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Masquerade Will Be Staged Friday Evening

Carl Miller's Band Will Play For Second Annual Event; Awards Total Eleven Dollars

North hall gymnasium will be the scene of the annual masquerade sponsored by the R club Friday evening. This is the second event of its kind staged at River Falls in recent years.

A total of eleven dollars will be awarded in prizes. Four dollars will be given to the foursome winning the group prize. The best dressed couple will receive two dollars. The best dressed man, best dressed woman, and best impersonation will receive one dollar each. Two dollars will be awarded to the best jitterbug couple.

No one will be allowed entrance at the door without a mask on. The committee feels that not disclosing one's identity until the designated time for unveiling, and the belated discovery of just who that romantic partner is, will enhance the spirit of the occasion.

Swing tempos will be served by Carl Miller's campus band. Several sparkling new medleys plus the latest in popular music is being practiced for the occasion. Dancing is scheduled to begin promptly at 8 p. m.

Chaperones will be Dr. and Mrs. Justin Williams, Professor and Mrs. Clifford Juedes and Professor E. P. Whealdon.

Fred Dubbe, stalwart lineman of the championship football squad, will act as master of ceremonies.

700 Students Enroll For Second Term

Although a small number of students have not as yet registered, the enrollment for the second term is slightly below that for the first term. When registration is complete, the enrollment will be approximately 700.

Over-population still exists in the chemistry department. Whereas additional equipment has been installed in the chemistry laboratory, the problem of arranging for laboratory periods so as to accommodate the large number of students in this department has not as yet been solved.

The distribution of students in other departments is approximately the same as during the first term.

The following new students from other towns entered college with the opening of the present term:

LeRoy Anderson, Woodville; Melvin Erickson, Melrose; Mervin Bailey, Viola; Fred Lanners, St. Paul, Minn.; Norman Larson, Colfax; Ward Randles, Alma Center; Catherine Ronyak, Minneapolis; Marian Saul, Red Wing, Minn., and Peter Vig, Luck.

Local entrants are: Ardis Dixon, Chester Dumont, Dorothy Lovell, Janice Allen MacDonald, Shirley Mueller, Mathias Nelson, Burton Olson, and Mildred Peterson.

Dr. Williams - - the Coffee Tester

Cafeteria coffee has been a standing joke on the campus for years—but "them days is gone forever." The cafeteria made room for a new Silex coffee maker on its budget this month. Presto—new, fresh, just the way you like it, coffee on hand any time of day. Now Miss Rausch is testing different brands of that caffeine containing beverage.

Students who haven't anything to do in the afternoon might amble down to the cafeteria. If you wait long enough you might be a favored one and see Dr. Williams casually stroll down, camouflaging his real

President's Greeting

Christmas! Once more the college closes its doors, and the student body scatters to its several homes to celebrate the birth of the Redeemer. May I wish to each of you a happy and profitable vacation. May we all relax from the strains of our everyday life and return refreshed to our duties.

Those of us who remain in River Falls bid you Godspeed and look forward to your return. MERRY CHRISTMAS!

J. H. Ames

200 Attend FFA Meet at College

Nearly two hundred high school officers and advisers, representing thirty schools, attended the second annual Future Farmers field day here last Saturday.

"Good rural leaders are what we need today, and I know of nothing doing more than the FFA for developing leadership," stated Dr. Karges in welcoming the delegates.

The group conferences, which were the main feature of the meet, were well attended and enlivened with active discussion.

Each of the five groups were directed by a member of the agriculture department aided by a secretary who tabulated ideas and suggestions offered by the participants. The delegation discussing the duties and responsibilities of the president was led by Richard Delorit, state FFA president. An active meeting of vice-presidents was headed by Hiram Thompson. Other groups included the reporters and treasurers directed by Edwin Baker and George Roberts, and the secretaries, Donovan Hohman in charge.

"You can't learn farming out of books. There must be a combination of study and practice," declared Mr. Louis Sassman, state supervisor of

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Christmas Atmosphere Prevails

Inspired by the beautiful decorations, a Christmas atmosphere prevades R. F. S. T. C. Evergreen boughs bank the stairway of South hall. A Christmas tree graces the entry to South hall, and another stands in the entrance to the auditorium. Both the auditorium and the library have been garbed in a holiday appearance. The campus has also taken on a colorful glow, with lights adorning the trees in front of South hall.

Again this year the large oil paintings of the Virgin Mary and the Christ Child appears in the corridor leading to the South hall gym. This painting is a possession of the art department, having been painted and left there by art students of some years past.

The student senate appropriated ten dollars, with which to finance this project. The work was done by the Palette Club under the direction of Ruth Moen, chairman of the decoration committee.

desires by ordering a cake. Miss Rausch spies him and asks him if he won't sample some new coffee they're trying out—though Englishmen drink tea. Naturally he accepts. After sipping a cup he still isn't convinced of its merits and starts on another. Cake or a sandwich would help. Just a bit more now and he'll know—three cups (new cups too, the cafeteria has indulged in a new set of twelve dozen dishes in the Roosevelt pattern (new deal)) are duly consumed. Not bad! Dr. Williams—go down tomorrow and maybe it'll be better.

Training School Gives Program Before Assembly

Prof. Rozehnal Will Direct Chorus of 55 Voices and Miss Moss Has Charge of Cantata

About 150 children will participate in the Christmas program presented by the Training School, Tuesday morning, December 20, at 9:50. An operetta will be presented by grades three, four, five, and six, and a chorus of 55 voices from the junior high school will give a cantata. The program is under the direction of Mr. B. J. Rozehnal.

The cantata, *The Hope of the World*, describes the first Christmas. Featured solos and duets will be included. The chorus is directed by Miss Vera Moss.

Christmas in England, the operetta to be given, is based on the experiences of a modern boy and girl who visit England during the Christmas season in the age of chivalry. Mrs. Adeline Patten has charge of the music, Miss Augusta Thomas the dramatics, and Miss Louise Hilder the costuming.

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Assembly Tuesday

Classes scheduled for 9:50 Tuesday, December 20 will meet on Thursday, December 16 at 9:50. An assembly program will be presented next Tuesday at 9:50.

Debaters Discuss Plans for Season

Thirty prospective debaters met with Coach Walker D. Wyman last Thursday afternoon to discuss plans for the approaching debate season. Of this number only two, Loell Larson, senior, and Jack Osborne, junior are the returning members of last year's first squad.

To replace the graduated members Coach Wyman has several promising sophomores who participated in debate work last year, as well as a number of freshmen with high school speech work to their credit. Upper classmen reporting for debate work for the first time were Berton Swan, Chauncey Meacham, and Mary Katherine Prucha.

The question for discussion this year is, "Resolved: that the United States should cease to use public funds for purposes of stimulating business." The initial debate of the season will be held the first week after the holidays with St. Olaf College at Northfield.

The group will meet daily except Friday at 4:10 with Coach Wyman and Miss Helen Loeb, who will act as assistant debate coach this year.

College Calendar

Friday
Masquerade Dance 8:00
Monday
Faculty Dinner, 6:30
Y. M.-Y. W. Program, 7:00
Basketball Game, 8:45
Tuesday
Assembly, 9:50
Christmas Musical Program, 7:30
All school party, 9:00

Modern Art Exhibit

Modern paintings will be exhibited in the art room the remainder of this week. Miss Alberta Greenc urges the students and general public to visit this display of recent trends in art.

Vacation Notice

The Christmas vacation will occur as scheduled in the catalog, Wednesday, December 21 to Wednesday, January 4, 1939. All classes will close at noon on Wednesday, December 21 and resume at 8 o'clock, January 4.

All students will be required to be present at classes at the opening of the session on January 4.

J. H. AMES, President

S.F.R.C. Probes Movie Problem

With Miss Hathorn presiding as chairman, the Student-Faculty Relations Committee held its second regular meeting Monday, December 12, at 4 p. m.

Discussion centered around the same old problem—that of purchasing a sound-movie projector. It was soon discovered, however, that not enough statistical material was on hand upon which the committee could take action.

Sub-committees which were previously appointed, were to have reported at this meeting with the facts and figures needed to answer President Ames' letter requesting knowledge as to types and costs of various machines, and sources from which funds were to be obtained.

As soon as it was found that the reports were as yet incomplete, it was decided to postpone further discussion of this subject until Thursday, December 15, at 4 p. m. at which time a special meeting will be held

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Miss Hathorn to Fete Girls

Seventy-one sophomore and senior girls besides fifty other guests, including all the women of the faculty, have been invited to attend a tea given by Miss Irma Hathorn in the Social Room on Sunday from 3 to 5 p. m. Owing to the large number of women in college, Miss Hathorn decided it would be best to entertain them in groups. Thus, the Junior and Freshmen women may look forward to a tea in the spring.

Miss Ethel Wynne Kingsbury will render a program of carols in addition to several humorous selections. She will be accompanied by Miss Cara Wharton.

"That Faculty Skating Party"

Cigarette butts in the cafeteria, scratches on the social room floor, water on the the knee, and French phrases floating about are all results of the faculty roller skating party.

Regardless of the fact that many of the faculty members haven't been on roller skates since their grade school days, they performed many stunts—some not so graceful. Mr. Whealdon who had never been on roller skates before (so he says) competed with Mr. May for the championship of the evening.

The Lowerys stuck together thru-out the evening—holding each other up? The touch ball wizard, Mr. Juedes, dashed madly about—on his feet—and proved himself king of all the brain trusts. Our history professor, Dr. Williams, remembering that Sir Walter Raleigh had always stood up under trying occasions, succeeded in saving his breeches.

Cracking the whip got a wee bit violent and Mrs. Wyman lit on her nose—where was the Dr? Mrs. Wyman wasn't the only one to take a tailspin; Mr. Thorson imagined he was Sonja Henie and gave a very good example of Darius Greene and his flying machine—he lit on all

Traditional Yule Program Next Tuesday

Prof. Geere Has Charge of Musical Program in Which 150 Students Will Participate

Culminating pre-holiday activity on the campus, 150 students will present the traditional Christmas program in the North hall auditorium Tuesday, December 20. The program will open at 7:30 p. m. when several Christmas slides will be projected on the screen. Christmas slides will be followed by various musical selections which will include the quartettes, musical chimes, A Capella choir, Girls Glee club, the General chorus, and the orchestra. The climax of the evening will be reached when the General chorus and the orchestra render in unison a selection from Handel.

The auditorium will be appropriately decorated with colorful Christmas lights, traditional Christmas trees, holly wreaths and candles. These decorations have been planned by a division of the student decorating committee of which Paul Sommen is the chairman.

Although the outside public is cordially invited to this program, it essentially belongs to the students, put on by them and for them. "It is," states Prof. M. D. Geere, "intended to foster a general Christmas spirit—and after all, doesn't Christmas come but once a year?"

Alumni Receive Annual Bulletins

Over 3500 former students of R. F. S. T. C. will receive their copy of the 1938 *Alumni Bulletin* in the near future. Copies of the bulletin are being mailed to the alumni this week.

Alumni news fills most of the sixteen page publication. Items of interest concerning students as far back as 1889 are listed. General school news of the 1938-39 school year is also included.

The *Alumni Bulletin* is published by the Public Relations committee of which O. M. Hanna is chairman. Other members of the committee include A. N. Johnson, secretary-treasurer; Russell Johnston, Maude Latta, Dr. R. A. Karges, and Dr. W. D. Wyman, bulletin editor.

fours. Apparently Mr. Rozehnal has had experience with other means of transportation than the street car—he stood up.

The high light of the evening was reached when Miss Rausch, skating gaily about the rink on Mr. Whealdon's arm to the tune "You Go To My Head," was suddenly confronted with an immovable brick wall. Physics students remember what happens to an irresistible force when it meets an immovable object—nothing. Newton would be surprised to learn that Miss Rausch has discovered a result—water on the knee. That means crutches for about five weeks. It's reported that either Mr. Setterquist or Mr. Thorson had given her a push—same—they're nice men too.

After the skating was over, the party goes retired (?) to the "caf" and had chow mein and cigarettes. Entertainment attained its peak when they all drifted up to the social room to dance to the victrola while Mr. Anthony played bridge.

All in all it was—as Miss Rausch says—a gay and giddy party. Maybe they'll have another soon. Here's hoping a Student Voice reporter gets invited.

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Thoughts of Christmas

Christmas - - that term immediately surrounds itself with an atmosphere of pine needles, rustling tissue paper, and light-hearted carolers.

Recollections of crowds of students bustling enthusiastically around the campus - - the tolerantly smiling professors - the lines of waiting cars with "Dad" at the wheel and brother Jimmy waving wildly out the side window at the prodigal son or daughter of his family, replace all thoughts of classes and study.

For some of the RFSTC students that trip home will be a brief and hardly unusual experience; for others, it may be the "first trip" to a home several hundred miles away. To the latter group it will signify a state of reunion with their families and old friends. Each of these students will undoubtedly find that the last three months have changed his outlook on the old home town of pre-college days - - either for better or for worse, as the case may be.

To the great "public," of which RFSTC forms only a minute proportion, the Yuletide spirit serves as a softening agent, a period of rejuvenation during which there is once again "Peace on earth - good will to men." As one author states it, "during this so-called modern age when all people feel that they must treat life with an indifferent and a cynical attitude, Christmas introduces a division of this Ice Age, a period during which old and young can relax, free for a time from their diurnal duties."

Pan-America and the World

The eighth Pan-American conference, attended by Cordell Hull and his associate delegates, is meeting in an atmosphere of Pan-American community interest such as has never before prevailed. Trade and propaganda activities in South and Central America by three totalitarian countries - Germany, Italy, and Japan - together with military and political developments abroad have caused the countries of the New World to think in terms of common defense.

Up to now the growth of Pan-Americanism has been slow. Even today, most of the citizens of Latin America feel closer to Europe than they do to the United States. Among themselves, they nurture rivalries, differences of language, economic nationalism, and other forms of separatism. In the half century that the Pan-American Union has been operating as the agency of American nations it has exercised only the most innocuous of functions.

The union's officials have seldom concerned themselves with political issues. The 21 sovereign states have been unwilling to delegate the slightest authority to deal with matters affecting their individual welfare. Today, however, the pressure of world events has slowly and inexorably changed this situation. This conference should lead to a mutual defense plan for all the Americas against all forms of aggression from the eastern hemisphere.

New Cheers Are Needed

Undeclared in conference play during the entire football season, the Falcons are off to a pretentious start on the basketball court. Team work of the calibre witnessed in recent weeks merits vigorous support on the part of the student body.

Thus far we as a group have not supplied that support.

Potential student enthusiasm is not lacking, but to tap that reserve a new repertoire of streamlined yells must replace the present antiquated stock.

The question is: Is there sufficient student initiative and ingenuity on our campus to remedy this glaring defect?

Merry Christmas

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Clamorana

Egypt's proverbial black night is as a flamboyant Broadway compared to the gloom that now shrouds my weary being. Mentally and physically I am harrassed, oppressed - - a fugitive from my many enemies. There is rebellion stirring within me, but I'm far too weak to strike.

This is getting to be a terrific strain. Last week when I was taking my usual nap in my 12:30 class, the prof called on me. Before I woke up, I had already crawled halfway under a chair.

And just yesterday a little dog chased me all the way down to my hotel suite. Its getting so even a Pekinese can look down on me.

My troubles originated as a result of this cursed column. Buttermakers have no use for me. And a few of the footballers didn't approve of my discourse two weeks ago. And the House of Pitts didn't approve of my referring to them as "demented souls." But gosh I can't help it because they're crazy. And what hurts most of all is that I know some lovely girls from such points as Hudson, St. Croix Falls, Beaver Dam, and even Ellsworth, but they all say I'm too darn conceited.

I didn't realize how low I'd sunk in the estimation of the college until two members of the House of Pitts (which I think should be renamed the House of Nuts) tried to make up and be friendly with me. If there is anything lower in the social scale than the Pitt clan, it could only be Editor Greene and his associate Larson who censor my stuff so ridiculously. Even the swing-stylist, Carl Miller, who has commenced swinging Christmas hymns, rates above them.

Judging from appearances, I share a place in campus opinion at approximately the same level as the GOP. I hope they sympathize with me.

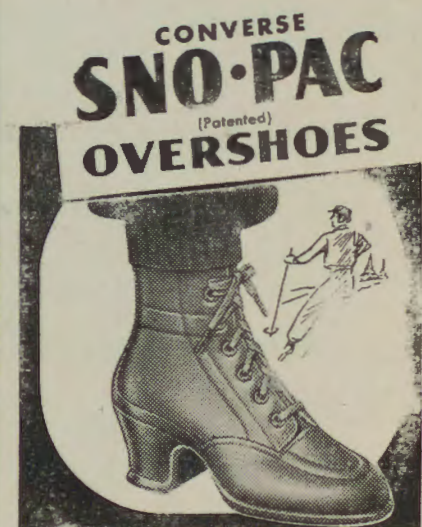
But once upon a time I was happy. You see I was a beautiful baby. Everybody adored me and took pictures of me in my triangular trousers. I felt so proud then. And my papa was proud too.

And once upon a time I had friends. It was nice having friends. I had to drink only one coke out of every five I paid for. And I could walk around saying hello to people, and they'd look at me and pass by. But now they won't even look.

I have only one consolation left. It's a promise from one of my old psychology profs at the University. I can always get the bare necessities of life there. He said he could use a fellow like me - running mazes in the lab.

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The Baton



Now comes the Yuletide season. Soon, everyone will swiftly pack his luggage and hurry to the home hearth - - a welcome change from the past fourteen weeks.

Let us think carefully about Christmas. What is there in it for us?

We should like to suggest the cultivation of a new Christmas habit. It is the music habit. Around the Christmas thrill is wound a million strains of beautiful music. Listen to it. This music, some of the greatest that is to be found, should give a new meaning and a different flavor to your Christmas happiness - something more than plum pudding, new clothes, or a dazzling shop downtown.

And then there was the FFA boy, Mr. Deetz it was, who nonchalantly announced before an audience of more than a hundred people last Sat-

urday morning that "Gene Egan will now sing a volo social."

Let yourself be penetrated by the more beautiful things of the Holidays - - let music give its message to you. Perhaps there is just a little something in Christmas that you never knew of before.

"This is Christmas eve, isn't it?" I asked, as if I did not know.

"My father and mother looked at one another; then my mother looked away, her face pale and stony. My father's face took on a joking look; he pretended he hadn't known it was Christmas eve, and said he would go down town and find out. I didn't want my father to have to keep on being funny about it so I went upstairs, undressed in the dark and crawled into bed. It was hard to breathe. My body knew the truth before my mind, and as the pain in my body ebbed, the pain in my mind began. I knew why I hadn't gone to school that fall - why I hadn't new shoes - why we had been living on potato soup all winter. All these things fitted together and meant something. Then the words came and I whispered them in the dark: "We're poor!"—Floyd Dell, a quotation from his *Homecoming*.

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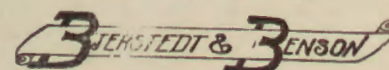
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Sports

Varsity Intra-Mural W. A. A.



Lowerymen Defeat Huron Scalpers 49-27

Fifteen Men Used in Downing Coach Parker's Travel-Weary Squad Here Friday Night

Coach Lowery's Falcons garnered their third pre-conference victory by dumping the invading Huron College cagers from South Dakota 49-27 last Friday night in the North hall gym.

Coach Lowery started a different combination than the one which has started in the first two encounters. The starting lineup found Nelson and Bohmbach at guard, King and Randles at forward, and Swartz at center. The other combination, substituted as a complete team, had Tarpey and Martin at guard, Blank and Larson at forward, and Torgerson at the pivot post. These units appeared to work quite well and both teams showed fairly good scoring combination, with the starting team having a very slight edge in offensive strength in the game Friday night.

The abundant material available for Coach Lowery this year should enable him to use a system of shock troops similar to that used so effectively and efficiently in wearing down opponents and winning games for the champion Eau Claire Teachers squad last year.

Hurons' Scalpers presented a good team that exhibited some snappy passing and ball handling but which could not penetrate the tight Falcon defense on our small floor. It was quite evident that the boys from Huron were handicapped by "travel legs" acquired on the day long journey over icy roads to River Falls.

The Scalpers biggest threats were Herther at center and Gauge at forward. Herther was a constant threat and one of the finest ball handlers the Falcons have met this season. He was high scorer for the evening with eleven points and was assisted by Cameron at guard who speared seven points for the main offensive strength shown by Huron. Hauge, huge boy, was always threatening but lacked the shooting finesse to make him a really dangerous man. Huron could have brought their score up materially by capitalizing on its free tosses but missed seventeen of them.

It's the same old story, and a good one, about the Falcons because they played as a unit and no one was the sole offensive threat and a marked man for future contests. The scoring was evenly divided with no one getting more than eight points and 12 men participated in the scoring. Coach Lowery used his entire squad of fifteen men.

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Blank	3	1	3	7
Bohmbach	2	4	2	8
Crosby	0	2	2	2
Larson	2	0	2	4
Randles	0	1	1	1
Torgerson	0	0	4	0
Schwartz	3	0	1	6
King	3	2	0	8
Schmidt	2	1	1	5
Martin	1	0	1	2
Tarpey	1	0	3	2
Palm	0	0	0	0
Osborne	0	0	0	0
Lindhahl	1	0	1	1
Nelson	1	0	0	2
	19	11	21	49

The 1938 baseball season found fifteen American League sluggers hitting at least twenty homers. Greenberg led with 58, Foxx followed with 50, Clift 34, York 33, DiMaggio 32, Johnson 30, Gehrig 29, Dickey 27, Keltner 26, Gordon 25, Bonura 22, Henrich 22, Simmons 21, Heath 21, and Gehring 20.

1938-39 Schedule

- Dec. 16—Oshkosh, there
- Dec. 17—Stevens Point, there
- Dec. 20—Augsburg, here
- Jan. 13—La Crosse, there
- Jan. 17—Stout, here
- Jan. 20—Superior, there
- Jan. 27—Eau Claire, there
- Feb. 3—La Crosse, here
- Feb. 17—Stout, there
- Feb. 24—Superior, here
- Feb. 10—Eau Claire, here

Intramural Basketball Has Thrilling Games

Intramural activities this last week were confined mainly to basketball. All the teams have now been definitely organized, and games were run off nearly on schedule. Because of the St. Olaf game, Monday evening's games were postponed, but all the other contests were played.

Wednesday evening two very fast games were run off with the Maroons nosing out the Hoosiers 16-14 and the Panthers defeating the Irish 24-16. In the former, Swanson of the victors and Wesenberg of the Hoosiers tied for high scoring honors with eight points each. Bergemann of the Maroons was close behind with two buckets and a gift shot.

In the other tussle of the evening, Wulf flashed his usual good form to sink seven buckets to take high scoring honors for the evening as well as placing himself at the head of the league scorers. Healy led his team with six points.

Thursday's games both turned out to be very close affairs, with the Hawkeyes defeating the Wolverines 17-13, and the Badgers succumbing to the Wildcats 19-13. This was the second game the Badgers have played in league competition and it gives them a .500 rating.

In the Hawkeye-Wolverine game, Harlander of the victors led the scoring with a field goal and four free throws for six points. Harrison, playing for the Wolverines was close behind with 5 points. In the second game, Niccum led both teams with nine points.

Competition thus far is very close and no team has established itself as a favorite as yet. Some very good basketball is being played in these games, and the admission to the games is free.

Starting next issue, a list of the "Big Ten" scorers and the team averages will be published. A schedule of the games will appear on the intramural bulletin board.

The swimming tryouts are being held this week. Each of the four classes will have separate tryouts. The contenders will each receive honor points whether or not they qualify for the school meet. A schedule of the class eliminations is listed on the bulletin board.

Dr. G. J. Phillips
Optometrist



MERRY CHRISTMAS

Falcons Win Second Over St. Olaf 45-36

Blank Nets Eighteen Points; Sheimo gets Fifteen to Lead Oles Offensive Threat

The River Falls Falcons took their second game this season from the St. Olaf cagers of Northfield in a return encounter at River Falls Monday night by a 45-36 score. The first half was close all the way with the Falcons holding a 19-14 lead at the intermission. The second half found the Oles staging a rally which tied the score at 20 points apiece and threatened to put them in the lead. King took care of this, however, by slipping through two beautiful shots from the side of the floor and furnishing the added impetus to get the Falcons rolling again. They were never threatened from this point on to the final gun which found them holding a nine point victory margin.

For River Falls, Blank was the main offensive cog, driving in for six buckets along with six free tosses. For the Oles, it was Sheimo and Peterson, the big center and the little forward, who carried the offensive burden with fifteen and eleven points respectively.

The game was slowed up by the infliction of 33 penalties. Three men were forced to leave the game on personal fouls. They were guards Tarpey, Wilke, and Dugan.

This was the last home game for the Falcons until December 20 when they will meet Augsburg College here following a trip to Oshkosh and Stevens Point next Friday and Saturday nights.

	FG	FT	PF	TP
King	2	0	0	4
Blank	6	6	2	18
Larson	0	1	3	1
Randles	1	2	0	4
Torgerson	0	0	0	0
Schwartz	1	2	2	4
Tarpey	1	0	4	2
Nelson	2	2	3	6
Martin	0	0	0	0
Bohmbach	1	4	1	6
	14	17	15	45

Free throws missed: Blank 3, Larson 2, Schwartz, Bohmbach 2.

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Sports Roundups

Coach Lowery tells us that the athletic department has used about two and one-half miles of one inch tape since school started. The reason for the large amount is the numerous sprained ankles during football season.

A game very similar to basketball was played by the Indians in Arizona over 2000 years ago. They developed an invention of the Mexican Indians. A large court 360 feet long was used.

The New York Giants are World's Champions of the football professionals as the result of their 23 to 17 victory over the Green Bay Packers at the Polo Grounds in New York Sunday. Two blocked Packer kicks set the stage for a field goal and a touchdown which gave the Giants their first nine points.

Badminton Squad Wins Second Match

Winning more than one half of the matches on Tuesday night, December 6, River Falls defeated another Twin City badminton aggregation, this one from the St. Paul Athletic Club. The St. Paul team was composed of A. Gutterson, H. Anderson, H. Johnson, N. Nelson, C. Brown, C. Erdman, J. Greenwald and W. Rice.

R. Karges, G. Kind, E. Hehnke, J. H. Owens, S. Larson, M. Wulf, F. Dubbe and B. Platte represented the River Falls club. The most interesting and best matched game of the evening was that between St. Paul's H. Anderson-H. Johnson combination and the E. Hehnke-H. Owens team.

The River Falls men won two straight games from the St. Paul men who are rated among the better teams in Minnesota badminton circles.

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Social Topics Are Subject of Y.M.C.A. Poll

**Whitemarsh, Ronningen,
Larson, and Lucente Clarify
Points of Questionnaire**

Political and economic problems pertaining to labor, agriculture, industry and consumers were discussed by Fred Whitemarsh, Loell Larson, Martin Lucente, and Thomas Ronningen before the YMCA Monday evening.

The talks were preliminary to filling out a questionnaire of opinions on the subjects discussed. The poll of opinion was sponsored by the Council for Social Action of the Congregational and Christian Churches.

Fred Whitemarsh discussed the question of use of federal measures to support agricultural prices. Loell Larson spoke for the organization of labor into national unions. Martin Lucente opposed maintenance of tariffs and other trade barriers, and Thomas Ronningen explained the organization and aims of consumer cooperatives.

Results of the poll are not available for this issue.

150 Witness Masquer's Play "Tons of Money"

Before an audience of approximately 150 students and faculty members, *Tons of Money*, a three-act farce, was presented Thursday evening, December 6 in the college auditorium. This was the first Masquer play of the school year.

The plot was based on the affairs of the debt-ridden Allington family. An inheritance comes at a propitious moment, and thenceforward there is a continuous struggle to keep the ever-present collectors away from the fortune. The attempts of the family, relatives, and servants to retain control of the fortune, and the final outcome made it a hilarious farce with a laugh in every line.

Excellent performances were presented by all of the members of the cast, with Willard Lane and Ruth Phillips in the leading roles. Particularly outstanding was the work of Betty Jane Hogue, whom the *Voice* neglected to mention last week.

Grad Speaks Before FFA

The place of the FFA chapter in the high school and community work of an agricultural instructor were topics discussed at the last FFA meeting by Chester Dumont. The speaker, a graduate of 1925, has been teaching high school agriculture and doing county agent work.

Members of the collegiate chapter decided to hold the annual FFA banquet after the holidays. Robert Schloemann is the head of a committee to plan for the event.

Practice in parliamentary procedure, in which various members conducted a portion of the meeting, was a feature of the program. A discussion of parliamentary law was directed by Howard Deetz, FFA president.

Training School Will Present Assembly Program

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Main characters in the operetta are the Lord of Misrule played by David Foss, the modern boy by James Foster, and the modern girl by Amy Anderson. The knights and ladies of medieval England are Bill Wells, Dick Freeman, Annalee Benson, Eileen Erickson, Ann Owens, Dean Wilkins, Harold Laufenberg, Justin Williams, David Smith, and George Timmerman.

Geoffrey, the cook, is portrayed by Charles Hocking. Phillip, the bearer of the boars head, is Norris Crist. Lois Junkman takes the part of Lady Ellen, bearer of the peacock pie. The Wassailers and Waits are Betty Jane Pratt, Lois Ward, Donna Mae Olson, Jean Ann Hanson, Robert Chinnock, Thomas Lowe, Faustine Edkins, and Dick Phillips.

Students Cavort To Old Time Tunes

Lullabelle and her colleagues had nothing on those animated and heated collegians who practically did the "Highland Fling" at the folk dance in South hall gymnasium Saturday night.

Reports have it that about 150 eager-eyed enthusiasts watched and danced to the merry strains of *Comin' Through the Rye* under the expert supervision of Ben Olson of Minneapolis.

After dancing those terrific Danish tunes and the strenuous weight-reducing schottisches to the accompaniment of Harriet Campbell at the piano, the exhausted but ever eager dancers were rewarded with apples.

Chaperones for the occasion were the Misses Irma Hathorn, Mabel L. Bridges, and Lucille M. Fobes.

200 Attend FFA Meet

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agricultural education, in talking of the fundamental importance of an organized program of work in the high school FFA.

"To be successful, the FFA program of work should provide for home projects, develop leadership, promote cooperation, sponsor community service, provide recreation, and raise money for special purposes such as trips," explained the speaker.

"The state organization can be no stronger than its local chapters," warned Mr. Sassman, "I hope you delegates will carry home and put into practice many of the ideas and suggestions gathered from this field day, which is of the best quality of any held in the state."

By answering a series of questions asked by Albert Zahradka, Merton Timmerman explained his project program and the qualifications for the American Farmer Degree, which he now holds.

The program of entertainment included band music, a solo by Gene Egan, Mr. Stratton's chalk talk, and the use of the swimming pool.

Training School Pupils Honored

Those students from the junior high school who received 21 or more honor points have been listed on the honor roll as follows:

Grade 7

Mary Eleanor Wilkins, Anna Katherine Laufenberg, Violet Erickson, Vidella Smith, David Benson, Newton Nelson, Howard Hanna, and Gail Christ.

Grade 8

Bobby Pearson, Doris Boles, and Dorothy Johnson.

Grade 9

Bob Nnapp, Marshall Olson, Norman Johnson, Bob Dopkins, and Audrey Luberg.

Twenty students from the junior high school who had perfect attendance last term were allowed a half holiday Friday afternoon, December 2. Those who received the award were:

Grade 7

David Benson, Gail Christ, John Gaustad, Paul Kokott, John McAuley, Newton Nelson, Winifred Boles, Anna Laufenberg, and Vidella Smith.

Grade 8

Doris Boles, LeRoy Kordosky, and Bobby Pearson.

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SFRC Probes Movie Problem

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for the express purpose of discussing this matter further.

Jack Osborne, chairman of the Party Committee, came before the meeting requesting advice as to whether or not he should proceed with plans for an all-school party to be held Tuesday evening, December 20. It was advised to go ahead with the plans, and the party is scheduled to begin at 9 p. m. after the program which will be presented that evening by Mr. Geere's choral groups.

The SFRC is also investigating the possibilities of installing modern, glass-enclosed bulletin boards in North and South hall. At the present time John Christianson is drawing up plans and estimating the cost.

Considerable time was spent at this meeting discussing freshman participation in extra-curricular activities on the campus. Investigations have been made for some time under the supervision of Miss Hathorn. The proposed remedy is the organization of interest groups in these fields for Freshmen only.

Seniors who have the necessary qualifications for leadership in these various activities would be selected to direct the groups. Regularly scheduled meetings will be planned, and then activities carried on at these meetings will depend largely on the interests of the members. At the end of the school year the organizations will dissolve, and the following year the former members of these groups will be absorbed by the existing senior groups, leaving room for new Freshman groups.

During the remainder of this week and the first part of next week, Freshmen who are interested will have an opportunity to sign up for membership. Papers will be posted on the bulletin board for this purpose. If the interest shown is not great enough to warrant such Freshman groups, the matter will be dropped.

Earl W. Luther (1923), who was formerly principal of schools at Gillett, Wisconsin, was elected superintendent of schools at Mayville, Wisconsin, upon the death of Superintendent O. E. Buth in December, 1937.

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