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RIVER FALLS DEFEATS MAC- ALASTER IN CLOSE CONTEST

The "Normal Nine" defeated Macalaster in a close contest at Macalaster last Thursday afternoon by a score of 4-3. The game was close thruout the nine innings, many long hits were made by both teams.

Macalaster scored the first run of the game in the second inning of play. The runner was sacrificed to second and got to third on a wild pitch, getting home on a fly to Gregor, who did not relay the ball soon enough to catch him at home.

No more scoring was done until the sixth when the Normal scored two runs. Lowry hit to short and got to first by an error on the part of the shortstop. He stole second on Capt. Conrad's line drive over short, which netted three bases. Knerr singled, scoring Conrad. This ended the scoring until the seventh inning.

In the seventh inning Reed singled, Conrad following with a grounder to short, who in trying to "pull a double play," threw wild at second, placing Reed on third and Conrad on second. Reed then scored by a wild pitch, Knerr laid down a pretty bunt scoring Conrad. Knerr was unable score in this inning.

In the ninth inning Macalaster scored two runs, making the score 4-3 in our favor.

Lowry of the Normal got 12 strikeouts; issued one walk; allowed eight hits, and made one wild pitch.

Macalaster allowed 7 hits, and walked one man.

Y. W. C. A. SECRETARY HERE

Miss Hazel Bent, Field Secretary for the Y. W. C. A., spent two days here last week. She met with the chairman of each committee of the school association giving help and suggestions for the next year's work.

Saturday morning she left for La Crosse.

This was Miss Bent's first visit in River Falls and she was very well impressed with our school.

Miss Norma Everson has gained permission from the C. St. P. M. & O. railroad to travel in the caboose of the freight.

NEWS FROM CHARLES HINES

Treves, Germany, April 4, 1919.

Dear Mr. Smith:—

An evening or so ago Will Wells brought in the March 13th issue of The Student Voice. I need not say that I was quite happy to see a copy of the "Voice." . . . Just any issue of the sheet would have been sufficient, but this particular number gave us the results of the high school and inter-normal tournaments. We are indeed proud of "our team." It is a long way from the Kinnickinnic to the Moselle River, but interest, pride and hope are elastic enough to reach the world half way 'round in support of the "White and Scarlet." Milwaukee and Stevens Point again vanquished? The best of rivals will lose. . . .

I am making arrangements to visit schools in Treves next week. During the past four and a half years the world has heard much regarding the German school system. Now is my chance to see it for myself. The presence of the Allied forces has prompted the school powers to suddenly drop certain physical exercises, once thought so essential, that I know. Last week I visited two of the big press offices. Having an interpreter along I was able to get an answer to each of my questions. They have splendid equipment though quite different from the American; they turn out beautifully finished work. . . .

Though the area held by the armies of occupation the conditions of social and political unrest are not, of course, boiling up into riots. Since the people cannot get together to urge their grievances no energy is wasted through excessive anger and discontent. Allowed to assemble only "en masse" for worship and entertainment the greater issues confronting the German people are not being clouded by the Bolshevik party. We have not the power nor the desire to stem a Political Revolution. They have that coming, and it will be good for the soul of the nation.

In our area we expect no break in industry. The people seem to realize that a concerted productive effort is the first step toward regaining the coveted "place in the sun."

Sergt. Chas. C. Hines,
Co. 'C' M. P. Corps, G. H. Q.,
A. P. O. 930, A. E. F.

SUMMER SCHOOL

ANNOUNCEMENT

Summer school of the River Falls Normal school will open June 23 and will be in session until July 31.

Some of the features this year will appeal to many of the students and teachers, and it is hoped that there might be a large attendance.

The following special courses will be offered:

1. Domestic Science and Manual Training for rural and state graded school work.
2. Agriculture and Mechanics.
3. Agriculture for teachers in all classes.
4. Primary Methods, including observation and practice.
5. Music and Drawing.
6. Play and Playground.
7. A course in Nature Study and Nature Study Methods, including frequent field trips to make the acquaintance of local birds, flowers and trees.
8. Subjects required for certificates.

Agriculture

Each registrant in Agriculture is made a member of some pig or poultry or other club, if it is desired, and the whole scheme of practice of club work is carried out on the Normal Farm.

Courses for Principals and Supervisors

Besides the regular course for Principals, there will be a course for people who desire to prepare for advanced supervisory positions — Supervising Teacher, Assistant in County Training Schools of Training Teacher in High School. This course is open to those who have had successful experience.

A Special Course

Those that are interested in Geography will be pleased to know that Mr. Stratton will be back in June. But what is of greater importance he will give a course on the "New Map of Europe." Mr. Stratton has been in charge of the map making division of the peace conference in Paris, so we are assured that this course cannot be given by a more capable instructor.

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BE COURTEOUS

Is courtesy losing its proper place in the social life of the people of America? That very question was asked by one of the girls of the school only a few days ago, perhaps not in those words, but in the same spirit. She would not care to have her name published so out of courtesy to her I shall omit it. She is a girl who has had a chance to observe this for some time, and she finds that there is not that same expression of courtesy now as there was two years ago.

Then, when a boy met a girl on the street, he would tip his hat, but now a great many of them merely speak,—accent on the merely. Some of them act as though their arms were paralyzed.

It was thought by many that our military organization would cause many of our men and boys to see the value and necessity of this very expressive conventionality. But it seems that the opposite is true and that the boys are taking the salute or a gesture of the hand as sufficient evidence of the respect for women and girls. The lifting of the hat seems to be losing its former place, and possibly this is because of the military salute becoming a very important part of the soldiers' life.

This particular girl has not criticized the boys just to find fault, rather she has wondered if there is not some way by which they might get out of this degrading practice.

It is not a reflection upon the girls' character if the boys are not courteous and respectful; it is only a reflection of their own scruples.

What can be done by the boys to correct this practice? Conscious attention to this little mannerism will soon lead to a good habit.

Boys, let's get the habit.

The Editor.

THE BUDGET FEE

What is it, and do I have to pay it, if I don't go to any of the games?

The Budget Fee is not directly connected with attending athletic contests. It is a regular school fee and is collected every semester, from every student at the nine normal schools of the state. The amount of the Budget Fee is not the same at all the normal schools. It is usually one dollar and a half, sometimes two dollars. River Falls is the only Normal school, as far as I can learn, where the Budget Fee is as low as one dollar.

The Budget Fee was devised to provide support for certain school activities not taken care of by the regular state funds. At River Falls debating, oratory and athletic contests are financed by the proceeds of the Budget Fee, as far as they go.

When the fee is paid, a Budget Card is issued to those who desire one. This card admits to all inter-school debates, oratorical contests and athletic games. This does not include inter-sectional championship games.

When a budget card is lost a duplicate may be obtained by the payment of a small fee. At River Falls that fee at present is ten cents.

Oh, those regent exams!

Miss Laura Pederson sang a solo at the basket social in Dist. No. 4, last Friday night.

There will be a joint meeting of the Lincolnian and Aurelia literary societies on Wednesday night.

Lost, a Conklin self-filling fountain pen with a gold band around the cap. The pen was lost a little over a week ago. Will the finder please return the pen to the Editor and receive reward.

Keevil Larson, one of the officers of the S. A. T. C. here, is make-up manager of the Lawrentian, Lawrence college's school paper. He also is a member of the glee club which has just completed a tour of the state.

One of the pupils in Dorothy Scott's practice class, curious to know what the "q" in her name stands for, said: "Gee. I've been thinking for several days, and the only thing I know of that begins with 'q' is crocodile."

SUMMER SCHOOL

ANNOUNCEMENT

(Continued from page one)

A Week of Chautauqua

The Summer School includes an eight-day chautauqua program. Students will be able to get a special half-price ticket and all are urged to attend, for some of the leading thinkers and entertainers will be here this summer.

Other Features of Special Interest

1. Excursions on the St. Croix river can be arranged.
2. Field trips will be arranged for classes in Geography, Biology and Agriculture. For long trips the automobiles owned by the Normal are used.
3. The tennis courts have been made an excellent play ground.

Cost

ROOMS—You can secure rooms at from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per week.

TENTS—The beautiful ten-acre campus affords excellent opportunity for those students who desire six weeks of life in a tent. If you prefer tent life to living in a room, bring your tent and the school will help you select a site, furnish lights and provide other conveniences.

BOARD—1. Boarding clubs, \$3.25 per week.

2. Private homes, \$3.50 to \$5.00 per week.

3. The mess hall built for the use of our S. A. T. C. unit will be operated as a cafeteria during the summer school.

Attend this summer school and you will enjoy the work and the pleasures.

We have a new tennis court—Hur-ray!

Dr. McGregor thinks that roll call is unnecessary. Could we get along without it always?

Esther Williams enjoyed a refreshing little sleep during the regents' examination Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Runge, the lady member of the Board of Regents, visited the Student Voice office Monday afternoon.

Here's news! The log down river has been replaced by a plank! It's much easier walking on a plank.

The class in advanced French is reading "Tour du Monde en Quatre Vingt Jours"—(Tour of the World in Eighty Days.)

LOCALS

The Hudsonites were home over Sunday.

Miss Mosher was a Hudson visitor Saturday.

The first violets of spring were found last week.

Miss Marie Moynihan spent Saturday in St. Paul.

Margaret Francis spent the week-end in Minneapolis.

The first canoe was seen on the old Kinnickinnic last week.

Miss Ione Lundy spent the week-end at her home in Hudson.

Miss Edna Husfloen spent the week-end with Dorothy Browell.

Pearl Garlid and Grace Adams ('19) attended the dance Friday night.

Agnes Bottolfson spent the week-end at her home in Star Prairie.

Miss Minnie Hase returned to school Monday, after being home a week.

Julia McKeivitt was proclaimed the first mind-reader of the senior class.

Miss Mary Jane Collins was proclaimed the second mind-reader of the senior class.

Julia Anderson went to Eau Claire Saturday to visit friends, and one in particular.

Mr. Ramer and Pres. Ames will attend a meeting of the board of regents on Thursday.

Mrs. Hayward, Miss West, and Miss Taggart spent the week-end in the Twin Cities.

Minnie Everson and Harold Lissack chaperoned a crowd of young people down river last week.

Seniors, do you remember this? Defining is a great game, but I do not want to hog all the fun."

Miss Winnifred McDiarmid left here Friday morning to spend the week-end with friends at Rib Lake.

Last Friday afternoon Miss McKenzie went to Milwaukee to visit her parents and also to attend a convention at the art institute.

Harry Hosford, a former student of this school, visited us one day last week. Sergeant Hosford just returned from France a few weeks ago.

The dance given in the gym Friday evening was one of the best school dances we have had. The lunch count-ers seemed to be very much favored.

ALUMNI NOTES

Ray Casey, '16, is expected home from France.

A. M. Sanderson was a visitor at the school last week.

Archie Campbell, recently discharged from the navy, is attending the University at Madison.

Everil Perkins, '15, is working for the United States Rubber Co., with headquarters at St. Paul.

"Doc" Woodworth, '15, is attending the university at Bordeaux, France. He is taking a course in medicine.

Lieut. Thor Severson, of the aviation service, a former student at the Normal, was seen about the campus this week.

Vayne LaDuke, '17, is teaching in one of the soldiers' schools in Germany, after three months of active service.

Lew Coit, '17, visited school last Thursday. He enlisted in the 25th Engineers and has spent eighteen months overseas.

"Billy" Stapleton, '17, spent the week-end visiting Doris Lunt, '18. Miss Lunt is at present employed in the Northern Pacific offices at St. Paul, Minn.

Otto Eggebrecht, '17, who has recently been discharged from Camp Hancock, Georgia, has been appointed to take charge of the Y. M. C. A. at Wausau.

Word has been received that Tom Thorpe, class of 1917, was married to Miss Knudrot of Monroe, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. Thorpe expect to make their home on a farm near Monroe.

Herbert Christian, class of 1917, is at the hospital, Fort Snelling, Minn., recovering from a wound received while at the front. Bill Doonen, '17, is in the medical corps at Fort Snelling.

Mr. Hunt will be sent to do instructional work at a university in Beaune, France. Mr. Hunt and Mr. Stratton had the fortune to be out together.

Mr. Ames has the Summer School announcements ready and is mailing them to all prospective students. You can get yours if you will ask for it. It is free.

The contest in the selling of tickets for Anderson's Big United Shows was won by the sophomores by a wide margin. The three highest percentages were: Third years, 120%; sophomores, 273%; seniors, 180%. The Sophs are very proud of their loving cup.

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AGRIFALLIAN

The Agrifallian held a very interesting meeting last Tuesday evening. Due to pressure of other work it was decided to discontinue the meetings for this year. The most interesting part of the program was the debate. Resolved that the River Falls Normal school should offer a three-year course in agriculture. The affirmative was ably supported by Irving Sather and Earl Winger. John Leirch and Harris Eckley argued the negative. After listening to the pros and cons, the judges rendered a unanimous discussion in favor of the affirmative. The question was then thrown open for discussion and several members expressed their views on the subject. This was followed by a short drill on parliamentary law conducted by Mr. Dean and Mr. Ingli, successively.

As we have a small sum left in the treasury the boys wanted to entertain their lady friends at a marshmallow roast on the mound. The date for this event has not been definitely decided upon, but it will be some time in the near future.

Felix Ulrich acted as cheer-leader and nine rahs were given for our advisor, Mr. Prucha, and for Mr. Otterson, our worthy president.

Miss Schlosser judged the sectional contest for high schools at Menomonie on Friday, and spent most of her time in the library at Stout.

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NORMAL JAZZ

The bonuses are the silver linings of the war clouds.—The Lawrentian.

Wanted: Some one to help me move my chattels.—Mr. Te Hennepe.

Woman, without her man, is a brute. Woman, with her man, is a brute.

To Mr. Whitenack,
 You should hear me talk to the waitresses in France.—Mr. Hunt.

In the Stoutonia we glean the following headline, "Demand for Stout Teachers." That may be of interest to some of the heavy-weights of this school.

Mr. Junkman: "Have you ever heard of a woman who held her seat in congress?"

Esther Churchill: "Yes, I knew a woman that was a congresswoman."

Alpha Younggren: "We have a weeping mulberry tree at our home."

Miss Ketchum: "Is it anything like a weeping willow?"

Alpha: "Yes, only it weeps more."

Dr. McGregor is here giving regent examinations to the seniors.

The principle parts of the verb laugh are, laugho, snickeri, collapsi, bustum.

Prof. Jacobson's brother, Victor, who has just returned from France, visited here.

The class in Veterinary Science went to St. Paul on Tuesday to visit the stock yards.

If you have any news for the Student Voice, please hand it in at the office or to the class reporter.

Altho May 1 was the first day of fishing there weren't many absences. Not many fish either for some people.

Mysterious happenings! The curtains of the gym are down and cautious juniors may be seen flitting thru the hurriedly opened and closed doors.

The Women's league met Monday, May 5, in Miss Sproat's room. The teachers of the training department were hostesses.

Junior Prom Friday is drawing near. When it is all over some of the slow boys will say,

"If I'd'a knowed
 You could 'a go-ed,
 I'd got to see
 That you had went."

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Don't forget that "cramming" is a specie of intellectual feeding neither preceded by appetite nor followed by digestion.

Alvin Carew and Julia Kevitt have joined the Upgren tribe. Alvin sits beside Clara Olson at the table because everybody thought it was best

Friday afternoon the Y. W. C. A. gave a tea for the lady members of the faculty and the girls of the school, so they could meet Miss Bent, the Y. W. C. A. secretary.