

Students Wear Cheery Smiles As Yule-Time Approaches

Community Well Represented At Poultry Show

North Hall Gym Filled With Crowds Of People To See Poultry Show

COMMUNITY CLUBS EXHIBIT PRODUCE TO WIN THE LOVING CUP

Prof. Hayes Of U. W. To Judge Poultry

FIVE HUNDRED BIRDS MAKE GREAT DIN TODAY AS CLASSES PASS

Cocka doodle do!, ca ca ca cadaget! girls' glee club? No. Men's glee club? No. Ladies' aid? No. Mercy old Chantecler and Biddy, his mate, whispering words of love, home and happiness as they stalk about their little wire coop, smirking and sneering at five hundred other feathered folk in the poultry show today.

Chantecler and Biddy are a pair of fancy white Wyandottes who make up part of the two hundred birds in the show classes as general purpose breeds, including the Rocks, the Reds, and Orpingtons.

Leghorns Egg Layers
The gay little leghorns, faithful servants of the egg basket constitute a large portion of the 81 birds classed as egg breeds.

125 Ducks and Geese
One hundred and twenty-five birds, with a natural love for the water, reign supreme along the north wall of the gym, where the ducks and geese of all types and colors are lined up for inspection.

In the boys and girls department there are 80 birds, every one of which has been carefully groomed and fitted for the great event by its youthful owner.

Community Club Booths
The center of interest in the entire show is to be the three Community Club booths which have been arranged by the club members and filled with the products of the community. This is a new feature of the show and the community clubs have responded with three excellent booths, every one of which is an honor to the community.

In each exhibit these people have gathered the finest products of their community and arranged them in a
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Professor Cochran To Give Reading Here Thurs., Dec. 16

Prof. I. M. Cochran, nationally famous lecturer, entertainer and interpreter of plays, and head of the department of public speaking at Carleton College at Northfield, Minnesota, will visit River Falls next Thursday for a twofold purpose. He will judge the local oratorical contest at the morning assembly, and will present the play, "The Fortune Hunter," at a special assembly Thursday afternoon.

A Favorite of Students Here
Mr. Cochran is a familiar character to River Falls students, and is well liked here by all who know him. He has judged speaking contests on several occasions heretofore, and has presented a number of his best plays in past years. Last year he rendered "The Man of the Hour" and "Turn to the Right" during his two visits to the local campus.

Play is Famous as a Comedy
"The Fortune Hunter" is a four-part comedy by Winchell Smith and has been rated by prominent critics as one of the best American comedies ever written. It is one of Mr. Cochran's five greatest successes, and is a favorite with him.

The girls' glee club, under the direction of Mr. Geere, will render a
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Plans For Freshmen Party Saturday Night Completed After Weeks Of Hard Work

'DON Q' MONDAY NIGHT

"Don Q" the greatest film sensation ever screened, has at last been secured for River Falls students by the promotion committee. It appears Monday night, and Doug Fairbanks is the star, of course—no other could play a role so difficult.

Having seen "Zorro" at the normal last year, students will be eager to follow the thrilling adventures of his illustrious young son, Don Cesar, who is sent to old Madrid for an education and gets himself involved in an intrigue which shakes three nations. As the mysterious "Don Q," Doug wields a thirty foot Spanish whip with a skill and accuracy that fairly takes one's breath away.

No fooling, it's the biggest bundle of thrills ever wound on one spool. Remember, Monday night at 8:00. The admission is 15c and 25c.

Dept. Head Appointed To N. E. A. Committee

MISS BRIDGES TO SERVE ON COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PROGRESS

Miss Mabel L. Bridges, head of the Elementary Department of the River Falls State Teachers' College, has just received word of her appointment to "a most important nation-wide committee of the Department of Elementary School Principals," from the president of the Department of the N. E. A.

The committee to which she is appointed is the committee on educational progress, of which principal F. H. Duffy of Stuebenville, Ohio, is chairman.

The elementary department of our college is rated one of the finest in the state, and the national recognition tendered Miss Bridges in her invitation to act on a part of the N. E. A. program is probably one of the highest honors ever tendered the school in the way of national recognition.

Miss Bridges has not yet definitely decided as to whether or not she will accept the invitation which president Pyrtle of the N. E. A. extended to her.

Do your Xmas shopping in River Falls. Your merchants have a complete line of goods of every kind. Patronize them first.

"EVERYONE STAG IT" SLOGAN OF FROSH FOR THEIR ONE BIG EVENT OF YEAR. CARDS AND OLD TIME DANCES TO FEATURE ENTERTAINMENT.

Yea, Bo! It's here at last! The long promised and much sought for Freshman Party will be pulled off tomorrow night at 8:00 o'clock in the North Hall gym. This party has been planned for a long time, according to reports, and unceasing effort has been made to provide the best kind of amusement for every freshman who attends, regardless of his tastes and inclinations.

An All-Stag Party
In the first place this is to be a party, of, by, and for the Frosh, and Freshmen only are invited. The purpose of this article is to explode the conception that this party is going to be a formal dance and a bridge party. It is to be nothing of the kind. One of the Frosh, who is on the Freshman Board of Censures, explains by saying:

"In the first place, everyone is supposed to 'stag' it. A young gentleman and a lady are not expected to come to this party together.

No Formal Dancing
"There will be no formal dancing program. Square dances, circle two-steps, fox-trots and waltz will each claim a share in the evening's dancing.

"This sort of a dance program is given to encourage dancing. If there are those who cannot dance and who wish to learn, here is their opportunity.

Cards and Punch
"If your convictions are against dancing, come and play cards. The balcony is reserved for the card games. Bridge, Five Hundred, Flinch Rook and even Authors, if it be desired, may be played.

"Punch, especially prepared for the occasion and guaranteed to have an excellent flavor, quite exclusive in quality will be served.

Informality Is Keynote
"Informality is the keynote of the entertainment planned. Every freshman is invited and even urged to attend. Don't be a piker by staying away, nor show your greenness and lack of spirit by going home. Come out and not only have a good time, but also help everyone else to spend an enjoyable evening."

With this stirring appeal the Frosh who dictated the above, stopped quite overcome with emotion. Then partly regaining his elocutionary powers he began to mumble something about "a special feature number" that would "knock 'em cold."

"Tell 'em to be sure not to miss it!" he said before he staggered away.

Merry Christmas to You

Modern Girl Talks Too Much But You Dont Have To Listen

What is wrong with the modern girl. Now that the maidenly reserve has vanished along with the U. S. Navy, and modest is the word applied exclusively to income, what is wrong with the artistic modern girl?

Ridiculous! No one can be too fond of luxury. Is she selfish? No! She is continually giving herself away.

Does she talk too much? She does! But you don't have to listen to her. Does she make herself cheap? The fellows all say they have found her rather expensive.

Does she flirt and frivolously kiss her way from one pair of arms to another? She does! But we never object to findinger in our arms, so the cookie-pushers say.

What therefore is wrong with the modern girl!
"Blessings on thee college girl, Bare-legged vamp with shingle curl; Faith thy red lips trained to call Smear'd with rouge, sampled by all."

Is this our typical girl? We strenuously object! God bless her. River Falls raises none of them.

THE SEASON'S GREETINGS TO EVERYONE



Here we have one of the latest pictures of Santa Claus. Last evening he consented to pose for a picture for the Student Voice. His whiskers hide the bigness of his smile!

While here, he asked us what we

wanted for Christmas. "Help us send the season's greetings to our advertisers, the faculty, student body, subscribers and townspeople," we asked. So he posed for this picture.

Christmas Shopping Idea Club To Displace Notorious Date Bureau, Assert Enterprisers

Twenty-Nine Students Placed On Honor Roll

45 HONOR POINTS REQUIRED NINE STUDENTS GRADED STRAIGHT A'S

Twenty-nine students made the Honor Roll for the first term. Only those who make 45 or more honor points, with no grade less than C, exclusive of physical training, are eligible for this scholastic honor.

The following students received high honors, having earned a straight A grade in all subjects:

- Theodore Goble
- Christine Larson
- Miriam McIntyre
- Rudolph Olson
- Edwin M. Sagen
- Lewis Troyer

The complete honor roll includes the following names:

- Irma Anderson
- Leon Cain
- Agnes Dotseth
- John Dzabay
- Ruth Fenske
- Elaine Forsyth
- Fern Gauvin
- Theodore Goble
- Anna Hawkins
- Thelma Hovde
- Lois Hunt
- Barton Karges
- Edward Kinney
- Christine Larson
- Miriam S. Malott
- Lucille Malott
- Rudolph Olson
- Victor Peterson
- Alice Reardon
- Edwin Sagen
- Robert Smith
- Clarice Solun
- Frances Squires
- Thelma Stayberg
- Lewis Troyer
- Nina VanDeList
- Della Wenum
- Elmer Wigen
- Adele Williamson

MORTON, WALTON AND COMPANY PROJECT ORGANIZATION TO RIVAL SCOVILLE-NORSSENG "DATING" COMBINATION

"The spasmodic success that the notorious Date Bureau, which is sponsored, owned and controlled by the Norseng-Scoville corporation, has been having for the past two months has been too good to last and the Bureau will now die the natural death that has long been its due," is the assertion made today by "Bud" Morton, of Morton, Walton and company. "The 'Xmas Shopping Idea Club' will fill the need of those who are love lorn and dateless."

It seems that Morton, Walton and company have organized and projected a new enterprise, which will be known as the "Xmas Shopping Idea Club."

This club is in reality a Bureau, an information bureau inasmuch as it is a potential source of information concerning whatever has to do with those in the region of the heart, according to the reports seeping out from the downtown offices of Morton, Walton and company.

In a statement issued late last evening, Mr. Morton said: "The real purpose of the club at present is to help out the young man who finds himself in the dilemma of deciding on what he shall buy his lady love for Christmas."

Duties of Bureau

"Although we shall perform the duties of a bureau, yet we have adopted the name 'Xmas Shopping Idea Club' for the nature of our organization is the same as that of a club. We are offering membership for \$1.00 a month and that dollar is the only money in the form of a fee that we ask.

Regular meetings shall be held once a week. During these meetings th members (young men only) may discuss ideas for presents. Here is where the 'club does its stuff.' We take the responsibility for suggesting ideas. Not only that, but we also offer expert advice concerning propriety of gifts for special occasions, manner in which gifts are to be presented.
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City Gaily Decorated With Evergreens, Holly Wreaths, Xmas Trees

KIDDIES GAZE LONGINGLY AT PACKAGE GIFTS IN STORE WINDOWS

Schools Plan Christmas Programs

SANTA'S BEAMING SMILE IS SEEN ON EVERY FACE ABOUT TOWN

Evergreens . . . garlands of colored lights . . . packages . . . wreaths of holly . . . shop windows gay with gifts and Yuletide decorations . . . kiddies with noses flattened against store windows . . . snowflakes that have a right to dance . . . folks with quickened steps and cheery smiles . . . Christmas!

With King Winter firmly seated on his throne, and Thanksgiving once more a mere memory, the merry Yuletide season comes again to warm the hearts of old and young. Santa Claus that quaint old saint who finds his joy in giving, again prepares to gladden the hearts of countless kiddies in every land with candy and nuts and toys galore.

Stores and shops of River Falls sparkle with a holiday radiance as they proudly display their gifts for everyone from grandpa to the youngest babe. Skates and sleds, those indispensable utilities to youthful happiness, dolls and dishes for the girls who are good (and all of them are) not to mention presents for dad and mother too, all these and more bulge from showcase and counters everywhere.

People meeting on the street forget the petty frictions that have made them so aloof, and replace their sullen silences with cheery words of greeting. The kids too, have caught the spirit. Parents are surprised to note how willingly their orders are obeyed, yet they suspect the motive that prompts the phenomenal conduct on the part of their offspring. Dad has a worried look. He pays the bills you know, and sometimes even has to wear the necktie mother gives him.

All the schools and churches are planning programs for the holiday. Prior to closing for a two week's vacation the schools will run "open house" with a program, Christmas free and Santa Claus himself. Churches of the community will do likewise and they will see that no unfortunate folk, no matter how poor, will go without their "Christmas."

Orators To Vie In Final Contest In Thurs. Assembly

Three River Falls orators will vie for final honors in the local elimination which will be held at next Thursday's regular assembly.

Marshall Norseng will deliver his oration entitled, "Is America a Shylock?" Donald Olson will deliver an oration called "The Inequalities of War," and Rudolph Olson will present "America and the League Court." John Davison has withdrawn his name from the entries and will not appear at the finals as was formerly planned.

R. F. Orators Have Done Well

In past years, River Falls has been well represented at the State Oratorical contest. In 1923 "Kate" Chapman won second place for River Falls at Milwaukee; in 1924 she again represented the school and drew third ranking at the Superior meet. Last year at the state oratorical contest which was held at River Falls, John C. Burke won second honors.

Prof. Cochran to Judge
Professor I. M. Cochran, head of the department of public speaking at Carleton College will judge the contest Thursday. The winner of this contest will represent us in the state meet at Eau Claire next spring.

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CHRISTMAS SEASON IS HERE

An atmosphere of happiness and good cheer is beginning to assert itself about school this week. One does not need to search far to find the reason. For one thing the worry and hurry that always accompanies the end of the term is gone.

But it's not only that that makes makes us happy. 'Tis the happy season of the year. Everyone from out of town is going home to see Ma and Pa.

Anticipation of the good times in store have keyed everyone up to a point where exuberant spirits come unbidden, and troubles, worry and work have temporarily taken a back seat.

A two weeks vacation at Christmas has come to be a tradition of long standing with college students. Once in a while some serious minded individual has dared to raise a voice in protest on the grounds that a vacation at this time of the year is not practical since students get a three months' vacation in the summer time.

FAILURES

Prof. aren't fair if we are to believe chronic complainers. These "students" are the ones who are just beginning to realize that the first term has slipped by and that they should have begun studying twelve week ago.

Each failure, if he will carefully consider the work he has done, will have to admit, at least to himself, that his failure is his own fault. What has been his attitude toward his class work, both in the class room and out? Not only during the last week of school, but during the first and fourth and sixth, etc. If he considers all these questions carefully and answers them truthfully, perhaps he will not be so quick to complain.

Perhaps there are a few students who "pull" something on a prof. occasionally, but that does not excuse the student who waits to the last week or two before studying, then fails, or gets a low mark, and then hollers.

EXCHANGE LIST IN LIBRARY

The exchange list of school and town papers which comes to our library every week is a source of much delight, relief and information to many of the students.

Many of our exchanges come from comparatively distant places, such as Normal Times from Lock Haven, Pennsylvania, and the Montanormal from Montana State Normal college. The papers permit us to discover what more distant state school are doing.

Some other more local school papers are The Clear Lake Star, The Lawrentian from Lawrence college, Wis., The Royal Purple from White-water, Wis., and The Paper O' Pep from Waterloo High School, Waterloo Wis.

Some of the local town papers which we have on our exchanges are from Mandan, Spring Valley, St. Croix, Osceola, Milltown, Turtle Lake, Clear Lake, Downing, Glenwood City, Hammond, Hudson, Cumberland and Spooner.

Students who hail from these towns occasionally drop into the library to check up on their beans or sweets at home, or to wear off the blues or old home ties.

NOTICE

This is the last issue of the Student Voice to be published before the Christmas vacation.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

ELEVEN NEW ENTRIES ENROLL FOR SECOND TERM'S WORK

Eleven people, five of them former River Falls students, have enrolled for the second term of work here.

The following are the people who enter with advanced standings: Velma Caldwell of Shell Lake, Wis., Mrs. Alice Dunn Gendron of River Falls, Roy Segerstrom, also of River Falls, Alice Schnor, a third River Falls resident, and Bernard Morton of Ellsworth, Wis.

Six frosh complete the list. Their names are as follows: Gust Wallen of Stockholm, Wis., Lucille Guerkin of Elk Mound, Irwin Corey of Nye, Wis., Archie Tweit, Holcombe, Wis., and Marjorie Hughes of Hudson.

This number replaces the ten graduates who leave at this time so that no noticeable change appears in the total enrollment of the school.

STUDENTS ENJOY CAROL DEMPSTER IN CIRCUS PICTURE

Monday night the limited group of students who can enjoy a good movie were much pleased with Carol Dempster in her best circus production, "Sally of the Sawdust."

"Sally," the center of the entire play, kept everyone on their toes. Even such as the judge was, stern and austere, were outwitted by her innocent cleverness. The entire play teemed with fun.

Sally kept up in this picture, not only her own reputation among the highest of movie realm, but the high quality of pictures which the Promotion Bureau always puts on.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IDEA CLUB DISPLACE DATE BUREAU

(Continued from Page 1) sented, and on other matters of pertinent interest."

Harold Walton has charge of the financial affairs of the club.

To Publish List of Rules "A list will be published shortly," he said, "in which shall be contained the rules and regulations of this new enterprise. Until that list is published, applicants for membership will be treated in a tentative fashion. Later, we shall branch out and form a girls' department, with an expert woman advisor at its head."

Meantime, the original Date Bureau is not silent. Norseng refused to comment on the "Xmas Shopping Idea Club," merely saying: "The Date Bureau stands for service, and shall continue to function as long as its patrons hold out."

Scoville is also confident. He said, "Let them organize. Our business is growing daily; so we do not worry."

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"Green Stockings" Will Be Shown Here Wed., Dec. 15

"Green Stockings," a comedy in three acts, by A. E. W. Mason, will be staged at the Normal auditorium at eight o'clock, Wednesday evening, Dec. 15.

The cast includes several of the Normal students. Admiral Grice, a retired testy old gentleman of about 65, is taken by Vic Peterson.

It is worth your full price of admission to see "Doug" Allard as William Faraday, a fashionable, superficial and thoroughly selfish, well preserved man of about 65, with his favorite expression, "God Bless My Soul!"

Jack Davison plays the role of Robert Farver, an empty-headed young swell, and Clifford Erickson, that of a fiery young man of 35, James Raleigh.

Martin, a dignified old family servant is played by Alvin I. Anderson.

Helen York takes the role of Celia Faraday, an unaffected woman of 29, who is conscious that the freezing point is 32. She and "Bud" Morton as Colonel Smith or Colonel Vivasor keep you guessing until the final curtain drops.

The roles of Madge and Evelyn, handsome, well-dressed and fashionable women are taken by Claudia Vassau and Adele Williamson, respectively.

Margaret Fox acts as Phyllis, the youngest sister, a charming but thoughtlessly selfish girl of 20. She and Bob Farver hold down the davenport frequently.

Aunt Ida, Mrs. Chrisolm Faraday, a florid, quick tempered warm hearted woman of 50, is Mrs. Vassau.

"Green Stockings is really clever and full of laughs and complications. The cast staged it at Prescott Monday evening before a very well satisfied audience.

The play is put on under the direc-

tion of Mrs. Alvin Anderson, under auspices of the Parent-Teachers' association and the Improvement league.

Remember the play, "Green Stockings" in the Normal auditorium, Wednesday evening, Dec. 15, at eight o'clock.

CHRISTINE LARSON GETS POSITION AS GRADE TEACHER

Miss Christine Larson has secured a position as a sixth grade teacher at Berwyn, Ill.

She will leave to fill her new position immediately after the holidays.

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R. F. GRAD EDITOR OF THE VALLEY CITY COLLEGE PAPER

Daniel Saxton, '25, athletic editor

of the Student Voice in '24-'25, is now exchange editor of the Valley City Teachers' College "Budget," at Valley City, N. D.



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PRACTICE GAME TO GIVE FANS OPPORTUNITY TO STUDY PLAYERS

River Falls Squad Consists Of 17 Men

NEW PLAYERS TO BE PICKED FROM ORGANIZ. TEAMS, SAYS COACH

Tonight, Friday night, the Red and White basketeers open the 1926-27 schedule season by playing the Hamline team of St. Paul in the North Hall gym. The game is scheduled for 8 o'clock.

The home boys have been given intensive practice by Coach Cox for the past three weeks, and are reported to be in excellent physical condition.

Seventeen Men on Squad

At present there are 17 men on the squad. They are Collins, Standish, Case, Segerstrom, Bliss, Landis, N. Manion, B. Manion, Christopherson, Hunt, Paulson, Hocking, Dawson, Kimper, Evans, Rindahl and Yaxrke. This squad is more or less tentative; as soon as the organization games begin, more men may be picked from the organization teams to be added to the squad, Coach Cox is reported to have said.

All Stars on Squad

The Coach is silent as to the probable line-up. However, judging from the records of the players on the squad, most of whom are new men here this year, it is likely that several shifts will be made, and that competition for regular berths will be stronger for each position than ever before at River Falls. Every man on the squad has figured as a high school star, most of them having gained considerably more than local fame.

Hamline is reported to have a strong squad this year. No advance dope has been secured as to their real strength, however.

This game is merely for practice, yet it will give the students a chance to view the boys in action, and give some sort of an inkling of the prospects for the year. River Falls is hoped to have a strong, fast team.

The squad goes to St. Olaf immediately after Christmas vacation. The boys go to Northfield to play Carleton on Wednesday, Dec. 15, and again on Friday, Dec. 17, to play St. Olaf.

LOWELL DAWSON CAPTAINS 1926-27 BASKETBALL SQUAD

Lowell Dawson was elected captain of the basketball squad last night.

AG. NOTES

The following Ag. men had charge of the various departments of this year's Poultry and Grain Show.

Poultry

Egg Breeds—Richard Moore, superintendent; James Casey, assistant. General Purpose Breeds—Archie Begley, superintendent; Ed. Sagen, assistant.

Meat Breeds, Turkeys, Geese and Ducks—F. Rodemacker, superintendent; Allen Weber, assistant. Boys' and Girls' Department—Floyd Helwig, superintendent; Vernon Loker, assistant.

Coops

Open Class—Erle Barber, superintendent. Boys' and Girls' Class—George Howard, superintendent.

Community Club Booths

Mann Valley—Herbert Chapman, superintendent. South Fork—Galord Mullendore, superintendent.

Glover—Ford Thurston, superintendent.

General chairman, Vic Peterson. The Freshmen Ag. men proved to be loyal Ag. students. Nearly all of them turned out and worked very honestly in the arrangement of the poultry coops in North Hall Gym last Wednesday afternoon. We expect a good gang of loyal Ag. men to be out this afternoon when the gym is to be vacated of all traces of the show.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Dec. 10—Hamline at River Falls
Dec. 15—Carleton at Northfield
Dec. 17—St. Olaf at Northfield
Jan. 3—St. Olaf at River Falls
Jan. 7—Eau Claire at River Falls
Jan. 8—Hamline at St. Paul.
Jan. 15—La Crosse at La Crosse
Jan. 28—Superior at Superior.
Feb. 4—Stout at Menomonie
Feb. 11—Eau Claire at Eau Claire
Feb. 18—Stout at River Falls
Feb. 28—La Crosse at River Falls
Mar. 5—Superior at River Falls

POULTRY SHOW DRAWS LARGE CROWD TO RIVER FALLS

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very artistic and attractive manner.

Three Communities Compete

The communities competing for the silver loving cup are Mann Valley, Glover Station and South Fork.

No effort has been spared to make these booths the best possible and some clever displays have been made. Glover Station reminds us that their community is the home of the famous Axel Peterson, whose name they proudly display in their booth.

Radio Demonstration

L. W. Chapman, local radio man, is exhibiting and demonstrating his radios and has an opportunity to give them a real test when competing with the crowing roosters and quacking ducks, for the honors in volume of sound.

The auditorium was filled to capacity last evening at the program composed of numbers by the various community clubs, special music by Henry's quartette and a talk by John Jones, commissioner of agriculture.

Prof. Hayes of U. W. to Judge

Professor Hayes of the University of Wisconsin is judging the poultry today while Professor Dewich, crops specialist of the University, judges the grain and vegetable exhibits and the community club booths.

Fifteen Rural Schools Here

This afternoon 15 rural schools will attend the program, each group occupying a section of the auditorium.

The program will consist of three demonstrations by teams from rural schools, which have been coached by some of the "Ag" men, special music by Rady's orchestra, the Normal entertainers de luxe, and a talk by Professor Bewick, state leader of boys and girls clubs.

In this show the Ag. department co-operating with the business men of the city kills two birds with one stone by giving the Ag. students some practical experience and training in this line of work and at the same time boosting the community in general. Demonstration Contests in Afternoon

The following demonstration contests will be held this afternoon.

"Feeding for Winter Egg Production," by the Mann Valley team coached by Flavian Martell.

"Proper Poultry Housing," by the Oak Knoll team coached by Harold Walton.

"Selecting Winter Layers," by the South Fork team coached by George Simon and Milton Shuette.

"Getting Rid of Lice and Mites," by the Glover Station team coached by Arno Glubeisen.

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FROSH TAKE OPENER 21-11 VICTORY CELEBRATED WITH BANQUET

The G. A. A. volley ball teams scrapped out their battles in the girls' gymnasium Tuesday, Dec. 7. They were divided into two teams, the Frosh in one and the second and third years in the other.

The Frosh team won out in the contest. The first game was rather one sided, since the game ended 24-11. In the second, however, excitement ran high; for during a period near the close of the game, the score was 20-20. The Frosh scored their extra point, and the game ended 21-20.

As a rule, the teams have played three games. Since the Freshmen led in both scrambles, it was considered useless to engage in a third contest.

It is interesting to note that there were three veterans on the second and third team.

After the games, cocoa and cookies were served to the contestants by Miss Smith.

COMMUNITY SINGING AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

There will be Community singing at the Congregational church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 14, at 7:30 o'clock.

The song service is open to all. If you like to sing Christmas carols, come along. Bring your neighbors and make it a big success.

A short program of solos and songs by a male quartet will be given.

This program is sponsored by the MacDowell Club, and is under the direction of Mr. George Smart.



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Y. W. C. A. SELLS JAPANESE PRINTS

The Y. W. C. A. is having a sale of Japanese prints and novelties this week. These make splendid Christmas gifts; so just stroll around the first floor corridor in South Hall this week and the first days of next week.

MISS MARY CATONE Entertains at Accordion Party.

Last Friday evening Mary Catone entertained Gretchen Grimm, Alice Lund, Avis Pearson and Marjorie Gallup at an informal "accordion party." Apples and candy added to the perfect enjoyment of the evening. From the sounds that issued from the room between the same hours of seven and nine o'clock, one would believe that this world, after all, is an exceedingly happy place in which to live.

N. C. A. Prof. Mitchell Gives Talk.

The usual meeting of the N. C. A. on Tuesday evening was opened with some vocal solos by Mr. Glenn Gallup, accompanied by Miss McIntyre.

The main speaker of the evening was Professor Mitchell. Everyone appreciated and thoroughly enjoyed his talk.

In addition to this we had some jokes by Mr. Miller and current events by Mr. Dunbar.

The plans were started by a committee for a Christmas party next Wednesday evening. We urge all Catholic students to attend this party. You will be sure of a good time and eats.

AURELIA Give Xmas Program Last Night

The girls of the Aurelia society greatly enjoyed a Christmas program last night.

After Irene Berg gave the reading, "Why the Chimes Rang," Christmas tableaux were given while Christmas carols were sung by Lucile Malott, Ruby Solum, Kathryn Kellogg, Elaine Forsythe, Claire Solum and La Vita Weldon, accompanied by Katherine Ausman.

Evelyn Walker gave the reading, "The Shepherds and the Star." Lucile Malott read, "All for Rosa."

The program was concluded with the song, "Holy Night," sung by all the girls.

After the program the girls exchanged little gifts which were enjoyed very much.

Y. W. C. A. Make Xmas Gifts.

At the regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. the girls became enthusiastic making little gifts of Christmas cheer for Indian children on a South Dakota reservation.

After a short devotional period, the girls started work on the particular sort of gift the group to which they belonged, was to do.

These little Indian children will be as well pleased with their box of cheer as the ones in northern Wisconsin were last year.

A call was also made for old clothing to be left in Miss Hathorne's office.

Besides helping these children of another state, the Y. W. C. A. girls are sending a box of remembrances to the Poor Farm at Ellsworth, Wis.

Y. M. C. A. Prof. Russell Johnston Spoke.

About 20 young men heard the address given by Professor Russell Johnston last Tuesday evening at the regular weekly meeting of the Y. M. C. A.

Those who were present are convinced that although we cannot hear great speakers such as Stitt Wilson very often, yet we can get splendid food for thought from the men who address us each week—men from our own campus.

Man's Insignificance
Mr. Johnston enumerated several eras of time and space—eras that are measured only in "light years." To illustrate, he told that some of the planets have been traveling toward us for ages at the rate of thirty miles a second, yet they are still millions of miles away. A conception of this makes man realize more fully how insignificant is his life in comparison

to the universe. "This might tend to discourage him," said Professor Johnston, "yet if he stops to consider that he must be great to be able to conceive the workings of these planets, he is encouraged in his belief that God created man in his own image, little lower than Himself."

Belief in the Deity
In conclusion Mr. Johnston said, "We cannot look to the heavens or listen to the music of the universe without belief in the Deity." At eight o'clock next Tuesday night the last meeting before vacation will be held in the physics laboratory. The syllabus of the Milwaukee convention will be discussed.

DRAMA CLASS PRESENTS PLAY AT TUESDAY'S ASSEMBLY

"The Burglar," a one act play, was presented at assembly yesterday by members of the class in drama under the direction of Miss Nellie Schlosser. The play treats of a group of frenzied ladies who attempt to soothe each other's terror over the news of a neighborhood burglary. After several faithful attempts to retire for the night, the bravest of the group decides to probe the source of mysterious noises emitted from one of the bedrooms. Having armed her waiting colleagues with a shotgun and a revolver, she enters the bedroom, and after a moment emerges with the burglar—an ambitious kitten.

THE CAST

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| Mrs. Burton | Beryl Atwood |
| Mrs. V. Armsby | Evelyn Barrett |
| Mrs. C. Dover | Aileen Fitzgerald |
| Freda Dixon | Helen Howkins |
| Edith Brent | Velva Dunh |
| The Kitten | Kitty Herself |

The skit is one of few lines and many actions, the latter being well executed by the present cast of characters. Yesterday's audience was highly enthusiastic throughout the entire presentation, and many compliments have since been tendered the players.

This play was presented a week ago at Clayton, Wis., and is booked for several future engagements in towns surrounding River Falls.



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R. F. To Send 9 Delegates To Student Conference

Word has been received that River Falls will be permitted to send the nine delegates who wished to go to the National Student Conference, to be held at Milwaukee December 23 to January 1, instead of the assigned quota of three.

Those who are planning to attend the conference are: Helen Howe, Lucile Malott, Gunda Flekke, Louis Troyer, Le Roy Luberg, Edwin Johnson, Deans Hathorn and Mitchell and Prof. Jacobson.

Students Eager to Attend
Colleges all over the United States are manifesting a remarkable interest in the conference. Many already are calling for more than their quota of seats. Princeton asks for 25. The University of West Virginia, with nine delegates already registered, wants to send 15 instead of their regular quota of 12. The University of Michigan, which earlier in the fall thought of only five or six, is now anxious to send 30 or 40.

Prominent Speakers Listed
Prominent and outstanding figures who will appear at the conference are cited as follows by "The Intercollegian."

G. A. Studdert Kennedy, Author of "Lies I Believe," "The Wicked Gate" and other books, and the famous "Woodbine Willie" of the British forces in the World War.

Reinhold Niebuhr, contributing editor of "The Christian Century."

Charles W. Gilkey, pastor, Hyde Park, Baptist church, "under the eaves" of the University of Chicago, university preacher to Harvard, Princeton, Columbia, Cornell.

Glenn Clark, professor of English, Macalester College, a frequent contributor to "Atlantic Monthly," author of "Souls Sincere Desire."

Henry Sloane Coffin, president of the Union Theological Seminary, New York City.

G. G. Kullman, Sec'y for Russian

Service in Europe of the Y. M. C. A. Howard Thurman, pastor, Mt. Zion Baptist church, Oberlin, Ohio. Kirby Page, author, lecturer, editor. Mordecai Johnson, president of Howard University. T. T. Lew, Dean of Theological Department, Peking University. H. S. Elliott, author of "How Jesus Met Life Questions." According to reports, this first National Student Conference will be an epoch making event in the history of American colleges.



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the season. The appearance of the two aggregations at a parent-teachers' meeting at Ellsworth this week was met with a great deal of enthusiasm.

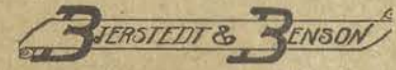
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