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"STOP THIEF".

The clever comedy play, "Stop Thief" as presented Friday evening was extravagantly hailed by the large audience who witnessed it. The play may be described "as a comedy woven of near tragic strands into a design of charm and finish", and the story of the play may be told in these words.

The first act reveals the home of William Carr. Preparations are complete for the marriage of his daughter Madge. Everything runs smoothly until certain wedding presents are found to be missing. Suspicion rests upon Nelle, the new maid. She skillfully averts suspicion by transferring the stolen gifts to the pocket of the groom, upon whom suspicion is laid, upon their discovery, by Dr. Willoughby. Although not accusing him of the theft he hints at the possibility of the groom being a kleptomaniac.

The plot deepens, due to the absent-mindedness displayed by Mr. Carr, and the appearance of Jack Dougan, who passes himself off as a friend of Cluney's, but in reality is in league with Nelle.

In the third act, true to form, the web is untangled and the belated ceremony is performed. Willoughby succeeds in finishing a proposal, many times interrupted, to Jean, while Nelle and her robber friend gain their freedom and happiness.

Too much cannot be said of the splendid work done by Miss Schlosser in staging the play and her excellent judgement in selecting characters for it was truly an all star cast who handled their parts with ease and in finished style.

ORATORICAL CONTEST

THURSDAY

The local oratorical contest will be held Thursday morning at assembly hour. The winner of this contest will represent River Falls at the State Contest which will be held at Platteville, in March. The following students will speak:

John Reno

The Eternal Question.

Galen Kircher

Democracy In Industry.

Melvin Thomson

Justice Through Arbitration.

CHAMPS TAKE OPENER

By playing superb basketball and using superior strategy, Coach Chandler's conference Champs were able to maintain their 1000% stride against the strong La Crosse quint last Friday night. The decisive 26 to 15 victory of the home pets was somewhat of a surprise to even the most ardent and optimistic admirers who, although never doubtful of the outcome, did not expect an almost 2 to 1 count against, what appears to be their most dangerous rival.

The game was one of the fastest ever played by a Falls team; and was exceptionally clean; being marked by the excellent sportmanship of both teams. It was not until the latter part of the final frame that the local tossers obtained anything that resembled a safe margin. At this point Capt. Rice and his mates uncorked some defensive tactics which seemed to have a disconcerting influence on Coach Keeler's boys and gave the home crew a clean-cut advantage for the remainder of the game.

Rice proves himself real Captain

The La Crosse team started strong, and field counters by Ettinger and Jennings gave them an early lead which held little promise for the Chandler proteges. With the score 8 to 4 against his team, Rice took time out. It proved a bit of clever psychology, for immediately after play was resumed his team hit a rapid scoring clip that soon reversed the tables. Field scoring by Wright, Chinnock and Gurnoe, and a free throw by Carolan gave the Chandlerites a two-point advantage and a total of 13 points for the half.

The opening of the final stanza saw both teams playing on fairly even terms, but with the advantage slightly in our favor. The tide took a decided turn when the Red and White warriors, who at this juncture held an 18 to 14 lead, elected to play safe and began passing the ball under the enemies' basket. It was the inability of the Keeler men to find an effective method of combating this style of play that made certain their defeat, for in their attempt to break up the passing and stalling game their defense weakened sufficiently to allow

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CONCERT

The concert by the children of the Training School assisted by Master Warren White, boy violinist of Minneapolis, will be given in the Normal Auditorium, Thursday evening, January 20th at eight o'clock sharp. Admission twenty-five cents, no reserved seats.

This concert should be of especial interest to the students of the Normal School since the program consists of material selected from the regular school music course and prepared as regular class work.

The cantata, "Into The World" written for children by Benoit, the Belgian composer is well within the range of children's voices, but is very exacting in the theme and harmony.

The accompaniment, which is difficult and brilliant, will be played by a small orchestra and piano.

E. C. THONER, STUDENT

BASEBALL MANAGER

At a meeting of the schools baseball enthusiasts in Mr. Chandler's office last Thursday, E. C. Thoner was chosen Student Manager of the Baseball team.

A student manager was deemed necessary because of the fact that Mr. Chandler is so very busy with basketball that he will have but little time to devote to the securing of baseball games.

An early start is being made so that an exceptionally good schedule may be arranged with nearby schools and colleges. The baseball material is of the very best, and Manager Thoner expects to schedule games with top notch teams for the great national pastime. Knowing Tony as we do, we are sure that no effort or work will be spared in making the coming baseball season the best ever.

Juniors and Seniors notice

The photography department of the Meletean staff requests that the Juniors and Seniors be as punctual as possible in having their pictures taken.

Any suggestions as to quotations to be placed under your friends' name in the Meletean will be welcomed by the staff. Hand such quotations to Mr. Shannon.

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FACULTY DINNER

Tuesday evening at 7:15 the members of the faculty gave a dinner at the Hotel Gladstone with Regent and Mrs. Ramer as guests. There were about sixty people present. The dinner was served by several school girls. The decorations were red and white and the place cards were small pine cones in which red candles burned.

Menu

Bouillon		Celery
	Olives	
	Peas	
Fried Chicken	Mashed Potatoes	
	Fruit Salad	
English Plum Pudding	Coffee	

The dinner was followed by a short program.

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This song was illustrated by slides by Mr. Stratton.

Every person present thoroughly enjoyed himself and wishes to thank the Gladstone hotel for the excellent service which made this dinner a success.

LINCOLNIAN

President Ames gave an interesting talk on some of the essential points in public speaking at the last Lincolnian meeting. A reading was given by John Williams. There was also a piano duet by Raymond Sorenson and Orlando Nelson.

A debate will be given at the meeting this evening. The question is: Resolved that the final examinations be abolished. The negative side will be upheld by Kelm and Butler, while the affirmative will be supported by Blomgren and Bartholomew. Don't miss this debate.

AURELIA

Because of lack of time for preparation of a program, the last meeting of the Aurelia society was omitted. The meeting Wednesday at 6:45 will therefore be the first meeting since the Christmas recess. A very interesting program has been arranged. It will consist of victrola records with lives of the singers read in connection.

1. Fritz Kreisler Pearl Sincox
2. Galli Curci Helen Pitman
3. Paderwske Gertrude Edeburg
4. Mischa Ehlman Florence Alberts
5. Orchestra Selection Gladys Godden

G. O. P.

The G. O. P. held its first meeting this year Wednesday, Jan. 12, 1921. A short program was given before which a business meeting was held. The program was as follows:

- Reading Gladys Godden
Piano solo Helen Mc Nally

A woman without a curiosity is as rare as a peach without a stone and equally as desirable.

CALENDAR

Wednesday

Aurelia, - - - -	6:45
Lincolnian - - - -	6:45
Normal Chorus - - - -	3:45
Basketball—River Falls vs. St. Paul A. C. at St. Paul.	

Thursday

Concert—Normal Auditorium,	8:00
Y. M. C. A. - - - -	6:45
Y. W. C. A. - - - -	6:45
N. C. A. - - - -	6:45

Friday

Basketball—River Falls vs. Stout.

Monday

Y. M. C. A. Stag Party—North Hall Gym.

Monday

Camera Club, - - - - 7:00

Tuesday

Orchestra - - - - 3:45

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KANDY KITCHEN

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the Falls players to penetrate for a series of two pointers that put the game in the ice box.

The playing of Captain Rice was one of the outstanding features of the melee. He started his mates in their winning stride, directed the play with unerring precision and judgment and found enough spare-time besides to hold the speedy Ettinger down to a comparatively low count. In the closing minutes of the contest he twice dribbled down the court and crashed into the picture with two beautiful field goals.

Dewey Wright again stepped into the limelight by caging five goals from the field. He had his usual keen eye for the basket and played a heady floor game throughout. He showed great adaptability in following up his mates' misfires and scored twice with "tap-in" shots.

Carolan, although he failed to get his usual allotment in the scoring line, played one of the best floor games of his career. He was a big factor in the team play and showed a keen eye for free throws, caging four out of a possible five. The playing of his running mate Gurnoe, was of a high caliber. Joe, who in the two university games seemed unable to put over his usual brand of basketball, came back with a bang. He dumped in two pretty side shots and played the floor in a sensational manner.

Chinnock put up a whale of a game in all departments. He nipped most of the La Crosse rallies in the bud, held his forward to one lone basket and then went him one better by annexing two himself.

Line-up and Summary

Rivar Falls—	La Crosse—	
Gurnoe,	RF.	Ettinger
Carolan,	LF.	Reay
Wright,	C.	Jennings
Chinnock,	RG.	Dahlgren
Rice,	LG.	Rippe

Substitutions: Reget for Reay; Thompson for Rippe.

Field Goals: Wright, 2; Gurnoe, 2; Chinnock, 2; Rice, 2; Ettinger, 4; Jennings, 2.

Free Throws: Carolan, 4 out of 5; Jennings, 3 out of 5.

Fouls, Technical: Carolan, 1; Rice, 1; Personal—Rice, 3; Rippe, 1; Dahlgren, 2; Jennings, 1; Reay, 1.

Referee—Kilbourne.

STOUT HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Friday night the home fans' rather extended rest will come to an abrupt end, when the strong Stout Institute invades the local gym.

Stout has already suffered two defeats but due consideration is given to the class of their opposition in those games, the logical conclusion will be that Coach Neary's team will be a formidable opponent in spite of its reverses. Their first game went to the strong Hamline team that has since trimmed Ripon 30 to 11. Their second defeat was at the hands of Coach Barrett's St. Thomas quint. In this game Stout played the Collegians on even terms but had a night off in locating the hoop.

NORMAL HIGH LOSES

TO HAMMOND

Doc. Cairns' normal high, team suffered its first conference defeat of the season when they lost to the Hammond quint by a 21 to 29 score Wednesday night January 14. Doc's team was leading throughout the first session and was holding its margin in the second frame, previous to the unfortunate disqualification of Whitenack, which appeared to be a bad bit of judgment on the part of the referee. From this time on the tide turned in favor of the opposition and resulted in a triumph for the Hammond boys.

The local team was also handicapped by the small gym and the absence of "out of bounds" plays.

INTRA MURAL GAME ON

Lincolnians and Short Course Teams Tangle Wednesday Afternoon at 4:00 o'clock

The Intra Mural games, in which large quantities of enthusiasm has already been manifest, open Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. The Lincolnians and the Short Course teams will be the entertainers in the opening melee.

Following is the Schedule

- Wednesday, Jan. 19—Short Course vs. Lincolnian, 4:00 p. m.
- Agrafallian vs. N. C. A., 5 p. m.
- Thursday, Jan. 20—Short Course vs. N. C. A., 5:00 p. m.
- Y. M. C. A. vs. Agrifallian, 7:30 p. m.
- Friday, Jan. 21—Agrifallian vs. Short Course, 4:00 p. m.
- Y. M. C. A. vs. Lincolnian, 5:00 p. m.
- Tuesday, Jan. 25—Y. M. C. A. vs. N. C. A., 7:30 p. m.
- Lincolnian vs. Agrifallian, 8:30 p. m.
- Thursday, Jan. 27—N. C. A. vs. Lincolnian, 4:00 p. m.
- Y. M. C. A. vs. Short Course 5:00 p. m.

Dorothy Hammill visited in Hudson over the week end.

Winifred Stevenson has returned to school.

Helen McNally visited Katherine Shannon and Sis Perkins at Ellsworth over the week-end.

Basket Ball hopes were slightly dimmed last week when Bill Johnson received an injury in practice that will probably keep him out of the game for the remainder of the season.

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BASKETBALL PAMPHLET FOR HIGH SCHOOL COACHES

Coach Chandler and Coach Neary of Stout Institute are working on a Basket Ball pamphlet which they expect to have completed and ready to be placed on the market Feb. 1st.

The pamphlet will consist of a series of mimeographed sheets containing numerous modern and important plays with illustrated diagrams of each, methods of practise, and in general, information of the kind which should be of vast importance to high school coaches.

The pamphlet will be put into book form if early sales indicate that such a venture could be made profitable.

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Y. M. C. A.

Prof. Chandler will speak at the regular meeting next Thursday evening. We are sure to have a good meeting. Will those who have made pledges to the Y. M. C. A. please redeem them this week, as our pledge to State and International organization are due and must be met.

Stag Party Saturday Night.

A genuine Stag Party will be held in the North Hall gymnasium next Saturday evening. There will be a basketball game between the faculty and students, a mock trial and some other stunts. This will be followed by a "feed." Be on "deck", men!

Y. M. AND Y. W.

JOINT MEETING

The Y. M. and Y. W. had a joint meeting in the gymnasium of North Hall last Thursday evening. The program, which consisted of a talk by Miss McMillan and some musical number was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The program was followed by a nine o'clock refreshments were served.

GAME WITH A. C. TEAM

ON BILL FOR WED. NIGHT

On Wednesday afternoon Coach Chandler and his team take the train for St. Paul, where they will take on Harry Gammon's Athletic Club team that night. Gammon's boys came down and chalked up a victory against us last year on a Saturday night, following a tough contest with Eau Claire at Eau Claire on the night before. Chandler's boys always felt that the victory was not earned and are real anxious to prove to Gammon's crew that that feeling can be made mutual.

JOKES

—"What a pretty mouth you have. It ought to be on a girl's face."

—"I rarely miss the opportunity."

Frank Fuller: "Have you any brown ties to match my eyes?"

Clerk: "No, but we have some soft hats to match your head."

Ruth: "Believe me. I dont lie on curlers all night."

Lip: Perhaps not, but you lie about about them all day.

Wouldn't it be great if we had a College of Elocution that could teach you when to speak and not How.

ASSEMBLY THURSDAY

Members of the MacDowell Club of this city gave a very pleasing program at assembly Thursday. The program was as follows:

Violin and Piano Duet,

Miss Fossing and Miss Wind.
Talk on the Life of Grieg, Mr. Goble
Male Quartet,

Messrs. Bird, Chapman, Norseng
and Powers.

Piano Solo,

Irene Larkin

Vocal Duet,

Mr. Bird, Mr. Norseng

Violin Duet.

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