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Normal Farm Animals Take Prizes

Ag. Activities Starting Strong.

Here we are again ready to have our work recognized as being the strongest in the school.

The frost coming at the beginning of school "froze" up the ag. items but watch out for them from now on.

From the last report seventy men are enrolled in the Ag. Department this year, of whom sixteen are seniors. This shows that the demand for ag. men with three years of normal training is constantly increasing. Every ag. man who graduated in '23 has secured a position as teacher of agriculture for the present year.

Our normal herd of Holsteins and Guernseys made a creditable showing at the Chippewa County fair at Chippewa Falls. The Guernsey herd sire took second place in a large class. These animals also copped the following prizes at Ellsworth last week:

Guernsey herd sire	1st place
Holstein herd sire	2nd place

N. H. Stoddard, ag. graduate of the class of '17 has been added to the faculty of the Stevens Point Normal.

Men, whet that appetite, for the annual Agrifallian oyster stew is soon coming off. Watch this column and the bulletin board for further announcements.

All ag. students are urged to join the Agrifallian Society, which is intended to further agricultural activities and provide get-together meetings for all ag. students. The meetings are held the first and third Thursdays of each month.

At these meetings very interesting programs are given, which are made up of numbers by the members. Usually, annual joint meetings are held with some other school organizations and these meetings are ones of social activities only. This club is instrumental in conducting a school fair during the winter, and it plays a prominent part in conducting the normal stock show held every spring.

If you are a real ag. man you will be expected to attend the first meeting. All new ag. students can enroll as members at that time.

If the teachers continue to load on assignments as they have in the past week, the profs. lives as well as the students' health will be in danger.

SENIORS ELECT

Leaders Chosen for Second-year Class

At the Senior class meeting held after assembly, yesterday, the following officers were chosen for the first semester:

President—Raymond Heffron
Vice-Pres.—Joseph Shannon
Secretary—Grace Miller
Treasurer—Virgil Volla
Social Committee—
Gertrude Murphy
Carleton Ames
Harold Lawrence.

Organization Schedule

See When Your Society Meets.

In order that students may have no confusion as to the time at which the various school organizations meet, Miss Hathorne has asked us to publish the following schedule of meetings:

Monday—

1st and 3rd at 4 p. m., G. A. A.

Tuesday—Y. M. C. A.

Y. W. C. A.

N. C. A.

Thursday—1st and 3rd, Agrifallian.
Civic Club, Camera Club.

2nd and 4th: Lincolnian, Aurelia,
G. O. P., Rural Life.

ORGANIZATIONS

G. O. P.

The G. O. P. had its first regular meeting last Thursday. The following officers were elected for the first semester: Wilma Urness, president; Josephine Koenig, vice-president; Kathryn Montieth, secretary, and Gertrude Murphy, treasurer. The members of the organization voted to take in twenty-five new members. The call for these members will be made later in the year. The next meeting will be held a week from Thursday. Important matters are to be discussed and decided! A full attendance is desired.

G. A. A.

The G. A. A. held its regular meeting last Tuesday. The names of the new members for the coming year were taken in at that time. The officers for the first semester are: Grace Miller, president; Laura McNamara, vice-president; Bessie Needham, secretary, and Joyce Gerirsh,

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Two New Stars Join Squad

Real Scrimmage Last Saturday.

Two worthy additions have been made to the football squad this week. Reilley of New Richmond and Ruffer of Mondovi reported to Coach Eggebrecht and were promptly out for practise Monday evening. Both of these men are big fellows and are experienced line men, that which the squad is in most in need of.

Most of the practise so far has consisted of tackling and blocking the dummy, bucking the charging machine, forward passing, punting, hurdling, and setting-up exercises.

It is not possible to pick berths for the different men at the time. Candidates are fighting hard, and it looks as though there will be some real contests for some of the positions on the first squad.

A real scrimmage took place last Saturday forenoon. The line-up, though temporary, shows the different positions the men are playing:

Moline	le	Rademacher
Hansen	lt	Nelson
Gardener	lg	Lawrens
Follansbee	c	Eck
Hardy	rg	Bushy
Cole	rt	Ames
Heffron and Ingli	re	Hagen
Matt Nelson	hb	Keyes
M. Smith	hb	Walker
Ziebell	q	Jensen
Maier	fb	Volla

Radmacher and Ingli are strong contenders for end positions. Follansbee and Eck show up equally strong for the pivot position. Hardy, Bushy, Gardner, Reilley, and Ruffer will be the strong contenders for the two guard positions. Ziebell and Smith are working well together and with Matt Nelson and Maier make a fast backfield.

Good crowds are following the work every evening.

Abigail Bennett and Florence Bennett visited friends in the Twin Cities over the week-end.

Lenore Reed, '23, who teaches at Elk Mound, came up to school, on her way to the Ellsworth fair, to say "Hello" to old friends.

Clark Ingli, '23, has the agency in Pierce county for the New York Life Insurance Co. He likes the work very much.

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HOW ABOUT A BIGGER PAPER?

You have seen the Student Voice as it will be published this year, unless something happens to give us money enough to enlarge.

Other normal schools, in larger cities, it is true, put out papers three and four times as large as the Student Voice. They are able to do this for one or all of several reasons: Larger subscription price, larger circulation, greater advertising opportunities, or benefits.

The two second means are, of course, beyond our control. Therefore, if we wish to enlarge the paper to a regular issue of six or eight pages we must adopt one of the other two. The issue is just this: Do you students care enough about having a bigger Student Voice to pay twenty-five cents a semester for it? Or, would you rather that the staff put on an entertainment or two to raise money with which to make the Student Voice a paper more worthy of the school?

We shall not try to put this matter to anything resembling a vote, but we do ask that you think and talk it over, and if you have any opinion or anything to say on the subject hand it in. We'll print both sides of the matter, as all we want to do is to find out where the student body stands on this matter.

The following new subscriptions have been received since we went to press last week:

Rudolph, Haugh, '23, Clear Lake, Wis.
Nellie Roese, '23, Pepin, Wis.
Frances, Gartland, '23, Pepin, Wis.
Viola White, '23, Cumberland, Wis.
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Earl Hildebrand, '23, Cochrane,

Wis.

Jesse Fidler, '23, Graettinger, Ia.
These people are getting all the school news sent to them every week, for the small sum of \$1.50 a year. Quite a bargain, eh?

Last Thursday's Assembly

The assembly last Thursday was given over to the presentation of the organizations of the school. Miss Hathorne spoke on the organizations in general and their purposes.

Romola Cheney presented the Civic Club; Mr. Trelevan spoke for the Camera Club and showed us some of the things that they are and have been doing. Carleton Ames presented the Lincolnian Debating Society; Mr. Baur gave us a sketch of the Agrifal-ian Society. The G. O. P. was represented by Margaret Bailey, and the G. A. A. by Bessie Needham. Mr. Batho presented the Rural Life Club, and Edith Nelson told us about the Aurelia Literary Society. The three Christian organizations, the N. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., and the Y. M. C. A. were presented by Mr. Wanish, Miss Chapman, and Mr. Jenson respectively.

Each student gave us the advantages and aims of his society and cordially invited all the students eligible to take an active part in the organizations.



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Games, eats, and a good program featured the reception given for the students by the Methodist church last Friday evening. Gladys Mason took the lead in breaking the ice by starting games and stunts in which everyone was required to take part. After the atmosphere had sufficiently thawed out, the guests were invited up to the auditorium of the church where a program of instrumental and vocal music was given. Prof. Davison played an important part in the evening's entertainment by reading some of what he calls his "rotten poetry." In the opinion of his audience, however, it was far from corresponding with his description. Lunch was served immediately after the program. After a few more games, the party broke up. This was the first of a series of social events planned by the young people of the Methodist church for students. Watch for more.

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SCHOOL NOTES

The following former students spent the week-end in River Falls: Nellie Roese, Pepin; Frances Gartland, Pepin; Vidle Tubbs, Maude Hawkins, and Gwendolyn Canton; Hudson; Pauline Norseng, Hammond; Alpha Younggren, Spring Valley; Margaret Follansbee, Prescott.

Burn Brown, Harry Phillips, and "Doddie" Hunt of Rice Lake visited Katherine Gabriel, Kathleen Quinn, and Gertrude Murphy last Saturday.

Inez Carr of St. Paul visited "Marj" Jewel over the week-end.

Marion Wasson and Helen Sutherland attended a show in St. Paul last Sunday afternoon.

Donald Wiger, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wiger, of this city, was accidentally killed Sunday by his companion on a hunting jaunt. Donald is the brother of Miriam Wiger, R. F. N. S., 1922, now Mrs. Jesse Fidler.

Alice Mackin, R. F. N. S., 1923, was one of the play ground workers in Madison the past summer. She was the first supervisor of playground at the R. F. Normal Training School, the work having been instituted last year.

Albert Fuller of Kinnickinnic, '18, and U. of W. '23, leaves this week for Milwaukee for an unusual line of work. He majored in botany at the U. and now has secured the position of assistant curator in the Milwaukee Public Museum. During the summer he will collect and mount specimens of plant life. Mr. Fuller is the brother of Amy Fuller who is a graduate senior in this school in the Math. and Science department.

In our last week's issue we gave the address of Mr. Arthur Eckley, a member of last year's class, as Oconto Falls, Wisconsin. We have since been informed that his address for this year is Two Rivers, Wisconsin, and we take this means of making the correction.

Mr. Geere gave an excellent talk on "Worship through music" at the Christian Endeavor meeting at the Congregational church Sunday evening.

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Jimmie Wenzel is working in Chicago for a large insurance company.

Jess Fidler, '23, of Braettinger, Iowa, visited the Student Voice and gave his subscription for the paper. He is teaching manual training at Braettinger and likes his school work and the town very much. Mrs. Fidler, nee-Miriam Wiger, is teaching in the grades there.

The Christian Endeavor society is going to hold its service at Clifton Hollow next Sunday at 4 p. m. The M. E. Epworth League and Congregational C. E. of Prescott and the Presbyterian C. E. of Hastings, Minn., will meet with the River Falls society. Anyone wishing to go notify Dave Needham, phone 268-3, or Marjorie Courtice, Phone 515.

Members of the Student Voice staff and their friends enjoyed a "scrumptious" all-day ice cream feed in the Voice office last Friday. The aim was to consume two gallons of orange ice between classes, in vacant periods, and after school. Everybody had to do some hustling to get themselves outside of the ice. All those partaking of the feed left the Voice office with chattering teeth and goose-flesh. The staff gave a vote of thanks to Mrs. Ames, whose generosity provided them with the ice left over from her reception.

All who expect to enter the preliminary class oratorical contests will please see me without fail some time today or tomorrow. If you are interested in the work but are not sure whether you wish to enter the contests, come in and talk it over. Both women and men are eligible. Let's have a good representation of both.
 Rexford S. Mitchell.

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FACULTY NOTES

Miss Lanthrop visited at Hudson last Saturday.

Pres. Ames spoke at the County school board convention at Ellsworth, Monday of this week.

Prof. May and family motored to Minneapolis last Sunday.

LUTHERAN YOUNG PEOPLE'S MIXER

The young people of the Lutheran church were hosts to about 150 of the Normal School and High School students at the Forester Hall Friday evening. The church orchestra furnished music; Orville Tostrud, president of the Young People's Society, and Rev. A. L. Rustad spoke. Games and refreshments furnished the rest of a delightful evening.

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ORGANIZATIONS

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 treasurer. The girls have not yet begun their regular practice as they are waiting for their new members. After the initiation, the work will begin in earnest.

LINCOLNIAN

The Lincolnian met last Wednesday and chose the following temporary officers to serve until the regular organization can be completed: President, Harvey Wanish; Vice-Pres., Lincoln Halvorson; Secretary, Carleton Ames; Treasurer, Everett Smith. Mr. Rexford Mitchell is the advisor, hence the boys expect an eventful year. All boys interested in this organization are cordially invited to the next regular meeting, Thursday night of this week, at seven o'clock, in Prof. Mitchell's room. A special program with refreshments is being planned.

Y. W. C. A.

For the benefit of the new members, the last meeting was given over to the discussion of the three-fold life which this organization hopes to develop in its members.

The special program consisted of talks on the Spiritual, Mental, and Physical life of the girl; special music and readings. The names of the girls who wished to join were taken at the close of the meeting. We are glad to have so many enrolled and hope that our number will be increased.

Y. M. C. A.

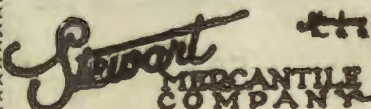
Last night's meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was taken up with talks by Mr. Reynold Jensen, the president, and

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Prof. Mitchell, on the nature of the "Y." itself. That this was a program eminently worth while, without mentioning the male quartet which sang, all those who were present will agree.

The membership drive has been very successful so far, but the organization hopes that no one will refrain from signing up with the society because he has not been approached by some one with an individual invitation. While it was the aim of the cabinet to have every man in school receive such an invitation, it was inevitable that there should be some slips, and no one should refrain from coming to the meetings and signing up, on that account.

PRESIDENT AMES' RECEPTION

Rugs and reed furniture transformed the society room into a cozy living room where President and Mrs. Ames entertained the faculty at the annual president's reception. For many years this event has been one of the customs of our school. The faculty report a very enjoyable evening. Mr. Geere and Miss Lemmer gave a number of vocal and violin solos; several readings were given by Miss Schlosser and Mr. Davison. Delicious refreshments of orange ice and wafers were served.

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FIRST DANCE COMING

The first all-school dance of the year will be held in the North Hall gymnasium, Friday night, from eight to eleven. The faculty members of the school social committee have taken the initiative in putting on this affair, since the student social committee is not yet organized. Let's show them that we appreciate it by turning out in full force. Don't let the lack of a "date" keep you away, either fellows or girls. These parties are not intended as formal, couple affairs, but as informal, mixer dances. Let's see everybody out, Friday night, at eight o'clock.

The mixer given by the Congregational church was exceptionally successful. About one hundred were present. After a rapid succession of lively games, a program of humorous readings, instrumental and vocal music was given. Later in the evening ice cream and wafers were served. A friendly atmosphere seemed to be the predominant note of the party. More good times at the same place are to follow during the year.

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