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ARE YOU READY TO VOTE?

River Falls Takes Fast Game

Defeat Stout 32 to 21.

This season's most exciting basketball game was that of last Friday night in the North Hall gymnasium, when our gallant success of the Red and White outclassed our old and worthy rival, Stout Institute, by the score of 32 to 21.

The special train from Stout carried 150 loyal rooters and an excellent band arrived early in the evening, and the gymnasium was crowded long before Referee Jackson called the centers to the ring. Much commendation and praise is to be handed to the peppy Stout band which rendered snappy selections that thrilled and inspired the players and crowd with pep and enthusiasm before the intense moments of the game.

Shortly after the blow of the whistle Cleberg fired the opening salute with a clean ringer from a difficult angle. Another double counter came on the part of a double foul against Bergie, who made two successful free-throws and set the Falls at a 4 to 0 lead, at which margin they kept the enemies at bay during the first half.

Stout's first counter was a sensational long shot from deep center. The stonewall defense of the Falls broke up Stout's attempts to work the ball up to close shooting distance, thus all of the counters of Stout were long range shots of which four were caged out of the many attempts. This, with two points gained by the free throw route, gave them ten points to the 18 tallies of the Falls at the end of the half. Many fouls were called on Stout in the first frame.

Stout came back in the second half with a determination for vengeance. They put up a real fight and at times showed signs of having a slight edge on the Falls. Razzing from the Stout sidelines forced Referee Jackson to call the game and explain the impartial attitude the officials were endeavoring to show both teams. That the officials were fair and called

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"THE FLIRT" IS COM- ING. BEWARE!

Y. M. Benefit Friday Night.

'The Flirt' is the story of the folks next door. It lifts the roof from the middle class house and finds the Madison family of Capital City with a surplus of love and a shortage of money. The father's name is as good as a bond, but it doesn't draw interest. Cora, one daughter, is selfish, lazy, intolerant—but pretty. Laura, her sister, is a reflection of her gentle mother. Hedrick, the little pest, is a composite of every "baby brother." Cora's flirtations with men of the town, the struggle of the father for a living; how he is involved in a confidence game and the eventual triumph of love, gives the screen what is perhaps its greatest blending of laughter and tears with drama."

NEW STUDENTS ENROLL

In the first semester of this year in school there were 500 students enrolled. There are 433 now enrolled, and many more are expected. A great many students, who were here last semester, have not come back, due to the fact that the trains have been delayed.

Of the 433 students, 28 are new students. The following is a list of the new students enrolled thus far:

Earl Johnson, Stanley; Irma Mitchell, Wittenberg; Elvira Mann, Anandale, Minn.; Avis Nichols, Lady-smith; Harold Peterson, Ellsworth; Marvin Scott, River Falls; Ozmond Amundson, Ellsworth; John Francis, Saxon; James Norton, Saxon; Royal Brandt, Marshfield; Helen Wilen, New Richmond; Carl Miller, Balsam Lake; Miss Louise Zander, Minneapolis, Minn.; Olga Wanish, Boyd, Fanny Singer, Butternut; Florence Elliott, River Falls; Ronald Baker, River Falls; Rosa Bender, Amery; John Burke, Casco; Selma Themen, Webster; Aurelia Ryan, St. Paul, Minn.

The Civic Club gives a party tonight in the South Hall gym. Each member is asked to bring a "guest." The club has established a reputation for putting on the best parties of all the organizations in school.

Booze Refer- endum Coming

Will Determine Student Sentiment
on the 18th Amendment.

Several weeks ago we published an advance notice of a straw vote to be held under the auspices of the Student Voice, to determine student opinion here on the Eighteenth Amendment. Next week, the ballot for this vote will be printed in the paper.

In staging this ballot we are following the example of college papers in some of the largest colleges and universities in the United States. While, as the official organ of the school we stand for law enforcement and prohibition, we are not holding this vote for the purpose of upholding our views, but merely as an indicator of the way in which student opinion in River Falls leans. This purpose will be entirely defeated if the ballot boxes are stuffed, or if only a few of the students vote. Let's have everybody vote once, and only once.

As we said before, the ballot will include three alternatives. You can vote for strict enforcement, for modification, or for repeal. The polls will close Thursday noon. Put your ballots in the Student Voice box by the stairs in the hall. Next Wednesday noon, then.

MASS MEETING

The mass meeting held last Thursday night was attended by a considerable number, although examinations were being conducted. From looking the "gang" over, one would conclude that the fellows either have more pep by turning out in greater numbers or care less about their exams. Mr. Junkman displayed his usual amount of wit in giving the basketball men the "Once Overs." Mike Smith and Ernie Ziebell spoke representing the team. Gert Murphy and Wally Cole represented the student body. On the whole the mass meeting was rather poorly attended which can be accounted for by the fact that examinations were on.

I see by "The Flirt"—Variety is the spice of a wife.

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LET'S SHOW A LITTLE PEP

At the game last Friday night, we heard several people remark that the students were at last showing some pep. It is true that the first school spirit of the basketball season was in evidence then, but even at that, there was a lamentable absence of the real old River Falls spirit that makes things hum.

We have just two things to be proud of concerning that game. In the first place, the team won it for us, in spite of us rather than because of us, and in the second place, we showed a good deal better spirit of sportsmanship than did the Stout crowd. There, our superiority ceases. Those hundred and fifty rooters from Menomonie out-cheered and out-pepped us. They showed that they were proud of their team, and that they were behind it to the last whistle.

The writer happened to be sitting near two or three members of last year's class who attended the game. Those two or three old grads showed that they still had the old spirit that made River Falls famous all over the

state, and they did more to liven things up, and to show the team that we were with them than did all the rest of the River Falls crowd.

It used to be the case, that when visitors came to our school for an athletic contest of any kind, they went away remarking on the wonderful spirit shown by the River Falls students, how in victory or defeat they were backing up their team with every ounce, and showing school loyalty and sportsmanship such as they had seldom seen.

River Falls is losing that reputation. Other schools are beginning to get the idea that River Falls is "losing her pep." It's up to us to show them that that is only a temporary condition, that we are going to get out and get behind our teams with a vim that will shove them clear to the top, and the place to which their ability entitles them, but which in the present state of school spirit, we are hindering rather than assisting them to attain. Let's show them next Saturday night. It won't kill anybody to miss one week-end at home. It's time some of us were getting over the notion that we have to beat it home at every opportunity. If you think more of going home every Saturday night than you do of staying here and helping our team to win a game, you're not the kind of a student we want at River Falls.

It is rumored around school that a scandal involving one of the Senior boys is about to break. It is alleged that one of the men students is about to become involved in a breach of promise suit. Judge Walter H. Hunt in an interview yesterday confirmed the report that a breach of promise suit was on the docket for the next term of court, but refused to divulge the names of the parties or give further information. Rumor has it that Attorneys Everett H. Smith and

Hazel Vasey have been engaged by the plaintiff, who, it is reported, is a young lady living about four miles north of River Falls. The Voice expects to have further information in regard to the matter in the next issue as our reporters are working industriously on the case.

Miss Ruby Allen of Stout was the guest of Beach Pearson at the Kandy Kitchen after the game last Friday. So this was "Ruby dear?"

Tessie Frayer left for her home in Glenwood City last Saturday. She will soon enter Winona, Minnesota, Normal, where her sister is a teacher.

"Dave", as he dismissed the class early because of lack of knowledge (on the student's part): "Be careful not to bump your ears on the top of the door as you go out."

On account of the illness of Miss Haddow, a new teacher has been engaged to take her place for about two weeks. The new teacher is Mr. Anthistle from the U. of M.

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RIVER FALLS TAKES FAST GAME

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equally on both teams can not be denied by any unprejudiced fan. The rowdyism from the Stout sidelines, came not from the loyal students of Stout or anyone connected with the Institute.

The game was hard contested in the second half which ended 11 to 14 in favor of the Falls.

The game in general was rather rough in comparison to the previous games of this season. Nevertheless, the apparent roughness at times was not due to intentionally dirty playing on the part of any of the players, but rather it was prevalent because of the fighting offensive playing, speed, and vim that the vigorous opponents put into the game to the urgent cheers of loyal students.

Setler, left forward, was the outstanding star for Stout with five field goals to his credit. Ziebell was the biggest point-getter with 14 of the Falls 32 tallies to his credit.

Lineup

River Falls—		Stout—
Ziebell, r.f.		Garity
		Richards
Cleberg, lf.		Setle
Kees,		
Hutchinson, c.		Allen
Cleberg,		
Bergman, rg.		Smith
Quandt, lg.		Peterson
Umpire—Kilbourn.		
Referee—Jackson.		

Coach Eggebrecht and his cagers will renew hostilities with Eau Claire tonight at Eau Claire in the fourth conference game.

Our next conference game will be played with Platteville here next Saturday night. Platteville is represented by a strong team.

Other Conference Results:
Superior, 20—Eau Claire, 19.
La Crosse, 25—Whitewater, 14.

EXCHANGES

Stevens Point—
They won over Stout 18-16.

Whitewater—
The monthly extra large edition of The Royal Purple for January has for its theme The Ideal Normal School. They congratulate themselves on having ideal surroundings, for its campus, on a hill, is the most beautiful for its size in the state. There were 34 who graduated at the mid-year.

Superior—
The Peptomist is enlarging this semester. A new staff comes in with the new semester. The Three Arts club brought a reader who gave a 80 minute selection of the play "Zander," a very new play not yet published. Thre of the leading artists of the Minneapolis Symphony appeared in a program recently.

Lawrence—
Eleven Seniors were elected to the

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Phi Beta Kappa. An investigation at the the college news depot revealed the fact that Lawrentians buy only periodicals of "higher type". The Saturday Evening Post leads among the men, and the Cosmopolitan among the women. The girls also favor The Ladies' Home Journal and The Woman's Home Companion. Hearst's International is steadily becoming more popular with the students. College Humor is very popular.

Eau Claire—
The second Bobby Burns supper program was very successful. The cost of the annual The Periscope will be \$2,000 this year. Ninety more orders are needed to secure the required amount. The Y. M. girls gave a sleighride and waffle supper party recently.

Hibbing Junior College—
The Ace, a semi-monthly newspaper, (minus ads) of the H. J. C., appeared in our mail this week.

Notice Seniors

Class pins and rings will be shipped to us on or about the 26th of February.

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C. F. Winter

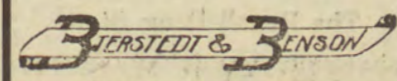
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NEWS FROM OTHER SCHOOLS

Ripon—

Ripon defeated their old rival Lawrence, 16 to 10.

Yale—

Thirty photoplays have been produced under the direction of the Yale University Press. These photoplays are of important events in American History. The first, "Columbus," is being shown in Beloit this month.

U. of Chicago—

Freshmen are obliged to wear green toques during the winter months.

Carleton—

"The Middle Border," literary magazine of Carleton College, has thrown open its pages to all American College students. It is the desire of the Middle Border to make this magazine representative of the colleges of the "middle border" region of the U. S.

Beloit—

With the resignation of the teacher of astronomy, the Beloit college observatory has been closed for the first time since 1881.

The captain and star forward of the Beloit college basketball team, was declared ineligible to play in intercollegiate basketball for the remainder of this year by the Beloit athletic board. "Failure to meet the scholastic requirements" was the reason given for the decision, made suddenly two hours before the Beloit-Hamline game.

Emporia (Kansan) College—

A pretty co-ed of the college has been running a college date booking agency.

Note—There seems to be a need for such service at R. F. S. N. S. this year judging by the bashfulness of the fellows in asking for dates, unless the girls take advantage of its being leap year and ask for dates. If the girls ask for the date wouldn't it be all right to make it a Dutch treat?

Butler College—

Grey corduroy trousers have been selected to designate the Senior men at Butler.

Statistics show that out of 100 average healthy men between the ages of 25-35:

- 36 will be dead at 65
- 1 will be rich
- 4 will be wealthy
- 5 will be supporting themselves
- 54 will be dependent

However 99 percent would succumb to the charms of "The Flirt."

Royce Hansen: "You have a terrible cold."

Jack Lightfoot: "Yes, but it's all caused by that darn outside reading Mr. Hanna makes us do."

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"Naw, come over here in the corner"—"Have you heard the rumor going around school?"

"Well, I've heard some rumors."

"Well, listen to me, I've got the details."—"It's the most scandalous thing you ever heard of. One of the most prominent students in school is to be up for trial this month on a charge of—Sh-h-h, here comes Miss Hathorn."

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