

Kindergarden 1949-1950

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## Garfield Building And Others in High Gear Today

The Pearl Harbor crop of babies is now in the first, second and third grades in school and that is one of the reasons that the Garfield building is filled to the brim with students. Extra teachers have been secured to teach these "war babies."

Today was the first day of school in the Augusta system. In addition to the high registration in Garfield building, the High school Junior class is an extremely large one. A complete report of registration in the four buildings will be printed before the end of the week.

Early this morning, it seemed that a raincoat would be part of the school attire. But the rain moved into another locality before school took up and the sun came out to make the first school morning an ideal one.

Classes were to start on the first day with short discussions and lesson assignments. Along the athletic line, football practice will get underway immediately. Gear has been handed out and physicals have been completed.

## Augusta Schools Started Tuesday; Meet The Faculty

Registration Is Taken in  
Three Schools; Meet the  
Augusta School Teachers.

Augusta schools started yesterday for a nine-month session. Registration was taken in the Junior High, Garfield and Intermediate school buildings. High school registration was taken last week.

Enrollment figures for the first day of school in the four buildings in Augusta have been secured from the office of Supt. H. H. Robinson. This year's figures are compared with the two previous years:

	1949	1948	1947
Garfield Bldg.	336	300	248
Intermediate bldg.	263	238	228
Junior High	246	220	216
Senior High	344	335	314
Totals	1189	1093	1006

The higher attendance this year as compared with last year is given in percentages: Garfield, 12 percent; Intermediate, 10½ percent; Junior High, 12 percent; Senior High, 2 percent. The percentages over two years ago are: Garfield, 35½ percent; Intermediate, 18 percent; Junior High 14 percent; Senior High, 9½ percent.

Enrollment may now be made in the kindergarten from outside the district, it was reported today. The tuition is \$50.

In case readers did not save the list of faculty members when it was printed recently, it will be rerun today. Meet the Augusta teachers: Superintendent of schools is H. H. Robinson.

Senior High  
C. W. Gustafson, Principal and Commerce.  
Jerrold A. Bruhnke, Instrumental and Vocal Music.  
Edna Chapin, Home Economics, Junior and Senior High.  
Everett Fuller, Woodworking and Drawing, Junior and Senior High.

### Hot Lunches Will Start Monday in Augusta Schools

Hot lunches will be started Monday, September 12, in the Augusta schools. Pupils who are to have the service are to purchase their tickets for 10 meals from their teachers sometime before Monday noon.

The prices: Garfield, 10 meals, \$1.70; Intermediate, \$2.00; Junior and Senior High, \$2.30. Single meals will be 25 cents for the higher schools. The above prices are on the average of five percent lower than last year, remarks Supt. H. H. Robinson.

The U. S. government contributes nine cents to every complete meal served and food to the school that it has purchased as surplus.

These children may benefit from the hot lunches: Children and young people who live in the country or those whose mothers are working away from home; small children who live too far from school; needy children, who for any reason, cannot get a sufficient meal at home.

No dishes need be brought from home for service. If the family is in need, one of the parents is to write a letter of explanation to the child's teacher or talk to the teacher. These applications will be passed upon rapidly.

### Milk Service Starts Monday In the Schools

The service of milk in the Augusta schools will start next Monday, September 19. This year, milk will be served students in the Garfield, Intermediate and Junior High school buildings—a half-pint either at mid-morning or mid-afternoon. Milk is also served at noon during the hot-lunch period.

Students are asked to bring 25 cents each to their teachers tomorrow, if they wish to be served the milk. This is Grade A pasteurized milk.

Last year, at the milk hour and at the hot lunch period, about 60,000 half-pints were served. That's a lot of milk—and milk is a nearly perfect food.

## 1214 Students Enrolled in Augusta Schools

Large Increase Is Noted Since 1947; Augusta Population Increasing.

Augusta schools have been in session exactly nine days and the enrollment figures have been compiled in the offices of Supt. H. H. Robinson. There is a large enrollment this year—a total of 1214 students in the four buildings. In 1947 at this same time, the total enrollment figures were 1,003 students. The increase is noted in all buildings as the following figures will divulge:

Enrollment 1949: Garfield building, 394; Intermediate building, 270; Junior High building, 249; Senior High building, 301.

Enrollment in 1947: Garfield building, 244; Intermediate building, 226; Junior High building, 207; Senior High building, 116. Note the same enrollment in the Intermediate and Junior High buildings.

Augusta has grown and is "bursting" at its seams. This is known in other ways than through the school enrollment. The deputy assessors found this to be true last spring. Every tenable building is occupied by one or two families—and more rental properties are needed badly. This latter feature was found out when a rent control committee canvassed Augusta a few months ago. Building is going on continually—but it has not yet caught up with the population.

### CARFIELD NEWS The Baby Ortol

Garfield began the first day of school on September 6, with 121 Kindergarten children—Mrs. Haney and Mrs. Schrag are teachers; 113 first graders; and 114 second graders with one second grade in Intermediate and one in Junior High.

Susan Paulcomer celebrated her birthday with a party in her room at school. Thirty little boys and girls in Mrs. Justice's room helped her enjoy her birthday.

Milk will be served beginning this week. Garfield will have 196 boys and girls drinking milk.

Garfield, all newly painted, varnished and decorated, makes very cheerful rooms.

#### Kindergarten

The Kindergarten children are having many new experiences getting acquainted with everyone in the room, learning to play, sing and work together.

The boys and girls in Mrs. Schrag's room have been drawing sunflowers to decorate the room.

Next week they will start easel painting.

#### Room 8—Mrs. Skiles

We have 16 boys and 15 girls in our room this year. Three of us, Jerry Markley, Robert Sparks and Roberta Sparks, ride the bus in to school each morning and back home each evening.

A four room doll house is being constructed by our group. Two orange boxes supplied the material. The painting, decorating and furniture are original and distinctive.

# ATTENTION!

## MOTHERS OF KINDERGARTEN PUPILS

### The Augusta Daily Gazette

in cooperation with

## Don Whitlock

New Owner of Fillmore Studio

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Photos Will Be Taken By Fillmore Studio

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The photo you will receive or the picture in the Daily Gazette will cost you nothing, now or ever. The Gazette wants the pictures and Whitlock wants to make them to introduce his work to Augustans.

Appointments will be taken from

**Wednesday, September 28 through Saturday, October 1**

Appointments must be made for the pictures to avoid waiting or delays.

Phone for your appointment now and let us introduce your kindergarten youngster to the readers of The Augusta Daily Gazette. Then, receive your FREE photo from Fillmore Studio.

#### GARFIELD NEWS The Baby Oriole

The following mothers have visited school recently:

Mrs. Carl Smith and Mrs. Glenn Trebbe visited Larry Smith's kindergarten room Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Reed and Tim visited Richard's first grade room Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Eldon Tarman and Gallen visited Cheryl Jan's first grade room Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Eldringhoff visited Joe's first grade room.

Mrs. C. L. Casteel visited Lenora's first grade room.

Mrs. Durl Allison, Jr. visited Susan Jane's first grade room.

Mrs. George Jones visited Dixie Lea's first grade room.

Mrs. G. F. Markley visited Jerry's first grade room.

Mrs. C. W. Thornton and Mrs. Irene Taylor, who is visiting here from Indiana, visited Larry Jackson's first grade room.

Mrs. Wayne Hooper visited Donald's first grade room.

Mrs. Phillip Ball visited Michael's first grade room.

Mrs. Firebaugh visited school October 13.

Lu Anne Thompson surprised the boys and girls in her morning kindergarten room with delicious treats to celebrate her birthday October 7.

Cheryl George and her mother, Mrs. Ross George, and Duane Harms and her mother, Mrs. John Harms, gave a birthday party October 11 for Duane and Cheryl on their birthdays.

Mrs. Severson is giving shots in the Garfield school this week.

Last week was Fire Prevention Week. The week was opened with a fire drill. The building was emptied in 30 seconds. Children colored safety pictures and talked about safety and ways of preventing fire. Mrs. Harvey's second grade room made Fire Prevention books. The covers were from pictures given to them by the Kiwanis Club. Each book had 4 pages: (1) Three things necessary for a fire to start, (2) What causes fire, (3) What to do in case of fire, (4) A Fire Prevention picture. The second grades added two new words to their vocabulary by studying Fire Prevention—Oxygen and Prevention.

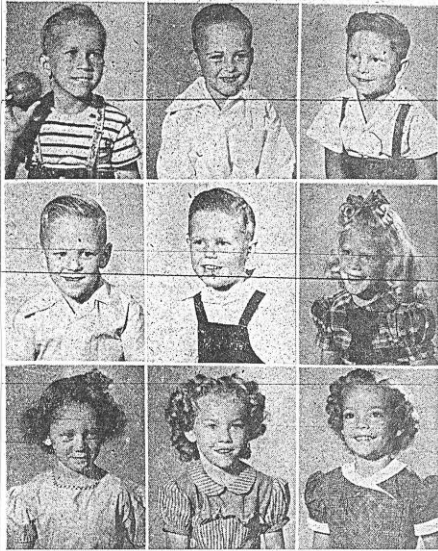
Grade cards will be given out Wednesday noon, October 18.

### GRADUATING CLASS OF 1962



This is the first in The Daily Gazette series of pictures of kindergarten pupils. These were made in cooperation with Don Whitlock of Fillmore Studio, who gave each of the pupils a free 5x7 print of their individual photo. Reading from left to right: First row—Sandra Smith, Erma Ray, Vera Williams; Second row—James Burch, Tomas Horning, Richard LaFever; Third row—Jonny Johnson, Tommy Tuttle, Robert Butler. This group is in Mrs. Schrag's room. Watch The Daily Gazette for others in the series. Pupils in Mrs. Schrag's room are invited to clip this picture for their scrap books.

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Here is another in The Daily Gazette series of kindergarten pupils of Augusta, taken in cooperation with the Fillmore Studio. This group is in Mrs. Schrag's room. Pupils may clip this for their scrap books. From left to right: First row—Billy Johnson, Walter Gooding, Curtis Roby; Second row—Dennis Biggs, Robert Kaufman, Cheryl Brown; Third row—Sue Sterling, Trudy Wentz, Nancy Abel. Watch for others in the series.

**GRADUATING CLASS OF 1962**



Here is the third in The Daily Gazette series of kindergarten youngsters taken in cooperation with Fillmore Studio. This group is from Miss Haney's room. Pupils may cut this out for scrapbooks. From left to right: First row—Barbara Widener, Karen White, Gloria Hanck; second row—Sally Souder, Billy Pickrel, Mike Howter; third row—Carol Cody, Jerry Payton, Stephen Carson. Watch The Daily Gazette for more in this series.

**GRADUATING CLASS OF 1962**



This is the fourth in The Daily Gazette series of kindergarten pictures taken by Don Whitlock of Fillmore Studio. The youngsters are clipping these for scrap books. From left to right: Top row—Janet Gilliland, Mike Cyphers, Betty Burdorf; second row—Sue Krack, Larry Smith, Louise Simpson; third row—James Bryan, Dorin Oakes, Thomas Hurd.



Number 4 in The Daily Gazette series of kindergarten youngsters is from Mrs. Haney's room. All pupils are invited to cut out this and other pictures for their scrapbooks. Left to right: First row—Gloria Lane, Warren Markey, Christine Hopper; second row—Stephen Harper, Carrol Ogan, Raymond Murphy; third row—Janice Maggard, Darrelyn Hatchett, Elvin Mullin. Watch The Daily Gazette for others in the series.