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RED AND WHITE HOLD LUTHER SCORELESS

Playing baseball in top notch form The Falls nine downed the Lutherans 7 to 0. Kees kept the visitor's hits scattered while the Red and White were bunching hits and getting them at the right time.

The locals started their scoring right at the beginning and put three across the first frame. At the beginning of the third inning the visitors got a man to third with none out but he was unable to get home, and this was the closest the visitors came to scoring. At no other time did Luther get a man as far as second base. In the sixth, the Falls added one more to their total and in the last inning three more Falls men crossed the plate. In this frame Shannon and Kees got the big hits of the day when each one connected for a three bagger.

Kees worked in good form on the mound and secured 14 strikeouts. The visitors found his offerings for only four hits.

Mohr, throwing for the visitors, secured eight strikeouts and The Falls nine got next to his offerings for 12 hits.

This is the third consecutive win for River Falls. This afternoon the team is at La Crosse to meet the strong La Crosse Normal nine and tomorrow, will go to Winona to play St. Mary's College nine a return game.

EAU CLAIRE WINS DUAL TRACK MEET

In a six event track meet with Eau Claire Normal, last Friday afternoon, the Red and White lost by the score of 33 to 21. Up to the last event the two teams were only five points apart and the visitors got their big lead by taking first and second in the last event. Lipke won the only first for the Falls when on the last trial, he surprised the onlookers, and heaved the shot for the longest put. The relay race was the big feature of the event. The Red and White team composed of Roberts, Gerretson, Miles and Whitenack stepped out and just naturally showed their opponents how to run and won the race by a good margin.

Results—

100 yard dash,	10 3-5 sec
1st Mac Kinney, Eau Claire	
2nd Roberts, River Falls	
3rd. Whitenack, River Falls	
440 yard run	55 3-5 sec

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FASHION REVIEW

"Just Girls" gave a Fashion Review Down Petticoat Lane. The first part was a historical survey of the various types of American girls from the "Indian Girl" to the "Summer Girl of 1900"; the second, a review of the modern American girl in her various types of clothes. The beauty and grace of the old fashioned costumes were shown but from the standpoint of health and comfort, the modern dress has made an advance over that of our grandmother's. In spite of the ever changing fashions, it takes something more than just the latest fads in clothes to give grace and beauty to the wearer.

THE CHARM SCHOOL

The "Charm School," a play, is to be given tonight in the Normal Auditorium by the Seniors of the High school.

One of the highest recommendations for the Charm School as a high school play is the utter absence of any objectionable features.

It is clean and wholesome, free from sentimentality, and full of clean wholesome humor. While it is not beyond H. S. comprehension, and presentation, its situations and clever lines will be appreciated by its older as well as by the younger patrons.

The play was first given in the New Bijou Theatre in New York City August 1920. Later it was put on the screen with Wallace Reid and Lila Lee in the principle roles.

The Charm School as a movie was presented the past winter at the Princes movie house in this city and all who saw it pronounced it an entertaining and charming play.

The cast selected by the Senior Class is

Austin Bevans, Ronald Baker

An auto salesman with novel ideas on education which

David MacKensie, Kenneth Luberg

A law student, and a bosom friend of Austin considers very unpractical,

George Boyd, Carrol Brown

An expert accountant, also an admirer of girls in general and Elsie in particular.

Homer Johns, Winfred Bird

Who very much desires a word in private with Miss Hays, once his wife.

Jim Simkins, Richard Smith

Tom Simkins, James McKahan

The twins who toil not neither do they spin.

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"AG" NEWS

This afternoon the two Animal Husbandry Classes, as one of their last class exercises, go on a judging trip to the Lloyd P. Sherman herd of Shorthorns. Here the students will be given a final test as to their judging ability, and also observe the fitting of Beef Cattle for show.

The men of the Ag Mechanics Department have been tuning up tractors, and building floats in preparation for the Field Day Demonstration which is taking place as this issue goes to press. Other men of the Ag department have been fitting calves and cattle, and lively interest is being shown as the end of the contest nears. Others have been preparing their demonstrations, and judging from the appearance of the booths and exhibits, the competition will be very keen in all entries. Moving pictures of the various activities are to be taken. Rumors are in the air that Mr. Seyforth, in the Dairy Demonstration is to divulge the secret recipe of a new beverage calculated to take the place of "the cup that cheers." We are wondering what it is to be, as Mr. Seyforth is well acquainted with the Pabst Farms at Oconomowoc, Wis.

The Gardening Class has been working under difficulties. After the planting was completed and investigation work was made by members of the Normal herd. Not to be outdone by the cattle, the hogs lent their aid in his censoring trip. The pigeons have discovered that their favorite food is partly sprouted peas; and "Cootie" Halron and Mr. Wanish are offering a reward for the ones that ruined their garden.

The Agrifallian society is closing a very active year, with a picnic in the park, to be held Thursday evening.

The Agrifallian society will take an active part in the handling and managing of the Inter-County Live Stock Show, which is to be held June 1 and 2. The members will take charge of different departments, thus gaining experience arranging and conducting shows of this type. Over 200 entries have already been made and others are coming in daily. This means that a very large showing in the different classes will be made.

The next issue will contain a full account of the Field Day Demonstration. It will be well to secure an extra copy to show to the Home Folks and to other interested parties. This

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TOO MUCH TO GO TO

There are few, indeed, who will dispute the statement that this school year has held far too many social activities. It has been filled, especially, with benefits and other performances of the same nature. These functions get on an individual's nerves after being repeatedly thrust at him, and kept near the fore in his mind all winter. Then over all this, the spring weeks are topped off with picnics, just when we need the time for a little extra bucking.

We cannot go along, assuming that all has been, and is, well; such is not the case. Our instructors tell us that the schools are not doing what they should be doing. They see, now directly ahead, a larger percentage of flunks than should be evident. If they lay this foreboding deficit at the door of the great number of social activities, we can not help but agree with them. We have deeded and attended these functions by the dozens all year. There can be no better

proof than that to convince ourselves of such undoing.

It will be necessary that the situation be brought back to a normal bases in the immediate future. Two or three years of such a crowded schedule is enough to put any school in the dumps, and that type of occurrence, is not just what we care to experience here. To get back to where we belong, calls for the mutual understanding of all concerned, that the outside work and participation in extra activities must be cut down. It is a condition which involves the whole school attendance as a group, and as a group we must gather ourselves up and resume a sensible curriculum.

Do not misunderstand this, and take it as advocacy of no social events. Educational institutions cannot properly proceed without them; but they should be under some sort of control, and determined by a modulated program. Our hopes are sincere for a revision of the long tiresome course of happenings of the year now drawing to a close.

"LITTLE WOMEN"

The movie "Little Women" was given at the Normal Friday, May 19, at a matinee and in the evening. The film, a new one, presented the interesting story of Jo, Beth, Amy, Maggie, Laurie and Prof. Baer very faithfully in the way Louisa Alcott tells it to us.

Those who attended not only had a pleasant time, but also helped materially to advertise our Normal among the nearby high schools. Members of the faculty go to these high schools and tell them of the advantages of River Falls Normal, and the result it has been, and is, getting.

LINCOLNIAN

The evening was wonderful. It was Friday, May 19, and the Lincolnians had planned a picnic. A heavy supply of "grub" had been purchased, but few of the worthy members showed up for the trip down creek.

Wisconsin scenery can hardly be more beautiful than that unfolded to the appreciative gaze of the handful of hikers who carried out this old picnic (form, custom, and all) Friday evening. There are about us here at River Falls, hundreds of nature's most inspiring beauty spots.

We cannot resist a surge of pride beneath the surface of our visible self, that only a few of the Lincolnian personal put their time into a picnic at this time of the year. Although we go around "boning" those who stayed at home(?), relating to them what they missed and so on, we are just a little bit proud that the club has some members who cannot be attracted to all the social splurges being presented to them this year.

N.C.A.

The last meeting of the N.C.A. for this year was held on Thursday, May 11. A very good program was given consisting of a religious discussion led by Miss Hickey, and an excellent inspirational talk by our adviser, Mr. Prucha.

Despite the general tendency of lack of attendance this year throughout the different organizations of the school, the N. C. A. weathered the storm in good shape. The attendance never falling below twenty but once, falling below thirty but three times.

A great deal has been accomplished by this organization during this year. Good programs were given which gave good practice to the members. Special parties held in the church Hall were well attended and blended together the otherwise unacquainted members.

Summing up this year we unhesitatingly say, it has been a success.

CIVIC CLUB PICNIC

The members of the Civic Club brave enough to go to the picnic Tuesday inspite of the rain, had a jolly time roasting weenies in the fireplace in the Lodge. Stories, singing, comb orchestra, and fortune telling did not permit a dull moment.

The picnic closes the Club's year, a year of lively and intelligent discussions of important topics of the present times. We hope the members who will be here next year will help to make the 1922-23 year even better than this.

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AURELIA

The Aurelia Literary society closed its year's work Wednesday evening with one of the best meetings of the year. The program consisted of the following readings and musical selections:

Duet, Mildred Heidbrink, V. Hoesser
Reading, Elizabeth Adams
Piano Solo, Mildred Smith
Reading, Alice Mackin
Vocal solo, Helen Churchill

All Aurelia girls who have not paid their dues are requested to do so at once.

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May 24, 1922.

Pres. J. H. Ames,
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My dear Pres. Ames:

I am in receipt of your letter of May 22nd; also a copy of your annual, the Meletean. This is in every way one of the finest annuals that has ever reached my desk. I congratulate the staff who succeeded in putting out such an excellent book.

Again thanking you for the copy of the annual, I am

Very truly yours,
F. A. Cotton, Pres.,
La Crosse Normal School

May 24, 1922

President J. H. Ames,
River Falls, Wisconsin.

Dear Ames:

I have just received your annual. It certainly is a great book. I want to congratulate the school upon getting out such a fine annual.

Very sincerely yours,
H. A. Schofield, Pres.,
Eau Claire Normal School.

A little boy, coming home from school the first day, fell into the mud and got his new trousers dirty.

"What," exclaimed his mother, "Why did you fall in the mud with your new trousers on?"

"Well," sobbed Willie, "I didn't have time to take 'em off."

G. D. Gallup M. D.

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JUNIOR HIGH ASSEMBLY

A Grammar Play, "I'll Try," was put on last week, by a division of the 8th grade, under the direction of their student-teachers, Miss Mildred Anderson and Miss Helen Lovell.

Miss Katherine Folsom and Miss Winifred Lynch had charge of a Long-fellow program, given by the 9th grade, Tuesday, May 22.

A GRAMMAR PLAY

A Grammar Play, "I'll Try," was given at the Junior High Assembly Tuesday morning, May 16, by one of the divisions of the 8th grade, under the direction of their student teachers, Miss Helen Lovell and Miss Mildred Anderson.

Caroline Augusta, a school girl, who "hates grammar," learns to love it, when the parts of speech, nouns, pronouns, verbs, etc., "step right out of the book" and explain themselves.

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lin, Jo McQuillan

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Alumni—Elmer Benson '17, Irene Lu-
berg

Photographer—Buford Smith.
Additions to this will probably be made at the beginning of next year.

Miss Feeney and Miss West were discussing whether to buy a car or not. They spoke of getting a limousine, but Miss Feeney said, "I really wouldn't care much for a car, but I would like to have an Auto." (Otto)

**Keep
Cool**

**KANDY
KITCHEN**

THE CHARM SCHOOL

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Elsie Benedotti, Lasilie Stevenson
A charming sentimental Senior, who runs Austen's plans for Fairview School

Miss Hays, Margaret Bailey
The strong minded efficient principal of this School, who is loved but feared by all who know her, including her much ignored husband.

Miss Curtis, Mary Enloe
A typical school maam with a susceptible heart, who tries to do her duty by the girls.

Sally Boyd, Frances Webster
Sister of George. She is much admired by the twins

Muriel Doughty, Bessie Moe
Ethel Spelvin, Catherine Chapman
Alix Mercler, Eva Jensen
Lillian Stafford, Marie Haugh
Madge Kent, Mayme Hawkinson

Dotsie, a junior, Inez Bjerstedt
The South St. Paul High School presented the "Charm School" Wednesday, May 17. The young people, who are taking part in this one, drove up to see it for the purpose of getting ideas for the presentation of this play here tonight.

EAU CLAIRE WINS

DUAL TRACK MEET

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1st, MacKinney, Eau Claire
2nd, Armstrong, River Falls
3rd, Roberts, River Falls
Half mile 2 min 11 sec

1st, Griffin, Eau Claire
2nd, Duncherry, River Falls
3rd, Deans, River Falls
Shot Put 34 ft. 9 3-4 in.

1st, Lipke, River Falls
2nd, Swanson, Eau Claire
3rd, Shipper, Eau Claire
High Jump 5 ft. 10 in.

1st, Christofferson, Eau Claire
2nd, Miles, River Falls
3rd, Jasper, Eau Claire
Pole Vault, tie, 9 ft. 3 in both E. C. Christofferson, and Jasper for 1st both of Eau Claire
3rd, Buitenhoff, River Falls

PICK - UPS

A stitch in time saves many a blush.

She: "My hair is a wreck."
He: "No wonder; you left your switches open."

He: "My mind is sort of a memorandum."

She: "Oh, I see, a sort of a blank book."

THE VARYING SLANGUAGE

Imagine, for instance, the blankness of expression that Shakespeare might assume if a modern curbstone cowboy greeted him with—

"Put 'er there, old rounder. Wield a wicked pen, doncha? Yours truly skidded thru 'Much Ado' back in his polywog days. Snakes, hips, old bean."

Or George Washington, being addressed by an anti-curfew cutie whose code of a gentleman includes everything but throttling his grandmother and spitting on the sidewalk—

"Nippy 'temps' in the valley, father? How're you and the queen Martha stepping it off? You handed the 'Reds' the royal raspberry, I'll say George!"

Or Caesar being accosted by a vivacious flapper with—

"Gotta pill, Octavius? Violet tips preferred. Ne compreunez pas? Say where d'ya fit? But say, cutie, give us a line on the wiles of Cleo! Peroxidized or henna?—well, ta, ta, old nut."

Verily, with Hamlet: "Words, words."—Ripon College Days.

"My daughter springs from a line of peers," said the ardent father.

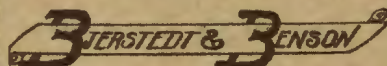
"Well," responded the young man, "I jumped off a dock once myself."

Ne Wer Suits

15 new suits just arrived this week. 13 new Palm Beach suits.
50 new straw hats.
5 doz. new neckwear with

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TUESDAY'S ASSEMBLY

After the necessary announcements, Mr. May gave a detailed announcement of the Field Day that was given by the Agricultural students, Thursday, May 25. Judging from the applause, that the mere announcement received, the Field Day program must have been wonderful.

SENIOR RECEPTION

Senior girls have received invitations to a reception which Miss Hathorn is giving, in their honor, at her home on Spring St., Monday May 29, from three to six. A group of Junior girls will assist.

"AG" NEWS

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is one of the best advertisements that the Normal School has ever had, as it is the first of its kind ever attempted in any school in the country.

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