community functions, she is certainly deserving of it. Keep it up Jean, it will reward you in the future.

by Dale Weerheim

In this issue I would like to thank the cheerleaders, pep club, and fans, on behalf of the wrestling squad, for their attendance and support of the wrestlers at all home and away matches. Next year we all hope to be much better and provide more wrestling matches for your entertainment.

Children's Theater To

Perform March 22 and 23

by Mrs. Keith
The theater class is ardently at work in preparation for their Children's Theater. As a class assignment, the students wrote a play specially designed to entertain children.

Those involved in the play are Faye, a typical ten year old American kid, played by Faye Menning. Faye has quite an admiration for Jason, the only colored boy in the gang, played by Doug Brink ... Brent Uilenberg shines in his part as Harold, the "kid intellect" of the group. Kevin Van Genderen is Kevin, the brat, while Tom Plooster, named Tom in the play, is the daydreamer with the BIG imagination. Ginger played by Ginger Schrank, giggles and tickles her nose--a lot! Lonnie Van Zee, better known as Cuddles in the play, is the perpetual flirt, while Mike, on the other hand, is a true tomboy, superbly played by Janice Brink. Connie Rexwinkle plays Pee Wee, the shy, sometimes unintentionally forgotten member of

WE'RE PROUD TO LIVE IN SOUTH DAKOTA

by Laura Vanden Hoek
When asked what you think
about South Dakota what
would be your reply? This
is what some people said:
Bonnie De Boer: It's the
best part of America.
Linda Van Genderen: A fun
place to live
Pam Engelland: I'm proud
to live in South Dakota.
Mr. Eitemiller: Heaven
help it.

the group. Spot is the local neighborhood pet dog portrayed by Dwight Beukelman. He and Tom are quite good friends and seem to identify on about the same level.

The setting of the play is the club house area and meeting place of this group of nine, ten and elevenyear-old children.

The student chosen as director of the whole show is Dick Bordewyke. Assisting Dick will be Clyde Graumann as student director. Jim Buckis the stage manager and Dave Spaans is the chairman of the publicity committee.

The theater class, taught by Mrs. Keith, is one of the many classes provided for the students in the new English curriculum. Even though this play has been written for children, it is one that even high school students and adults will enjoy. A matinee will be presented for the grade students the afternoon of March 22. An evening performance for the public is scheduled for March 23. Please plan to attend.

Terry Hall: It would be perfect without band.

Mrs. Keith: I would not live anywhere else.

Mrs. Beukelman: It's a real wholesome state.

Renee Tecklenburg: The only place in the world that is really with the program (I think).

Barb Droppers: A great state and I wouldn't live anywhere else.

To sumit up South Dakota is a proud, clean, beautiful, healthy, and fun state.

REMEMBER

SAINT PATRICK

by Bonnie De Boer
The national origin of
most holidays is forgotten
as they get older, but St.
Patrick's Day is one exception to this rule. If
St. Patrick's Day is mentioned the first thing you
think of is Ireland. The
next things you associate
with it are the color green
and the shamrock. Usually,
one of the last things you
remember about St. Patrick's
Day is Saint Patrick.

St. Patrick's Day is actually the feast day of St. Patrick. He was born in England but was captured by pirates and taken to Ireland. After six years of slavery he escaped to France and became a monk. A vision led him back to Ireland, this time as a missionary. There he started over three hundred churches and baptized over one hundred and twenty thousand people.

The fact that St. Patrick was a missionary in Ireland explains why this country is associated with St. Patrick's Day. Green is the national color of Ireland, and the shamrock was used by St. Patrick to illustrate the doctrine of the Trinity. This is why they are associated with this holiday also.

CHS extends their deepest sympathies to the John L. Rus family of Corsica and the Glen Johnson family of White Lake, parents of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Johnson of Mitchell who were killed in a one-car accident late Saturday night.

SENIORS ADVANCE

TO FINISH by Renee Bye

The seniors are still busy raising money for skip days. The slave sales are now over and nearly \$400 was made. Over \$700 has been set aside by the class for skip days.

On February 27, the senior class went to Pierre to visit the capitol and learn more about South Dakota's system of government.

The seniors chose their class colors, flower, and motto. Class colors are maroon and pink; the class flower is a pink rose; and the class motto is "With the ropes of the past we'll ring the bells of the future".

STUDENTS ATTEND

BUSINESS CONTEST

by Marilyn Gerlach
March 23 is the day nine
students from CHS will go
to Aberdeen to compete with
other schools in the Business Contest to be held on
Saturday, March 24. The
contests are held to find
the most outstanding students who have the ability
and desire to attain certain goals in the business
field. Arleen Spaans and
Vernon Heber are chosen
from the Typing I class.

Typing II class will send two students who are Londa Gruenewald and Nancy Scholten. Marcia Ligtenberg, Albert Heber and Sam Reimnitz will represent the bookkeeping class. Jean Hoekstra and Phyllis Vanden Hoek are the shorthand students.

Frosh Still Making Adjustments

by Pam Engelland

The freshmen are finally getting used to their new lockers. The are proving to be very handy and only a few of the freshmen have lost their keys.

The basketball and wrestling season has come to an end. So the freshmen haven't and aren't going to be very busy. However, there will be school work to do. The freshmen can always keep busy with that!

OUTSTANDING

TEEN-AGER

NAMED

One Corsica High School student has been selected as Outstanding Teenager of America for 1973, according to Mr. Neil Hall, Principal.

Selection for the Outstanding Teenagers awards program automatically qualifies this student for further state, regional and See OUTSTANDING TEEN

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JUNIORS PREPARE

FOR PROM

by Nancy Star

The junior class is busy preparing for the prom and banquet. The committees have been meeting amd making plans for the night when the juniors ask the seniors "To Stay Awhile".

The concession stand has been operated by the juniors at all home games and matches in the past season. This is a project to raise money for the Jr.-Sr. Prom.

SOPHOMORES

ENJOY BIOLOGY

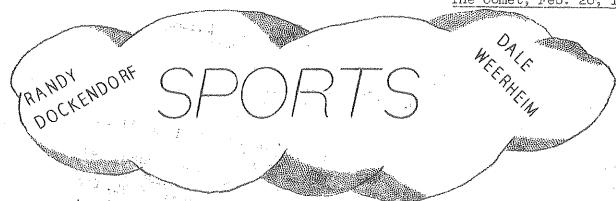
by Bev Everson

The sophomore biology class has dissected its first specimens. They were an earthworm, a starfish, a clam and a crayfish. Unfortunately we have biology the period before dinner. As of yet, the dissecting has not seriously affected anyone.

This is the first year the sophomores have been required to turn in a term paper. With the papers due February 28, everyone is busy.

Man is a gregarious animal, much more so in his mind than in his body. He may like to go alone for a walk, but he hates to stand alone in his opinions.





WRESTLERS.

SUFFER SET BACK

On January 25, the Corsica wrestling team traveled to meet the Mt. Vernon wrestling squad. Again the Comets came short of victory as the Mustangs beat them 14-50. Corsica had to forfeit the heavyweight class, but got forfeits in return, in the 112pound class and the 185pound class. Kevin Van Genderen pulled in the only other points for Corsica with a tie. 31/

PANTHERS

OVERTAKE COMETS

January 30th saw the Platte Panthers at Corsica for a wrestling match. Corsica tried hard to beat the Panthers, but in vain. Jim Buck was the only Corsica wrestler to get a pin. Curt Graumann rounded out Corsica's score with a tie. Because of Corsica's lack of a heavyweight, Platte received a forfeit for that class. The final score was 8-48.

NDIANS

SCALP

MATMAN

The White Lake Indians traveled to Corsica February 1st to take home a victory. Corsica tried Cont. col. 2

Comets Have A Promising Future

The Corsica Comets closed out their 1972-73 basketball season with a record of eight wins and thirteen losses. Five of their victories were over non-conference foes Geddes and Delmont, and conference opponents Letcher, Mount Vernon, and Artesian. They also fared will in special games, by defeating Dakota Christian in the Stickney Doubleheader, and knocking off Letcher and White Lake

Cont. from col. 1 their best to defeat the Indians but came out of the battle last. Mike Buck, Dale Weerheim, and Randy Olivier were the only Corsica wrestlers to score. Randy received a forfeit and White Lake also had one. The final score came to 15-42.

COMETS FIGHT TO THE FINISH

The Comets fell 76-74 in a high scoring conference game to Plankinton. Corsica was within three, 51-48, after three periods, but the Pirates scored 12 points without an answer to decide the game. Albert Heber led the Comets with 18 points, along with Tom Eggers' and Duane Vanden Hoeks' 12. Russ Metzger took in 13 Cont. col. 3

to win the CBH consolation trophy. They also dropped some games that could have gone either way.

One good aspect of the season is that Corsica only loses two seniors, while Mr. Krietlow has broken in several sophomores who will add to the team. With so much experience returning, there seems to be a great future ahead for Coach Krietlow and his Corsica Comets!

Cont. from col. 2 points and 12 rebounds for CHS.

The "B" team broke away from a close first half and dumped the little Pirates 62-42. The Comets placed four men in double figures.

They were Scott Beukel-man, Kent Fisher, Curt Mui-lenberg, and Randy Olawsky, with 15, 12, 11, and 10 points, respectively. Arend Kuyper led the rebounding with 11.

COMETS DISPOSE OF MUSTANGS

Corsica picked up a CBH win by downing Mt. Vernon, 69-58. The Mustangs had a hot shooting hand, and took the lead, 42-41 late in the third quarter. However, See MUSTANGS

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MUSTANGS

containing page 5 the Comets turned the table in the final period by hitting some key baskets while MVHS went cold. Corsica outscored the host 22-14 in the fourth quarter to lock up the victory. Tom Eggers and Dick Bordewyk Metzger adding 19 points and 15 rebounds.

The "B" team was shaky in the first half, but exploded for a 55-36 win. Kent Fisher and Scott Beukelman led with 18 and 13 pointers, respectively. Mike Noteboom collected 12 rebounds.

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Stickney proved to be too much as they chalked up 9 73-46 win and sole possession of the CBH title (8-0). Cold shobting by the hosts gave the Raiders the needed start, as they veathered momentum as the bmight wore on. Russ Metzger provided the Comet attack, Macogints and 12 rebounds. . The Budidn t fare much better as a fourth quarter rally put the Little Raiders on top; 48439. The Comets. .led.most of the way before going cold. Scott Beakelman and Arend Kuyper were tops with 12 points and 7 rebounds, respectively.

COMETS FALL TO EAGLE POWER

Two games in as many nights was more than Corsica could handle as they dropped a 67-52 decision to the Andes Central team. The Eagles held the Comets in check throughout the

The Comet Team Takes Might Stand

The Armour Packers held off a determined Comet comeback grabbing a 68-64 victory. Armour jumped out to a lead as large as 20 points scored 22 and 10, with Russ but fell flat in the fourth quarter. However, time ran out on Corsica while they. were four points behind. Tom Eggers burned the nets for 30 points, along with Albert Heber's 11.

Brink pulled down 11 rebounds.

The "B" team surprised Armour s by beating them on their home court, 38-34, for the second time this year. Two free throws by Arend Kuyper was what decided the contest. Arend Kuyper led A the Comets with 12 points and 10 rebounds. Kent Fisher was next with 10 points.

game. Tom Eggers led off offensively with 22 points. Russ Metzger and Mike Notebr boom spared 10 and 9 rebounds, respectively.

hang. A second half really fell short for the "B" in a nerrow 45-43 loss to Andes. Alast second attempt wouldnt go in, leaving the Haglen as winners. Scott Boukelman and Arend Kuyper contributed 16 points and 13 rebounds, respectively.

WRESTLERS ATTEND

INVITATIONAL

On S-turday, Feb. 3, the Comets attended the Mt. Vernon Invitational. There were six towns, including Corsica, that participated in this event. They were Avon, Corsica, Kimball, Mt. Vernon, Sunshine Bible, and White Lakë. Consida took home several fourth places, and Jim Buck received a second place ripbon. Noone received a first place in this tournament. Overall, Corsica placed fourth at the invitat onal.

PIRATES ROB COMETS OF VICTORY

Corsica fell to the Avon Pirates on February 5 to end their season with a 112-0 record. The Comets had three wrestlers scored points for Corsica. Jim Buck and Kevin Van Genderen both pinned their opponents. Dale Weerheim received a forfeit in the 167 lb. class. At the end of the match, the scoreboard showed 18-45.

COMETS SMEAR RAMS THE

The the gym smelled like sheep, it was probably because Corisca was smearing the Artesian Rams all over the floor by a score of 83-52 in the season final. The Come ts jumped out to a 6.0 lead and were never threatened throughout the game as they built their lead. In the second half it was just a question of how big of a victory Corsica would have. Tom Eggers had a hot 29 points followed by Mike and huss at 15. The pair also grabbed 11 and 10 rebounds.

The "B" dropped a 49-47 decision to Artesian in Vanip-and-tuck affair all the way. They put up many tries in the final seconds; but couldn't get one to tie the score.

WHY THE WAR?

by Phyllis Vanden Hoek
Why the war, tell me please
Why this fighting all the time?
Instead of people having teas
They must be involved in a crime.

Why do men have to die
Is it just to keep our pride?
The time is drawing nigh
When everyone will be at the battleside.

As a soldier sees his buddy fall He thinks 'It could have been me.' While people here are having a ball The soldiers ask, 'Why must this be?'

There's a war here in our own country Let us fight that one first. Why must this always be For death, some people have a thirst.

When will this dreadful thing end,
Must it go on forever and ever?
The more soldiers overseas we send
The more to get killed by the pull of a lever.

How do you think the parents feel Whose boys must go off to war? What do you think of this deal, Is it a pleasure or a chore?

Parents Recognized

by Lowell Bye On February 5, 1973, parents of the Corsica High School wrestlers were re-The wrestlers cognized. and their parents were introduced during the intermission between the "B" match and "A" match. There was a good attendance for the final match of the season and nearly all the parents were there. After the match, the parents and wrestlers were served a lunch of taverns, pop, and coffee. It was an enjoyable evening for everyone on the squad. Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm --Ralph Waldo Emerson

BEWARE OF THE 'IDES OF MARCH'

by Londa Gruenewald
Are you aware of the
"Ides of March?" This was
a term used in the Romans
calendar system. The calendar had three fixed days
in each month. They were
the calends, the nones, and
the ides. The calends were
the first day of the month,
ides were at the middle,
either the 13th or the 15th,
and the nones were the 9th
day before the ides. Days
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OUTSTANDING TEEN

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national honors and scholarships totaling \$7,000.
Local nominee is Jeanne
Hoekstra.

Nominated by their Principals, the Outstanding Teenagers of America are chosen from individual schools across the country for excellence in academic achievement and community service. The local students will now vie for the Outstanding Teenager of the Year trophy to be presented by the state's governor. Similar trophies will be presented to the winners in the other states. The state winners are selected by the Outstanding Teenager Awards Selection Committee, in cooperation with the Board of Advisors.

The 51 state winners will be eligible for awards totaling \$7,000. One boy and one girl will be chosen for national scholarships of \$1,000 each to be used at the college or university of their choice. Ten regional winners will also be selected from the remaining state winners to receive \$500 regional scholarships.

In recognizing the special talents of these Outstanding Teenagers, author and entertainer, Arthur Godfrey, said... "You are an inspiration to your elders as well as your peers; ... I hope you will eventually be as proud of us as we are of you."

These Cutstanding Teenagers also have the "opportunity to become great national leaders and doers," President Nixon said in a congratulatory message to the nominees.

Under the guidance of the Board of Advisors, the See OUTSTANDING TEEN cont. p

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OUTSTANDING TEEN

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Outstanding Teenagers of
America program was created
to encourage young people
to take full advantage of
the opportunities in our
country. The awards are
presented each spring, and
biographies of all those
honored are recorded in the
annual volume, OUTSTANDING
TEENAGERS OF AMERICA.

PARENTS ACKNOWLEDGED

by Albert Heber Parents Recognition Night was held February 16 at the home game with the Artesian Rams. Prior to the game, the parents of the players and cheerleaders were publicly recognized. Everybody was asked to stand with their sons and daughters on the court. As a result the main working force which made possible Corsica's basketball program was shown as one group. Surely the parents worked just as hard as the students did during the season. They weren't disappointed for the Comets came off with a big victory against the Lunch was served Rams. after the game.

Seniors Journey To Pierre

by Dorothy Spaans
The senior class set
Feb. 13 as the date for a
trip to Pierre to sit in on
the legislative sessions
underway there. Unfortunately this trip was called
off because of the unpredictable weather.

After some discussion in class with Mr. Hall and Mr. Bass, a new date was set

THE DAY

(Theodore Spencer),
The day was a year at first
When children ran in a garden;
The day shrank down to a month
When the boys played ball.

The day was a week thereafter
When young men walked in the garden;
The day was itself a day
When love grew tall.

The day shrank down to an hour When old men limped in the garden;
The day will last forever
When it is nothing at all.

Coming Events In March

March

- 1- High School Music Concert
- 8-9- State 'B' Tournament at Sioux Falls
 No School
 - 12- Regular School Board Meeting
 - 22- Theater class matinee, 1:30 p.m.
 - 23- Theater class presents play to public
 - 23- End of 3rd 9-week period
 - 24- Business Contest in Aberdeen
 - 30- Spring Parent Teacher Conference No School

on the 27th of February.

The seniors are looking forward to going to Pierre and hoping that it will be very educational.

IDES OF MARCH

cont. from p. 7 between the nones and the ides were called the days before the ides. The "Ides of March," a term widely known, was the day on which assasinated, Ceasar was when the March 15. So soothsayer told Julius to "beware of the Ides of March," he meant a definite day. An old superstition set the Ides of March as a day of bad luck.

Pep Club Meets

by Londa Gruenewald
On February 8, the Pep
Club assembled to learn
some new "B" team cheers.
"Rickety Rackety Russ",
"We're Behind", and "Get
Up Go" were some of the
spirited cheers that the
Pep Club were taught. The
"A" team also introduced
the cheer, "Sock It To Me".

A discussion followed on the matter of serving lunch at the Student Council dance which will be held some time in March. If you were born between February 18 and March 19 you are under the sign of the Fishes.

Pisces is often referred to as a notable sign. Your personality changes as often as your environment. You are extremely moody and may run the gamut from complete dispair to ecstacy in the course of any given day. So acute is your adaption to people and surroundings, that you are often described as emphatic. You should learn to keep others from having such a strong emotional hold on you.

As a Piscean, you have a tremendous ability to turn imaginative ideas into performing principles for today's world. Such a man was the Piscean, Albert Finstoin, whose theory of relativity gave birth to modern physics.

Music is an important ingradient in your life because of its soothing and healing effect on your easily distrubed emotional nature.

MARRIAGE PARTNER: Scorpio, Taurus, Virgo, Capricornus

LUCKY MONTHS: June and November

LUCKY DAY: Thursday

BIRTHSTONE: Aquamarine

FLOWER: Daffodil LUCKY NUMBER: 9

FAMOUS PERSONS born under Pisces: Albert Einstein, Luther Burbank, Cardinal Newman, Harry Belafonte, Chopin,

Vincent Van Gogh, Elizabeth Taylor CHS STUDENTS born under Piscos:

Lois Kennedy—February 23
Renee Bye-February 23
Calvin Muilenberg—February 28
Jennie Van Dyke-February 28
Arlene Spaans—March 10
Doris Niewenhuis—March 10
Albert Heber—March 11
Carol Buck—March 12
Lonnin Van Rockel—March 13
Lois Groen—March 16
Marilyn Gerlach—March 17

Karla Beukelman-March 19

Larry Spaans--March 19



Council Dance-March 16!!

The Comet, Feb. 28, 1973/9

America

Honors Past

Presidents

by Gloria Spaans

The United States, this past month, has observed the birthdays of our two most famous presidents, George Washington and Abraham Lincoln.

George Washington was our first and one of the greatest presidents of the U.S. He was born on February 22, 1732. He died in 1799 leaving the nation great memories.

Abraham Lincoln, born February 12, 1809, made him, self known by freeing the salves and writing the Gettysburg Address. He was our sixteenth president and the first elected by the Republican Party. He was considered our greatest President.

All governmental business places were closed Monday, February 12 and 19 in the honor of Abe Lincoln and George Washington.

Student Council Makes Plans

The Student Council members met with their advisor, Mr. Hall, on February 12. They discussed the possibility of sponsoring a Sweetheart Ball or a Spring Dance sometime in March. The date was set for March 16 and secretary Jeanne wrote a letter to ask "Peace", a local band from Mt. Vernon, to perform at the dance. Unfortunately, the band can't make it on the 16th so another meeting will be held to make further plans.

"FIND THE STATES"

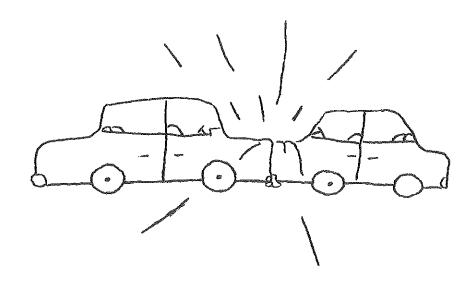
The names of all fifty states can be found among these letters. The name of the state sometimes is read forward, at other times backward, up, down, or diagonally. Draw a circle around the name of a state when you find it. List states circled below. Some of the names overlap with other states.

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