

The Student Voice

Plans Laid for Normal's Greatest Re-Union

THE FALLS TAKES 8 to 1 VICTORY FROM DUNWOODY

Rally in the Seventh Brings in Five Runs and Puts Game on Ice

Wednesday afternoon Dunwoody met defeat at the hands of the Red and White in a close game up to the seventh inning. The Falls scored in the first and the visitors were held scoreless until the fourth when from there on the score was tied until the sixth. In this inning Carlson crossed the plate on Shannon's bingle into left field. Up to the seventh inning it was nobody's game and both teams had men on bases when the sides were retired. In the seventh the boys started crashing the pill and with the help of a few errors scored five runs for a total of seven. The Falls scored again at their last bat. Raab went in the box in place of Kees in the last inning but the visitors were unable to push any runs across.

Kees worked on the mound with a bad arm all through the game but at that got five strike outs and allowed three walks.

The visitors found his offerings for only four scattered hits. The Red and White gave him some fine support and were credited with only one error as compared with eight for the visitors.

Barber, hurling for the visitors, pitched a fine game and with better support, the score would have been a little closer. He got twelve strikeouts and allowed two walks. The Falls connected with his offerings for eight hits.

THE REUNION YELL

Hit 'em on the eyeball,
Soak 'em on the Bean,
River Falls Normal, Seventeen.

It won't be long now—What? Seventeen Reunion.

FULL WEEK TAKEN UP BY COMMENCEMENT AND REUNION

June 4 to 10. Inclusive, on Normal Calendar

Commencing with the Baccalaureate address on Sunday, the Commencement and alumni reunions will take up the whole week, ending with a picnic of the Class of '17 on Saturday, June 10. Class day exercises fill up the first days of the week with commencement for the Class of 1922 on Thursday, June 8. Following the commencement program the regular alumni banquet will be held, at which all graduates are invited.

In the evening there will be a reception and the alumni ball, both in the North Hall gym.

Special activities of the class of '17 commence Friday morning with a business meeting. A number of important items will be brought up by Ralph Hanson, President, and a number of members of the class. Among others, the attitude of the class on Homecomings will be ascertained, and committees named for the next five year reunion. Ways and means of bringing the alumni in close touch with the school will be discussed by the members.

With all the old members planning to be here, a game with the Normal team will be played Friday afternoon. Victor Goss, captain of the '17 All-Stars, promises a royal scrap if the Normal team threatens to score. "Bib" Gridley, the smallest member of the class, has everything ready for a "big" time at the picnic on Saturday morning, while Mrs. J. H. Watson, one of the only two committee members who can boast of "Mrs.", is setting a royal table for those who celebrate. Bess Buckley and "Billie" Stapleton, who are making arrangements for the reception and the dance, are old-timers in that line, and were always called on when a real good time was wanted back in 1917.

Forty members of the class of '17 have been assigned to committees and already are taking an active part in organizing the re-union.

Miss Bess Buckley and Francis Stapleton have been appointed to take charge of the reception which will take place Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock, June 9. The following members are working with them on this committee: Jane O'Connell, Hudson, Wis., Gordon Neuenfeldt, Wausau, Wis., Lloyd Berglund, Albert Lee, Minn. The chief work of this committee will be to entertain the wives and husbands of members of the class. We realize that they will need some assistance for we fear that the enthusiastic seventeneers may be a little neglectful meeting his classmates.

To some of us the baseball record made by the class of '17 is still fresh in our minds. To those of you who may have forgotten, we wish to say that it was a great team with a record hard to beat. Vic Gross of Merrillan, Wis., has been appointed captain of the '17 team which will play the Normal team on Friday afternoon June 9. "Viv" has made a great record for himself in the base ball world. He was considered the Babe Ruth on the Black River Falls team last year and seems to be repeating this year. We know that he will have his team lined up for the Normal game because he has already enlisted such men as John Moberg, Charles Betzel, Gordon Neuenfeldt, Ralph Ryder, Hilbert Mueller, John Hanson and George Megorden.

The burden of the '17 banquet falls to Mrs. Harold Watson (Nee Leora Elliot.) She has chosen a committee of twenty-five members to assist her in this work: Esther Erlanson, Wausau, Wis., Lulu Paulson, Mt. Horeb, Myrtle McNamara, Cylon, Wis., Florence Pearson, Hudson, Wis., Avis Severson, Ashland, Wis., Lois Swanberg, Stillwater, Minn., Pearl Trepan-

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MOTHER

No man is so old or wise that he may not well turn to his mother for guidance in some problems. No one in the world loves you as she does; nobody is better suited to hand out advice for your well being. She may tend to make a goody-goody boy of her son, but such will not be the case if he is not susceptible. Cherish her. No person in the world deserves love and care as she does. No person sacrifices more things than she does in order that life may be more pleasant for you.

Next Sunday has been set aside as Mothers' Day. Observe it, and make every day thereafter Mothers' Day.

JUNIOR PROM TONIGHT

The Junior Prom, which is to be given tonight, promises to be very successful from every aspect. The North Hall gymnasium is very prettily decorated, and shows that the Juniors have spent a great deal of time and effort getting everything in readiness for the big event. Flander's Orchestra from St. Paul will furnish the music. There is no question but what every one will have a most enjoyable time. The Grand March will begin at 8:15.

17 Questionaire to the Members

Name
Married?
If so, to whom?
If not, how are chances?
How many places do you want reserved for you at the Normal '17 Banquet?

PLANS LAID FAR NORMAL'S GREATEST RE-UNION

(continued from page 1)

ier, Medford, Wis., Walter Bergen, Altkin, Minn., Frank Brandemuehl, Spencer, Wis., William Doonen, Beaver Creek, Minn., Manley Healey, Hudson, Wis. We hope that every member of the class will be here because nothing has been unfinished to make this the biggest event of the reunion. Lois Swanberg will present the class with a set of the old songs as well as a number of new ones to fit the occasion. Some very interesting speeches will be given by members of the class and faculty. Manley Healey, the long winded cheer leader, will lead the yells and prove to you that married life has not affected his school spirit.

Last but not least we have a picnic committee headed by Nora Stapleton, Mrs. Frank Moser (nee Bib Gridley.) Douglas Allard will be a big member on this committee for well we know we will need a lot of wood for a bon-fire. To assist him, Elbert Randall of St. Paul, Minn., has offered his services. This will be the closing event of the program.

THAT HOME COMING GAME

The first thing the old grad asks when he meets students or faculty members in the fall is "How is the team coming?" Then, "Gee, I wish I could see them in action."

The River Falls Alumni are always back of the team. We know it, but we want to put their enthusiasm where it will count—right on the side lines behind the team. The enthusiasm of the old grad doesn't help much when the games are played on Friday and he is tied up on a teaching job.

So arrangements are being made for the big Home Coming game Saturday November 18. The game will be the Oshkosh game. Oshkosh will have most of its old team back, so we shall need the united support of alumni, students and towns people to break the jinx and dump them. Every school that amounts to anything has its home coming game. Many a game even in the big ten, has been won by a team that pulled itself together for the big game. The old fighting spirit lives in River Falls, it lives wherever there is an old River Falls Grad. Let's all get together Saturday, Nov. 18 for the big doings. Beat Oshkosh Be Gosh!

HOME COMING SENTIMENT STRONG AMONG ALUMNI

For a long time sentiment has been strong for a homecoming of Alumni and the feeling that the alumni should share in the achievements of the school is a principle that has been adopted by all larger institutions. Many graduates of this school have expressed a desire that some football game be designated as the homecoming game and the alumni be especially invited to attend that day.

In harmony with the plans followed at other schools, it has been suggested that there be made an annual event from 1922 on, and that, if possible, the game now scheduled for November 17, be changed to homecoming day. By securing the Oshkosh game for this date the alumni, who will be only too glad to flock back to Ramier Field, are assured of a good battle, for these two schools have always ranked close in the athletic progress of the Wisconsin Normals.

In taking the initiative in promoting the Homecoming idea, the Class of '17 looks to a very favorable response from the faculty and from the present Senior Class. As soon as the attitudes of the faculty and the classes have been favorably reported, a committee will present plans to the Athletic Council asking for the appointment of an Alumni-Faculty-Student group to arrange the date and develop plans for the event. Mr. Hanson will also present the views of the faculty and the students at the coming reunion of the alumni and at the special five year reunion of the class of Seventeen.

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LINCOLNIAN

Wednesday evening the Lincolnian held its last regular meeting of the academic year. Officers present noted the unusual good attendance.

Business was the theme of the discussion. Perhaps it should be called business for pleasure, for the big thing arranged was a Lincolnian picnic. These Club members are finally feeling the call of spring. One splendid fellow expressed a wish and moved that ladies be invited at any cost. His motion carried unanimously, barring minor desensions. Next Wednesday was set as the date, and 5:30 p. m. as the time to congregate at North Hall.

The society has closed a year of work, which, while it has been continually before the public, has carried on to completion several outstanding achievements that have had more volume than activities of preceding years.

MUSIC ORGANIZATION'S BANQUET

The banquet for the allied musical organizations of the Normal will be held in the Methodist church parlors Wednesday, May 17th at 6:30 o'clock. Every member of the orchestra, Men's Glee Club and Girls' Glee Club is expected to be present. The treasurer has funds with which to meet the expenses.

In order that the committee may know for how many to provide, every member who expects to attend will kindly add his or her name to the list on bulletin board in South Hall not later than Monday.

G. A. A.

Two of the baseball tournaments have been played, the Seniors vs. the Sophomores, and 3rd. years vs. Juniors. Scores: 10-16 in favor of the Sophomores, Juniors forfeited the game. The tournament will be completed next week. The tennis tournament will start next week. The winner will be awarded a tennis racket, the runner-up, a racket cover.

There will be an important meeting of the G.A.A. Monday at 4 p. m. to present nominees for next year's officers, and for a final discussion on the camping trip.

On Saturday the team motored to St. Paul to play Luther Phalen. The weather man stopped all playing and the game has been postponed.

LOCALS

Mr. Koepp visited friends in St. Paul last week-end.

Miss Florence Alberts went to St. Paul Friday, returning Monday.

Mr. Jones, principal of the St. Croix Falls City schools, visited school Friday.

Misses Nellie Van Wyke and Blanch Suter have signed up to teach at Shell Lake next year.

Mrs. Powers, who had an operation for goitre about two weeks ago, is recovering rapidly.

Miss Mosher has made this week "Home Coming Week." No fines or questions are asked by the librarians when over due books are returned during these fine days.

The G.O.P.'s are planning a "Home Coming" to be given for the old members some day during Commencement week.

Several of the faculty members of the Normal and High schools enjoyed a few days outing at Shell Lake last week. The party consisted of the Misses Hathorne, McMillan, Tilton, Wind, Kellar and Hitchcock.

Mrs. Delos Krauth spent the week-end with her husband in Hudson.

Art Davis, who is employed in Nebraska, is visiting with his parents in River Falls. A friend, Gerald Gray, accompanied him home.

Miss Mosher visited in New Richmond last week-end.

Prof. Stratton caught a two and one-half pound trout Tuesday evening. No fish story.

Miss Delander visited in Maiden Rock Saturday and Sunday.

Glen Morgan drove down from Cumberland Tuesday evening and returned Wednesday morning.

Nellie Van Wyke visited the Munson girls in Newport, Minn., last week.

Don't forget the district H. S. track meet tomorrow afternoon. Everybody out to see a good meet and show

the high school teams we have a pep-py school.

Talk it up, Dual track meet with Eau Claire Normal Friday, May 19.

The baseball team will be in action on May 20 and will cross bats with the Luther Phalen aggregation.

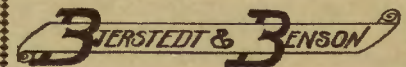
While in the cities last Saturday, several of the team went to the Kennedy Bro.'s Arms Co., to select some bats. While looking over the bats, the salesman must have been sizing up the bunch and looking at Kees and Shannon asked, "Are these bats for the Normal High team?" "Better pick out some light ones."

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CLASS OF '17 FAMOUS IN NORMAL ATHLETICS

Athletics reached a high point during school years' during '15 and '16, '16 and '17. The classes of '17 furnished 9 out of the 14 first team men in football. In basketball it placed three on the team. In baseball it placed seven men. Distinction of winning two championships consecutively is a mighty strong record.

In Inter-class Sports

Seventeeners won the interclass basketball game, both girls' and boys'. We also won the class indoor meet as well as the indoor baseball game.

During these years, large delegations followed the teams in special cars to Menomonie and St. Paul and a great many students delegated to all other contests.

Contrary to general opinion, the Student Voice was started in the spring of 1916 by three members of the class of '17. The paper was about three-fourths the size of the present issue and was printed by the members of the staff through the Normal Print Shop. It was a semi-weekly organ, sold to the students without subscription. Copies of the first edition are still on file and it is hoped that a facsimile copy can be reproduced in a later issue of the present paper.

'17 was the first class to graduate during the war, and gold stars appear in the Normal Building for the three members who died in service, Irvin Dickey, John Light and Ernest Pearson.

THURSDAY'S ASSEMBLY

Mrs. O'Connell Sherman, well known reader and impersonator, who entertains at the Normal Auditorium next Tuesday, May 16, gave a short entertainment at the Thursday's Assembly. Her readings, "The Cuckoo Clock," "If I Had the Time," and "Life, together with the stories and impersonations, goes to show her ability in this line of work.

The weekly Current Topic was ably presented by Helen Kyle, after which the program was taken over by the Civic Club. The first number of the Civic Club program was a musical selection by Miss Viola York. The concluding number was a discussion, "Should River Falls Normal have a system of dormitories." by Miss Cheney presenting the subject, Miss Fuller supporting the affirmative and Mr. Chapman supporting the negative side of the question.

TUESDAY'S ASSEMBLY

At the Tuesday's Assembly, President Ames gave a short biography of the late President McCaskil of Superior Normal. Pres. Ames, while attending the State Normal School at Stevens Point, took a course in Biology with Mr. McCaskil and as a consequence formed an intimate friendship with the man which has continued throughout the intervening time. This illustrated one of the most laudable characteristics of the late McCaskil, in that he lived an open life that encouraged intimacy in friendship. He lived an open life in all his dealings with his fellow men. Pres. Ames paid his last respects to one of his nearest friends when he attended the funeral last Saturday.

THE ALICE O'CONNELL SHERMAN RECITAL

Mrs. Alice O'Connell Sherman will give a recital next Tuesday evening in the Normal Auditorium at 8:15 p. m. Her program will consist of readings, stories, dialect, poems and impersonations. The entire proceeds from this entertainment will be given to the Live-Stock Show Association.

A special rate of 25c has been made for students. Tickets will be reserv-

ed free of charge at Freeman's beginning Friday.

Mrs. Sherman pleased the assembly very much on Thursday of this week, by a number of readings. She is considered one of the foremost readers at the present time. Mrs. Sherman has had a wide experience in lyceum and chautauqua work and all who attend this program are assured of a high class entertainment.

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Playing real baseball for early season, the Red and White tucked away the first game on the victory side. The visitors scored first in the second after Cūlbane connected for a three base hit and then crossed the plate on a throw to first. However, the Falls crossed the plate twice at their next bat taking a one point lead. Neither team scoring again until the last of the fifth, when Shannon drove one into centerfield and romped all around the field. The Falls scored two more in the seventh for a total of 5 to 1. The visitors were decidedly out of luck and from the second to the eighth only three batters faced the offerings of Kees each inning. In the eighth, the visitors scored one and in the ninth scored two more, bringing the total 5 to 4. The

two runs in this inning were secured when with one on Freer drove the ball into left field and with the help of the water hydrant, got a home run.

For full details inquire of Al Hyatt. The visitors almost tied the score but due to some neat pegging by Raab and Shannon, the man was caught off home by a good distance. Another fly ball into center ended the game.

Roy Kees worked on the mound for the Falls, with Carlson on the receiving end. The midget pitcher threw a real game, securing eleven strike outs and allowing only five hits and no walks.

Cashman, hurling for the visitors, secured six strike outs, allowed nine hits and one walk.

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HIGH SCHOOL BANQUET
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Last Friday evening at six o'clock the Aurelia and Lincolnian held their annual banquet in honor of the orators and declaimers who represented the various high schools of the St. Croix Valley district. The party appeared to be unusually acceptable to all participants. Tables were decorated in pink and white with trailing smilax and sweet peas.

Miss Weberg has again been active

and successful in making this dinner one of the kind you like to go to and can't forget.

Mr. Thomson, of the Lincolnian, acted as toast-master for the short program after dinner. Miss Thomson, of the Aurelia, extended a welcome to all, and explained the meaning and work of the two literary societies of the school. Miss Scott, a graduate of this school, responded to the welcome, telling how well she liked to get back and enumerated the marks of progress she noticed about the campus, especially the bobbies and highland kilts. Prof. Hazzard, of Macalaster College, spoke briefly upon the good of these contests held each year. Mr. Hawkins of Prescott toasted the losers Mr. Kanges held that the contestants were all winners in that they would derive much benefit from the effort and soon forget whether they had won or lost materially. Mr. Beebee, the orator champion avowed to put forth his best efforts for the district at the state meet.

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"AG. NOTES"

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The last meeting of the Agrifallian was held Tuesday. The following program was given:

An original composition by Messrs. Duxbury, Fleischauer and Booth. This was greatly appreciated and was followed by another selection.

Talk—"New Facts in Dairy Feeding" by Mr. Christopherson.

Extemporaneous Debate — Resolved, That Congress be asked to authorize the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer. Affirmative, Mr. Ross and Mr. Halaron; Negative, Mr. Harvey and Trevelyau.

The debaters brought up some unheard of arguments regarding the merits of this bill. Mr. Halaron giving a conclusive argument and the affirmative won the unanimous decision.

The society will hold a picnic for its members in the near future.

The society will devote the remainder of the school year to the Field Demonstration Day and the Intex-County Stock Show.

The class in Gas Engines has been initiated into the mysteries of Tractor Operation. Mr. Spriggs has also discovered many things about the class and with some new ideas in plowing and tractor operation.

There are new lines of work open to some of the class and we prophecy a rosy future for certain members.

Mr. Gilboe and Bauer are working on a book entitled, "How not to operate Tractors" or "Digging In and Losing the Crank."

Mr. O'Brien and Wiegand have been working out a series of physical Culture exercises known as "Acrobatics on a Fordson," also another entertaining series entitled, "Fancy Figures with the Case" the last resulted in a deluge and brought Mr. Spriggs to the rescue in the Normal Aeroplane.

Robert Swenson wins the honors in the plowing contest. Truthfully may it be said that there were none able to follow him.

Mr. Spriggs: "Do you think you can plow as well as Swenson?"

Chorus: Where did he learn it?"

Mr. O'Brien: "He didn't learn it. Where he comes from the horses are trained as colts and Robert always drove the oldest horses."

We feel that the Student Voice is really handicapped by not having a cartoonist to sketch some of the events of this weeks work on tractors. Especially would one be interested in seeing Christopherson and Sorenson endeavoring to teach the Fordson to swim.

Any girls wishing to be informed on the nutrient value of milk, may consult Mr. Earl Hildibrandt, who has received a number of good bulletins the last week.

Friday afternoon Mr. May will take his "Ag Ped." class to Roberts and New Richmond High, to supervise the class room and teaching of the Ag-dept. All those going to the Prom have been praying for the last week that there will be no engine trouble or blow outs.

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HIGH SCHOOL CONTEST SUCCESSFUL

From numerous good authorities come statements that the annual oratorical and declamatory contests held last Friday were of the finest type ever presented by high schools of the St. Croix Valley district. Over the orators, the judges had some real work in passing their decision, but upon judging the declamatory end of the meet their votes were still more scattered, showing the high quality of the selections given.

The placing for orators was: Norman Beebee of New Richmond, first; William Gavin of Hammond, second; and Harry Snyder of Prescott third. After some weighing of details, the best declaimers were finally awarded. First went to Clara Haggerty, of Shell Lake; second to Paula Spanton of Fredrick and third, after waiving a tie went to Hazel Price of Prescott.

These yearly contests are putting the surrounding high schools on a very desirable competitive footing and relations with each other. As Mr. Karges has stated, there really is no loser among them. Every student who shares in the contest is a winner, in the broader sense, by the experience he gets from it. Little matter who gets first; second, third or nothing; that is but the incentive for action. The foundation purpose is the great help given the participators toward a subsistence most beneficial to their communities.

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Here's a "warm" one from N. D.: "School is out on the 6th and I'm taking the first train to River Falls to get there on time."



Our Leaving Song, to the School in '17

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We are the Senior Class,
We're going to leave at last,
Somehow it's hard to go.

We're thinking of the day
When we will have to say
"Where are they teaching now?"
We have the brains and pep,
We will make good, you bet!
We'll make the whole world stare.
We're pretty swell, but still
We leave a precious will
When we must say farewell.

Chorus:

We'll leave the practice to the Juniors.
We leave the fussing to the Sophs,
And to the Third Years, we leave the studying,
For we're a bunch of "Profs."
We leave our good looks to the Freshmen
For they need them very bad
We'll leave the dignity to the faculty,
When we leave this school behind,
When we leave this school behind.
Tune (When I Leave The World Behind.)

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