

## "RUBBERNECK"

IS CAST

by Darrell Vanden Hoek

A few Monday's ago a play was cast. The parts were filled by the following people: Bobbie-Jean Hoekstra; Uncle Elwyn-Russell Metzger; Mother-Loni Van Roekel; Wendy-Loni Van Zee; Melanie-Faye Menning; Larry (Father)-George Romkema; Philip-Danny Noteboom; Fletcher Crawford-Darrell Vanden Hoek; Aunt Roberta-Marcia Vanden Hoek; Cab driver-Evan Brink; Arnold-Rick Krull; Millicent Greer-Bev Zwart; Osgood St. John-Evan Brink.

Just in case you didn't read the large write-up in the last paper here are a few of the essentials: Admission-75¢ for adults, 50¢ for students; When-April 1-2; Where-gym; What-play "Rubberneck"; Time-8:00.

VACATION!  
DUE TO SNOW

School did not convene on March 18 and 19 due to an over abundant supply of light fluffy snow. The weather conditions became even worse when the wind decided to have its turn and blow the snow around. Thus, we had an even longer vacation than was expected.

## TWO PRACTICE TEACHERS AT CORSICA

MR. BARTLING

MR. CHULA

by Shirley Rus and Judy Ommen

If you see a new face around this school don't get shook. It is the one and only Mr. Craig Bartling. He is from Menno, South Dakota. Mr. Bartling has graduated from Southern State College. He is twenty one and will practice teach. He will take over Typing I and General Business. Students Be Prepared!

Guess what? A new teacher is coming. He is Mr. Gary Chuala. His home town is Verdigre, Nebraska. He is attending Southern State College and will graduate in spring. The classes he is taking over are physical education, social studies, and government.

CARNIVAL  
TO BE HELD

by Margie Van Zee

The spirit of spring sweeps Corsica High as they celebrate their annual Carnival. April 15th is the day selected so mark it on your calendars, come share the fun in the high school gymnasium at 7:30 P.M.

The number of carnival stands has been increased this year and prizes range all the way up to a two foot teddy bear.

There are numerous stands for your enjoyment. The cake walk will be held in the bandroom. For all you guys there will be a basketball and baseball throw. The wide range of stands ranges from the fish pond and pop guns to engraving.

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A new game this year will be the ring toss game. All the old favorites will also be back again, among these are the dart throw and the penny pitch game. The jail will be back again this year stronger than ever. Guaranteed escape proof.

The freshman will be serving lunch in the kitchen and the seniors will be stacking bingo prizes to the ceiling.

The sophomores and juniors will be busy running nearly all the remaining stands.

The evenings highlight will be the crowning of the king and queen. Join us as we take a night off for the entire family.

BE SURE TO ATTEND  
"RUBBERNECK"  
APRIL 1 OR 2



WHAT WILL

YOU BE

IN TEN YEARS?

X  
Jeanne H.

What are you going to be in ten years?

Donna--a better shaped Dog!  
Russell---plans to retire at twenty-one.

Darrell--a mother

Mrs. Keith---three hundred pounds heavier

Loni---educated

Dave D. V.--- President of A.A.A.

Margie and Pat---rid of Mr. Kruse

Chuck---Not a Hallibut of a lot!

Mr. Fred--- Sober, Single, and Sexy

Wyonne---married

Cheryl S.---Hopefully living in a house

Sallie---bigger nuisance

Mary H.---coke addict

Faye M.---a dentist

Tom G.---Twenty-nine

Dwight---a town bum

Curt---professional parachuter.

Lindi---a teeny, weeny, worn out witzel snitzel

Tom E.---girl watcher

BE SURE

TO ATTEND

THE SPRING

DANCE ON

APRIL 3RD

ANIMAL

ASSEMBLY

TO BE HELD

Students and teachers at Corsica High School will have a lesson from four orphan dogs with their friend and trainer, pretty Leslie Carroll, on March 26 at 12:30 o'clock.

Such the porcupine, Bopper the beaver, Michael the spotted fawn, Louie the red fox, and Snoopy the raccoon will help the new "teachers" through the use of the slide projector. Only the dogs and Miss Carroll will be there in person, giving a lesson on how almost any animal treated with love and kindness will return the affection and will work hard to please.

Sterling North, author of the best sellers, RASCAL and RACCOONS ARE THE BRIGHTEST PEOPLE, HAS WRITTEN AN article entitled "Who's Afraid of the Wolf." It is the story of Leslie's work with four wolf puppies. Mr. North is currently doing another book on wolves, and Leslie will again be featured.

Miss Carroll will appear under the management of the Division of Supervised Study, State University, Fargo, North Dakota.

ALL-STATE BAND

The twenty-first annual All-State Band, featuring 164 of South Dakota's finest high school bandsmen will be appearing in Mitchell at the Corn Palace on Saturday, March 27, 1971 at 8:00 p.m.

Guest conductor will be Colonel Arnold D. Gabriel from the United States Air Force Band, Washington D.C.

Don't miss this opportunity to see the 1971 South Dakota All-State Band.

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SPEECH CLASS

PRESENTS

PUPPET SHOW

Renee Bye

March 10 turned out to be a pretty exciting day for the Sophomore speech class as they took a crack at the acting profession. As a class project, they had to put on two puppet shows and a Reader's Theater. It involved a lot of work as the girls and the boys each had to write his own script. Everyone worked on the paper mache heads and the girls sewed the bodies. The boys' puppet show was entitled, "The Three Little Pigs" and the girls chose the story, "The Three Billy Goats Gruff". The Reader's Theater was entitled, "The Reluctant Dragon". All three lasted about 45 minutes. It came as quite a shock to the speech class upon entering the gym that day to find that about ten high school boys were present. We were nervous enough to start with just knowing it was being put on for the grade school. However, we did our best and when we were finished, we felt that we had done a pretty good job and were pleased to find that the high school students hadn't laughed, and had listened quietly. The speech class would like to thank those high school students for being a good audience.

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# TRACK OUTLOOK

by Jerry M., Curt-K., and Tom E.

The outlook for the 1971 Corsica Comets has an air of success. The Comets possess some of the best relay teams in the state, and if the guys come out and really work we will be the best, and we'll prove it.

The Comets sport a 35 man squad which shows some good talent by the Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores; the Freshmen show a lot of promise too.

As you know we sent two guys to the State meet last year, Roy Beukelman and Dan Noteboom. We are hoping they will repeat their performances, and feel that they will, but with even more success than last year.

Summing it all up! If the guys go out there and run their hearts out we have just as good a chance to win the State Track Meet as anybody else in South Dakota.

## SPRING DANCE

TO BE HELD APRIL 3

Here comes the big event you have all been waiting for, the Spring Dance. Postponed before because of bad weather, the Student Council has decided the dance should be held Saturday, April 3. The dance will feature "The Tensions" from North Dakota. The dance will start promptly at 8:00 p.m. and will last until midnight. A lunch will be available for all who want it.

Admission will be \$1.00 and \$1.50.

# PAUL BUNYAN AND SPORTS



by Joe Maunders

I'm going to tell you the story of the Paul Bunyan of sports. When he was born he weighed 100 pounds and could throw the shot put 60 feet. By the time he was a senior in high school he was 16 feet and 8 inches tall. He weighed 1,080 pounds, and was the champion of every sport in the world.

He could throw the shot put 300 feet with the flick of a finger. Flick, and there it goes, a home run with a shot put.

He pitched in baseball and struck out every batter that faced him for 20 years straight. He hit a home run every time at bat, and at one time hit a ball so hard it went all the way around the world and back and landed right into his hand.

In football he ran as a halfback and gained 600,000,000 yards in his 10 years of football.

In track he could stand still and high jump 80 feet. He also swam across the Atlantic Ocean in 5 strokes. He lifted 6 million pounds above his head to become the world's greatest weight lifter.

The only sport he didn't play was basketball, as they didn't have a gym big enough for him to stand in. When he died it took 80 men to carry his casket, the strongest men in the world. It took one whole graveyard to bury him in. There was never anyone else like him and probably never will be again.

# ANTAGONISTS ATTACK

We the girl's in CHS, in order to form a more perfect school, lucidly allege the right to be able to have girls' track and therefore have equality in this organization of higher learning.

We have been informed that the initiating steps were started but were unfulfilled. Is it so uncomprehensible that these bestial creatures revoke our rights with extreme virulence to become active participants in the so-called indomitable male world.

In conclusion, our school has in its immediate possession an innumerable amount of the feline species to make this a profitable attempt at systemized olympic events.

Antagonists

## WRYNECK?

by Calvin Muilenberg

What is a WRYNECK?

(bird related to the woodpeckers, which twists its head and neck oddly.)

Mrs. Keith-Darrell Vanden Hoek.

Mr. Henthorne-Anyone who chews toothpicks.

Russell M.-What your neck becomes after Greg and Brent get done with it.

Donna Sprecher-Something you do while parking.

Darrell V.D.H.-What Donna looked like after the New Year's Eve party.

Marcia V.D.H.-The reaction the play might cause.

Bev M.-A person who sticks their neck in other peoples business.

DESCRIPTION  
OF  
LIFE

by Russell Metzger

You find all kinds of people walking around today. If someone asked you "Give me a detailed description of your life," could you do it? You probably could, but would you tell him the exact truth?

Nobody can give an accurate account of anybody else, because no one really knows what goes on in other people's lives. If someone ever came up to you and asks this question of you, would you be ashamed to tell him everything you do? If you couldn't, maybe it is time for a change in your life. How about it?

EVERYONE IS  
COMPLAINING

by Marcia V. H.

Complaints, complaints, complaints is all we hear around here. Teachers complain because students don't do assignments and kids complain because we have so much work. Here comes the big question: How can we work together to help each other? I've got a few suggestions, but you should work out the answer to this yourself.

A. Students--try to at least look over your assignments before class.

B. Teachers--It there is something really worthwhile going on the night before try to be a little lenient.

How about it, students and teachers can work together to make school a pleasant place to be.

SAVE  
THE  
LIBRARY

by Mr. Droppers

Each school year the school subscribes to approximately twenty magazines, two daily newspapers and one weekly newspaper. The selections of these magazines is made by the administration and teachers keeping in mind to cover as many fields possible.

It seems as though that at times some of these magazines are taken from the library and not returned.

Please remember that we are trying to have a magazine rack that is interesting for all students and not just a few. Leave all magazines in the library.

SPRING

by Phillis Van Den Hoek

Spring is coming soon  
It is just around the bend  
The birds are all in tune  
As merry songs they send.

The snow is almost gone  
It won't be long now, you know

We will soon be seeing a fawn

Walking alongside a buck  
and a doe.

The flowers will be blooming  
While farmers sow their grain.

Soon the corn will be coming  
As soon as it begins to rain.

Yes, spring is certainly coming

But we must wait a little longer.

The winter is quickly disappearing

For spring is right around the corner.

PATRICK'S

DAY

by Dorothy S.

Saint Patrick's Day is celebrated on the 17th of March each year in the honor of Saint Patrick, who is the patron saint of the Catholic church in Ireland.

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Saint Patrick's Day became recognized by the people of the United States in 1845. It is celebrated in homes, churches, schools and many other places, by greeting cards, flowers, shamrock and wearing special apparel, (usually in green)

In New York preparations for Saint Patrick's Day begins shortly after Christmas. There is and in honor of the Irish, is a great day for all.

Saint Patrick also introduced the Latin script built churches, and founded monasteries. Ireland later became known as a "land of saints and scholars."

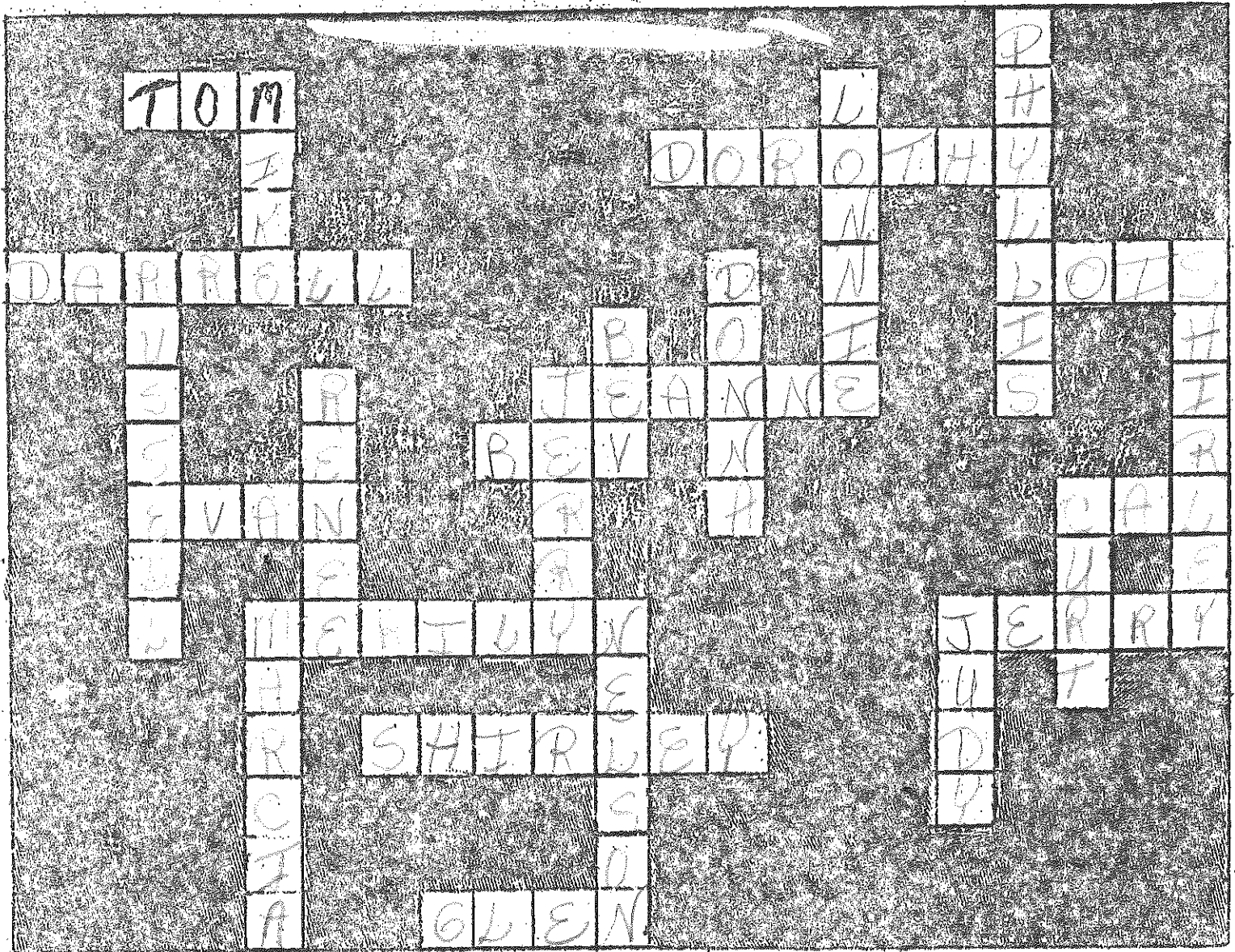
Saint Patrick believed that the shamrock represented the Holy Trinity. In this way he tried to explain the mystery of Three Persons in One God, just as three leaves on one stem, through this way of teaching many understood. From that day on and still today, the Shamrock grows a living symbol of the unity of God in His sweet trinity of Love.

The Shamrock is a small clover plant with green leaves made up of three leaflets, looking much like the white clover.

Saint Patrick died on March 17, 1432. Many poems are written in his honor.

# SOPHOMORES

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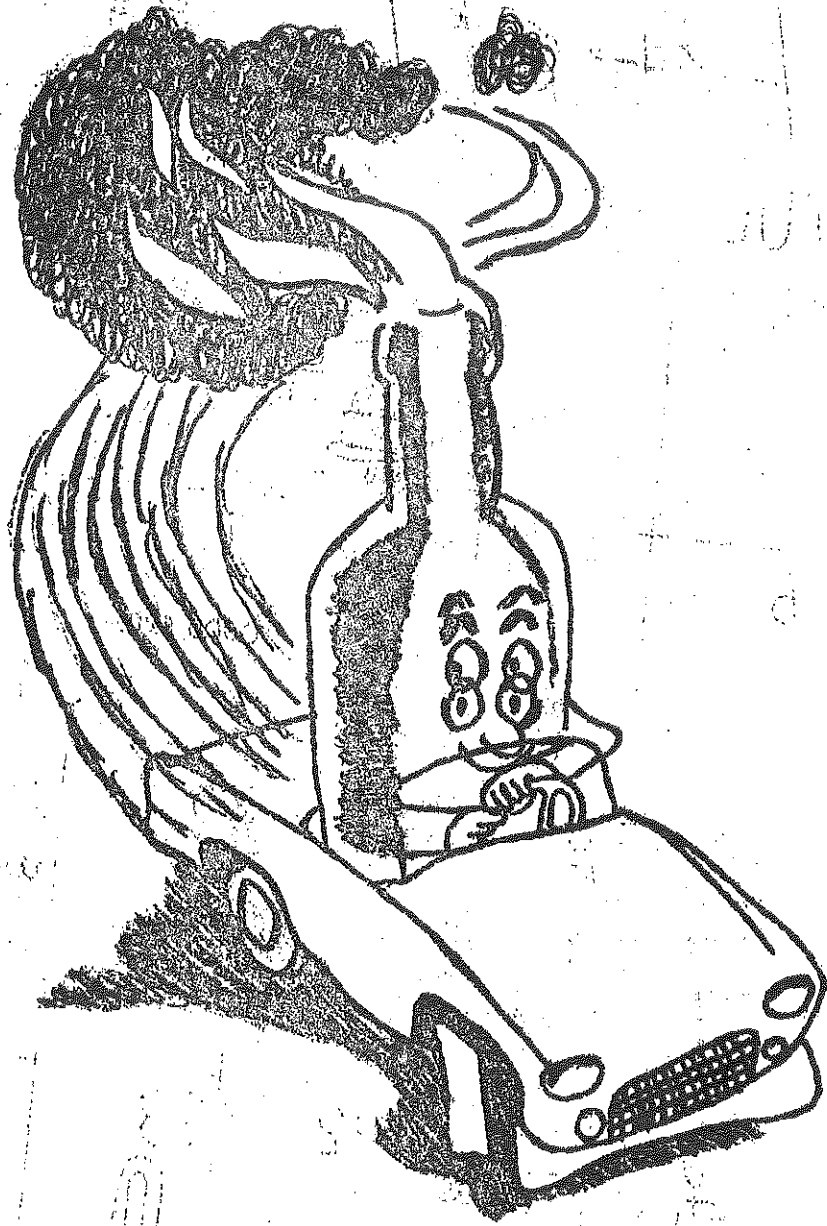
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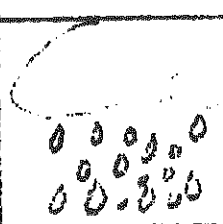
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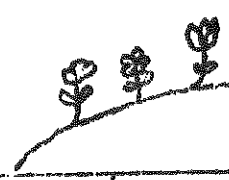
Driving and Drinking.










Shows Lack of Thinking.

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# APRIL



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
				1 PLAY  Red Dorman	2	3
4	5	6	7 Winner Relays	8	9 GOOD FRIDAY Vacation	10 Corn Palace Relays
11 EASTER  Shirley Kus	12 Shirley Kus Vacation	13	14 Kevin VanBender 	15	16	17 Watona Relays George Rambert 
18 Loren Spurlich 	19	20 Stichroy Relays Lore V. DH 	21  Keith Sprecher Gloria Harris	22	23  Tyndall Relays	24 Madison Relays
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