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THE GREAT PRODUCTION "RIP WRINKLES" TO BE RELEASED FRIDAY NIGHT

Are you waiting for an opportunity to be amused? For a full evening of real enjoyment. Few events of the school year are looked forward to by the students, faculty, and townspeople as is the annual Meletean Vaudeville. The cast and the managements have been working hard to live up to the standards of previous productions. The entertainment promises to be better than ever. After glancing over the program for the evening you will decide for yourself.

Introduction—Orchestra
Rip-Winkles' Awakening—The Models of 1866 and 1926
Peggy's Predicament—Vivian Vassau
Katy-Did
The Story of the Rose
Intermission—Orchestra
Meletean Movie
Midnight Waltz
Scoville and Gilbert
La Grottesque
Valentine Dance
Finale

LOCAL POLITICAL STRUGGLE ENDS IN NON-LANDSLIDE

Last Thursday night the Lincolnian Society staged a regular old time election campaign and political rally in Mr. Mitchell's room to decide upon their officers for the second semester. Stump speeches—eloquent exhortations and violent damnations—espousing the merits of certain candidates and the unscrupulous, pernicious, and money-grabbing propensities of others, were but exercises in preparation for the main texts of the campaign managers. "Strong liquor, hard cider, gum, candy, mints, and chewing tobacco, were some of the incentive, gratis, to entice the unsuspecting voter into believing what the various speakers had to say.

The Society was divided into two political parties: the Anti-Commercialists, whose slogan was Equality, Economy, Eternally, and whose managers were Norseng and Scoville; and the Progressive Co-ed Anti-Sumptuary Socialists, whose slogan was Wine, Women, and Lincolnians Forever, and whose managers were Burke and Morton. The Anti-Commercialists had been busy for a week previous to the election night in campaigning. Judging from the speeches delivered by their opponents, they had not hesitated at bribery, intimidation, coercion, intrigue, nor any other device common to corrupt politics.

It is certain that they dispensed quite freely chewing gum and candied mints in order to gain the good will and, incidentally, the votes of members of the Society.

Excitement ran high as the cam-

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EXCELLENT MUSICALE BACKED BY STUDENTS

Approximately \$100 were cleared at the Musicale Thursday evening in benefit of the new band uniforms. The sale of tickets, which was sponsored by the G. O. P. and Agrifallian, didn't go across as a program of this kind should.

The big feature of the Musicale was the initial appearance of the Normal band in uniforms, and their music, which proved worthy of support.

Additional features were the Girls' trio, readings by Harriet Gilbert, the String Trio, consisting of Miss Hatch, Miss Smith, and Miss Wharton; Mr. Geere, and Gladys Bleisner.

Mystery Of The Court Revealed At Stag Party

The annual Y. M. C. A. Stag Party, which was held last Saturday night, eclipsed all such former events. It even caused excitement in the Student Voice office when the staff became involved in a debate regarding whether the crisis was reached when court was dismissed or when the bean soup was served. Dan Wile maintained that the court decision and dismissal, after the pleas of the attorneys, would move a statue of Noah Webster to tears, while Ted Kexel fluently declared that the bean soup would cause saliva to gush in streams from the mouth of the sphinx. As these fire-eaters were about to settle their dispute by violence, the reporters who belong to the "weaker sex" burst in vociferating that the triumphal march of the wedding party before the envious eyes of the men marked the point where excitement reached its zenith. Further discussion was useless, since every one knows that a woman is always right and the men are wrong.

If you want any pianos moved or furniture transported, call 328 and ask for Raymond Trembley. Our strong man started the entertainment of the evening by demonstrating various "feets" of strength. Vernon Loker made astronomical observations while performing with a broom handle.

Biles and Reardon gave an exhibition of how to feed bean soup to company in polite society. Sherman reported that he was

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"Love Flower" Called Good Movie

Those who attended "The Love Flower" on Monday night proclaimed it to be a very good picture and one of unusual setting. The ocean scenes were unusually picturesque. Although the title did not foretell a picture of very great action, it possessed plenty. The crowd seemed to fall in with the spirit of the picture. If the committee selecting the pictures continues in making such exceptional selections, the good turn-outs are bound to continue.

FRIDAY NIGHT DANCE ATTENDED BY MANY

Although Stout did beat us by one point last Friday night, everyone seemed to feel like dancing after the game. There was a big crowd at the dance and almost everyone had a good time. The dances held last year after the games were always a success as no doubt the ones held this year also will be. Some boys are still a little bashful or else too particular with whom they dance, for the door was more crowded than it should have been. However, the dancing space was almost filled and left very little space for anyone to do the Charleston. The students, no doubt, all enjoy this type of informal dances, and are looking forward to more in the future.

Old Fashioned Wedding Worthy Of Its Name

Wedding costs thousands of dollars.

All was in readiness for the wedding ceremony Saturday evening at eight-thirty. About one hundred seventy-five relatives and friends of the bride and groom had assembled in the chapel which was beautifully decorated in pastel shades—red and white.

At exactly 8:30 the wedding chimes rang. Immediately following, Madame Adelleo Williamson sang "O! Promise Me." She wore a New York costume of tan crinkle crepe silk. Miss Eveyonze Terrat accompanied her on the piano. Miss Terrot wore a beautiful black net dress, a distinctive American style. Immediately following Miss Williamson's solo, Miss Terrot played the wedding march.

Slowly the bridal party made their way into the chapel. At sight of them the parents of both the bride and groom burst into tears. The wedding procession was led in by Mr. and Mrs. Lettuce B. Happy. Mrs. Happy being the only one of the bridesmaids who did not wear white. Her costume was a deep green sergolia, trimmed with exquisite black lace. Mr. Happy, who was an usher, was the only one of the ushers who wore a hat. He is one of the Italian ten-

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Coming "No More Women" Monday

Next Monday evening in the auditorium, Matt Moore and Madge Bellamy will appear in a charming picture entitled, "No More Women." It is brimful of sparkling humor and deals with a young man and two lovely girls. His experience between the girls cause much laughter, and for awhile it seems as if he is not going to win either. A fine dog story comes out in the picture, and the audience has a great deal of fun at the expense of the dog catcher. See it at the Auditorium Monday night, February 15. Only one show. Admission 25 cents.

CLOSING SECONDS FIND STOUT ONE POINT AHEAD IN EVENLY FOUGHT TILT

Battling on even terms, and striving desperately to keep their hard earned lead, the Falls was forced to submit to a heart-breaking defeat by Stout with only one point to decide the outcome. It was by far the best game our team has played this year, and they showed that, without a doubt, they are a real ball club and rank with the best of the conference teams.

The game started with a zip and did not let up until the half ended. Both teams put up a tight defense, and the majority of the points came from free throws. Both Beran and Radke made four apiece and the Falls had two field baskets to Stout's one. The half ended 8-9, in our favor.

In the second half, however, both teams registered via the field basket. Tillison counted four times and Olson two. Had it not been for Beran's timely baskets and accurateness in throwing free throws the score would have been very different. In the last quarter when Stout led 19-20 Beran

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Y.M.C.A. WINS CHAMPIONSHIP OF ORGANIZATION LEAGUE

N. C. A. 26, Links 9.
Y. M. C. A. 31, Ags 8.
The organization games last Friday night left the Links and the Y tied for first place with four wins and one defeat each. The first game between the Links and the Ags proved to be rather a one-sided affair as far as scoring goes, but the Ags put up a desperate fight throughout the game, as is attested by the numerous scars members of the Link team are carrying around.

The second game was more even. The Y quint had to go to the limit to defeat the scrappy N. C. A. Gerald Paul, star forward of the Y., went out first half on personals. This was a severe handicap to the Y., but by dint of clever passing they managed to retain a five point lead to the end of the game.

Last night the Y. played the Ags., and the Links met the N. C. A. These games were played after we had gone to press; so we cannot publish the results. However, if the Links and the Y should both win, these teams will probably play of the tie tomorrow. If this happens, the game should prove to be a battle royal, for its outcome will decide the organization champs.

ORGANIZATION RATINGS

	W	L	%
Y. M. C. A.	5	1	.833
Links	4	2	.667
N. C. A.	3	3	.500
Ags.	0	6	.000

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Although only a part of the normal students use the skating rink which the social committee has provided for their use, it is a recognized success. When the project was well under way, the city agreed to furnish lights, so that skating could be enjoyed evenings as well as afternoons, and flooding facilities. The undertaking was financed through the student activity fund, however, and thus made curtailment of other social activities necessary. However, the city has recognized the value of the rink, not only to the normal students, but to the younger folks of the community, and has helped to make the project a community affair by voting a sum of twenty-five dollars to help finance the rink.

Student cooperation goes a long way toward making a school a live one, but when townspeople and students all get together on any affair, things are bound to hum.

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paingning drew to a close. No one could predict who would triumph. When the final ballot was taken, and the result was announced, both parties were thunderstruck. Neither had triumphed. There had been a split in the vote. The Anti-Commercialists had placed their candidates for president, and for sec.-treas., by a narrow margin, but the Progressive Co-ed Anti-Sumptuary Socialist candidate for sec.-treas., had been elected to the vice-presidency. Thus, both parties won and lost in the final election.

Felix—"Why do you call her honey?"

Fred—"Because every time that I've tried to take her out I've got stung?"

Romana: "What became of Pietro?"

Tony: "He get in bad. He have one wife and marry another."

Romano: "Bigamist?"

Tony: "No, bigga fool."

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dropped in two free throws, and again tied the score up at 22-22. A belated foul gave Radke two choiced chances, and both were clean shots. With a two-point disadvantage and but a minute left to play, the Falls made a supreme effort to at least tie the score. A foul on Stout gave us a chance for one point, and Beran dropped it in making the score 23-24, which was the final one.

It was a tough battle and a mighty hard one to lose, but we can console ourselves, realizing that our men came through with real fight, and went down fighting. One basket out of the numerous ones missed would have made all the difference in the world, but even if the team did not come out victorious, they proved to us that they are worthy of all the support we can give them.

River Falls	Stout
Beran	r. f. Radke
Cleberg	l. f. Tillison
Zamjohn	c. M. Olson
Dawson	l. g. Chermack
Quandt	r. g. Hutchinson

Substitutes:
River Falls—Collins, Jung, Landis.

Stout—Bron, Peterson, Olson.
Officials: Thompson, Blume.

Eau Claire kept up her winning streak and raised her record to five wins and no losses by defeating Superior last Friday night to the tune of 37-29. It looks as though Eau Claire has made up her mind to cop off the championship.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE FOR THE CIVIC CLUB FACES CHARGE

(Delayed from last week)

The three members of the program committee, consisting of Chr. Lorene Brackin, Marshall Norseng, and Thomas E. Barry, face one of the most critical charges ever brought before the organization. Upon investigation the honorable President, Sid Scoville, found that the committee had not been fulfilling their oath of office.

At the first meeting of the club, Marcel K. Lynum, Business Manager of the Meletean Staff, made such inconsistent, radical and unbalanced statements that it was necessary for the dignified President to investigate the matter quite thoroughly.

After careful investigation it was found that the program committee appeared to be guilty so far as circumstantial evidence could ascertain. The program committee will be brought to trial February 11, 1926.

The program committee seems to be divided on the matter. Unless Mr. Barry and Mr. Norseng can convince he jury that they are innocent, the prosecuting attorney will, undoubtedly, sentence the committee to an unmerciful sentence.

The committee, when interviewed by reporters, usually appeared very calm and self possessed. Mr. Barry showed signs of a nervous breakdown due to a complication of heart trouble and brain pressure.

ORGANIZATION NOTES

AURELIA ELECTS OFFICERS

Last Thursday evening the Aurelia met for the purpose of electing new officers.

The regular business was first attended to, after which the following officers were elected.

Pres.—Lucille Malott
Vice-Pres.—Adalade Keating
Sec.—Karn Heyerdahl
Treas.—Lyla Van Alstine.

The old president, Margaret Hannah, gave a short speech of appreciation for the co-operation shown by the members.

The new president took charge of the rest of the meeting and gave a short speech. The meeting was then adjourned.

G. O. P.

The G. O. P., assisted by Miss Roherty, planned a series of programs last fall, for their meetings in which women of Wisconsin, prominent in various fields of activities, were to be studied.

Zona Gale, a noted author and native of Portage, Wisconsin, was the subject of discussion Thursday evening. Ellen Bannister gave an interesting review of her life and work, and Ida Johnson read a selection from "Friendship Village." Other members contributed interesting anecdotes.

The following officers were elected for the remainder of the year:

Pres.—Avery Ames
Vice-Pres.—Sara McIntyre
Sec.—Ruth Bailey
Treas.—Inez Morrow.

CIVIC CLUB ELECTION RETURNS

Last week was marked as a week of campaigning and electioneering. Besides the Links the Civic Club also was doing everything but making soap box speeches.

The nomination committee nominated Adele Williamson, candidate for president of the organization; Clarence Wesslin for vice-president, and Bessie Klein for Sec.-Treas. This made up the new ticket, which was running on an unheard of platform. The old ticket, which consisted of President Sid Scoville, Vice-president Lorene Brackin, and Sec.-Treas., Stella Pederson, were the opponents of the new candidates.

After two days of counting ballots, the results were as follows: Adele Williamson and Sid Scoville each had 6000 votes, Lorene Brackin, 8000 votes, Clarence Wesslin, 4000 votes; Bessie Klein, 4000 votes; Stella Pedersen, 8000 votes. According to this report it will be a matter of chance on the part of the old president whether or not he decides to resign his office—since the other two members of the old ticket have been elected for the second time, it will undoubtedly result in a split platform during the rest of the year.

Thursday evening the club will witness one of the hottest trials in its history, namely, that of the program committee. This committee consists of Lorene Brackin, Marshall Norseng, and Thomas Barry. For further information be there Thursday night at 7 p. m. to see for yourself. Everyone welcome.

City Girl: What are those little things running on the ground?
Aunt Hepzibah: Those are ants, my dear.

City Girl: How curious! Don't the uncles come out until after dark.

"Sav. Mother, was baby sent down from Heaven?"

"Why, ves."

"Um. They like to have it quiet there, don't they?"

It's Here!

Meletean Vaudeville

"RIP WRINKLES OF 1926"

Friday, February 12

Normal Auditorium

8:15 P. M.

This and that

Evelyn Holt spent the week-end visiting in St. Paul.

Mabel Beastro is absent from school now on account of sickness.

Olga Holmbeck spent the week-end in Clear Lake with home folks.

Eunice Josephson spent the week-end in the city visiting her sister.

Eileen Stolt and Pearl Heckel spent the week-end at their homes in Prescott.

Charles McNabb spent the week-end in the city with his brother, who is in St. Luke's Hospital.

Gertrude Merrill is quarantined for scarlet fever. However, Gert. hasn't the fever—just the vacation.

We are very sorry that Ida Holmback has been forced to withdraw from school because of illness.

Lorraine Nelson, '25, visited school Thursday afternoon. Lorraine plans to attend the Minneapolis Art School in April.

Ellis Johnston has returned from his visit to his home in Minneapolis, where he was called by the illness of his mother.

Evelyn Barrett drove to Ellsworth Sunday evening. Evidently she was "sizing up" the pavilion for the Easter Monday dance.

Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Hanna, and Miss Schlosser have been judging debates and declamatory and oratorical contests in other towns lately.

Just ask the girls if they can't have a good time without the company of their gentlemen friends. The party Saturday evening proved that they can.

Ted Jensen attended a meeting of the State Student Council at Milwaukee on Saturday, February 6. He reports that all the girls were glad to see him again. "Jens" and "Johnnie" send a cheery "Hello" to their old friends.

All the friends of "Slim" Mjaanes were glad to see him back in town this week-end. Slim likes his job and is enthusiastic concerning future prospects. Incidentally Alice H. happened to see Ledvin while he was in our little city.

Ted Kexel started for the cities Saturday about noon to see "The Student Prince," but did not arrive in time to see the show, due to the loss of one wheel on the car in which he was making his trip. He took in part of the auto show as well as a dance, however, to make up for his disappointment. We won't say at what time he arrived back in River Falls.

The two Burkes, Bloomgren, Connors, Jennings, Sir James Landis, and "Rollie" Williams, had a special car from Hudson on their way back from the city. Since the Buick-six failed to appear on the scene of action, Alma Mayer rode in the River Falls Special, also. If you want to know who runs this Buick car to which we referred, we suggest that you inquire of Herbert Chapman.

Miss Latta made a business trip to Minneapolis Saturday for the Meletean.

Ruth Bailey and Edith Pritchett saw "The Student Prince" at the Met. Saturday.

A number of Normal students attended the Masquerade dance at Prescott Friday night.

The Bergman gang gave a stag party for their boy friends Wednesday evening. There are reasons why the "fair sex" were excluded.

Four weeks left of this term. Sixteen weeks until June. After that—? Nothing left but work—worry—and oh—that job—next year.

Rusty Dort spent Saturday night in the cities. He said it was remarkable at the rate of speed they came back to River Falls—it taking them only two hours to come from St. Paul to Hudson. We are positive they didn't have a Ford or it would never take them that long.

AG. NEWS

The next meeting of the Ags will be held Thursday night in Mr. Johnson's room. The meeting will begin promptly at 7 o'clock.

The following is the program arranged for this meeting:

Music—Rady's Stringed Jazz-operators

Talk—What legislation has done for the farmer, Flavin Martell.

Jokes—Art Begley

Parliamentary Practice—Hendrickson.

Jack Burke let it be known in Economics class last week that he would just as soon ride a manure spreader as a Packard any day. Who now dares say that Jack isn't a faithful member of the Ag. Department.

The committee appointed to arrange for an Ag. dance haven't met with much success. However, we are all looking forward to the night that we can Hayfoot, Strawfoot, and foot it all around the South Hall Gym floor, to the music of a fiddle and accordion.

OLD FASHIONED WEDDING WORTHY OF ITS NAME

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ors, and is related to the groom's half brother's second wife.

The bridesmaids and ushers were followed by six dainty flower girls, who carried baskets of rose and sweet pea petals.

The bride wore a very handsome costume of white voile, which had an eight inch pink sash. Her veil was fastened on her golden hair with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a \$3600 bouquet.

The groom had a bouquet of lavender sweet peas in his lapel. His suit was one which was marked by its individuality and distinctive tailoring.

The ring ceremony was used. Little four-year-old Arabella Sophie Zupalzee, niece of the bride, acted as ring bearer. Her dainty sunset colored frock blended perfectly with her beautiful complexion. She carried the ring on a silver tray.

After the ceremony, and the congratulations, the bride threw her bouquet. This caused an excessive amount of enthusiasm on the part of the single women of the party. The maid of honor, Allets Nesredep, caught the bouquet. This caused considerable excitement since she is reported to have sued her fiancée for breach of promise.

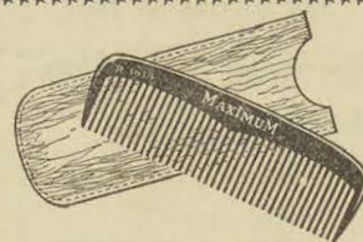
The wedding party joined in merry making which immediately followed. Skip Come a Lou, The Needle's Eye, Four in the Boat, and other games were played.

During the merrymaking the photographer asked for a "setting" of the wedding party. Mr. Semaj Retep Nosbocaj has never had a failure with his pictures, and it is expected that the papers will get a picture very soon.

About 10 o'clock refreshments

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were served. The bridal cake, which was carried on a stand by two women servants, stood 24 inches high and was decorated in red and white. Immediately after the "eats" the guests wended their way homeward.

Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass were successful in escaping without further notice from the outside world. They have gone on an extended honeymoon to Tongue Twister Island, and will be at home in classes in the River Falls Normal February 8.

FATHER FASSBENDER GIVES PARTY

Father Fassbender entertained the N. C. A. members and their friends a week ago Tuesday. The party was held in the church basement. The impromptu program and the radio program were special features of the evening. Everyone enjoyed the games which were played. An excellent lunch was served to a very appreciative crowd of young people. Everyone present reports a good time.

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ALLARD'S

**MYSTERY OF THE COURT
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compelled to wash his hair in order to make a good appearance at his customary Sunday appointment, while Leslie says he had enough beans in one ear for all his Sunday meals.

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The spectators were now called to view the trial of Mr. Geere, head of the music department. While the court was getting in order, Sherman Biles stood "reverse order" amongst the audience and was vigorously clapped, though not as actors are usually encored. Judge Whitenack opened court by having Sheriff Patrick O'Malley call the court to order and bring in the prisoner. (O'Malley is usually called, "Hey there, Jennings.") Ole Olson, alias Heggen, read the charges against the prisoner: "accused of taking large numbers of small trout from the Kinnickinnic, thus depleting our natural resources."

Since it was necessary to have another jurymen in order to have the legal number. Mr. Stratton was called to the stand and examined. The prosecuting attorney, Mr. William Howard Taft, read a record of the conviction of the proposed jurymen for charges similar to those involved, causing the judge to dismiss the ex-convict. Mr. Hanna, who was next examined, became involved in a controversy with Mr. Taft regarding who had the larger number of hairs on his head. He was discharged at the recommendation of the attorney for the defense, Mr. Charles E. Hughes. Leslie Rear-don, being unmistakably Irish, was immediately accepted, and took his seat with the jury.

John Burke, the first witness for the prosecution, took the stand after taking the oath, which all were required to repeat. The oath was slightly unusual and strictly in keeping with the solemnity of the situation: "I promise to tell the truth, the whole truth, and everything but the truth, so help me Henry Ford." Collins and Barry, and the first witness made up "the three honest Irish witnesses for the prosecution."

Axel Peterson, who claimed that he lived on the "hind end of Mr.

Healey's farm," and Mr. Larsen, who is known about this campus as Mr. Segerstrom, were called to the stand by Attorney Hughes as witnesses for the defense. Attorney Taft was unable to translate the jargon of the last of these witnesses and obtained Mr. Jacobson as interpreter. The remedy proved worse than the disease, for it was found that the interpreter could not speak "United Staets," but only Danish, so he was dismissed.

After Attorney Taft (Mr. Hunt) had finished his first plea to the jury, which brought a flood of tears from the audience, Attorney Hughes reviewed the case and gave the life history of the defendant. Mr. Geere has always known the pinch of poverty, being forced to earn his living under extreme difficulty. At the age of six he was bootblack in Philadelphia, and two years later he was peddling newspapers on the streets of Detroit. He climbed up another step on his ladder to fame when he joined a circus, and traveled throughout this country. His next position was in the stock yards of Kansas City, throwing the bull. From there chance led him to Montana, where he became a shepherd. It was here that a great musician chanced to hear him as he was singing to the sheep and recognized the talent hidden in his voice. The great artist took him to the city where his voice was cultivated and grew to its present stag of development. Following this story, Attorney Hughes (Dean Mitchell) made his famous plea to the jury. As soon as he finished, Attorney Taft pleaded with the jury of "honest Irishmen" not to be fooled by the utterance of the low-down Swede witnesses. He ended his plea with the statement that "any man who traveled with a circus, shot the

bull, and lived in Kansas must be guilty of anything of which he is accused."

Judge Whitenack charged the jury with the seriousness of the case, and they left the room for consultation. Their verdict was, "If he fishes like he sings, he could never catch a fish, and therefore he is not guilty." The court was adjourned.

Grub line was formed and the famous Jacobson bean soup and crackers were dispensed to all. Some of the faculty who knew the recipe went home without partaking of the soup. A number of students came back for "seconds" and "thirds," and as this goes to press we have heard of no casualties. After giving a big yell for the "Y" advisor, Mr. Jacobson, the party broke up and its members tried to find their way home.

Waiter (to newly married couple): Is there anything else, sir?

Groom: Yes, a honeymoon salad.

Waiter: And what is that, sir?
Groom: Lettuce alone.

She: Nan is certainly dense, isn't she?

He: What makes you think so?

She: She thinks "nut" coal is the fuel they burn in insane asylums.

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The spectators were now called to view the trial of Mr. Geere, head of the music department. While the court was getting in order, Sherman Biles stood "reverse order" amongst the audience and was vigorously clapped, though not as actors are usually encored. Judge Whitenack opened court by having Sheriff Patrick O'Malley call the court to order and bring in the prisoner. (O'Malley is usually called, "Hey there, Jennings.") Ole Olson, alias Heggen, read the charges against the prisoner: "accused of taking large numbers of small trout from the Kinnickinnie, thus depleting our natural resources."

Since it was necessary to have another juryman in order to have the legal number. Mr. Stratton was called to the stand and examined. The prosecuting attorney, Mr. William Howard Taft, read a record of the conviction of the proposed juryman for charges similar to those involved, causing the judge to dismiss the ex-convict. Mr. Hanna, who was next examined, became involved in a controversy with Mr. Taft regarding who had the larger number of hairs on his head. He was discharged at the recommendation of the attorney for the defense, Mr. Charles E. Hughes. Leslie Reardon, being unmistakably Irish, was immediately accepted, and took his seat with the jury.

John Burke, the first witness for the prosecution, took the stand after taking the oath, which all were required to repeat. The oath was slightly unusual and strictly in keeping with the solemnity of the situation: "I promise to tell the truth, the whole truth, and everything but the truth, so help me Henry Ford." Collins and Barry, and the first witness made up "the three honest Irish witnesses for the prosecution."

Axel Peterson, who claimed that he lived on the "hind end of Mr.

Healey's farm," and Mr. Larsen, who is known about this campus as Mr. Segerstrom, were called to the stand by Attorney Hughes as witnesses for the defense. Attorney Taft was unable to translate the jargon of the last of these witnesses and obtained Mr. Jacobson as interpreter. The remedy proved worse than the disease, for it was found that the interpreter could not speak "United Staets," but only Danish, so he was dismissed.

After Attorney Taft (Mr. Hunt) had finished his first plea to the jury, which brought a flood of tears from the audience, Attorney Hughes reviewed the case and gave the life history of the defendant. Mr. Geere has always known the pinch of poverty, being forced to earn his living under extreme difficulty. At the age of six he was bootblack in Philadelphia, and two years later he was peddling newspapers on the streets of Detroit. He climbed up another step on his ladder to fame when he joined a circus, and traveled throughout this country. His next position was in the stock yards of Kansas City, throwing the bull. From there chance led him to Montana, where he became a shepherd. It was here that a great musician chanced to hear him as he was singing to the sheep and recognized the talent hidden in his voice. The great artist took him to the city where his voice was cultivated and grew to its present stag of development. Following this story, Attorney Hughes (Dean Mitchell) made his famous plea to the jury. As soon as he finished, Attorney Taft pleaded with the jury of "honest Irishmen" not to be fooled by the utterance of the low-down Swede witnesses. He ended his plea with the statement that "any man who traveled with a circus, shot the

bull, and lived in Kansas must be guilty of anything of which he is accused."

Judge Whitenack charged the jury with the seriousness of the case, and they left the room for consultation. Their verdict was, "If he fishes like he sings, he could never catch a fish, and therefore he is not guilty." The court was adjourned.

Grub line was formed and the famous Jacobson bean soup and crackers were dispensed to all. Some of the faculty who knew the recipe went home without partaking of the soup. A number of students came back for "seconds" and "thirds," and as this goes to press we have heard of no casualties. After giving a big yell for the "Y" advisor, Mr. Jacobson, the party broke up and its members tried to find their way home.

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This and that

Evelyn Holt spent the week-end visiting in St. Paul.

Mabel Beastron is absent from school now on account of sickness.

Olga Holmbeck spent the week-end in Clear Lake with home folks.

Eunice Josephson spent the week-end in the city visiting her sister.

Eileen Stolt and Pearl Heckel spent the week-end at their homes in Prescott.

Charles McNabb spent the week-end in the city with his brother, who is in St. Luke's Hospital.

Gertrude Merrill is quarantined for scarlet fever. However, Gert. hasn't the fever—just the vacation.

We are very sorry that Ida Holmback has been forced to withdraw from school because of illness.

Lorraine Nelson, '25, visited school Thursday afternoon. Lorraine plans to attend the Minneapolis Art School in April.

Ellis Johnston has returned from his visit to his home in Minneapolis, where he was called by the illness of his mother.

Evelyn Barrett drove to Ellsworth Sunday evening. Evidently she was "sizing up" the pavilion for the Easter Monday dance.

Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Hanna, and Miss Schlosser have been judging debates and declamatory and oratorical contests in other towns lately.

Just ask the girls if they can't have a good time without the company of their gentlemen friends. The party Saturday evening proved that they can.

Ted Jenson attended a meeting of the State Student Council at Milwaukee on Saturday, February 6. He reports that all the girls were glad to see him again. "Jens" and "Johnnie" send a cheery "Hello" to their old friends.

All the friends of "Slim" Mjaanes were glad to see him back in town this week-end. Slim likes his job and is enthusiastic concerning future prospects. Incidentally Alice H. happened to see Ledvin while he was in our little city.

Ted Kexel started for the cities Saturday about noon to see "The Student Prince," but did not arrive in time to see the show, due to the loss of one wheel on the car in which he was making his trip. He took in part of the auto show as well as a dance, however, to make up for his disappointment. We won't say at what time he arrived back in River Falls.

The two Burkes, Bloomgren, Connors, Jennings, Sir James Landis, and "Rollie" Williams, had a special car from Hudson on their way back from the city. Since the Buick-six failed to appear on the scene of action, Alma Mayer rode in the River Falls Special, also. If you want to know who runs this Buick car to which we referred, we suggest that you inquire of Herbert Chapman.

Miss Latta made a business trip to Minneapolis Saturday for the Meletean.

Ruth Bailey and Edith Pritchett saw "The Student Prince" at the Met. Saturday.

A number of Normal students attended the Masquerade dance at Prescott Friday night.

The Bergman gang gave a stag party for their boy friends Wednesday evening. There are reasons why the "fair sex" were excluded.

Four weeks left of this term. Sixteen weeks until June. After that—? Nothing left but work—worry—and oh—that job—next year.

Rusty Dort spent Saturday night in the cities. He said it was remarkable at the rate of speed they came back to River Falls—it taking them only two hours to come from St. Paul to Hudson. We are positive they didn't have a Ford or it would never take them that long.

AG. NEWS

The next meeting of the Ags will be held Thursday night in Mr. Johnson's room. The meeting will begin promptly at 7 o'clock.

The following is the program arranged for this meeting:

Music—Rady's Stringed Jazz-operators

Talk—What legislation has done for the farmer, Flavin Martell.

Jokes—Art Begley

Parliamentary Practice—Hendrickson.

Jack Burke let it be known in Economics class last week that he would just as soon ride a manure sreader as a Packard any day. Who now dares say that Jack isn't a faithful member of the Ag. Department.

The committee appointed to arrange for an Ag. dance haven't met with much success. However, we are all looking forward to the night that we can Hayfoot, Strawfoot, and foot it all around the South Hall Gym floor, to the music of a fiddle and accordion.

OLD FASHIONED WEDDING WORTHY OF ITS NAME

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L. M. NAUTH'S CLOTHES SHOP

The bridesmaids and ushers were followed by six dainty flower girls, who carried baskets of rose and sweet pea petals.

The bride wore a very handsome costume of white voile, which had an eight inch pink sash. Her veil was fastened on her golden hair with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a \$3600 bouquet.

The groom had a bouquet of lavender sweet peas in his lapel. His suit was one which was marked by its individuality and distinctive tailoring.

The ring ceremony was used. Little four-year-old Arabella Sophie Zubalzee, neice of the bride, acted as ring bearer. Her dainty sunset colored frock blended perfectly with her beautiful complexion. She carried the ring on a silver tray.

After the ceremony, and the congratulations, the bride threw her bouquet. This caused an excessive amount of enthusiasm on the part of the single women of the party. The maid of honor, Allets Nesredop, caught the bouquet. This caused considerable excitement since she is reported to have sued her fiancee for breach of promise.

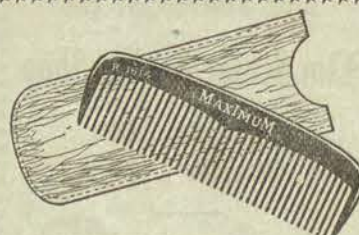
The wedding party joined in merry making which immediately followed. Skip Come a Lou, The Needle's Eye, Four in the Beat, and other games were played.

During the merrymaking the photographer asked for a "setting" of the wedding party. Mr. Semaj Retep Nsobocaj has never had a failure with his pictures, and it is expected that the papers will get a picture very soon.

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were served. The bridal cake, which was carried on a stand by two women servants, stood 24 inches high and was decorated in red and white. Immediately after the "eats" the guests wended their way homeward.

Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass were successful in escaping without further notice from the outside world. They have gone on an extended honeymoon to Tongue Twister Island, and will be at home in classes in the River Falls Normal February 8.

FATHER FASSBENDER GIVES PARTY

Father Fassbender entertained the N. C. A. members and their friends a week ago Tuesday. The party was held in the church basement. The impromptu program and the radio program were special features of the evening. Everyone enjoyed the games which were played. An excellent lunch was served to a very appreciative crowd of young people. Everyone present reports a good time.

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