

1889 - 1906



Franklin Haven Hall invented the Braille-writer for the blind.



Franklin Haven Hall introduced the typewriter for the blind to Helen Keller.



1890

A.V. Greenman becomes Superintendent.
(1890-1909)



1893

The first football game between East and West Aurora was played on Hurd's Island. The rivalry has continued over the years, becoming the oldest high school football rivalry in the state. On October 12, 2018, the 126th game was played.

1902

The West Division District No. 4 was changed to West Aurora School District 129.



1906

In response to overcrowding, a separate facility for high school students was constructed on the corner of Galena and Blackhawk streets. Including the principal, the new school had 7 teachers. Courses offered were English, Science, History, Drawing, Mathematics, Latin and Commercial.