# THE STUDENT VOICE

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# Dr. Payne Gives Colorful Lecture

## Italy Used as Subject

It does not often become the privilege of a people living in a community of this size to hear as interesting a lecturer on as interesting a subject as was heard at the Normal Auditorium Monday night when Dr. Payne lectured on "Wonderful Italy." Dr. Payne is a renowned lecturer, having traveled over the world many times, gathering material for his lectures. He has spent twenty years giving lectures at the different universities and colleges.

The lecture was indeed worthy of the man. His descriptions were exact, vivid and controlling; guiding the imagination so that one might think that he was seeing the actual productions. The lantern slides, which, although exemplifying and making the lecture still more vivid, would not have been necessary, so real were the descriptions.

As an introduction to his lecture, Dr. Payne brought forth the great gains that America has had, and is having, from its dealings with Italy. He also reconsidered the many historical events, about which all the world knows, that took place in the country of his description.

With the lecture started the lantern slides, each furnishing a very complete and picturesque reproduction of the many beautiful cities, cathedrals, and buildings of historical note. In his talk about these pictures, he brought out how the people lived, mostly in poverty, yet happy, and how they seemed to be endowed with that great gift of natural ability to create art. Their great love of beauty and music have seemed to work a natural kindliness into their hearts, making of them a much nobler race. Even to se e the pictures and hear the descriptions of the mauy wonderful buildings makes one wonder how they could have been built, with that great care of beauty, back almost a thousand years ago when the entire old world was ravaged by the peoples of the dark ages.

The lecture took one through the cities, their palaces and cathedrals, leading one on and on until he could not help but realize that that great

## **RECORD BREAKING**

## ENROLLMENT

Foot Ball Fervor Still Continues

The enrollment at the Normal School has broken all records, having reached the number of 567 at the close of the first week. This will mean that the total enrollment for the year will be considerably above 600 students.

Perhaps more significant than the total enrollment is the remarkable change which has taken place in the last few years in the character of the enrollment. Approximately 85% of the total registration is made up of students of college grade, whereas five years ago very nearly 50% of the enrollment in this school was made up of students of high school grade.

115 high schools are represented by gradates in this year's enrollment. The River Falls High School leads as might be expected, with 53. Others in order are: New Richmond, 20; Ellsworth, 19; Roberts, 14; Mondovi, 14; Elmwood, 13; Baldwin, 12; Hudson, 11; Clayton, 9; Barron, 8; Amery, 8; Downing, 7; Shell Lake, 7; Maiden Rock; 6; Glenwood City, 6; Spring Valley, 6; Clear Lake, 6; Holmen, 6; Osceola, 5; 4 each from the following: Stanley, Pepin, Elk Mound, Webster, Wausau, Menomonie, Hammond, Durand, Cumberland; 3 each from the following: Eleva, Red Wing, Minn. 3. St. Paul, St. Croix Falls; 2 from each of the following: Park Falls, Gilmanton, Chippewa Falls, Osseo, Barks-Waterloo, dale, Waldo, Spooner, Marshfield, Colfax, Madison, Balsam Lake, Milltown, Omro, LaFarge, Au-gusta, Minong. 1 each from 59 other high schools in Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota and Illinois.

The Senior Class numbers 169 Graduate Seniors, 24; Juniors, 268.

beauty is unsurpassed, and probably always will be. But again it is hard to realize these cities of beauty should be inhabited by the poorest of people, who, although happy and contented with their art and music, speak of America as the "next door to Heaven."

#### Heard on the Porch

Rosalie W.:--"Anne! Get out of my chair or I'll swear."

# To Surge

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## -o--New Men Arrive

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This week's additions to the football squad made the prospects for an excellent team still brighter. The wealth of material and the quality therein, give promise of the best team in the history of the school. It has been years since so much weight has shown up for the line. We become proud of our "beef," when looking over Hank Smith, Hohman, Hanson, and McLaughlin.

At present there are forty candidates out for positions, and from the appearance all men will have to put forth their best efforts to hold their places.

Men reporting since the last issue of "The Student Voice" are, "Tarzan" Lipke, "Spec" Clanton, Matthews of Wisconsin Rapids, Hohman of Wausau, one of the Carroll College team of last year, "Hank" Smith, and John Kerschner, formerly of Marshfield. High School.

So far no scrimmage has been started but the time has been spent in tackling the dummy, charging the bag, passing and punting, and considerable time put into blocking. In this short period, the men are being conditioned for the harder work which, follows.

Ziebell, Gurnoe and "Doug" Smith are vieing with each other in the kicking, and the lengthy booting shows they are in dead ernest. It is hard at present to pick a favorite.

It is quite evident the the student body is taking an interest in the team right at the start of the season. Good. crowds are following the work every. evening and this interest foretells the loyalty of the rooters.

Another sure sign of an excellent team for the Red and White is the early appearance of the "Bolsheviki" on the field.

The first game will be with St. Thomas on their field Saturday, September 29. All out to boost.

Do not forget the River Falls' spirit.

Better to say less than you know than know less than you say. Page Two.

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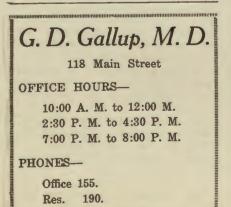


MAKE THE GOOD WORK A HABIT

We were pleased to see so many Normal School students attending services at the various churches last Sunday. It is easy to fall into the dangerous habit of neglecting our Sabbath duties when parental influence is lacking, but evidently many heroic efforts must have been made, and several hours of Sunday morning slumber sacrificed in order to carry a quiet conscience through the week.

We cannot over-estimate the value of church influence in our work as future teachers. Without it our education is not complete; for who could be called educated when the spiritual side of education has been neglected and untrained.

Students who participate in the various phases of church work, such as the Christian Endeavor, Epworth League, choir work and other Christian activities will gain from them much inspiration and benefit.



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## **HOW TIMES DO CHANGE**

A few short years ago, if one cared to listen in some public gatherings, one could hear the women on one side of the hall converse somewhat in this manner:

"You take two eggs, a tablespoonful of butter, etc." While on the men's side of the building would be heard, "We'll have to stick to the party."

Nowdays everything is changed. The women are saying. "I'll never vote for that man. I don't like his principles." The men tell one-another: "You take a cake of yeast----"

## THE MIXER PARTY

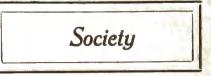
The annual all-school mixer party, put on by the three Christian organizations, was given Friday in the North Hall Gymnasium. Nearly everyone took advantage of the opportunity to find out who that particular fellow or girl she or he had noticed on the campus was. The evening officially opened with a grand march and closed with ice cream cones. Considerable merriment was created by the novel way of shaking hands, and by the little sketch "Podunk Center."

Mr. Ames spoke briefly of the value of the Christian societies of the school. A school with a group of young men and women allied with the same high moral and religious ideals is of a far superior type in comparison with one lacking in such people among its student body. The three presidents of the religious societies presented the aims and purposes of their respective organizations to the students.

Prof. Stratton: (In Geography) "I'll bet that none of you have ever been murdered by a Turk."



5. Groceries.



#### ORGANIZATION

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

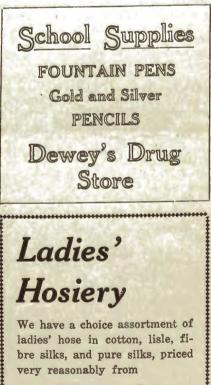
Y.M.C.A.—Tuesday, Sept. 26, at 6:45 p. m., Mr. Power's room.

Y.W.C.A.-Tuesday, Sept. 26 at 6:-45 p. m. Society room.

G.A.A.—Monday, Sept. 25, at 4 o'clock . All girls of the school who are interested in girls' athletics are urged to attend.

G.O.P.—The first meeting will be in the form of a "mixer" for all the girls in school. Thursday, Sept. 28 is the date.

Watch for other school organization announcements which will be issued later.



# 50c to \$3

**Our \$1.00 and \$1.50** numbers are especially good values.

Come in and see the new colored top silk hose. These come in plain glare silk, and a beautiful drop stitch.

Kulstad Bros. Successors to W. H. S. Johnson The Lincolnian, the Debating Society of the school, gives the men practice in debating and extemporaneous speaking. Prof. Mitchell, the debate coach, is the advisor. Only 25 members can be accommodated, so new men will have to apply early for a place.

## AGRIFALLIAN

The Agrifallian is one of the largest societies in the school. Its purpost is to promote an interest in agriculture, and to discuss new problems of experimentation and research in the field of agriculture. Many outside speakers who give the men good material are secured. The big events of the year are the poultry and grain show, the annual stock show, and the agriculture field day.

## **COMPASS CLUB**

The Compass Club is composed of the faculty members and students who are Masons. A cordial invitation is given to the new students, who are eligible for membership, to join.

#### RURAL LIFE

All members of the Rural department are included in its membership. Material is gotten here that can be used in putting on programs in the student's own school when they teach.

## NORMAL CATHOLIC ASS'N

The N.C.A. has a three fold purpose: to develop its members spiritually, mentally and socially. This idea is carried out in its meetings.

### Y.M.C.A.

The Y. has adopted this platform for the year. "The Y.M.C.A. believes in the complete life; the physical, the mental, and the spiritual. In the local organization, this means that we will foster right thinking, right speaking, and right living. We will stand for honest class work, clean athletice, pure social relationships, and service to the other fellow." The Y.M.C.A. is a world-wide organization of great importance; you new men will miss a valuable opportunity for growth and friendship ff you decline ao ally yourself with this society.

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This week's edition completes the resume of the different organizations of our Normal School. Remember it is to your advantage to ally yourself with at least one society, and then



give your best. You will receive much in return from them.

# Y. W. C. A.

The purpose of the Y.W.C.A. is to unite the women of this institution into a better knowledge of Jesus Christ through Bible study and christian service.

All girls who are in sympathy with the ideals and purpose of this association are asked to join and help make this year the best Y.W.C.A. year we have had.

Perhaps one of the biggest features of the Y.W.C.A. is its Central Student Conference held each year at Lake Geneva. To this conference, girls come from eight of our north central states. These girls represent normal, college, university, and industrial girl Y.W.C.A. chapters. There were about six hundred at the last conference held Aug. 18 to 28.

Some of the prominent leaders were Ruth Pearson, National Executive of the Student Department and Miss Leslie Blanchard of the same department. The conference speakers were Professor Elbert Russell, Woolmen School, Swarthmore, Penn. and Prof essor Edmund Soper, D.D. of Northwestern University. Miss Florence Pierce, our own National Field Secretary, was also present.

retary, was also present. Each day was spent in regular class and lecture work. Along with this was plenty of time for recreation such as swimmng, boatng, playing ball and tennis. Other types of recreation were excursions on Lake Geneva and hiking.

A great spirit of fellowship exists between the girls at Lake Geneva. Each girl makes an effort to meet and know as many as possible in the short time she is there. Among the different countries represented were Japan, England, India, Russia, Mexico, and United States. It is the mixing, knowing, and

It is the mixing, knowing, and learning of these girls of foreign countries which impresses one of the magnitude of this organization.

The object of the conference was to bring women students together in

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We have them.

C. F. Winter, Jeweler Sign of Golden Star united worship, study, council and comradship of daily life so that they would be able to gain a clearer knowledge of the world in which they live. As a result of this they may have a realization and an acceptance of their share of the task of rebuilding the world and more fully appreciate and unite in the program of the Christian church.

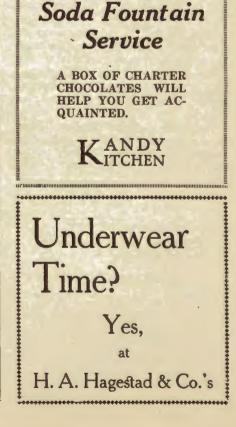
In our local Y.W.C.A. we hope to spend hours in devotional, literary, or social and international study of world Christian problems.

The Y.W.C.A. is a religious organization for all Normal school girls. In addition to weekly meetings there is a Young Woman's Bible class in each Sunday school of the several city churches. These Bible classes will welcome you.

# CHURCH RECEPTIONS

Every year the churches of River Falls give receptions for the new and old students of their denominations on the second Friday of the school year.

Next Friday night at 8 o'clock the Catholic, Congregational, Methodist, and Baptist churches will each hold a reception for their respective members and students in these churches. The Lutherans will have their reception in Forester Hall. The Episcopalian's reception will be announced later.



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School Notes

"Hank" Smith registered the first of the week.

Nad Feeney has lost her program again. Help wanted.

Melvin Lipke of Stratford, Wisconson registered Monday.

A group of Y.W. girls went on a hike down river Saturday.

Many practice teachers are looking less bewildered than before.

Miss Mosher has given a few students the "gentle hint" already.

Dan Welch was late to Physics class again. He is earning an alarm clock.

The former "Davis Gang" spent Sunday at the W. S. Davis home in Hudson.

The Spriggs family, Miss Robinson, and Miss Tilton spent Sunday afternoon in Hudson.

The social organizations are to be presented at Assembly Chursday. Everybody attend.

The librarians are answering calls of noisy corridors and banging locker doors quite regularily.

The Junior girls signed up for physical training are having their physical examinations this week.

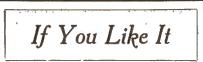
Vera Hawn, '18, left Sunday even-ing for Evanston, Ill., where she attends Northwestern University.

It is really a wonder there aren't more dead letters the way the mail truck speeds through the street.

Gwendolyn Canton of South St. Paul, who was operated on for appendicitis a short time ago, is back to school.

Ted Dodge, Galen Kirsher, Helen Wasson, Shirley and Ruth White left Sunday evening for Madison where they will attend the University.





"I want a Roman relic," she said. "Well, how would you like this pencil that Brutus used to Mark Anthony with ?"

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"Ever study a blotter" "No, foolish."

"Very absorbing thing."-Allegheny Campus.

She-This is the first time I've ever been kissed by a man.

He-That's sort of a slam at the rest of 'em, isn't it?-Dartmouth Jack O' Lantern.

This is no weather for village belles to peel along the beaches.

Father (upstairs)-It is time for that young man to go home.

Young man-Your father is a crank Father (overhearing)-Well, when you don't have a self-starter, a crank comes in mighty handy .-- Pitt. Panther.

## HERE'S A PARTY

Do you want to go to a regular good time? If you do, you can get it at the party given by the Christian Endeavor society at the Congregation-al church, Third and Elm Streets, Friday, September, 22, at 8 p. m. The committee has planned games with lots of motion and merriment. A stunt athletic meet will be the feature of the evening. Eats. Talk it over with your chum and decide to come.

# WE HAVE THE New Standard Note Book Covers **IN STOCK** -0-

## Freeman Drug Co.

#### REGISTRATION

. The total enrollment to date numbers 570. Of this number 296 are young women who have registered in Miss Hathorne's office. This does not include girl students of the 9th grade who are, however, enrolled as Normal School students.

Investigations show that young women from other cities, who are attending school here, are rooming at approximately 100 different private homes.

We note with surprise and gratifi-cation the great flock of young men coming to our institution. Their number threatens to reach that of the women.

# TO LUTHERAN STUDENTS

Don't forget the All-Lutheran reception which will be held at the Forester Hall Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

