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Tenth Annual Homecoming Great Success

Clafin, Homecoming Chairman and His Committees Deserve Credit

The tenth annual homecoming of the River Falls State Teachers college was a huge success.

The north hall auditorium was packed to capacity for the big rouser Friday evening. Pep and that good old River Falls spirit ran riot.

Old grads were already "on deck" and were all set to start the wheels turning for a big homecoming.

Every event on the homecoming program was carried out on schedule by Ole Clafin, homecoming chairman, and his committee.

The traditional torchlight parade and bonfire were bigger and better than ever. "The Squaw Man" was a good show at the Falls Theatre!

The uncensored parade was not only clever but spirited. It took "fertile" brains to conceive the ideas for some of the floats.

The success of the big football classic need only be mentioned here as the big thrill of the entire weekend. To see a team of players play as those fellows did made one proud to wear the red and white.

The college band was surely drumming up pep for the hundreds at the game. Their uniforms were flashy and their marching and letter formations were well executed.

North Hall gym was too small to accommodate the many couples at the homecoming ball Saturday night. The scheme of decorating was clever and unique.

With the final good-night dance by Arnie Kuss and his Royal Badgers, the 1932 homecoming celebration came to a close. It will be remembered always as a great homecoming.

Social Committee Makes Tentative Semester Plans

The social committee, with Ed Warwick as president, has made tentative plans regarding its activities until Christmas.

The social committee had charge of everything in connection with the homecoming dance. Those in charge of the registration report that many old grads registered. Part of the expenses were taken care of by money from the student activity fund.

The next dance scheduled will be after the Armistice Day game with Eau Claire. Between that date and Christmas perhaps two dances will be scheduled. If enough money is taken on these two, another free dance will probably be scheduled. Admission charges for all school dances will be twenty-five cents per person.

November 19 Deadline for Removal of Conditions

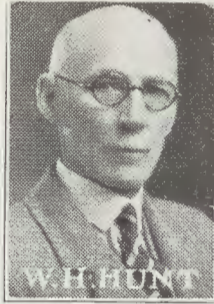
The latest date for the removal of Conditions and Incompletes is November 19. It is urged that students see their instructors at an early date regarding these deficiencies. After November 19 all Conditions and Incompletes not taken care of become Failures.

E. J. Prucha, Registrar

Hunt Explains Split Ticket

Senator W. H. Hunt Tells How to Split Ticket For General Election Tuesday

On the official ballot to be used at the General Election there will appear a column for each political party entitled to a party designation. These are arranged alphabetically with the party designation at the head of each column. Below the party designation—"Democrat" for instance, there is a circle. If you desire to vote a straight ticket, place a cross (x) in the circle. If no other marks appear on the ballot, you have voted a straight ticket—that is, you have voted for every person whose name appears in the Democrat column.



If you desire to "split" your ticket—that is, vote for some candidates on other tickets, make a cross after the name of the person you desire to vote for in the other column and scratch out the name of the person in your political column whom you do not care to vote for.

Many people choose to place a cross (x) after every name they intend to vote for. This too is perfectly legal. In this case no cross is placed in the circle below party designation. The danger in this method is that some names may be overlooked.

Also there is a third way to split your ticket. Place a cross in the circle below party designation, then go on down the column and scratch out the name of the person you do not want and write the name of the person you want to vote for in the blank space which appears under each name.

Don't hurry nor become excited while marking your ballot. Thousands of ballots are spoiled at every election by conscientious people who are interested in their government. Look your ballot over carefully after you have finished marking it, to see if you have made any mistakes.

Junior Class Wins Award for Serious Float

Y.M.C.A. Receives Second, Stewart's Window Places In Merchants' Division

In the uncensored homecoming parade the junior class was awarded first place. "The King of the Conference" was the title of the float. Second prize was won by the Y. M. C. A. float termed "Side by Side."

The Agrifallian square dance of a "Hot Time in the Ol' Town" placed first in the comic division and the "Wash Out", freshman float, placed second. The only individual contestant, Thorwald Thorson, received honorable mention. No prize was awarded because of lack of competition.

In the merchant's window division, Stewart's won first place with their picture exhibit of all the presidents of the college.

Norseng's residence was awarded first place in the house decoration competition.

Masquers Have Try-Outs For Entrance To Society

The veteran members of the Masquer's organization enjoyed the pantomimes Monday evening portrayed by the enterprising prospects for membership.

Last week the try-outs testing the voices of those wishing to join were finished.

The judging committee, Bill Lover, Claude Tait, Dorothy Swenson, and Paul Davee reported that their task of selecting the most capable members was very difficult, for all the prospects showed equally considerable talent.

At the beginning of next week the judges will notify the new members who are eligible to this dramatic organization.

Members of Faculty Present Ramer's Portrait

The faculty members met recently at the home of the former regent P. W. Ramer, for the presentation of a portrait of Mr. and Mrs. Ramer. The portrait is the work of Mrs. Crabtree, wife of the former president, of this school. Mr. Crabtree is now secretary of the National Educational Association and lives at Washington, D. C.

During their residence in Washington, Mrs. Crabtree has resumed her work as painter. She now specializes as a portrait painter. Mrs. Crabtree received wide recognition during the past year for a portrait of the poet, Edwin Markham.

The portrait of Mr. and Mrs. Ramer was made as an expression of appreciation of the work of Mr. Ramer as regent in helping President Crabtree to put River Falls State Teachers College on an enduring basis. Mr. Ramer served the school as regent from 1913 to 1929.

Two Graduating Classes Appoint Ring Committee

The ring committees from the senior and sophomore classes have been appointed to select the rings.

Rudolph Christiansen, Evelyn Volla, Earl Bartosh, Nadia Howard, and Blake Phillips are the selection from the senior class.

Elinor Bly, Everett Campbell, and Corrine Hendrickson have been selected from the sophomore class.

Judge Youngdahl to Give Address Armistice Day

Judge Oscar Youngdahl, Minneapolis, will speak at the assembly program on Armistice Day at 9:50.

Judge Youngdahl was former state legion commander of Minnesota. He addressed the legion body of River Falls some time ago.

The college band will play several patriotic numbers.

Faculty Men Attend Meeting

Ames, Hunt, Karges, Malott Attend State Teachers' Convention at Milwaukee

W. H. Hunt, R. A. Karges, J. H. Ames, and James I. Malott will attend the State Teachers meeting at Milwaukee, November 3, 4, and 5.

Mr. Hunt will represent the college faculty at the delegate assembly on Wednesday evening. Officers will be elected and necessary resolutions passed. Other business will also be transacted.

A River Falls alumni banquet will be held Thursday evening.

THANKS

I wish to take this manner of expressing my thanks and appreciation to the Y. M. C. A. for the flowers sent me, and to all the students who visited me while at the hospital.

Harold Heiting

Hoover Leads In Straw Votes of Teachers College

The results of presidential straw votes are appearing in several state college papers. Below are some results found in last week's papers:

	R	D	P	C	S
The Whitewater					
Royal Purple	238	197	14	5	34
Eau Claire					
Spectator	206	115	2	3	51
Milwaukee					
Weekly Echo	233	323	10	11	273
Total	677	635	26	19	358

Practice Teachers Complete Six Weeks of Observance at High

Dorothy Demulling, Evelyn Volla, Marvin Pratt, and Leslie Libakken, who have been observing in the high school for the past six weeks, are now in the training school in junior high. Nadia Howard, Glenn Gallup, and Chester Cooke are now at high school observing.

Hallowe'en Pranks Occur on the Thirty-first

If you have a particularly loud door bell and it rings at frequent intervals after eleven o'clock, what is the answer? Hallowe'en, of course. If your door step mysteriously moves two or three feet from its proper position, again the answer is Hallowe'en. The morning after the night before reveals many pranks that were hidden from the eye by nature's blanket of darkness. Soap on the windows, door mats on the roof, barricades before the doors, widely strewn wood piles, Egyptian hieroglyphics on the sidewalk, and what-nots, everywhere are but evidences that Hallowe'en was but is no more.

October thirty-first comes only once a year so youngsters use this opportunity to let off a little of the pent-up mischief in them. It is highly probably that even an honorable college freshman does not deem it below his dignity to erect Fort Snell-

Music Students Present Concert In Assembly

Dorothy Swenson, Mary Jane Larson, Joyce Heidbrink, Ardelle Hamlett Appear

Ardelle Hamlett and Mary Jane Larson, pupils of Miss Cara Wharton, will give a concert in assembly Thursday morning. They will be assisted by Dorothy Swenson and Joyce Heidbrink, who will sing two groups of duets.

Besides a piano duet, "March Militaire" by Schubert, and a two piano number, "Barcairille" by Schytte, the pianists will each play one group. Miss Hamlett will play the C Sharp Minor Prelude of Rachmaninoff. This number is a pianistic picture of the bells of Moscow, first heard faintly as one approaches the city, then louder as the air becomes filled with the reverberations of the bells, then gradually dying out.

In her second number she will play a Fantasie Impromptu by Chopin, the "poet of the piano".

Miss Larson will play "The Nightingale" by Liszt, a piece very characteristic of Liszt's ability as a pianist, and "Golliwog's Cake Walk" by Debussy.

A golliwog is a rag doll and this musical number is very amusing. Several times you feel that the rag doll is wobbling and must be unable to keep on, but some one sets it up with a jerk and it continues to dance.

The vocal numbers will be "The Star" by Rogers, "On Wings of Song", by Mendelssohn, "Down in the Forest" by Ronald and "Little Brown Bird" by del Riego.

Seniors in Ag Department Observe Warner's Class

The senior ag class attended the organization meeting of Leonard Warner's part-time school at Roberts Monday night. The class was under the direction of J. M. May. After the observation of the class Mr. Warner gave the men some pointers on part-time work, and also some information on material available in part-time work.

Those attending the part-time school at Roberts were: Raymond Swanson, Milton Zeddies, Willard Stone, Lewie Repaal, Leland Standiford, Clifton Wick, Raymond Wall, Monroe Theis, Rudolph Christerson, Earl Sumner, Parker Hagg, Harry Vruwink, Everett Jacobson and Jim Deringer.

Cars were driven by J. M. May, Raymond Swanson and Leveritt Hall.

Balloon Returns Home After Minnesota Visit

We've all heard the old adage that "chickens come home to roost" but whoever heard of a wandering balloon finding its way back home? There's at least one that did.

Remember the mass of red and white balloons that the River Falls crowd released as the band played the last chords of the pledge song? They were rapidly blown from sight by the wind and were as quickly forgotten in the greater excitement of the Falls-Superior football game. Among the many balloons was a white one bearing the name and address of Donald Larson and a request for it to be returned by the finder. It too blew in the northwesterly direction with the rest and was probably sailing merrily along with ambitions

to reach the Pacific coast, but nature took a hand and brought our aspiring balloon to the ground at Dalbo, Minnesota where it was found by Lloyd Bergstrom.

Mr. Bergstrom returned the balloon with a letter giving details of the discovery.

On the balloon is an autograph by Ardy's Bergstrom with greetings to Cumberland students at River Falls.

Perhaps there are other balloons still up in the air getting farther and farther from Ramer Field and perhaps more will be returned before many weeks are gone, but this little white balloon will still have the distinction of being the first to come back home. Maybe we ought to frame it.

ings in front of perfectly respectable looking homes. Marvin Pratt didn't even know it was Hallowe'en so the seniors have possibly grown up, but Irving Gerhardt slid all the way down the bannisters from the third floor of North Hall. Maybe he's a junior though. That's what the spirit of the thirty-first does to a sober, studious chap.

And Jack-o-lanterns? There were Jack-o-lanterns and Jack-o-lanterns all over town grinning hideously or frowning most alarmingly. I suspect that more than one big brother told little Jimmie to go sit on a tack if he didn't like the idea of merely looking on while the innocent pumpkin was given a beaming face.

Oh, yes, Hallowe'en is a lot of fun, but please, mister, who'll take off the tin cans from the trees in my front yard?

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aims to promote school spirit, to further professional interests, and to maintain River Falls Teachers College traditions.

Torchlight Parade "Old Stuff"

THE HOMECOMING CELEBRATION of 1932 was probably one of the most successful reunions that have been held in River Falls. In one respect, however, it was a failure, and this was the torchlight parade. There were so few torches in the parade that some of the alumni thought they were sort of an advance guard of the real parade.

The torchlight chairman and his committee cut 165 torch sticks, and at least 150 torches were made. There were about 75 torches in the parade, and many of these were carried by small boys. Why were not all of the torches used?

In the first place, no one wanted to carry a torch. There is a good chance of ruining some clothes in such a parade, and several students have been unfortunate in this respect. Also, it seems to be nicer to stand on the sidewalk with the old friend and watch the parade go by. The second reason, which really includes the first, is that the torchlight parade is "old stuff". It is out of date, and the novelty of it has worn off. This has become more apparent each season for several years.

Is it not possible to have a parade or a demonstration of some kind in which all of the students will want to participate? In order to develop real pep and spirit this is necessary, and the torchlight parade fails to do this any longer. It is sincerely hoped that next year the students of the college will devise some new scheme that will really be an important factor in building up the Homecoming pep and spirit.

R. W.

An honest man's the noblest work of God.

Alexander Pope.

How Should Armistice Day be Observed?

WITH ARMISTICE DAY only a week away there should be much discussion as to how to observe it. Should we quit work for the day, cease studies, decorate our cars, shoot firecrackers, and spend our money on activities that are intended, through invention, to leach as much money as possible out of people in the name of patriotism?

Would a few figures suggest a more appropriate way of observance? Last year the United States spent \$1,732,489,978 according to "Pilgrim Highroad", for war when we think that we're not at war. How then can such an expenditure be justified? Who benefits? Suppose that amount were available for famine relief, flood relief, building of hospitals, of bridges, of roads, and for people of other lands. Suppose again, that all lives and time lost in war were all devoted to peace time activities. Is it hard to imagine that there would be more happy homes, more bank accounts and a more human citizenry in our country?

What then, you say, can our school or schools do about it? Programs, inspirational, informational, and educational may be produced on Armistice Day; and instead of celebrating a victory launch a new drive for peace each year.

Of course, have some fun with it; for any tactful leader would know that any drive to be effective must touch the hearts of people.

Therefore, cease studies if you will, lay aside regular routine duties, dance until the wee small hours, but all in the interests of peace. J. D.

The great business of life is to be, to do, to do without and to depart. John Morley.

An Inconsistency; Who's to Blame?

IN PREPARING for the teaching profession students are subject to many lectures on "how to do it". They also read (or are expected to) many volumes on theory, with much emphasis on individual differences. A plea is made to be careful of children of abnormal or sub-normal tendencies. "Do not try to make them all do the same", is the request.

Yet these same educators forget that teachers, in the making, unconsciously absorb into their pedagogical makeup the very methods used by them rather than absorb the theories preached. Each instructor is enthusiastic over his subject, or at least should be. He knows it well and finds it rather difficult to appreciate difficulties students may experience. Some instructors, even many, would have their classes believe that their particular branch of knowledge is all-essential, and enrollment in his course means that you must master the subject matter thoroughly in order to be "up-and-coming" and successful.

But, the inconsistency lies here: one is to spend daily seven to eight hours in preparation, three or four in classes, two, at least, out of doors to get fresh air and sunshine so as to ward off tuberculosis and other diseases, eight hours in sleep, two at meals, and then find enough time to read up on politics, religion, and to attend social activities.

No unemployment distress to be sure. Do we get as a result trained teachers, or slaves of habits that are thrust on them by school and society? J. D.

Student Opinion

Since our student body is so studious that it would not take the privilege of renewing the traditional "walk-out" on the Friday before our homecoming, some of us were disappointed not to have the library open on Saturday, October 22 even though it was homecoming day.

What do you enjoy most about assembly? I enjoy the announcements and jokes that I don't hear, for I have a back seat. Some schools post all their announcements. We however are fortunate in having a good dependable paper. Why not use the Student Voice as a means of making announcements? D. E. T.

Why can't practice teachers get an "A" when the amount of energy expended for 12 hours is twice as much as ordinarily done for 12 hours of regular academic work? Why do we have to waste time trying to be "A" teachers when we can't possibly get higher than "B"? People who make these regulations--how would you like to attend college and not get the mark you deserve? Would you feel right if you couldn't get an "A" unless you were superhuman? T. C. V.

Is it punk or is it just absent? What kind of humor column has our Student Voice? Some of our corrective English sharks say "It ain't got none." Some of the elite staff members and most of the other students agree that our paper lacks humor. D. E. D.

What good does Student Opinion do unless the students and faculty act? Most of the requests are very logical and would be for the benefit of the whole school. Why can't something be done? At some assembly let's appoint a committee of students and faculty members to act on "Student Opinions" each week. Why should students spend valuable time voicing opinions if nothing is done about it? Let's have a little justice and pep here. Let's make Student Opinion worth while for R. F. S. T. C.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the members and others who helped to make the Y. M. C. A. float and to present it. Laurence Frye and his committee were backed up in great style. Although we did not cop first place this year we were justly proud of our float.

Also, we wish to offer our congratulations to the members of the committee of the Junior class on the splendid float they presented in the parade. It surely was worthy of the prize. Y. M. C. A.

Cafeteria plate luncheons seem to have proved the answer to what the student without a steady eating place needs and wants.

The new system of service is not only an economical solution of the boarding problem, but the luncheon menus have been very diversified and tempting.

The cafeteria patrons are served by the fellows who work at the cafe, most of them football men. Their service is not only very efficient, but also very courteous.

"Barney" Van Hollen and "Pat" Mattson furnish piano and sax music during the noon hours which is thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

New Books Worth Reading

In "American Poetry from the Beginning to Whitman", Louis Untermeyer has presented the best work of American poets for the general reader's pleasure. The poems are arranged in chronological order according to the author's birth dates which avoids any partiality.

There are excerpts from "Moby Dick". A unique addition to the usual anthology is made in the inclusion of various folk songs and native ballads. The selections published are

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not based upon any uniform style and Mr. Untermeyer's criticisms are eccentric enough to compensate for any deficiencies in his choice of historical authorities.

The colonial poetry has been modernized in spelling and punctuation, and the bibliography is quite useless for any other but this edition. However, Mr. Untermeyer has quite outdone himself in the editing of his impressionistic anthology.

The Three Arts By M. L. W.

"Art is indeed not the bread but the wine of life". The twelve members of the Art Club must have been seeking to enjoy this elixir when they formed their organization which is a new activity on the campus this year. Miss Alberta Greene of the art department is the sponsor of the club.

The work being done by the members of the group depends entirely upon the choice of the individual. The projects include oil painting, designing, soap carving, and lettering.

The purpose of the club is to provide an opportunity for self-expression in art for those who have ability and are interested. Although most of the members have had some art work, it is not required that students be enrolled in art courses to join the club.

The accomplishments of this group will bring to the attention of the student body a phase of work which has received little attention from the school as a whole, but which surely is deserving of emphasis.

According to figures released by the University of Wisconsin last week the enrollment of this year is 7,600. This figure represents a drop of over nine per cent from that of the previous year.

From the City Pulpits

The sermon subject at the Congregational church this Sunday will be "Handling a Distressing Situation". The church school meets as usual at 11:45 with classes for college folks.

Social hour for young people at 5:00 followed by lunch and devotional hours. The reading and study of the book entitled "The Young Revolutionists" will be started.

Dr. Walter H. Judd from China will be with us Sunday afternoon, Nov. 13.

A musical program has been scheduled in the church November 7th at 7:30 p. m. The program is put on by the Philharmonic Trio, composed of Dr. Ed Armstrong, basso, Mary Jacobson, soprano, and Owen Whistler, tenor. Admission is 25c.

Clarence E. Weed, pastor of the Methodist church will observe Armistice Sunday with the theme "An Adequate Memorial."

Harold Rasmussen leads the young people's devotional meeting Sunday evening.

Wednesday evening the church will begin a series of studies on "The Churches of Revelation."

The Lutheran House of Worship announces evening services this week at 7:30 p. m. Prof. M. O. Wee from Luther Theological Seminary will be the speaker. Special music.

The natural beauty of South Hall campus was evident Monday morning after the snowfall of Sunday evening.

The many specie of pine were majestic and also fantastic in their white plumage.

Deciduous trees were showy and graceful in their white trimmings.

The red berried bushes were particularly colorful under their coverlets of snow.

South Hall campus is a gorgeous sight during every season of the year, but is particularly pleasing to the eye and senses during the winter season.

Edwin Frank Goldman, president of the National Bandmaster's association and one of the greatest conductors of bands in America, will conduct the Carleton Symphony band in a concert Sunday, November 13, in the Carleton chapel.

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Falcons Lose Game in First Four Minutes

LaCrosse Scores First Touchdown on Fumble, Second On Blocked Punt

Faced with a 14 to 0 score against them after about 7 minutes of play, the River Falls Teachers college football team didn't give up the ghost but kept fighting until they scored two touchdowns. Failing to convert after either of them, only continued misfortune kept them from crossing the LaCrosse goal line to score the winning touchdown. The score at the end of the game was LaCrosse 14 to 12 for River Falls.

Simpson Kicks to LaCrosse

River Falls opened the game with Simpson kicking to LaCrosse, who ran a play, and then favored with the wind, punted to the Falls. River Falls started from about the 10 yard line and on the first play Kuss fumbled and LaCrosse recovered on the Falls 4 yd. line. Schwoegler plunged over the goal line on the third play. Hovind kicked for the extra point. River Falls again kicked off to LaCrosse, who again punted. The Falcons ran a couple of plays with no success, and then called a punt. That punt was blocked by Duresky, LaCrosse center, who fell on the ball back of the Falls goal line after the ball had taken an exceptionally long roll of 20 yards or more. Hovind again kicked for the point.

Maroons Checked

The rest of the game River Falls completely held LaCrosse in check, allowing the Maroons no first downs. In the second quarter Braun tossed a long pass to McChesney who drove his way over the LaCrosse goal line for the Falcon's first score of the game. Woodward's kick for the point was wide by inches. Then after outplaying LaCrosse throughout the third quarter, River Falls scored in the fourth quarter on a beautiful cut-back through left guard from the 24 yard line by Kuss. Woodward's kick for point this time hit one of the up-rights.

Falcons Come Back Fighting

After the nightmare of the first few minutes the River Falls team played one of their best games of the season. Simpson and Panzenhagen played great ball for the Falcons and Woodward, McChesney, and Lampson all looked good at ends. Braun, Morrow, and Mack backed up the Falls line on defense in their usual hard-hitting style. Man for man the Falcons completely overshadowed their opponents.

The Starting Lineup

LaCrosse	Ends	River Falls
Gatawackas		McChesney
J. Hanson		Woodward
	Tackles	Simpson
Hovind		Panzenhagen
Cesar	Guards	Maack
Coon		Voskuil
Hanson	Quarterback	McPherson
Kunitz	Halfbacks	Kuss
Hardenburg		Mack
Jarvis	Fullback	Braun
Schwoegler		

Substitutions: River Falls--Kotleski, Pederson, Lampson, Johnson, LaCrosse: Gother, Obert, Straub, Kemp, Bahr, Wolk, Kodada, Bates.

Conference Standing

	G	W	L	T	Pct.
Milwaukee	3	3	0	0	1000
LaCrosse	3	2	0	1	1000
Stevens Point	4	3	1	0	750
River Falls	3	2	1	0	667
Superior	3	2	1	0	667
Whitewater	2	1	1	0	500
Oshkosh	4	1	2	1	333
Eau Claire	3	1	2	0	333
Stout	3	0	3	0	000
Platteville	4	0	4	0	000

Way Back When . . .

I have mentioned several of our best football teams in my column but not much has been said about backfields. "Skin" Collins, guard on the Falcon team for three years, '25, '26, '27, believes the 1926 backfield was the fastest we have ever had. This backfield consisted of Lawrence Dawson, Lowell Dawson, McDonald, King, Maier, Glass, and Bud Manion. We have had faster backs than any of these, but we have never had a group that possessed the speed this bunch had in "Skin's" statement.

"Skin" tells of an interesting incident which happened in the Superior game of 1926 for the state title. River Falls lead 2-0 near the end of the game. The Yellowjackets had pushed the ball almost to the Falls goal line and lost it on downs. River Falls called time out to decide what to do. Most of the men wanted to ground the ball and have a tie game 2-2. River Falls would still have won the state championship. Lowell Dawson who was calling signals said no, he would punt. On the next play he punted to midfield. The Falls won 2-0. This was some of the spirit which made him the All-American selection of some teams for 1931 when playing with Tulane.

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Falls Alumnus Promoted To Registrar of School

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Zornmen Play At Ramer Field Armistice Day

Eau Claire Has Strongest Team in History; Falcons Have Edge on Visitors

Coach Zorn will bring what seems to be the most powerful Eau Claire eleven of recent years to battle the Falcons on Ramer Field Armistice Day.

The two teams met last year at Eau Claire in a sea of mud. The Falcons won 13 to 0. However, the score did not indicate the superiority in play held by the Falcons. The Zornmen were beyond the 50 yard line only once in the game while the Falcons were on their opponents 10 yard line six times only to fumble the wet ball.

Falcons Have Slight Edge

The outcome of this year's battle is uncertain. In judging the strength of the two teams by comparative scores, we find that what slight edge remains goes to River Falls. The Falcons beat Superior 7-6, while Eau Claire lost 26-0. Both teams won from Stout; Eau Claire 12-0, and River Falls 9-6. However it seems since the upsets of the last two Saturdays that to judge the relative strength of two teams by comparative scores is of little value.

Eau Claire Has Veteran Line

Eau Claire will present a veteran line, but little is known of their backfield. Two good tackles in Haight and Larson are the mainstays in the line and while the guards and ends are not outstanding, they possess good ability.

The Falcons suffered no major injuries in their battle with LaCrosse last Saturday, and with two weeks to get ready for the game, should be in prime condition.

Eau Claire has not won a game from River Falls since 1921 and if the law of averages still holds they are more than due to connect. However, it is doubtful if they can overcome the jinx a week from Saturday.

Games Last Week

LaCrosse 14, River Falls 12
Superior 20, Eau Claire 6
Stevens Point 12, Oshkosh 0
Milwaukee 20, Platteville 0

Conference Games This Week

LaCrosse at Menomonie
Milwaukee at Whitewater

W. A. A.

October 20 the W. A. A. held a short business meeting in Miss Branstad's office. Each officer gave a report of her work. After the meeting the girls formed a sewing circle and made pinnies. Now the organization has ten red and ten blue pinnies. These have already proven their value in the tournament that is being sponsored.

The hockey tournament is well on its way. Thursday night, Oct. 27, the players drew for sides. In the first half the blues were far in advance of the reds, and it looked like an easy victory for the blues. But the reds gained footing in the last half and the game ended a tie. An overtime play of eight minutes still resulted in a tie. Therefore the teams will have to play again Tuesday night.

High School Meets Colfax There Friday

Coach Manion's high school team plays Colfax there next Friday afternoon.

Colfax has one of the best teams in the history of the school. They have defeated Menomonie, Ellsworth, Spring Valley and tied New Richmond. Colfax is out to avenge their defeat of last year so the game promises to be a real battle.

Manion's team dropped a game to the Red Wing Reformatory Thursday, October 27. There were no serious injuries so the River Falls team is in fine shape and are going to put up a real battle against Colfax.

The gallant and fiery romance of Spain and Mexico was brought to the Stout Institute through the Ramas Orchestra in a regular assembly period recently. The orchestra has been touring the United States for five years.

Falcons Kick Point to Win From Superior

Joe Braun Throws Pass To Lampson To Assist In Scoring

A perfectly executed pass from Captain Joe Braun to Preston Lampson in the second quarter of the homecoming game between River Falls and Superior placed the ball near the Superior goal line and aided by the whole team, Braun plunged over for the touchdown. Woodward converted and as a result the Falcons defeated Superior 7-6.

Lampson Catches Long Pass

The first quarter of the game was bitterly fought with neither team gaining the advantage. Great defensive play featured in both teams. The second quarter continued on the same basis until Coach Klandrud sent Lampson at end to replace Woodward who replaced Voskuil at guard. The pass came immediately and this strategy worked perfectly, paving the way for the River Falls score.

In the second half Superior ran the ball up and down the field but the River Falls line held in the pinches and great punting by Braun forced Superior to start over time and time again.

Superior Misses Point

Superior got their counter in the fourth quarter by forcing the ball to the three yard line. From there it took them four downs to cross the goal line. They attempted to plunge the extra point but Morrow was through the line and downed the play before it was started.

The whole Falls team was playing good ball. Joe Braun's punting and Mack's hard-hitting defensive work back of the line being especially noteworthy. Zelznick, at tackle, Barrett, at end, Harris, Wright, and Croft in the backfield were the leading performers for Superior.



Campus Chips



Policeman: Miss, you were doing 60 miles per hour!
She: Oh, isn't that splendid! I only learned to drive yesterday.

Mrs. Crabler (angrily): And I hope to be able to dance on your grave some day.
Mr. Crabler: Yeah, that's fine. I'll be buried at sea!

"You sometimes find a pearl in an oyster stew," remarked the waiter, pleasantly.
But the customer only grunted. "I'm looking for oysters."

Dudley: So your wife goes south every winter?
Swank: Yes, she loves to spend the winter in the rotogravure sections.

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Martindale Gives Facts on Yellowstone

Major Relates Experiences Of Rangers, Also Habits Of Birds and Animals

"Yellowstone National park with its 3000 geysers, Grand Canyon and great game preserve is the greatest of all national parks," according to Major Phillip Martindale of the Yellowstone Park range service in his talk before the assembly students and faculty October 27.

He very realistically described the "joys and sorrows" of the six month's winter ranger service ala-cabin and skis.

Interesting facts regarding the habits of the grizzly and black bear, coyote, elk, etc were given.

The development in the technique of "tourist begging" by bear cubs was an interesting sidelight in the education of the cub.

Major Martindale stated that the ranger service made reports on every animal and bird seen on the ranger patrol, the temperature, snow, and weather conditions. There is an average of 227 varieties of birds who visit the park yearly.

Temporary ranger positions may be secured through civil service examinations. Employees at the park are usually college students, according to Major Martindale.

The enthusiasm for Yellowstone National Park and the sincere appreciation of its natural beauty was successfully carried over to the students and members of the faculty by Major Martindale.

Training School Notes

Mr. Johnston has succeeded in getting some very good films from the Yale Film series for the training school. The following is a list of the films which are to be shown this year:

- "Peter Stuyvesant" November 3;
- "Gateway to the West" November 17;
- "Wolfe and Montgomery" December 1;
- "Eve of Revolution" December 15;
- "Declaration of Independence" January 12;
- "Yorktown" January 26;
- "Vincennes" February 9;
- "Daniel Boone" February 23;
- "Frontier Women" March 9;
- "Alexander Hamilton" March 23;
- "Dixie" April 6;
- "Columbus" April 27;
- "Jamestown" May 11;
- "Pilgrims" May 25.

Miss Lucille Fobes, first grade critic, Miss Irma Armstrong, second grade critic, and Mrs. Adeline Patton, third grade critic, gave Halloween parties for the children. Twenty-two mothers visited Miss Armstrong's classes. All of the rooms in the training school were very prettily decorated for the mothers and children.

Lunch was served to all. Several of the children had costumes for the occasion.

Mrs. A. Patton and Miss Louise Hilder, our third and fourth grade critics, are attending the Wisconsin State Teachers convention in Milwaukee, Thursday and Friday. A number of teachers attended the convention at Minneapolis last week.

Miss Mabel Jorstad, Miss Mabel Bridges, and Miss Natalie Delander observed particularly the geography work.

My Daily Diary

I believe there is no better time to begin a diary of my school days than on an occasion as the eve of homecoming. My desire is to continue this diary for at least a thousand years. And it is my prediction that when the time is up, babies will talk at the time of birth. If you don't believe me, just you wait and see.

Oct. 21--Day of Noise. There was altogether too much noise around school. It nearly drove me nutty. However, I would like to have heard a whole lot more. Being such as occasion our pep should have made a person in China think it was the beginning of a new war here.

Oct. 22--Day of Spirit. Did we ever welcome our old grads back? I'll say. Gee, here we even put on a parade, had a football game, and a dance for them. Oh! what a glorious day. We beat Superior 7-6. Yes, sir, we actually surprised them.

Oct. 23--Day of Rest. I, like the rest of the mass population, did my best to recuperate from that homecoming celebration.

Oct. 24--Day of Dread. It was tough getting back to studying again. I wasn't the only one that had a blank look. I'm even taking the Profs into consideration. No one seemed to miss losing that sixteen dollars and some cents which they claim a day's education is worth.

Oct. 25--Day of Gloom. Some students seem to be still recuperating. They seem to have something planned ahead. Probably it's this game with LaCrosse. I hope no one stops in Winona.

Oct. 26--Day of Arguments. Seems as though everyone taking Economics was quarreling. High tariff-low tariff, and etc. Judging from the arguments, I believe I'm on the fence. Tariff is an important matter in the presidential campaign.

Oct. 27--Day of Information. The students got some idea of what wild animal life was like in Yellowstone Park. The students rather liked it, because they even sat through part of their 10:45 classes.

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Joint Meeting of Y. M. and Y. W. on Next Tuesday

A joint Y. W. and Y. M. meeting will be held next Tuesday evening in the auditorium at seven o'clock. The meeting will be a dramatic devotional service. There will be a presentation by a cast of fifteen characters. Special music is on the program and there is also an extra unannounced number.

The annual candle light service of the Y. W. C. A., one of the most impressive services of the year, was held Tuesday night. Many girls took part, thus signifying their intention to become active members of the organization.

The cabinet members were entertained last Wednesday night at a seven o'clock dinner at the home of Miss Helen and Phyllis Glass. The guests reported a very delightful evening.

There was an attendance of thirty-four men at the Y. M. alumni luncheon held in the cafeteria at twelve o'clock on Homecoming. The general feeling was expressed as to the progress and outlook of the present Y. work by this year's president. Short speeches were given by Raymond Penn, Victor Peterson and Lyle Lamphere. Mr. Jacobson acted as toastmaster. A very nice luncheon was served by the cafeteria. The general opinion was expressed that such an event should be repeated next year.

An invitation has been extended by Superior for a group conference of Northland, River Falls, and Superior at Superior the week end of Nov. 11. Mr. Jacobson will lead the meeting and a few cabinet officers will accompany him.

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Mrs. Martin Norseng Host to Several Old Grads

Mrs. Martin Norseng was hostess at a homecoming reception held at her home after the Superior game for the girls who live with her this year and their friends and alumni. A tasty lunch was served.

Mrs. Constance Norseng Walbridge of Hastings presided at the coffee table. A very pleasant hour or two was spent in visiting with both old and new friends. Out of town guests included: Helen Hawkins, Hammond; Marshall Norseng and Maurice Wright of Chippewa Falls; Tom Smith of Ellsworth; Nellie McKonon, of Spring Valley, Florence Larson, of Wausau, and Charles Freeman, Fred-eric.

Principal H. C. Mason Elected to Presidency of Educational Body

H. C. Mason, superintendent of the local high school, was elected president of the Northwestern Wisconsin Teachers Association at their annual convention held in Eau Claire recently.

Mr. Mason has been in charge of the River Falls high school for more than eleven years. He served as a member of the executive board of the association before his promotion to the presidency.

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