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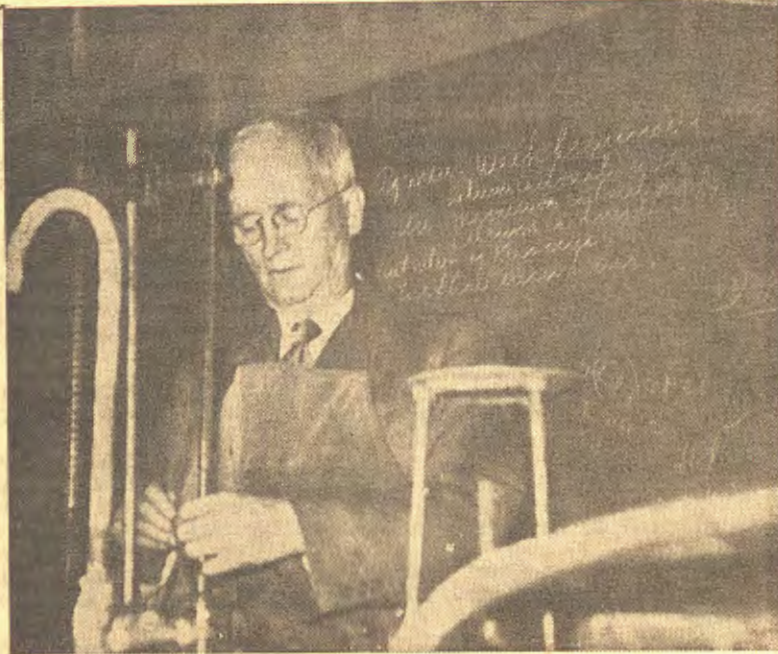
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'DOC' KARGES works on an experiment in the chemistry lab.

Dr. Rudolph Karges Will Retire After Forty-three Years of Service

by Les Newville

Dr. Rudolph A. Karges, vice-president of River Falls College for a quarter century, and faculty member for more than 40 years, is going to retire at the end of this year. After a record breaking length of service to his school, he will retire at 71.

A favorite with students, Dr. Karges will especially be remembered for his participation in athletic events. At a 1951 football pep-fest the students gave their beloved "Doc" Karges a standing ovation. Apparently they have felt that way for a long while.

In the fall of 1923, for example, a group of young men at River Falls thought that school spirit was lacking. So they organized the LOYAL LEGION OF LEATHER LUNGS. Who did they pick as their advisor? Of course, Mr. Karges.

"Under the boundless enthusiasm and inspiring leadership of Mr. Karges," records the 1924 MELETEAN, "this organization has very successfully accomplished its aims." Although the LOYAL LEGION OF LEATHER LUNGS has now passed out of existence (or changed its name), Dr. Karges still has the boundless enthusiasm and inspiring leadership attributed to him by the MELETEAN.

What most people don't know is that he was once "Coach" Karges. "I was basketball coach for a couple of years," he confided. "At that time we could afford only two college games (Superior and La Crosse) so we played the local high school teams." The trip to either college for a game (Continued on page six)

Committee Hears New Proposals

At a joint meeting on November 27 in the Calico room, the faculty and student committees, the board of directors, and the Student Senate discussed new ways and means of furthering the progress of the Falcon Field-house Fund.

It was the first time the four groups have met together.

Mr. E. P. Rock, alumnus of RF and president of the board of directors, presided at the meeting.

Members of the student committee are Don Schoedel, Norman Noah, Elaine Fick, and Theresa Binkowski.

Dr. Chisholm Named To Nominating Group

Dr. Francis Chisholm, head of the English department, attended a convention of the National Council of Teachers of English November 22-24.

The meeting was held at the Hotel Gibson in Cincinnati. Dr. Chisholm was elected to the nominating committee of the college section of the National Council.

Library Group Goes to Madison To Discuss Plans

Members of the College library committee were in Madison Tuesday of last week to hear reports and discuss the new library being constructed by the college at Whitewater. Similar committees from Milwaukee, Platteville, Stevens Point, and Whitewater colleges were also in attendance.

Dr. Walker Wyman stated that the meeting was to inform the committee members of the trends in modern libraries. He also said that no decisions regarding the construction of the library at River Falls were made.

Louis Kaplan of the university library reported on his visits to libraries across the country. His studies were in preparation for the planning of the new \$5,000,000 library soon to be built at Madison.

Blueprints of the library under construction at Whitewater were projected onto a screen, and then advantages and disadvantages brought out in discussion. The state architect, Roger Kirchhoff, and members of the architectural firm which has been awarded the contract for drawing up the blueprints for the River Falls building were present.

Although \$750,000 has been appropriated by the legislature for a new library at River Falls, most of the plans are still tentative. The committee headed by Dr. Kleinpell has submitted a brochure to the architects, who are now making sketches of the proposed building embodying the ideas contained in the brochure.

Christmas Formal Set For December 14

Plans are under way for the all college Christmas Formal scheduled for December 14. The dance, sponsored by the Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A., will be held in North Hall gymnasium.

Music will be furnished by Bennett Greten and his orchestra, with dancing from 8:30 to 12:30 p.m.

Coed Swimming Begins Monday, December 10

Starting next quarter, a recreational swimming program will be initiated. This will be a mixed activity with both men and women participating. The first meeting of the group will take place at the pool on Monday, December 10, from 4 to 5 o'clock.

Scheduled times for the recreational swim are Monday, 4 to 5 p.m. and Wednesday 7 to 8:30 p.m. The schedule is subject to change, depending on the number of students taking part. All students are eligible to attend. They will be required to furnish their own suits, towels, and caps.

College Forensic Group Announces 'B' Debate Tournament January 19

by Gladys Sigvaldson

River Falls State College will be host at the annual "B" Debate Tournament January 19, 1952. Miss Marian Aebly, a junior from Glenwood City, will act as student chairman.

Attendance is expected from the following schools: Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota; College of St. Catherine, St. Paul; College of St. Thomas, St. Paul; Concordia Junior College, St. Paul; Hamline University, St. Paul; Macalester, St. Paul; St. Mary's, Winona; Northwestern Schools, Minneapolis; University of Minnesota, Minneapolis; and Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire.

Miss Marion Hawkins, director of Forensics, said in commenting on the tournament, "For two years we have won after dinner speaking titles. For two years we have won debate's top honors. The question is: Can we do it again?"

Miss Aebly, vice president of Pi Kappa Delta, said, "The tournament is a great incentive, a basis for future work. It is the first time for many and, so, means much."

Secretary-treasurer of Pi Kappa Delta, William Amundson of River Falls, maintains, "Win or lose, what we gain cannot be measured."

New teams will be arranged at the start of the winter quarter. "Then," said Miss Aebly, who is doing her third year of forensic work, "is when the 'Hawkins Hierarchy' takes over. Experienced debaters act as student coaches. In directing speech this is wonderful training."

Miss Aebly was one of the team of five who went to Bradley University for their tournament.



Howard Pierce Davis

Howard P. Davis Discusses World Affairs Dec. 10, 11

Howard Pierce Davis, one of America's greatest speakers, will spend two days, December 10 and 11, on the River Falls State College campus. So popular has this world affairs analyst been in previous years with River Falls students and faculty, that he has been invited to return for his third visit here.

All students will have a chance to hear Mr. Davis discuss world affairs at an all-college assembly, Tuesday, December 11, at 10 a.m. in the auditorium. In addition, Mr. Davis will meet with social science and literature classes on Monday, December 10, at 9 a.m. and at 1 p.m. in Room 121S, and perhaps also on Tuesday afternoon.

At a free public lecture in the college auditorium Monday evening, December 10, at 8 o'clock, Mr. Davis will speak to the faculty and other people in the community. Following this lecture the faculty will be hosts to the audience at a coffee hour in the college cafeteria.

Mr. Davis has the reputation of being a specialist on international affairs. But he is more than that. His lectures have four dimensions. While limited to one hour, they have the range of eternity. While coherent in organization, they have the breadth of human experience. While realistic, they have the height of the highest human aspiration. While clear and simple in form, they have the depth of a true philosopher.

The speaker may take you to (Continued on page three)

This year, the festival will be entirely sacred music. The choir will be heard in ten Christmas selections from the finest literature available. The newly organized Folk Singers will sing a group of traditional American Folk carols.

Sacred instrumental selections will appear on the program with Paul Willink and Olive Mulholland performing a piano and organ duet.

In the past, these performances have been very well attended. The Sunday afternoon date has been reserved especially for out of town guests.

As customary, a free will offering will be taken to help defray the expenses of the choir on its annual spring concert.

For the first time in three years, the choir has an opportunity to sing over WCCO in Minneapolis. It will be one of the featured choirs in the station's series of Christmas music heard every year at this time. The broadcast is being planned by director C. B. King.

The choir has a membership of sixty mixed voices. Its officers are: President, Paul Willink; Business Manager, Robert Engbretson; Secretary, Lois Swenson, and Librarian, Tenny Neprud. The accompanist is Olive Mulholland.

The entire Christmas program is as follows:

Christmas Music Festival
Organ Prelude—Olive Mulholland
Tableau, "Silent Night"—Gruber
Processional, "O Come All Ye Faithful"—Heller

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Students to See Ski Movie Dec. 17

Popular Skimeister Otto Hollaus will present a new selection of unusual ski movies and a lecture at River Falls State College on Monday afternoon, December 17, at 2 o'clock in the college auditorium.

Students last year found this demonstration informative and enjoyable. The program is presented through the courtesy of Schuneman's, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Christmas Vacation Begins December 21

Only fourteen more school days until Christmas vacation! The holiday recess begins at 5:00 p.m. December 21 and classes resume at 8:00 a.m. January 7.

Christmas vacation — that's River Falls for "I won't do any studying over the holidays, but I 'spose I better take some books home to impress the kin folks." That's sixteen days to just sit around under the mistletoe and bubble over with yuletide joy. But don't start bubbling yet. Fourteen more school days, you know.



SUITCASES ACCOMPANIED BY GIRLS will begin to flow into Hathorn Hall Wednesday according to present plans. The girls will occupy rooms on the second floor.

Dr. Apsouri's Geology Department Gives Old Rocks the 'New Look'

River Falls' new geology department, headed by Dr. Constantin Apsouri, has given 220 North Hall a new look. The department, added to River Falls' curriculum only last year, offers work in geology for those who wish to go into teaching or industry.

But the room itself has changed a great deal more than the geology curriculum. Hundreds of rock specimens are housed in the new exhibition cases, maps and colored pictures of geologic phenomena cover the walls, and samples of minerals are kept in permanent boxes. A new paint job and Dr. Apsouri's neatness combine to give the room a spic and span appearance.

Since new specimens are being gathered constantly however, Dr. Apsouri remarked that "...soon the students and the professor won't be able to get into the room."

A recent gift by Dr. John James Prucha of the New York Geological Survey is composed of 32 large and interesting rock specimens. Dr. Prucha is the son of Registrar Edward Prucha.

Many other specimens are brought back from field trips. Last year's schedule included visits to Wisconsin Dells, the southwestern part of the state, the Baraboo area, and Taylor Falls.



Dr. Constantin Apsouri

The Carlsbad Caverns of New Mexico, Pikes Peak, Cheyenne National Park, Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks, the Black Hills, and the Dakota Badlands are to be visited this year.

"The philosophy of this department," Dr. Apsouri said, "is to saturate a person from the working standpoint... if we want minerals, rocks, pictures, or maps, all are in their permanent places, and can be gotten in a few seconds."

Dr. Apsouri, who has studied both in Europe and America, speaks eight languages. During



World War II he was associated with the Manhattan atomic bomb project.

Peterson Wins Grant For Economics Study

Allen Peterson, '49, was awarded a scholarship to attend a three week work-shop in Economic Education during the summer. The work-shop was held at Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan.

Peterson was one of 75 representatives selected from school systems in Michigan and elsewhere.

CHRISTMAS

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

- Bermuda Sweaters, Sun-farlan Sweaters, Ship n' Shore Blouses, Bobby Brooks Blouses.
- Tea Aprons, Jewelry, Purses, Slacks, Belts, Slips, Gowns, Dresses, Scarves.

Jenson's Dress Shop

Dr. Fortune Tells Story Of College

Here is a story, written by Dr. W. G. Fortune, and appearing in the River Falls Journal in November, 1939, giving some historical data anent the college:

(By W. G. Fortune)

Apparently the idea of locating a Normal school in River Falls originated with Allen H. Weld, who came to this community in 1858 intending to retire from the profession of teaching and reside on his farm about a mile north of this city. But there was a dearth of teachers hereabouts and he was drawn into it again, teaching at Hudson and later in River Falls, where he organized the community's first grade school.

In 1868 he was elected superintendent of St. Croix county schools, and then to the state board of Normal school regents. From the latter vantage point he interested the powers in River Falls as a Normal school site. A petition, dated January 24, 1870, was sent to the legislature requesting that body to pass an enabling act authorizing the towns of River Falls, Clifton, Troy, and Kinnickinnic to vote a tax of \$20,000 for the purpose of erecting a State Normal school in the village of River Falls, provided the board of regents shall decide to locate the next Normal school in said village (this original petition is now the property of Link Parker of this city).

In July, 1871, Governor Fairchild and the normal school regents made a tour of northwestern Wisconsin, looking over the proffered sites. River Falls entertained the junketeers royally, driving them about the village and giving them such attractive argument that in January of the following year word came from Madison that River Falls had been chosen.

There was no railway here then, and it can be easily imagined that our local boosters had to lose some high pressure sales talk to overcome that handicap. The board was somewhat influenced by current belief that the proposed Milwaukee & St. Paul line was to be routed this way.

It was not until January, 1874, that word came to River Falls that the contract had been actually let, then River Falls celebrated as it had never celebrated before.

The building, much finer than its predecessors at Platteville (1866), Whitewater (1868), and Oshkosh (1871) was formally dedicated on September 2, 1875, and its initial enrollment of about 270 students was larger than at any of the other three. The school was located on the present site of South Hall. The first faculty included Warren D. Parker, president; Jesse B. Thayer, mathematics and institute conductor; Albert Earthman, geography and music; Lucy E. Foote, preceptress and reading; Laura G. Lovell, history; Margaret Hosford, grammar and rhetoric; Emily Wright, grammar grade; Mary A. Kelly,

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Milton J. Miller, a son, David Gregory, April 29, 1951.

To Mr. (1932-1933) and Mrs. John Linehan, a son, February 26, 1951.

To Mr. (1943) and Mrs. Merle E. Michaelson (Alma E. Sumner, 1942) a daughter, Kristen Alma, June 5, 1951.

To Mr. (1951) and Mrs. John H. Ringstad (Marilyn A. Jones, 1949) a daughter, Paula Kay, February 20, 1951.

To Mr. (1948-1952) and Mrs. Keith Riley (Vivian Ritnem Riley, 1951) a son, Charles Martin, October 31, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Timmerman (Margaret Pepper, 1943) a son, George Edward, September 9, 1951.

To Mr. (1941-1943) and Mrs. William D. Gutzler (Gorgia E. Lueptow, summer session, 1942) a son, Marc Hamlin, July 20, 1951.

To Mr. (1946-1948) and Mrs. David Benson, a son, Frederick David, August 15, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ahlgren (Dorothy Eaton, 1950) a daughter, August 27, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Keith Barry (Ardis Dixon, 1945) a daughter, Gail Louise, August 8, 1951.

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Jack Wills, a son, Robert Emil, June 23, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Day (Dolores M. Hanson, 1945) a son, September 4, 1951.

To Mr. (1931) and Mrs. Oliver Younggren (Georgeann Sherman, 1936-1938) a daughter, Alice Jo, July 7, 1951.

To Mr. (1951) and Mrs. J. David Kerwin (Evelyn L. Reiton, 1946) a daughter, Maureen Elizabeth, August 28, 1951.

To Mr. (1946) and Mrs. Roy C. Wolf (Bernice E. Lovell, 1941) a son, Michael William, July 7, 1951.

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Norman A. Pautz (Barbara N. Krause, 1949) a son, Steven Craig, March 5, 1951.

intermediate grade; and Lizzie J. Curtis, primary grade.

Students who enrolled signified intention of becoming teachers in Wisconsin were admitted free; others could avail themselves of these educational advantages by paying a tuition fee of 50c per week.

The following is a list of the school's presidents: Warren D. Parker, 1875-1889; J. Q. Emery, 1889-1893; John Hull, 1893-1894; Warren D. Parker, 1894-1898; W. J. Brier, 1898-1909; H. L. Wilson, 1909-1911; J. W. Crabtree, 1911-1917; L. H. Ames, 1917-.

Local representatives on the board of normal school regents were: A. H. Weld, 1868-1877; A. D. Andrews, 1877-1886; G. V. Guy, 1886-1892; F. P. Ainsworth, 1892-1895; E. Ballard, 1896; Freeman H. Lord, 1897-1906; F. D. Ensign, 1906-1909; F. H. Lord, 1909-1912; George Thompson, which in retrospect, seem more spectacular than the modern version. But the article is already too long, and to recount those pranks might provoke some spirited emulation.

I will conclude with the following excerpt from the article by President Ames, which appeared in the school's Meletean in 1925.

President Ames said:—The River Falls Normal school is now one of the pioneer educational institutions in Wisconsin. Located in River Falls in 1875, the school has been an important factor in the educational development of western Wisconsin. For many years, in its early history, the River Falls Normal school not only rendered an important service in the preparation of teachers for this section of the state, but supplied also genera-

BIRTHS

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Marilyn P. Eslinger a daughter, Susan Marie, May 25, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Reed (Norma E. Wood, 1948) a son, David Norman, November 6, 1951.

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Duane F. Wilcox (Joan L. Johnson, 1949) a son, Stephen James, October 14, 1951.

To Mr. (1942) and Mrs. Theodore P. Gleiter (Marcia K. Healy, 1940) a son, Thomas Glen, October 5, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwahlen (Mary Greenfield, 1944) a daughter, May 2, 1951.

To Mr. (1951) and Mrs. Deane R. Woelfler a son, Deane Ray, Jr., May 30, 1951.

To Mr. (1938) and Mrs. Roy F. Peterson (Violet M. Fiedler, 1936) a daughter, November 9, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hartwig (Doris Howe, 1944-1946) a daughter, Jill Doreen, March 21, 1951.

To Mr. (1942) and Mrs. Oliver H. Ghanzman a son, Scotty Lynn, October 23, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Yde (Lola M. Estenson, 1948) a son, Richard C. Yde, Jr., August 20, 1950.

To Mr. (1949) and Mrs. Philip C. Hansen a son, Karl Emil, May 1, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson (Mary Katharine Prucha, 1939) a daughter, Margery Katharine, January 12, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Raven Mary E. Anderson, 1950) a son, Wayne Robert, February 3, 1947, and a son, Keith Andrew, May 23, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Reapo (Priscilla Sperbeck, 1947-948) a daughter, Margaret (Peggy), December, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Iester (Silver Star La Ra, 1942) a daughter, Carol Ann, May 8, 1951.

To Mr. (1940-1942) and Mrs. C. Edward Hanson (Betty Aasterud, 1945) a son, Charles Edward, Jr., December 21, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keeselsson (Jane Gronlund, 1944) a daughter, July Lynn, June 26, 1951.

educational opportunities to the ambitious young men and women of western Wisconsin. The purposes of the school in its early history are thus expressed by its president at that time. "The school offers professional, literary and scientific advantages to teachers, and it affords facilities for all students who wish to im-

such degree that their influence is felt down to the present time.

Wallin Elected Head Of National Breeders

Kenneth Wallin, general manager of the Badger Breeders Co-operatives since 1946, has been elected president of the National Association of Artificial Breeders. The convention was held in Swampscott, Mass.

Under Wallin's managership Badger Breeders has grown to be the largest organization of its kind in the world. He has also been active in the Wisconsin Council of Agriculture.

A native of western Wisconsin, Mr. Wallin is a graduate of RFSC with the class of '19.

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Fred W. Subke a daughter, Carolyn Ann, August 15, 1951.

To Mr. (1945-1948) and Mrs. William Dawson (Nona E. McCollow, 1945) a daughter, Jane Ann, December 20, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Koller (Phyllis Wagner, 1945-1947) a son, January 27, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bakkegard (Ardelle Hamlet, 1932-1937) a son, Benjamin David, January 19, 1951.

To Mr. (1951) and Mrs. William J. Layman, a son, William, December 28, 1950.

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Charles O. Tveten, a daughter, Karen Ann, April 26, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Norris (Elva J. Cairns, 1941-1943) a son, October 1, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Shurtleff (Margaret Johnson, 1938-1940) a son, Robert Glen, on July 28, 1951. Mrs. Shurtleff is the former Margaret Johnson, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. A. N. Johnson.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Flueger (Elaine Nugent, 1939) a son, September 14, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Pierson (Patricia Nielsen, 1948-1949) a son, Gerald Eugene, March 10, 1951.

To Mr. (1941-1942) and Mrs. Norman Foss (Lois Ann Boyle, 1945-1946) a daughter, Gretchen, April 5, 1951.

To Mr. (1935-1939) and Mrs. Romain Brandt (Muriel Taylor, 1937-1940) a son, March 6, 1951.

To Mr. (1947-1948) and Mrs. George Timmerman, a son, Gregory Alan, December 20, 1951.

To Mr. (1946-1948) and Mrs. Alfred Soli (Rosemary Lofgren, 1946-1948) a daughter, November 12, 1951.

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Harry R. Borner (Arlene C. Murphy, 1946-1950) a daughter, Rebecca Louise, April 22, 1951.

To Mr. (1938-1940) and Mrs. Douglas L. Boles (Shirley Mueller, 1938-1940) a daughter, Deborah Lynne, July 15, 1951.

To Dr. (1942-1943) and Mrs. Marshall Olson, a daughter, Jane Louise, January 31, 1951.

To Mr. (1951) and Mrs. Kenneth Brager, a son, Dennis William, July 7, 1951.

To Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Leemhuis (Margaret A. Pitts, 1939-1940) a son, November 9, 1951.

To Mr. (1950) and Mrs. Richard Tracy (Wilma Nelson, 1938-1939) a daughter, Mary Patrice, January 27, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Day (Dolores Hanson, 1945) a son, Steven William, on September 4, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Holliday (Dorothy Moser Holliday, 1949) a daughter, Joanne Marie, September 30, 1951.

To Captain (1942) and Mrs. Robert L. Nicol (Louella Halling, 1942-1944) a daughter, Priscilla Diane, October 2, 1951.

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Deaths

Mrs. Nathaniel McKeag (nee Vanberg) who worked several years in the Registrar's office at the College, passed away at her home at Cannon Falls, Minnesota, in March 1951. She is survived by her husband and young daughter, Rita.

Agnes A. Linehan (1909), October 26, 1951.

Steve Prusak (1935), April 22, 1951.

Fred V. Williams (1887), January 29, 1951.

Harold M. Stephens (1913), Ruth Bessie Nelson (1898), January 25, 1951.

Gunnard M. Engebret (1932), July, 1951.

Mrs. Paul A. White (Ida Kreuziger, 1932) accidentally, October 30, 1951.

Wayne Herman Paulsen (1950-1951), in military service in Korea, July 17, 1951.

Fannie S. Amery (1884), Harry P. Budewitz (1916), June 13, 1942.

Herbert E. Tozer (1918), Ruth E. Hughes (1933-1936), February 23, 1951.

John P. Tollander (1941-1942), killed in landing on Okinawa June 3, 1945.

Carlton Schultz (1929-1935), October 27, 1942.

DeWilton M. Hilyar (1932-1934), killed in an auto accident August 27, 1936 while attending the University of Minnesota, studying to be a dentist.

Annabelle M. Hamilton (1927), April 7, 1939.

Rev. Roy C. Caraway (1934), November 6, 1951.

Mrs. Russell Joyce (Bernice Pilgrim, 1924), February 28, 1951.

Berger Kolberg (1935), May 29, 1951.

A. Fred Rietz (1932-1933), October 30, 1933.

Mrs. Joseph Tischler (Frances C. Peterson, 1924), June 19, 1941.

Paul C. Garner (1931-1933), Died in 1943. Was a captain in the armed forces at the time of his death.

Lester L. Seng (1931-1932), Killed in World War II.

Isaac C. Foster (1887), Died in 1921.

Dr. Edwin Olson (1921), January 16, 1951.

Clinton H. Sherburne (1912), November 7, 1950.

Walter S. Nordby (1917), January 7, 1951.

Lee B. McNamara (1938-1939), July 15, 1944. Killed in action in World War II.

John H. Stockdale (1931-1932), October 31, 1951.

Thomas E. Hoff (1939-1940), killed in action in World War II.

Mrs. Otto Kreuziger (Helen

Webster, 1927), December 21, 1950.

John Gunning (1910), Mrs. Vernon Lamp (Marjorie O'Hearn, 1910), J. R. Taylor (1896-1897), Mrs. Peder Pederson (Grace L. Ryder, 1920), Mrs. Harold Greene (Alma C. Condit, 1915), Mabel Frykman (1916-1925), Mrs. Mabel Wakefield (Mabel Elertson, 1906-1908), Forry Wyman (1898), Mrs. G. L. Hubbell (Lillie M. Farnsworth, 1885), Daniel Welch (1919-1923), Mary Hylkema (1930), Mrs. Leroy Walworth (Mary Cuthbert, 1899-1902), Jennie Tait (1902-1903), Everett Tait (1930-1931), Willie Tait (No date recorded), Mrs. Alvin Mahre (Della Hefron, 1915), Elsie A. Thompson (1921), Margaret Swanson (1930-1931), Bernard Merriman (1936-1937), Pearle Collamore (1922), December 9, 1950.

Jeno Van Schoonoven, January 22, 1951.

Three Alumni Awarded Degrees at Minnesota

Three River Falls State graduates were awarded master of arts degrees at the University of Minnesota.

Theodore William Clymer was awarded his M.A. in March 1951. He received his B.S. from RFSC in 1949.

Clark Albert Inghl received his M.A. from the U. of Minn. in August 1951. He obtained his B.S. from RFSC in 1938.

A masters degree was also awarded to Lyle Henry Mackie in August 1951 after receiving his B.S. in 1940.

Steve Prusak Dies After Heart Attack

Steve G. Prusak (Class of 1935) died suddenly April 22, 1951, following a heart attack. He was returning to his home in Star Prairie, Wisconsin, when he stopped to help another motorist change a tire. While helping, he collapsed and was rushed to the New Richmond hospital where he died. He was born in Czechoslovakia January 6, 1904. He is survived by his father, George Prusak of Clayton, three brothers and one sister.

College Reports First Korean War Casualty

Wayne Herman Paulsen was killed in action on July 17, 1951, while serving with the armed forces in Korea. He was drafted September 20, 1950, and at the time of his death was looking after his men whom he headed as squad leader.

His father, Herman Paulsen, graduated from the rural course in 1916.

Fred V. Williams, '87, Dies in River Falls

Fred V. Williams passed away at his home in River Falls January 29, 1951, at the age of 84. Stores and offices in River Falls were closed during the funeral hours.

Williams graduated from the Normal in '87. Before becoming city clerk of River Falls in 1915, he taught, kept books, farmed, served on the city council for several terms, and then was street commissioner. The office of city clerk was held by Williams for 33 years. He retired in 1948.

Students Eligible For Loan Fund

Having financial difficulties? Possibly the following information will offer a solution.

Students attending River Falls may borrow up to \$200 per year for fees and \$120 per semester for partial maintenance if they fulfill certain conditions.

An increase over the former maximum of \$150 per year for fees and \$60 per semester for partial maintenance was voted October 10 by the State Board of Public Welfare. The board has charge of a fund from which needy students may borrow. The fund at present amounts to \$165,184.

Application for loans are to be made directly to the college which is to be sole judge of the applicant's scholastic eligibility. Student borrowers must be residents of the state and must have been attending the school for at least four weeks. Students employed on odd jobs or less than half time may be considered for loans. Financial situation of the parent as well as the student will be considered in granting loans.

Loans will be non-interest bearing during the period in which the student is enrolled for residence work but will bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent from the date of last attendance. They must be paid within two years after the date of last attendance.

Congregationalists Ask Student Participation

The First Congregational Church invites students who worship at no other church to participate in its worship and activities. Worship is at 10:00 every Sunday morning. From 5:00 to 7:00 each Sunday evening a dinner meeting is held with worship and a program. Those who enjoy singing are invited to sing in the Senior Choir under the direction of Chauncey King. Rehearsals are held each Wednesday at 7:00. The church is always open for your use. If you use the ping pong table and other recreational materials, the only requirement is that you turn out the lights after use. "Take someone to church this week—you'll both be richer for it!"

Howard Davis

(Continued from page one)

Germany or to China or to any other newsworthy spot on earth, as other traveled lecturers do, but eventually he will lead you to the depth of your own soul and compel a verdict; or he may take you to the outer rim of the universe, because Davis is cosmic-minded. Anyway, you'll know you've been somewhere.

First Ag Graduate Wins Nutrition Award

T. W. Gullickson, graduate with the class of 1913 and River Falls' first agriculture graduate, was the recipient of an award recently at a meeting of the Dairy Science Association. Mr. Gullickson was recognized for his research in animal nutrition.

After his graduation from River Falls, Mr. Gullickson taught agriculture in Wisconsin for a time, received his doctorate from the University of Minnesota, and since that time has been connected with the dairy department of the university.



Children of the campus school display interest in articles from other lands as they look at a U.N. exhibit sponsored by the A.A.U.W.

Danforth Foundation Inaugurates Fellowships for Future Teachers

The Danforth Foundation of St. Louis, Missouri, has announced the inauguration of a series of Graduate Fellowships for college seniors and recent graduates who are preparing themselves for a career of teaching, either at the college or the high school level, and are planning to enter graduate school in September, 1952, for their first year of graduate study.

Local Teacher Author Of "Instructor" Article

Miss Anne Dubbe, teacher in the professional training division of the college, has received notice that an article entitled "Winter Weather" will appear in a forthcoming issue of "The Instructor."

The article is based on a science unit carried out last year with Maxine Pearson, Marjorie Smith and Leona Ubbelohde as practice teachers under Miss Dubbe's supervision.

As its objective, the unit had a development of the understanding of weather and the important part which it plays in our lives. The unit served as a vehicle for problem solving, creative activities, and awakening an appreciation for the order in nature. It served also in the integration of science and language arts.

Newman Club Plans 'Communions for Peace'

With "Communions for Peace" as a theme, the Newman Club is inviting all Catholic students and faculty members to receive Holy Communion as a group on Friday, December 7, at the 6:30 mass.

The mass and communion are in observance of the First Friday of the month and also the tenth anniversary of Pearl Harbor.

Newman Club members are contacting all Catholic students on campus to have at least 100 students and faculty members attend.

Confessions will be heard on Thursday, December 6, from 3 to 5 p.m. and again from 7 to 9 p.m.

President E. H. Kleinpell has named Dean B. J. Rozehnal as the liaison officer to work with the Danforth Foundation on the selection of candidates. These fellowships will be granted on the basis of need with the amounts varying from \$500.00 to \$2400.00. Students without financial need also are invited to apply. If accepted, they will participate in the annual Danforth Foundation conference on teaching and the other activities of the program. The qualifications of the candidate as listed in the announcement from the Foundation are:

- Evidence of superior intellectual ability in college record.
- Good record of health and emotional stability.
- Outgoing personality and the concern for people, essential for successful teaching.
- Choice of vocation of teaching as a form of Christian Service.
- Deep religious convictions and growing religious perspectives. (Foundation is looking for candidates who are seriously examining their own religious life, and are seeking a maturing faith and a social outreach.)

Any student wishing further information should get in touch with Dean Rozehnal.

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The Critic's Corner

by Alice Luck

Under the direction of Nicholas Jadinak, the College Band presented their annual fall concert November 9, in the auditorium.

Featured on the program were Maruca Jurgens, who did an authentic Spanish dance. Robert Koenig, cornet soloist, played Grand Russian Fantasia, which is a very difficult number for anyone to perform.

Some of the outstanding numbers were: The Legend of Sleepy Hollow, a descriptive American fantasy, in which the audience could very easily follow the story. El Capitan, an old favorite march with audiences, was well conducted by Robert Engebretson, a senior.

The second half of the program was more on the lighter side with such numbers as "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise" in which June Clark played the baritone solo. The Bobby Sox Suite showed examples of three types of American Jazz, boogie woogie, the blues and jazz in march tempo. This number was very well liked by the audience.

They closed the program with Sousa's triumphal March, a well known favorite and the singing of the Pledge Song.

Summing it all up, the concert was a success and put the well needed feather in the cap of the band. There were a few rough spots in the concert but those were generally overlooked by the audience. One very noticeable thing was the grand spirit which the band possessed. It has been a long time since such spirit was there, and it is a good feeling to see it return again. The band should be very highly complimented for having it.

The music was very well chosen for the occasion and was liked by the audience, it was of the type which they could understand well.

There is much talent within the band and, when all put together, made a very fine concert. All in all, the program was varied and enjoyed by everyone.

From Our Notes . .

3 Years Ago

St. Thomas handed RF first defeat, 70-48. RFSC saluted on Ozzie Cowles show.

9 Years Ago

"Induction of 18-19 year olds threaten small colleges" made the headlines. "You're in the Army Now" was the popular (?) song among the students. It was test week.

13 Years Ago

Student Senate celebrated its first birthday, being organized in 1937.

17 Years Ago

Three Falcons placed on the All-Star conference football team. They were Kolberg, tackle; Brickner, fullback, and Dawson, quarterback. It was test week.

19 Years Ago

A band concert was given for the students in an afternoon performance. It was test week.

20 Years Ago

Annual "R" Club formal was a big success. Students were barred from the stacks in the library because of their misuse of books. It was test week.

21 Years Ago

Art students worked on a design for the social room walls. It was test week. College presented "R" sweaters to grid men. Poultry show attracted 700 (birds, that is). Student Voice sponsored a contest to find a nickname for the college.

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Little Man On Campus

by Bibler



Wonder what the Placement Bureau's like?

Those Little White Lies, Damn Lies & Statistics

by John Reque

"Enrollment at the nine state colleges this school year isn't down as much as expected but the drop is just where it shouldn't be as far as teacher training is concerned."

The above is the lead paragraph of an editorial appearing in the Wisconsin State Journal, which goes on to say, "The decline was 10.5 per cent, and all of the drop came in the teacher preparatory courses." To this the Milwaukee Journal adds, "Expansion in the liberal arts field at the expense of teaching would be a bad bargain for Wisconsin."

Perhaps it would. Certainly a decline in teachers at a time when there are more children in school than ever before is a sad situation. But putting more emphasis on education and less on liberal arts won't solve the problem. Here are some of the reasons why liberal arts didn't drop and teacher training did.

The "unclassified" and "pre-professional" courses so many freshmen and sophomores are enrolled in are lumped together with the students in the 4-year liberal arts program. Thus many of those enrolled in "liberal arts" actually aren't.

A large number of students enrolled in the "unclassified" division enter education after their first two years of school.

Students who want a liberal arts degree have come to our state colleges this year rather than the university and private colleges because they are less expensive.

Teachers colleges have been set up by

the state to supply schools with teachers. Their purpose has not changed, nor will it change with the addition of the liberal arts curriculum. The River Falls college, for example, has 28 students enrolled in liberal arts out of a student body of 600.

The Milwaukee Journal editorial lays the blame for the drop in teacher-training enrollment at the feet of the liberal arts advocates. Is this the case?

Last year the enrollment at the nine Wisconsin colleges was 8,213, this fall it is 7,361, a 10.5% drop. But in the elementary teaching field the drop was 9.4%—somewhat less than the overall drop. Secondary enrollment is down 16.7, and for the teaching of special subjects (ag., home economics, etc.) the drop is 15.4%. No figures were given by the Journal on liberal arts enrollments.

Spokesmen for the colleges give a more reasonable explanation for the decline of students: the draft and lure of war jobs for high school graduates. Furthermore, the pay for teachers frequently does not compare with that of other professional people; thus prospective teachers are often drawn into higher paying fields.

Could liberal arts expansion become a bad bargain for Wisconsin, as the Journal thinks? Sound conclusions cannot be made at this time—the new program is just getting underway... early statistics or no statistics at all are a poor basis for a snap judgment on this latest and sincere attempt by the legislature to provide the best in education for the youth of Wisconsin.

History Of Falcon Meletean And Student Voice Traced

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Malott we were given the privilege of browsing through some old Meleteans. Mr. Malott was formerly associated with the college as professor of Psychology.

We found a reproduced copy in the 1923 Meletean, thus:

THE STUDENT VOICE

Vol. 1 1916 No. 1

Editors: Manley B. Healy and Walter Neevel

Circulating Manager: Fritz Lanzer

Publishing: Elmer Benson

To quote the Meletean of 1923: "Contrary to general opinion, The Student Voice was started in the spring of 1916 by three members of the class of 1917. It was a semi-weekly sold to the students without prescription."

In 1923 the business manager was Carleton C. Ames, who in 1924 became editor-in-chief. "The Student Voice combines the functions of an official organ and a student newspaper. Its staff is made up entirely of students under the guidance of Prof. O. M. Hanna."

From the Voice for May 12, 1922 we find:

THE FALLS TAKE 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." Also from the same Voice came this:

PLANS LAID FOR NORMAL'S GREAT-EST RE-UNION

"Forty members of the class of '17 have been assigned to committees and already are taking an active part in organizing the re-union. The re-union yell: Hit 'em in the eyeball, Soak 'em on the Bean, River Falls Normal, Seventeen."

Are you one of the many who has asked, "What is the meaning of the name Meelteam?" Here from the Meletean for 1926 is your answer:

"The Meletean was given its name by Harvey Fletcher, one of the athletic editors. Harvey Fletcher later gave his life in the service as a reconnaissance officer in France. A weekly paper, the Badger, had formerly been published by the school, and the year book was in a way an outgrowth of this. However, the staff did not wish to keep the name, since it was that of the annual published at the University of Wisconsin, so the Latin word for badger, and the scientific name of the European badger (meles) was chosen, and from it was formed—Meletean."

The Wizard Says

Teacher: "If you had seven apples and I asked you to give me three, how many would you have left?" Student: "Seven."

Student: "Sir, what was the figure you gave me when you predicted the end of the world?" Teacher: "I said approximately fifty million years."

Student: "Thank God. I thought for a minute you said only fifteen million!"

EPITAPH TO A WAITER

By and by God caught his eye.

He asked me: "When?" I could not tell. He queried: "Who?" Again I fell. He named a man To me a stranger. And I could see Myself in danger. What was this plight—this mystery? Oh! Just my course in history. —Daily Lobo, University of New Mexico

The bachelor's a cagey guy, And has a lot of fun; He sizes all the cuties up And never Mrs. one.

Fun is like insurance. The older you get the more it costs.

That sit.

This Is 'Terrible' Says Ohio Daily

by Associated Collegiate Press

The Ohio State Lantern has had an irritating year. First the administration came forth with the "gag" law, forbidding outside speakers on campus without first being approved.

Then the Lantern's news sources started to cause trouble; reporters were thrown out of meetings and news stories were almost suppressed.

But last week the Lantern raised its arms in a gesture of complete disgust and helplessness. "Some things," it said in an editorial, "are so stupid and vulgar that they aren't deserving of comment. But this little verbal atrocity calls for an answer."

The Lantern's target was columnist-author Upton Close, who recently told a convention of Ohio Kiwanians. "Professors are men who can't compete in the business world and protect their weakness in academic freedom. Academic freedom to them means freedom to sponge off the public and freedom to think crooked."

"Such a statement," cried the Lantern, "is not only foolish... it's outrageous." Regarding the speaker's "gag" law at Ohio State, Close said, "I would not trust the faculty as a whole. They have mischievous instincts and like to do sensational things. There should be a board of deans or selected older men of approved American instincts to make decisions as to who should speak. The average American is too confused to judge for himself."

"...If you want to destroy our society completely, just invite anyone you want to talk to our children in schools and colleges. Maybe we should bring in murderers and rapists and someone to preach free love and a free world."

Asked the Lantern: "...Are we to assume that 'approved American instincts' are to be defined as mere confusion? And when it comes to doing sensational things, after all, Close is better qualified to judge sensationalism than we."

"We could go on and on," continued the editorial. "He said a group of murderous Communists has control of the Fellowship of Reconciliation. He attacked internationalism. He...well, what's the point of going on?"

Official Notices

The swimming pool will be open for "co-ed" swimming beginning Monday, December 10 and continue throughout the term. The hours will be from 4 to 5 p.m. on Mondays and 7 to 8:30 on Wednesdays.

Students must furnish their own bathing suits and towels. Girls must also wear bathing caps.

The Naval Aviation Procurement Team will be on the campus to talk to seniors who are interested in the Naval Aviation Cadet Program, on December 5, 1951 (Wednesday).

Seniors graduating at the end of the quarter should leave measurements for caps and gowns with Dean of Women. The gowns will be used in the graduation ceremonies.

Girls leaving school at the end of the quarter are asked to contact the Dean of Women to leave locker keys and to collect deposits.

Falcons Meet Olson-Johnson In Opener



**Inkside
Out**

By Bob Doolittle

Today is National Lilywhiters Week. And, as you know, Lilywhiters are basically honest folk, the "early to rise, early to bed, the healthy, wealthy, and the socially dead." And honest, too. They never tell a lie. So today we lift a hap-hazard salute, push back our Parchesi boards and make a confession.

Sportswriters are literary con men.

For instance, how many times have you read a sports story that began like this:

Lady Luck turned a cold shoulder, thumbed her nose and curved a smile out to the rubber where Preacher Roostood in his pitcher-pulpit, delivering an inspired sermon from the text, "thou shalt not score."

Thought it was written on an Ouija board, did you? Frustrated verbs, that's all. It could be worse. There's always the sportswriter who dribbles out cliches like a dripping faucet like:

Continuing along their winning-ways, the Golden Crackels' fin men splashed their water-way to victory over the Nespoop Natators to make it eight in as many starts and run their victory skein to a similar number over their rival trunk-jockeys yesterday evening.

Sounds like the opening act of "Life Can Be Nauseating," doesn't it? Yes, I know you think, but are too kind to speak: "Whatinhell is he talking about?" You think sportswriters have it easy, do you; you think press passes and rubbing deodorants with athletes is exciting, mundane, glamorous, and, not to stress too fine a point, chic? I thought you thought so. Now I can tell you why writers in the sports game sometimes confuse you. It's the old "Eye for an eye" racket, never give a critic an even break.

Take for instance a guy who tries to write something that can both be understood and appreciated. Perhaps he uses the word ytterbium. Now there's a word with real class. Of course you don't know what the word means! That's art, see. Anyway, immediately he's a literary thrush. So what happens if this lug simply says "a rare metal." Then he's a bum. No education. Stinkeroo.

Consequently, ytterbium is probably destined to become a part of our everyday patter if irate readers don't refrain from writing threatening letters to sports writers. I know. I got one the other day from a moppet that swore I was starting a new era in sports reporting; four-letter words says he, like James Jones' "From Here To Eternity." Kind of a Barney Poole, "From Here To The Goal Line."

The whole problem starts on a blank sheet of paper. Put a pen in a writer's hand and it becomes a lethal weapon. And press passes—there's another thing.

A sports writer gets in free to the game, granted. While he is sitting on the slivery bench, getting the proverbial sliver and surrounded by a pool of muscles, the fan is encompassed by (1) rabble-rousers, red-nosed bench Bronk Nagurskis or (2) that stuff, coeducational, that makes the world go 'round.

So maybe after the game you forget about that emancipated fellow in the bare, bearskin car blanket, that rat that obscured your vision on

the spinner on the 42, you go ahead with the celebration.

But the coat and the guy inside it—nosiree. Telephone calls to ulcered editors; deadlines interrupted by deadbeats trying to hawk a ducat on the mid-field stripe for the biggest game of the year. Statistics: "Who averaged the longest punts?" Stuff that obviously would only be of interest to another football. The flicker of revenge sparks in the curdled mind of the writer-to-be.

When the fan shakes off his headache next morn and picks up the daily blast he turns to the sports page to read about his alma mater. He finds something quite often that looks like this:

Duz doesn't do just everything, but Drackleberry Tech did what Duz didn't and did it superlatively last night.

The reader wipes his glasses, shakes his head perhaps and continues. No use. He can't make head nor tail of it. Muttering curses that would probably not make most family publications, he slips through the story, fists clenched, upper and lower lips bouncy with froth.

Does he find the final score; how long were the runs; who made the touchdowns? Sometimes not. He's lucky, often enough, if he finds the starting lineups.

Or, if perchance, some devil-may-care sports writer relays a simple, informative, colorful account of the battle, then the fan strides to his desk and in-to a 10-page vituperative flaying the author for missing a bloody nose, 3 minutes 47-seconds along in the fourth quarter.

What does the sports writer do when one of these fiascos appears? Ha! I'll tell you. You'll probably find him prostrate under the city desk, drooling absently from the kisser and shouting with stupid abandon at the very thought of sending so many minds into delightful frustration.

So there you have the story stamped into a verbal vitamin that requires no after draught of water. But I digress. I was saying that this is National Lilywhiter week, a week when we tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth as Keafauver would quip. If you have labored this far, then for today at least, I am a success. As a layman sports writer or columnist I have beat the drums and put the loud pedal on the cymbals. Yet I cannot tell a lie.

I was

only

trying to fill

up

space.

Falls Will Meet St. Olaf In Court Start

River Falls swings open the doors to the 1951-52 basketball season tomorrow night against St. Olaf (there) but while the Oles will be out to handcuff Roger Kuss, Falcon center, the Johnson-Olson team has a firm grip on the scoring key.

And at Northfield the team is known by double bracket figures. Last week-end St. Olaf dropped a 59 to 50 decision to Coach Del Mully's cagers from Luther (Minn.) with Noel Olson and Don Johnson sharing scoring honors at 15 points apiece. Jim Varland hit for 11 for the losers.

Both Olson and Johnson start at forward for the Minnesotans and, as proven against Luther last week, both score in each other's shadow. The pair counted five field goals, five free throws and five personal fouls apiece to pace a half-time rally that found St. Olaf behind 30 to 19.

But Kuss will undoubtedly have his voice in the scoring matter and will find the offense from center somewhat more cordial. Herrlinger and Anonsen cavort from the pivot for the Oles and registered a microscopic three-point total in the season's opener. Kuss averaged 32 points per game in conference scoring last season to set a new league record.

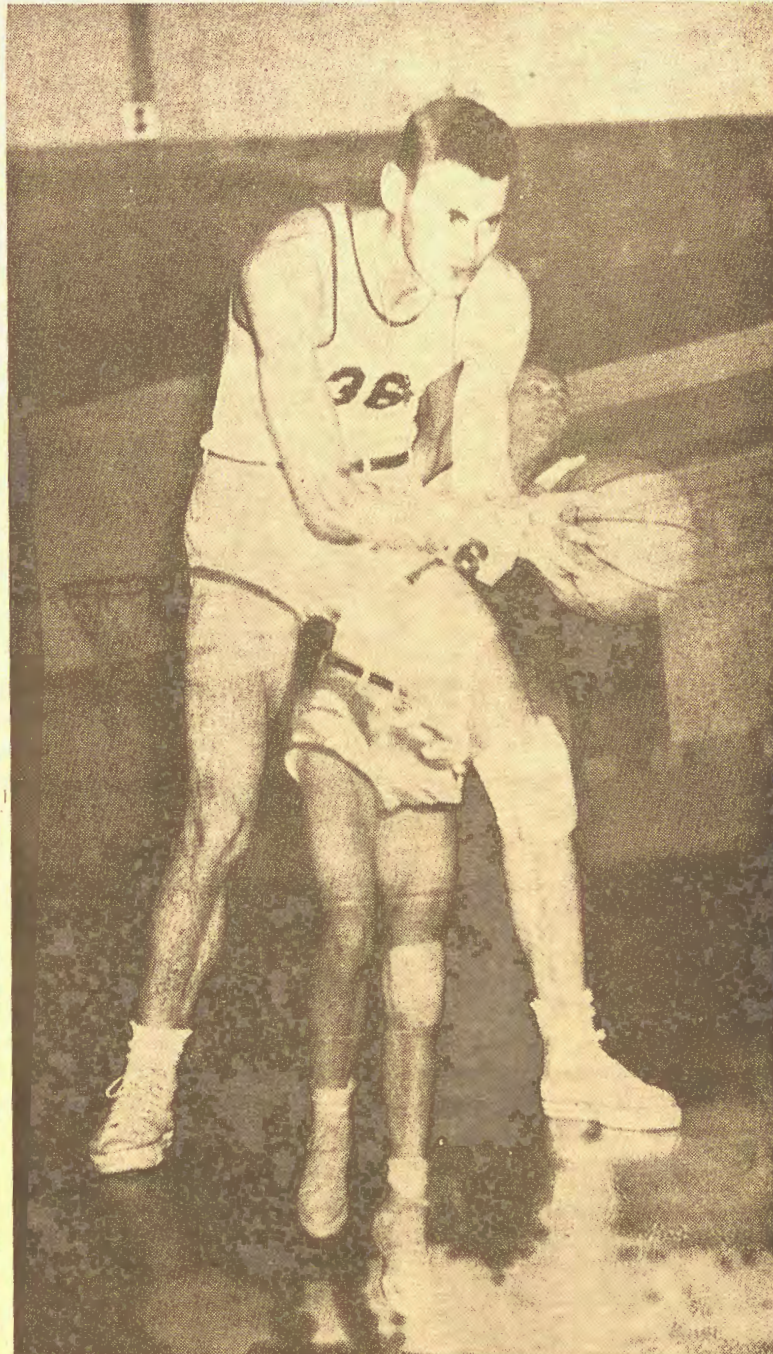
But Ade Christenson, athletic director at St. Olaf since 1922 is a record-collector from way back, a collector that could give Kuss and Co. some trouble. Since his inauguration he has won two basketball championships, four football titles and seven track championships. Add to that list first place trophies that rest at St. Olaf in swimming (2), baseball (6), wrestling (1), hockey (2), gymnastics (10), tennis (3), and golf (7) and you get the general idea of the record book erasures.

The race for the Wisconsin State College basketball bunting looks something like this:

LA CROSSE: Five lettermen graduated including All-Conference guards Ace Loomis and John Schumann. Three other monogram winners now playing for Uncle Sam. Lettermen returning: forwards: Joe Brittelli, Bill Knapton and Bill Skinner. Guards: Glynn Humphrey, Don Strand, Bob Richter and Dale Evans. Center: Duane Anderson.

EAU CLAIRE: Eight returning veterans including Jim Bos who finished in runner-up spot to Kuss in scoring last year. Dick Emmanuel, All-Conference forward, graduated. Lettermen returning: Forwards: Stan Du Frane, Don Cronkite, and Lyle Bulmer. Guards: Cornell Torgeson, Eldon Knutson and George Billmeyer. Centers: Jim Bos and Jim Hess.

WHITEWATER: Nine lettermen returning including two All-Conference performers, center Wes. Herbert and forward Dick Noonan. Starting five from last



Roger Kuss, Falcon center and Conference scoring champion (left) passes off to Roger Kuss, River Falls basketball captain, (back) who scores, proving it's not only possible to be in two places at once but commonplace when the photographer forgets to wind the film. Kuss will also prove this point (from all reports) to River Falls basketball opponents in defense of his conference scoring record set last season.

year, intact. Lettermen returning: Forwards: Noonan, Don Stevens, Bob Polzin, Don Erickson, and Dick Bailey. Guards: Bill Tomaszewski, John Reisch. Centers: Herbst, and Tom Bauer.

SUPERIOR: Eight lettermen reported to Coach Leo Di Marco including All-Conference forward Jim Whittier and his running mate, Fred Walker. Lettermen returning: Forwards: Whittier, Walker, and James Isabella. Guards: Mike Hennessy, Fritz Thompson, and Richard Whitaker. Centers: Harry Dodge, and John Okerstrom.

PLATTEVILLE: All-Conference guard Rudy Van Fleet returning and five other lettermen. Those returning: Forwards: Willis Hamilton, Leon Rheineck, and Dale Schroeder. Guards: Van Fleet, John Andrews, and Bob Borne.

STEVENS POINT: Six return-

ing veterans reported to Coach Hale Quandt. Forwards: Phil Jones, and Fred Schadewald. Guards: Ray Anderson, Chet Polka, and Walt Samelstat. Center: Bill Wagner.

OSHKOSH: Only four sophomores returning which include Forward: Dick Spaulding. Guards: Jim Dees, Boyd Kohn, and Bill Manis.

MILWAUKEE: Coach Guy Penwell has seven returning lettermen back from last year including high scorer Al Wulz. Returning as Forwards: Tom Pautsch, Bruce Richardson. Guards: Wesley Smith, Don Grindrod, Don McFadden and Pat Monahan.

STOUT: Five lettermen returning which include at forward: Bill Kieffer, Herb Markley. Guards: John Debrauske and Hilary Janikowski. Center: Robert Erickson.



Basketball Returning Lettermen greeting Coach Joe Hoy (left to right) include: Ray Czech, Don Barlow, Roger Kuss, Carver Foukes, Harley Harkness and assistant coach Phil Belfiori. Jack Shield, also a letterman, was absent at time of picture. River Falls opens the basketball season at St. Olaf tomorrow and plays a return match December 8 in their initial home appearance.

Weddings

Norma E. Wood (1948) to Norman J. Reed, August 10, 1950.
Ruth I. Johnson (1950) to William G. Theirl.

Elaine L. Severson (1950) to Willis D. Erickson (1950), June 22, 1951.

Henrietta Huenink (1949) to Norval Fordahl, May 27, 1951.

Betty J. Boe (1948) to Spencer L. Larson (1950), April 1, 1950.

Lavona Klecker (1950-1951) to Jon Edward Wiff (1951), August 31, 1951.

Beverly Swenson (1951-1952) to Robert Gaard (1951), September 6, 1951.

Ona E. Sabby (1948) to Marvin E. Young.

Helen Norman to Gerald F. Siverling (1950), June 4, 1951.

Eleanor Harris (1945-1947) to Richard Freeman (1946-1947), December 27, 1950.

Shirley Jackman to James D. Stouffer (1950), January 1, 1951.

Audrey E. Hygnstrom (1948) to Dr. Gerald Laue (1946-1947), July 28, 1951.

Priscilla Sperbeck (1947-1948) to Joseph B. Creapo, January, 1950.

Colleen June Wesslen (1950) to John O. Moreland, Jr., June 9, 1951.

Helen Weishaar to Donald Larson (1949-1950), September 29, 1951.

Joan I. Shield (1949-1950) to Albert T. Vanderwaal, September 21, 1951.

Lois Jean Ward (1950) to Roy J. Forehand, Jr., (1946-1949), June 16, 1951.

Margaret Torgerson (1946) to Arnold (Duffy) Lien, August 17, 1951.

Gladys E. Briesemeister (1950) to Manley G. Fossen (1951), August 12, 1951.

Donna Holmes to Arnie F. Kuss (1932-1935), June 2, 1951.

Mary Guest to Sheldon Hilden (1948-1950), May 30, 1951.

Doris Yvonne Isaacson (1948) to Charles Taylor, June 10, 1951.

Betty Arneson to Eugene Gregor (1946-1948), June 6, 1951.

Ellen Jean Morrow (1951) to John W. Mills (1948-1952), October 20, 1951.

Marjorie B. Moors (1949) to William J. Wisdom (1951), June 16, 1951.

Janice Knox (1950-1951) to Carl D. Finstad (1947-1948), March 20, 1951.

Marlene M. Johnson (1950) to Dudley Hedberg, November 23, 1950.

June King to Jack Healy (1947-1950), January 1, 1951.

Annalee Benson (1946-1948) to Henry Rose, Jr. (1946-1947), June 20, 1951.

Virginia M. Bosman (1949-1950) to Kenyon K. Krueger, June 30, 1951.

Mary Ann Danielson (1951) to Gene Bjerstedt (1946-1947), August 10, 1951.

Dorothy Moss (1946-1949) to James Messicci, August 15, 1951.

Donna Mae Robey to Harland Frederick Gilbertson (1948-1949), May 19, 1951.

A. Norine Gillis (1950) to Larry Casey.

Ruth E. Lokhorst (1950) to Kenneth D. Klanderma (1951), July 27, 1951.

Barbara N. Krause (1949) to Norman A. Pautz (1950), June 10, 1950.

ELLIOTT GIVES AWARD

Through the generosity of a graduate of River Falls State College, a senior from this year's class who is planning to become a teacher will be given an opportunity to spend a week observing the Winnetka, Ill., public school system. The trip will be made during the spring quarter and will become an annual grant.

The award is being made in the name of the Y.M.C.A. by the Rev. Franklin Elliott, pastor of the Congregational Church in Winnetka. Commenting on the award, President Kleinpell said, "It is a pleasure to be the head of a state institution whose alumni have such a deep appreciation for the ideals we attempt to inculcate."

Last year Jim Van Tatenhove was selected to go to Winnetka. Also observing the school system as a guest of Mr. Elliott was Miss Ruth Finch, British exchange teacher.

Karges Retires

(Continued from page one) was quite an experience for the boys at that time (about 1910). "We went by sleigh to Prescott, and then took the train to La Crosse."

"Coach" Karges' record isn't too good, but he's not ashamed of it. "We never lost a high school game," he said with a smile, "and never won a college game." In 1912 the Athletic Conference was organized, and Dr. Karges has been faculty representative ever since.

Before coming to River Falls in 1908, he taught a rural school, served for three years as principal of a grade school, and then two years as science teacher and principal at Ripon. But teaching appealed to him more than administration, so he came to River Falls to teach chemistry. He must have liked it here.

Forty-three years ago, Dr. Karges remembers, North Hall's future location was covered by a couple of old houses and a potato patch. South Hall housed everything; the farm wasn't purchased until several years later. River Falls looked different, too. "Main street used to be a wonderful expanse of mud."

But the spectacle that most impressed River Falls citizens then was the train. According to Dr. Karges, "It was the center of interest and the fashion of travel..."

Before World War I two-thirds of the students hadn't been to high school. Even though they had to pass entrance exams, much of the work was of high school level. Other things have changed, too.

"Smoking was on the sly, as well as drinking," Dr. Karges mused. "The few faculty members who smoked did it privately. A woman who smoked would have been written off."

Dr. Karges' tentative retirement plans include the taking of some history at the U. of Minnesota, fishing, and flower and vegetable gardening. "In fact," he said, "I might even indulge in some deer hunting next year."

Two Alumni Attain Outstanding Success

Two graduates from River Falls State College have attained outstanding success since their graduation. They met in River Falls recently during a high school class reunion.

Raphael (Bosco) Farrell, '30, is head of the Minnesota training school for boys at Red Wing.

William Hunt, '29, taught school for six years after graduation and then accepted a position with the Algoma Plywood and Veneer Co. When that company was merged with the U. S. Plywood Co., Mr. Hunt was moved to Chicago to manage the mid-west division of the United States Plywood Co. He has supervision over six branch offices.

Falls Theatre

December 3 - 4
"PEOPLE WILL TALK"

December 5 - 6
"KIND LADY"

December 7 - 8
"CAVALRY SCOUT"

December 9 - 10
"STRANGERS ON A TRAIN"

December 11 - 13
"NO HIGHWAY IN THE SKY"

December 14 - 15
"BEST OF THE BADMEN"

December 16 - 18
"THE DAY THE EARTH STOOD STILL"



Participating in this year's Christmas program will be the College Folk Singers. Members shown above are, back row, left to right, Delmar Polzin, Robert Koenig, Paul Willink, Don Nelson, and Jim Jacobson. Front row, left to right, are Gayle Jacobson, Margaret Raymond, Lois Swenson, Kathy Miller, Susan LaBrash, and Mary Alden.

Choir Concert

(Continued from page one) Rejoice This Night — Ebeling — O.C.C.

Adoramus Te—Palestrina
Song of Adoration — Traditional
Melody—Luvaas

Ye Bells of Bethlehem—Old Melody—Luvaas
There Shall a Star from Jacob—Mendelssohn

Choir
Christmas Song—Gebauer
O Bone Jesu—Palestrina
Conducting Class

Organ Solo, Christmas Fantasia—F. Leslie Calver
Joan Hanson

We've Been a While a-Wandering —Traditional Wassail Song—O.C.C.

I Wonder as I Wander—Appalachian Carol—Niles

Oh, Po' Little Jesus—Negro Spiritual—James

Jesus Born in Bethlehem—Trad. Southern Folk Carol—Buchanan

Folk Singers
Organ - Piano Duet, The Holy Child

Olive Mulhollam and Paul Willink
How Wonderful—Christianson
While Stars Their Vigil Keep—Luvaas

Alleluia "Brazilian Psalm"—Berger
Happy Bethlehem—Basque Carol—Schindler

Our Father—Gretchaninoff
Choir
Recessional

1904 Grad Contributes To Foundation Fund

In January of this year, the Fieldhouse Fund received a contribution from an alumna who graduated in 1904.

The donor was Mrs. B. A. Dickinson (Laura W. J. Rosenquist) of Minot, North Dakota. She visited River Falls in 1949 and was amazed at the changes brought about by the 47 years since her graduation.

Margaret Farnsworth Anderson Rises to Fame Despite Handicap

Handicaps do not always prevent fame. With that in mind, Mrs. Oscar Anderson (Margaret Farnsworth, '14) has risen to almost super human achievements, despite the fact that she was stricken with the dread disease, multiple sclerosis.

Former Instructors Living in Norway

Dr. and Mrs. Richard B. Elde, former faculty members at the college, are now located in Bergen, Norway. Dr. Elde is with the U.S. Information Center of the U.S. State Department.

Dr. Elde taught English and journalism at the college and his wife was head of the mathematics department.

Dale Fredeen Gets Air Force Commission

A former student at River Falls State College was recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Force at Waco, Texas. He is Dale G. Fredeen of Osceola, Wisconsin, who was a member of the class of '52.

Dale was a member of the largest class to graduate from the air base. In addition his class had the distinction of being the only class to complete the entire course without scratching a plane.

He was home on leave for three weeks in November during which time he visited the college and reported to Florida for his assignment.

Mrs. Anderson graduated from RF in 1914 and took additional work at the University of Minnesota. She taught school for a number of years at Mellen, Wisconsin, and Duluth, Minnesota. It was then that Mrs. Anderson became afflicted with her handicap.

Yet she managed to take part in local, civic, and world affairs, and has written articles for many magazines. All this is made possible by a companion nurse, Helen Hemick, who not only attends to all Mrs. Anderson's physical needs, but also takes dictation for correspondence and publications.

Mrs. Anderson's chief ambition is to interest the public in a campaign against multiple sclerosis. She has contacted many patients stricken by the disease and was instrumental in organizing M.S. (multiple sclerosis) Clubs in Duluth in 1948.

Around Christmas time each year, Mrs. Anderson sends Christmas letters to her friends. Her kindness and efforts to help others can be seen in the closing paragraph of these letters —

"And so, my friends, will you not join with me in a New Year's resolution to dedicate ourselves to making this world, especially for the shut-ins in your community, a better place in which to live."

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Alumni Notes

1905

Mrs. Lilah S. Laskey (Lilah Schofield, 1904-1905) is a stylist for the H. H. Gossard Corset Company. Her address is 411 Bellevue North, Seattle 2, Washington.

1908

Among Homecoming visitors for the past two seasons have been two medical doctors from the class of 1908. Dr. Harry Bowers is a retired physician of Lake City, Minn. Dr. Dean Smith is an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist at La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Jessie Johnson (Jessie Wilhelm) is a presser and lives at 805 Beech St., St. Paul, Minnesota.

1909

Arthur Sampson (1908-1909) operates a fur farm at County Road G-2 and Lexington Ave., St. Paul, Minnesota. His mail address is St. Paul 8, Rural Route No. 3.

1910

Fred Short, who has been a "king pin" on the faculty of the Norris School for Boys, attended the International Boy Scout Jamboree in Vienna as leader of a group of Wisconsin Scouts.

1911

W. E. Thurston was reappointed to a six-year term as a member of the State Board of Tax Appeals.

Mrs. Zoe Matthews (Zoe Palmer Frink) is the wife of a Methodist minister. They were located at Baraboo for seven years and are now finishing their second year at Dodgeville, Wisconsin.

1912

Mrs. Roy C. Craig (Rachel Taggart) is teaching at Mt. Gilead, North Carolina, where her husband is a cabinet maker. She has one grandson, David Bowles, in Silver Springs, Maryland.

1915

Lucian B. Kinney, '15, is Professor of Education at Stanford University, Palo Alto, California.

Everall Perkins, '15, is Sales Manager at General Mills, Butler, Penn. His address is Mifflin Apartments 22.

1917

Jacob R. Jacobson, '17, is Supt. of Aboretum and Wild Life Refuge, University of Wisconsin.

1917

Paul Taggart is a building contractor at Beaverton, Oregon. His son, Paul Jr., was killed in an airplane crash March 6, 1951 while he was serving with the armed forces to which he was called February 1, 1951. He also served in World War II. Surviving are his wife and two small children. Paul Sr. has another son, Jim, who also is in the armed service, and a daughter, Mary Jane, still at home.

1918

Dr. Walter Guerink (1917-1918) is a veterinarian at Chickasha, Oklahoma.

1919

Leonard Brown (1914-1919) is employed by the Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company and lives at 1802 Hartford Ave., St. Paul, Minnesota.

1922

Roy E. Melvin, formerly coach at Hurley and Ashland, is now on the coaching staff at Superior State College.

Mrs. Lester Wetherell (Margaret Ronyak) of Louisville, Kentucky, enjoyed a trip to Europe last summer.

1923

Glady Blake is teaching seventh and eighth grades in the schools at Blunt, South Dakota.

Alvin Guerink (1922-1923) is a farm manager at Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Mabel Gehler (Mabel Eckley) is a bookkeeper and bank teller at Dallas, Wisconsin.

1925

Mrs. William Walter (Catherine Ronyak) now lives at 5732 Quail Ave. North, Minneapolis, Minnesota. She has been working part-time at the Powers Dry Goods Company.

Phillip Kelly (1923-1925) received his doctor's degree from the University of Minnesota and attended Cornell University for two years. He is now Head of the Dairy Division at the University of Nebraska.

Sigrd Rasmussen, outstanding worker in present day crafts, conducted a work shop at the college July 5 and 6.

1927

Mrs. C. J. Jensen (Edith Goff) lives at Burlington, Wisconsin, R. R. 1., Box 51.

Mrs. A. G. Liberty (Loretta Basil) is employed at Allis-Chalmers. Her address is 133 A - No. 59th St., Milwaukee 13, Wisconsin.

Mrs. J. C. Fleming (Carrie D. Jahnke) lives at Dawson, Minnesota.

Arnold Falkofski was awarded a trip to New York for his record vacuum cleaner sales in the Eau Claire area.

1928

Lucy S. McDonald is a secretary at the University of California at Los Angeles. Her address is 1641 1/4 Westwood Blvd., Los Angeles 24, California.

1929

Jesse S. Smith, '29, is President of the National Teachers Agriculture Association. He is teaching vocational agriculture at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin.

1930

The Minneapolis Sunday Tribune of November 11 carried the headline "Win Streak Snapped, but Park Falls Coach Happy." The coach is none other than John A. MacDonald. A loss to Medford broke a 23 game winning streak for Jack. Gene Wirz (1947) is assistant coach at Medford.

Luberg Serving With U.S. Intelligence Dept.

LeRoy E. Luberg, '30, was granted a leave of absence from his work as assistant vice-president of academic affairs at the University of Wisconsin to accept a job with the U.S. foreign intelligence service.

Mr. Luberg, a native of River Falls, served in World War II in the office of strategic services in the China-Burma-India area. He is a former principal of Madison's West junior high school.

1931

Frances Smith taught social studies in the high school at Argyle, Wisconsin, from 1945 to 1947. She then married Bernard Smith of Argyle and is living there. The Smiths have three children: Jimmy, and twins Kay and Jerry.

1932

Bob (Robert C.) Smith, who taught for a time in the High School at Beaver Dam now has a position as personnel director of a large manufacturing concern in Horicon, Wisconsin.

1933

The Rev. Warren W. Sutton is pastor of the Evangelical United Brethren church at Reedsburg, Wisconsin. His wife, Edna M. Sutton, also is a graduate of the class of '33.

Ryan Laue (1929-1933) is now a practicing attorney at Durand, Wisconsin.

1934

Mr. (1930-1934) and Mrs. Milton Hunnicutt (Dorothy Symes, 1933-1935) moved last May from River Falls to Frederic, Wisconsin, where Mr. Hunnicutt is engaged in the dry cleaning business.

Mrs. Arnold Lofthus (Emily L. Collins, 1934) lives at Colfax, Wisconsin.

J. Curtis Burkholder (1933-1934) obtained the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees at the University of Wisconsin, majoring in organic chemistry. He now resides at Hudson, Wisconsin and is employed by the Archer-Daniels-Midland Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota.

1935

Vernon G. Geiger is a soil conservationist with the U. S. Soil Conservation Service at Appleton, Wisconsin. Mrs. Geiger is the former Ann M. Glass (1931).

Frederick M. Patchin (1933-1935) is employed in the Bank of Spooner at Spooner, Wisconsin.

1937

Roman Zorn has moved to Ohio University from the University of Missouri this year. He is assistant professor of history there.

E. Stanley Morgan is pastor of the Baptist Church at Glenburn, North Dakota.

Mrs. Roger Sather (Manghild Peterson, 1937) is a private secretary at the G. H. Tennant Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Her address is 2517 West 60th St., Minneapolis.

Mrs. T. R. Atkinson (Florine Muehlhauser, 1936-1937) lives in Santa Monica, California. Her husband is a photographer and has a studio at 317 Wilshire Blvd., Santa Monica.

1938

Roy F. Peterson is Rockford manager of the Illinois Bell Telephone company. A graduate of RF and Northwestern University, he began work with Illinois Bell in 1946 and has had two previous promotions with the company.

Tom Rendler has a master's degree from the University of Wisconsin and is now a member of the University of Colorado football coaching staff.

1939

Wendell Wilkins is designing Douglas Aircraft's newest navy interceptor which is a tailless jet fighter.

Warren E. Gates completed the work for his M.A. Degree at the Colorado State College of Education, Greeley, Colorado last June and is now teaching mathematics and physics and is acting as attendance director at the High School at Beaver Dam, Wisconsin.

1940

Hugh Tobler (1939-1940) is owner and manager of Tobler's Feed and Fuel, Inc., at Nyssa, Oregon.

James P. Green (1936-1940) is editor-publisher of "The Brooklyn Teller" at Brooklyn, Wisconsin.

Walter Steneman, '40, resigned his position as teacher of Agriculture at Frederic to join his brother in construction work at Roberts.

Elwyn R. Knickel (1939-1940) is now a naval officer. His present address is the U.S. Naval Post Graduate School, Annapolis, Maryland.

1941

Marshall W. Johnston is now advertising manager of the Watertown Public Opinion. He graduated from RF in 1941 and has taken graduate work in the school of journalism at the University of Minnesota.

Verle DeMaster is now an accountant with the International Harvester Company and lives at 5616 Dupont Ave. North, Minneapolis, Minnesota. Mr. DeMaster served four years in the marines, first as a paratrooper and later was transferred to the Fifth Division taking part in the landing on Iwo Jima, where he was wounded.

Warren Winberg (1938-1941) is branch manager for Forman, Ford and Company, living at 1727-56th St., Des Moines, Iowa. Mrs. Winberg will be remembered as Ruth M. Phillips of the Class of 1939.

Helen Seim (1941) is teaching first and second grades at the Coddington School in Menomonie, Wisconsin.

Roger G. Fast (1940-1941) received his degree in engineering from the University of Minnesota and is a civil engineer at the U.S. Post Office Bldg., Army Engineers, St. Paul, Minnesota. His address is 3548 Portland Ave. So., Minneapolis 7, Minnesota.

Gilbert A. Rivard is a research chemist in an industrial plant. His present address is 1315 - 4th Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minnesota. Jessie Larson lives at 263 North State St., Mondovi, Wisconsin and teaches a first grade in Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

1942

Doc (Harold) Schmidt has made quite a record at Winneconne. The community is known over the state for having consolidated its district into one of the best working units. Doc has been at Winneconne for six years and has won the conference championship five years. The Schmidts have three children. The youngest (Carolyn) was born September 13, 1951.

J. David Kerwin, '49, on Staff of Minnesota Historical Society

J. David Kerwin, '49, was recently appointed to the staff of the Minnesota Historical Society as an educational supervisor of the GOPHER HISTORIAN program.

Lucille Kane Becomes Military Expert

A graduate of '43 knew nothing about the army eight years ago and little about the frontier west. Today, several million research words later, Lucille Kane knows the post-Civil War army better than its own officers did.

When Miss Kane was graduated from River Falls, she entered the graduate school at the University of Minnesota. Dr. Ernest S. Osgood, her advisor, suggested a research project on one of the remarkable men of the frontier army—Col. Philippe Regis De Trobriand, commanding officer at Fort Stevenson, in what is now North Dakota.

Starting from scratch, Miss Kane has since read every army order, official letter, every piece of army paper in the national archives at Washington for the Dakota district between 1865-1870. It required much reading in libraries from Montana to New York. De Trobriand's grandson also lent Miss Kane the original De Trobriand papers.

Her efforts resulted in a book, "Military Life in Dakota: The Journal of Philippe Regis De Trobriand." It marked the first time that De Trobriand's 700 pages of manuscript had been completely translated.

Archie Johnson has resigned his position as County Agent of Dunn County. He has accepted a job with one of the largest organizations in the business of artificial insemination at Kansas City, Missouri. His wife will be remembered as Leone Timmerman (1943). The Johnsons have two children.

Dick Morrow is coaching at Durand high school. He received his B.S. degree from Whitewater and had previously been teaching at Brandon.

Orris Boettcher (1940-1942) is coaching at Pecatonica, Illinois. He is married to Norma Howe, who graduated in 1943.

John J. McLeod, Jr., (1941-1942) graduated from Marquette University with an M.D. degree in 1947. He is now a navy doctor.

'42 Grad Returns From Europe, Orient

A graduate of '42 has spent a great deal of time in the Orient. She is Mrs. C. J. (Belle Laurent) Harth.

In 1947 Mrs. Harth accepted a position at Lingnan University, Canton, China, and two years later was married to the Reverend Dr. C. J. Harth, a British subject of Hong Kong.

She spent the past summer traveling in Europe, mostly in England and Austria, and as of November was located at Baltimore. The Harths hope to return to the Orient eventually.

1943

John A. Peterson (1941-1943) completed a course in dentistry at Marquette University and is located at Platteville, Wisconsin.

LeMoyno S. Olson (1941-1943) is a mining engineer for the Inland Steel Corporation at Crosby, Minnesota. He received his degree in engineering at the University of Wisconsin.

Robert Baker (1942-1943) is now in the theatre and TV fields. His address is 102 West 52nd St., Apt. 10, New York 19, New York.

Lawrence Oberpriller (1942-1943) received the B.S. degree at the University of Wisconsin in 1950. He is an accountant and lives at 1223 - 4th St. S.E., Minneapolis, Minnesota.

1946

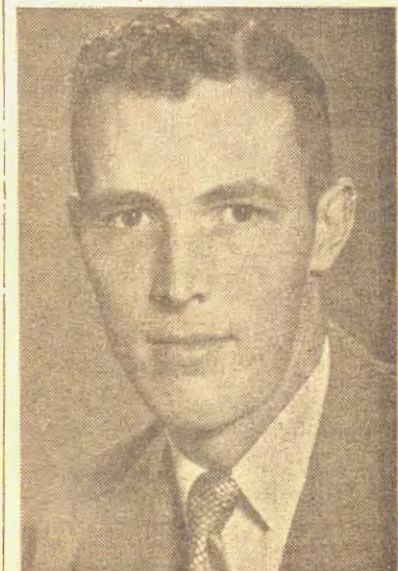
Richard F. Yanish is a practicing attorney in Milwaukee. He shows no evidence of the traditional "starving time" of young lawyers.

Mrs. Harold J. Olson (Marion Hope, 1944-1946) lives at 1062 Pueblo St., Salt Lake City, Utah. She is a housewife and mother of a two-year-old daughter.

1947

Dr. John R. Berggren is at the University of Minnesota as a clinician in veterinary medicine. He is working on an additional degree.

His job will take him to different communities throughout the state. On these trips he will con-



J. David Kerwin

sult with teachers and school administrators on accelerating a visual aids program in Minnesota high schools.

After graduating from River Falls, Mr. Kerwin attended Marquette University, and also has had professional experience in promotional work.

Mrs. Donald Keehr (Lavonne Margaret Geving, 1945-1947) lives at Spring Valley, Wisconsin. She completed a private secretarial course at the Minneapolis Business College. She is now a homemaker and has a daughter, Belinda Marie, born October 6, 1949.

Emil Borowski (1946-1947) is display and advertising manager for the Sears Roebuck Company at Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

1948

Wallace Mehlberg, '48, who has been teaching Agriculture at the Wausau Vocational School, has resigned and will operate a farm near River Falls.

William Dawson has been appointed parole officer in the River Falls district.

Howard Kuhn is county agricultural agent of Monroe County with headquarters at Sparta. Since his graduation, he has held the position of assistant county agent of Dunn County.

Alice McJilton received the habit of the Sisters of the Holy Cross at Saint Mary's Convent, Notre Dame, Indiana.

Lillian S. Geraets is teaching Latin and is in charge of the library in the High School at Monroe, Wisconsin.

James L. Leadholm is operating an insurance agency at Amery, Wisconsin. Mr. Leadholm taught in the high school at Milltown, Wisconsin, for two years.

Charles C. Phillips (1938-41; 1947-48) is a director and producer in WGN-TV. His address is 540 Wellington Ave., Chicago 14, Illinois.

Eugene Fischer (1945-1948) is fieldman for the Land O' Lakes Creamery at Princeton, Minnesota. His wife will be remembered as Marilyn M. Kreuger (1948). The Fischers have one child.

1949

Karl F. Jacobson completed work for a B.S. degree with a major in Industrial Arts Education at Stout Institute in July. He has accepted a position to teach auto mechanics in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Louis M. Daniels, representative of Equitable Life Insurance Company of Iowa in this area, has been promoted to District agent. He will supervise sales in the company's western Wisconsin territory and in part of Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Carlstrom (Jane M. Olson) are located at Denver, Colorado. Mr. Carlstrom is an officer at the Lowry Air Force Base there, and Mrs. Carlstrom is a teacher in the Pre-school Kindergarten at Fitzsimmons Army Hospital, Denver.

Eugene B. Schermer is a graduate student at Wayne University, Detroit, Michigan.

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Evelyn Barrett Writes of Teaching In American School at Yokohama

Not many River Falls graduates have gone as far as Miss Evelyn Barrett... at least not in the teaching profession. Miss Barrett, '27, is principal of an American school in Yokohama, Japan. The school, second largest of its kind in the Far East, has an enrollment of some 500.

In the introduction to a long "community letter" written to her friends in this country, Miss Barrett exclaims, "Life in the Orient is an experience never to be forgotten!" Then she proceeds to give a detailed account of Japan's religions, educational setups, geography, and general culture.

Although missionaries say that the Japanese are eager to turn to Christianity, Miss Barrett writes: "It is estimated that Japan has more than 41 million adherents to Buddhism, 18 million to Shin-tōism, and 255,000 adherents to Christianity..."

One unusual experience found Miss Barrett the only foreigner and the only woman (besides her interpreter) at a large Japanese teachers' conference. "The Japanese buildings are unheated, poorly lighted," she comments, "and are equipped with wooden benches and tables, and are cleaned by children. There is no such thing as janitor service... I had dinner in the Principal's office with all the visiting dignitaries... I couldn't eat the dinner because it consisted of several kinds of raw fish, seaweed and rice. Octopus was one variety of fish."

Since her graduation in 1927, she has earned both B.S. and M.A. degrees from the U. of Minnesota. She was an elementary school principal in St. Paul before going to the Orient.

Engler Recommended For Doctor's Degree

Walter J. Engler has received a notice saying that he has been recommended to receive the degree of Doctor of Education from Teachers College, Columbia University, New York.

Working under Dr. Lennox Grey, Head of the English Department, Mr. Engler specialized in the area of Communication and the Communication Arts, an interdivisional program. The title of his project is "Some Techniques and Procedures for Using Various Media of Communication in the Communication Program at River Falls State College."

Mr. Engler was on leave of absence for study at Columbia from the summer of 1949 through the summer of 1950, and completed his project and took his orals this past summer.

Vik 3 Years in Alaska

Leonard Vik and family stopped for a brief visit in River Falls on their return from a three-year tour of duty in Alaska. Mr. Vik is a captain in the Air Corps. The Viks have two children, both born in Alaska.

Alumni Notes

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronald M. Sobottka (M. Patricia Cox) are living in Drain, Oregon, where Mrs. Sobottka is employed in the Drain Union High School as teacher of English 9 and 10, and girls' physical education. Mr. Sobottka, who recently completed the work for a Master of Education degree at the University of Oregon, is teacher of science in the Sutherlin Junior High School, Sutherlin, Oregon.

Alton J. Dahl, after completing the work for the master's degree at the University of Minnesota, is teaching social science and mathematics in the high school at Henning, Minnesota. Mrs. Dahl (Delores A. Payson, 1948) is teaching a third grade at Henning.

Margaret Ann Fandry is a teacher in the Junior High School Department of the Bryant School at Superior, Wisconsin.

Theodore W. Clymer is a teaching assistant in the College of Education, University of Minnesota. His wife, Lois Brandt Clymer, is secretary to the principal of the University Elementary School.

Joseph D. Young is employed by the St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company of St. Paul, and resides at 781 Cedar St., St. Paul, Minnesota.

Dorothy Moser Holliday was married while still in college. She taught a full year after graduation then she and her husband purchased her father's farm at Hertel, Wisconsin, where they now reside with her father and

two brothers. Her husband, Will H. Holliday, works at Minneapolis Moline at Hopkins, Minnesota.

Mildred Carlson is teacher of an eighth grade room at Barron, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Jean Skibbens (Jean Elizabeth Schaer, 1946-1949) finished a course in medical technology at St. Vincent's Hospital, Erie, Pennsylvania. She is now a medical technologist at Coronado, California, and lives at 745 D St., Coronado.

1950

Mrs. Helen V. Lapham is teaching a second grade in the public schools of Seattle, Washington. Her address is 400 Boylston No., Box 205, Seattle, Washington.

Miss Evelyn Often is teaching a fourth grade in the Tilden School, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Milton S. Olson, a graduate student at the University of Wyoming in 1950-1951, is now Assistant Field Director for the American Red Cross at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Willard Geidel, who taught mathematics and industrial arts in the high school at Hilbert, Wisconsin, for a year, is now in the contracting business at Random Lake, Wisconsin.

Leland A. Randall is teaching for the second year at Harmony, Minnesota. He is mathematics and science instructor in the Junior-Senior High School at Harmony.

Marlyn P. Eslinger (1950) has recently been made District Sales Manager of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co. at Eau Claire. Mr. and Mrs. Eslinger have a daughter, Susan Marie, who was born May 25, 1951 and they live at 1707 Goff Avenue,

Student Senate News

Planning is now under way for the 1952 winter carnival. We are planning to make this a bigger celebration than it has been in the past few years. Right now we are trying to dig up some new ideas to broaden the festivities.

There is a suggestion box in the cafeteria. Prizes will be given for the best suggestions submitted. The suggestions will be read over and eight or ten of the best will be selected and put into the carnival program. The two best suggestions will be determined after the carnival, on the basis of how the suggestion worked out. When you turn in your suggestion, list five or six points on how you think it can be made to work. Also, when we start the planning we will contact the one who submitted each idea and he may, if he so desires, help us sponsor his idea by advertising or however he may wish. We will appreciate this help.

First prize, \$3; second, \$2. Help us with ideas and we will do all we can for the carnival. We will contact the almanac for a date in January or February.

Student Senate

Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Marshall Goodspeed has moved from New Auburn to the position of science teacher at Stanley High School.

Wes Wendland and Nell Goodspeed (1946) are graduate students in chemistry at the State University of Iowa.

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