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Emotions Run Wild In Masquers Thrilling Drama

If your husband said to you, "You are mad and you don't know what you do. You're stark gibbering mad—like your wretched mother before you," what would you do? What does Lois Clymer do?

Those who see "Angel Street", Thursday and Friday, May 12 and 13 will find out.

If a sharp tongued maid like Nancy demanded of you, the master of the house, "You're

High School Music Festival To Start This Week-End

The twenty-fifth annual high school district music festival will be held here April 29 and May 7. All solo and small ensemble events will be held on April 9. Large choral organizations, bands and orchestras will perform on May 7.

The two day program will include one of the largest lists of entries for a River Falls festival—31 vocal organizations, 139 vocal soloists, 19 instrumental organizations, 169 instrumental soloists and 68 instrumental ensembles and other numbers.

A parade of outstanding marching bands will be featured on May 7.

Judges for the festival will include Leland Sateren of Augsburg college, Minneapolis; Earl Erickson of Gustavus Adolphus college, St. Peter; Orville Aftreth, Robbinsdale; Ted Mesang, Minneapolis.

The following schools will participate: Amery, Baldwin, Clear Lake, Ellsworth, Grantsburg, Hudson, Hammond, Luck, Maiden Rock, Milltown, New Richmond, River Falls, Roberts, Prairie Farm, Prescott, Spring Valley, Siren, and Osceola.

Two Articles By Dr. Wyman Are Recently Published

Dr. Wyman has had two articles published recently. His article "New Viewpoints in American History" appeared in the October and March issues of the WISCONSINOR magazine. The WISCONSINOR is the magazine of the Wisconsin Council of the Social Studies.

The other article, "The Wisconsin River Towns in the California Gold Rush" appeared in the April issue of the PACIFIC HISTORICAL REVIEW.

DEMAND DECISION By Janet Reed

Their faces were each a mask of tightened suspense. Five of them—five strong, well-built, courageous young men, now one decisive circle of tense, white faces.

All eyes—hard, hopeful, fearful, bloodshot eyes—were turned upon one young man. The man was held in deep concentration by some overpowering thought. Time was waiting for no one.

"Well?" one of the voices said. This, followed by a forceful gulp from another face.

A Cappella Presents Two Radio Shows

The A Cappella Choir broadcasted twice last Saturday over Twin City radio stations. At 4:30 p.m. they were heard from station KSTP, and at 11:05 p.m. from WCCO.

Last year the choir made two successful broadcasts over these stations and received much favorable comment. Members of the choir and the Public Relations department mailed out notices to friends and parents informing them of the broadcast.

mine now—ain't you! You want me, don't you? What would you do? What does Marv. Gilbertson do in that predicament?

Again the answer will be found in "Angel Street" in the North Hall auditorium at 8 o'clock Thursday and Friday nights, May 12 and 13.

If an unknown man said to you, "I came from nowhere and gave you the most horrible evening of your life. Didn't I?" Would you trust him? Does Dale Fredeen win Lois Clymer's faith in time to save her?

The answer can be found in the gospel according to "Angel Street", Act III, scene I.

"I am always loyal to you." These words show that there is at least one angel on you-know-what-street. But who is Elizabeth, the cook, loyal to?

See Elizabeth and judge for yourself on Thursday or Friday night, May 12 and 13.

To quote the student director, "I was spell bound the first night I went to rehearsal." Let's see how Angel Street affects you.

R Club Holds Banquet At Terrace

The annual R Club banquet was held last Friday night at the Terrace Club in Lake City, Minn. R Club members, the coaches, their wives and guests attended.

Student Voice Exchange List Adds Mexican-American High School

Perhaps you never knew that the college receives issues of the high school papers of practically all the surrounding towns. A few examples of these are the papers from Red Wing, Stillwater, Cumberland and Spooner. In exchange for these papers, the STUDENT VOICE is sent to those schools.

Last week, the STUDENT VOICE received THE SCOOP

Tickets For Junior Prom On Sale, Wednesday, April 27

The Junior Prom date is May 14. Les Williams will be the featured orchestra.

Wednesday morning April 27, tickets will be on sale to Juniors and Seniors in south hall. Freshmen and sophomores can buy tickets Wednesday afternoon.

The price is \$2.00 per couple. Tickets will be sold for 150 couples only.

The young man remained lost in thought. It seemed as though he would spend a lost week-end in thought.

"You won't," breathed a face, as faces usually do, "you won't do it . . . again?"

Silence, broken only by the "snip snip" of fingernails being chomped off by one of the faces. This stopped abruptly; the fingernails belonged to another face.

The tenseness tightened, and tightened, and tightened. Something had to break. And break it did.

"Please," said one face to another face.

"Sure," replied the face, and proceeded to readjust the other face's suspender.

Then, once more a lapse into suspenseful silence.

Finally, after an eternity of thought, the young man looked up at the pale faces around him.

All eyes gazed fixedly upon him. Their futures were before him. He was master of the hopes of five men. The decision was upon him.

Suddenly, though most decisively, as in a last act of justice, he said, "I'll drop," and threw his cards on the table.

CALENDAR

April 25, Pi Kappa Delta initiation, 8 p.m.

April 26, CWA dinner, Masonic Temple, 6 p.m.

April 29, High School Music Festival.

April 29, Baseball, La Crosse, there, 3 p.m.

April 29, Golf meet at Winona.

April 30, North Central Conference at Eau Claire.

April 30, Baseball, Winona, there, 2 p.m.

April 30, Quadrangular Track Meet at Eau Claire.

April 30, Tennis meet at Winona.

May 4, Faculty party.

May 6, Mother's Day.

May 7, Music Festival.

May 12-13, Masquer's Play, "Angel Street."

May 14, Prom.

May 19, Band Concert.

Notice

Sophomore Testing Program May 2 and 3

The sophomore testing program will be administered Monday and Tuesday, May 2 and 3, at 8 a.m. Students who are in their second or third terms of the sophomore year or first term of the junior year are required to take the test. Students whose last names begin with "A" through "N" will take the test on Monday. Those whose last names begin with "O" through "Z" will take the test on Tuesday. Come to the auditorium of North hall. No final grades will be recorded for the Spring term unless the test is taken May 2 or 3.

from the American High School in Mexico City. This is the high school that the boys from Mexico attended, at some time, before coming to River Falls to college.

Another interesting point about this school is that the superintendent was a former student and resident of River Falls. His name is John Brille, who is influential in having students come up here to college. While attending school here, he was active in dramatics and spent some time in the east and west studying it.

Two large modern buildings and several smaller ones make up the campus buildings. The school is a combination of grammar and high school with a total attendance of about 1500. Contrary to common belief, all the classes are in English except the separate Spanish classes.

Next year, all of the present students here, except Hubert Thummler, plan to transfer as they are pre-professionals. Mexico will still have a good representation here though, because four or five other students are planning to attend next year.

"First Flight" Makes Big Hit With Students

The campus' newest literary publication made its debut last Wednesday, April 20. First Flight, a quarterly magazine of student writing, went on sale in the South Hall market-place, with staff members vending their wares.

Business was good, according to the magazine's business manager, Robert Pickering, but there are still some copies of Vol. 1, No. 1 left. Anyone wishing additional copies can obtain them through any staff member.

Plans Laid For Next Year

The First Flight staff met last week and laid plans for a bigger and better magazine for next year. Over half the present staff members are returning next year. The magazine will be published once each quarter of the regular school year.

Although the first issue contained 24 pages (some 25,000 words) the staff plans to increase the size to 36 or 48 pages, if the necessary financial backing can be obtained.

Murry, Schillberg Outstanding At National Debate Tourney

Nancy Murry, sophomore, and Charles Schillberg, junior, won certificates of "Excellence" in original oratory and discussion, respectively, at the 16th biennial convention and tournament sponsored by Pi Kappa Delta, largest college forensic group in the nation, at Bradley University, Peoria, Illinois, April 10-14.

TO SPEAK HERE



RABBI W. GUNTHER PLANT

Rabbi W. Gunther Plant will speak to the student body on Thursday, April 28, at 10 p.m.

This assembly is being sponsored by the social science department of the college.

New Senators Will Be Chosen In May 11 Election

The Student Senate election for new officers will be Wednesday, May 11, at the auditorium, according to the announcement of John Whitaker, president of the Student Senate. The time of the election is to be announced.

Of the eleven seats in the Senate, nominations for seven will be made from the floor. A minimum of 14 nominations will be accepted—two for each seat. After the nominations have been closed, the students will vote for seven persons.

The other four members are the class presidents. They will be elected in class officer elections which will be held after the assembly on May 11. Freshman class officers are to be chosen not later than the third week in September.

Training School Upper Grades Enjoy Trip To Twin Cities

A trip to the Twin Cities was made last week by seventy-five students from the 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grades of the training school.

On their tour of the cities the students visited the Ford Plant in St. Paul and the Milwaukee Station in Minneapolis, where they saw the Rachel and the Hiawatha. They rode on the Hiawatha to the St. Paul railroad station, where they saw a miniature railroad exhibit. The group then lunched at the St. Francis Cafeteria and visited the State Capitol and the Centennial Exhibit Building.

Miss DeLander, Miss Knox, Miss Smelser, Mr. Fiesler and several practice teachers from the training school accompanied the group.

Civil Service Has Openings For Librarians

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has been accepting applications for several months for its Librarian examination; however, sufficient eligibles to fill existing vacancies in this field have not yet been obtained. The Commission therefore wishes to bring the examination to the attention of qualified persons who have not yet applied.

The entrance salary for the positions to be filled is \$2,974 a year and opportunities for advancement are favorable. To qualify applicants must pass a written test and must have had appropriate education or training in library work.

Application for the Librarian examination will be accepted by the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., until further notice. Application forms may be obtained at most first- and second-class post offices, from Civil Service regional offices, or from the Commission's Washington office.

Entering oratory for the first time in her speech training program, Nancy Murry presented "Journey with Jefferson" in four rounds of oratory competing with speakers from all over the United States. Charles Schillberg discussed "What Should Be The Policy of the U. S. with Respect to Communism." Both speakers received four points each for excellent ratings.

The men's debate team composed of Jerry Finn and Charles Schillberg won three points and a rating of "Good." They defeated teams from the College of Idaho, North Texas, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, Southwestern Teachers, Kansas, University of Omaha, and lost to Georgetown, Kentucky, a team that won the West Point Title last year, Aberdeen, South Dakota, and Durant, Oklahoma. Both Finn and Schillberg had excellent personal ratings.

Nancy Murry and Phyllis Hathaway won decisions against Pepperdine, California, Monmouth, Colorado, and North East Missouri State Teachers College. The decisions they lost were to the top-ranking women's teams, one of which the R. F. debaters defeated at the Northwest Tournament in March.

Both teams were in the upper bracket at the end of the fourth round which meant that from that time on they would compete against other excellent teams.

Ambrose Murphy received ratings of "3" and "4" in four rounds of extemporaneous speaking. The subject was "Planned Economy or Free Enterprise."

The total squad rating was 19 points toward the sweepstakes award which went to schools with twenty points or over in the men's or women's divisions.

Kenneth Peters, former Falcon debater, represented Southern Illinois in discussion.

Miss Marion E. Hawkins, director of intercollegiate forensics and sponsor of the local chapter of Pi Kappa Delta, judged three rounds of extemporaneous speaking, five rounds of debate, and rounds of oratory and discussion.

Concert Band To Sponsor Scholarship For Freshman

The concert band has established a scholarship which will pay the fees for one year of a freshman student who has shown ability in music and who intends to enter the teaching profession, according to B. J. Rozehnal, director.

This student need not major in music in college, but would be a member of the band and orchestra. The student will be chosen on the basis of scholarship, the instrument he plays and on general ability.

Applications should be made to the director of the band and should be accompanied by a recommendation from the high school music director and the principal.

RFSTC Faculty To Attend Conference At Eau Claire

River Falls State Teachers college will participate in the Regional Conference of the teacher education study of the North Central Association at Eau Claire April 30. Many of the faculty will attend.

E. H. Kleinpell, president of the River Falls State Teachers college will be one of the three main speakers. He will talk on "Improving and Implementing General Education." Russel M. Cooper, College of Science, Literature and Arts of the University of Minnesota will speak on "The Strategy of Faculty Action," and E. T. McSwain, Dean of University college at Northwestern will speak on "The Next Steps in Teacher Education."

Dr. L. Gordon Stone will report on "Evaluation of the Professional Program at River Falls," and Dr. Francis P. Chisholm will give a report on communications and language arts.

The conference is sponsored by the Committee on Institutions for Teacher Education as a service to the colleges and to the cause of better teacher education. Discussions will be held on the reports in order to pass on new ideas to other colleges.

A Stone's Throw

What happened to all the organizations about the campus? Either their responsibilities have been very lax in their responsibilities or else the organizations have been very inactive. At the beginning of the year I believe each organization is supposed to elect or appoint a reporter or publicity chairman. I am certain that FFA, YMCA, YWCA, Newman club, ACE, Palette club and Pi Kappa Delta all have people that are assigned to handle the public relations of the club. The only clubs that have consistently had their activities reported in this paper are the YMCA and Pi Kappa Delta. How about some of these other reporters getting on the ball?

Another thing which hasn't been able to get much publicity this year is the Fieldhouse Fund. We have run slogans, etc., plugging the Drive, but we never seem to be able to get any statistics on how the money is coming in. I believe the people who have contributed towards the Fieldhouse have a right to know how the drive is coming. After all, theirs is an investment for the future, not a payment for a thing of the past. Why doesn't the committee release some figures and let the "stockholders" know what their money is doing and when they may expect a "dividend."

All of us enjoyed the concert presented by the A Cappella choir from Eau Claire State Teachers college. They had a fine program and excellent soloists. I am heartily in favor of these exchange concerts with neighboring colleges and high schools. They do much to cement relations between two schools.

Why pay large sums of money to some of this so-called "topflight" entertainment when we have it right in our own locality?



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"Okay. Cut 'er hard"

FEED THE FALCON FIELDHOUSE FUND

WHO LOCKED THE UNION?

The Students Ask

The men's Union in North hall is locked again. Asking around to find why and wherefore turned up that someone had misused this recreational facility.

Someone in a weak-minded moment tore the artificial leather covering from one of the chairs, according to a rumor that the Voice heard.

There is also talk of card playing going on too seriously during the time when our institution's inmates were on their good behavior for the benefit of innocent visitors.

Now, I don't mind playing cards and I'll stack my chips with the ones who consider themselves the best in the mental gyrations involving cards.

But I like to go down to the Union once in a while and have a smoke and conversation or read a magazine, and it arouses my Irish when someone causes the authorities to look the door.

And who locked that door? The fellow who locked that door is the moron or morons who abuse the privilege of the Union. That guy should be roasted over a slow spit. Why is it that some wise guy always has to cause everyone else inconvenience by his assinity?

It is useless to ask that guy to try to adjust things with authorities. He would not do it, if he did think of it. Here we are without a Union, and tomorrow it will be something else.

Ain't we ever going to grow up?

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The Dean Answers

Mr. Rozehnal recently stated that the North hall Union was closed because the students could not realize that it was their responsibility to keep it open, and that it is school property and should be treated as such.

Many students in the past have skipped classes and spent their time in the Union playing cards and sleeping. The only alternative was to close the Union until the students showed that they can conduct themselves as college students should.

When the students realize they can not use the Union for a gambling den and sleeping quarters, it will again be opened.

If and when it does open, Mr. Rozehnal said there would be no card playing allowed while classes were in session.

It's All Tringled Up

Some people have a knack for inventing new words to explain a certain act or situation. Dr. Wyman recently told how he added the word "tringled" to his vocabulary.

During the recent war the townspeople of River Falls organized to help the nearby farmers during the busy summer season, farm help being scarce at the time. Dr. Wyman was one this helping group.

One day Dr. Wyman and Dr. Kettelkamp were assigned to help a farmer put up some hay. This farmer had numerous words of his own derivation to express his thoughts. One, however, struck Dr. Wyman as extraordinary.

It seems that while pulling the hay into the loft, the carrier slid off the end of the track and tangled the hay rope considerably, creating quite a mess.

"Whoa, whoa," yelled the farmer to Dr. Wyman riding the tractor. "It's all tringled up, up there."

Dr. Wyman thought that word to be excellent to describe the situation and he likes to use the word "tringled" to explain something that is tangled or mixed up.

THIS COLLEGIATE WORLD

New to the squad, fresh from high school, this embryo athlete gave it everything all day. He wasn't the new, lashing star on the horizon but he tried.

Into the dressing room and the boys were collapsing wearily. Our hero was fresh as the proverbial daisy.

"Heck, I feel as good as I did at seven this morning."

Baleful glances turned on him and the new recruit added hastily, "Boy, did I feel awful this morning."—"The Daily Reveille", Louisiana State University.

Overheard at freshman football practice. A player, after receiving a pass and being viciously tackled, turned to his tackler and asks: "Are we scrimmaging?"—"The Daily Reveille", Louisiana State University.

Prof Defends Profs

If he's brand new at teaching, he lacks experience.

If he's been teaching all his life, he's in a rut.

If he dresses decently, he's trying to be a fashion plate.

If he thinks about something besides clothes, he's a bum.

If he seldom admits a mistake, he's arrogant.

If he ever admits a mistake he ought to go back to bricklaying.

If he plants an occasional joke in his lectures, he's a comedian.

If he never condescends to an academic nifty, he's duty dull.

If he goes to chapel with regularity, he's a hypocrite.

If he shies at sermons, he's a heathen.

If he writes books, he's neglecting his teaching.

If he never publishes, he never had a thought worth printing.

If he hands out plenty of high grades, he has no standards.

If he hands out plenty of low grades, he's a butcher.

If he uses notes, he's unoriginal.

If he gets along without notes, he's an ad-libber.

If he sticks to his specialty, he's got a one-track mind.

If he tours the encyclopedia, he's a show-off.

If he can't identify Fritzie Zivic and Jack

LOOKING UP THE PRECIPICE

Coming back from an Easter vacation during which rolling of snowballs into snowmen was more of the order of day than rolling Easter eggs, did you notice how nice the campus lawns looked Tuesday morning? The fresh green grass was beginning to hide the dead grass and the janitors had hauled away most of the cigarette butts, gum wrappers and other trash which had accumulated during the warm preceding weeks. The campus looked fine; the way we like to see it—the best since before Homecoming last fall.

In the coming weeks, as the lawns become greener and the library and cafeteria become insufferably hot, the student body will move outside to relax and to study. When that happens, the temptation will be to cast butts, wrappers, and empty packages aside and continue with the diversion you're engaged in. Such practices can result in a very untidy campus in very short order. If the "nature" boys and girls who like to loll on lawns would make a mental note now to see that each piece of refuse that they discarded found its way to the provided receptacles, a littered campus would never materialize. Make it a point to do your part.

Have you noticed the great improvement in the neatness about the main entrances of North and South halls? The percentage of butts landing inside the trash cans on the first try has increased 100 per cent since this column made an issue of the situation. Congratulations, smokers! Many students need more practice to raise their scoring records to a more desirable level. If they would make it a practice to make a second try with the same material, it would make an even greater improvement in the appearance of the entrances. Also, the psychological effect of seeing someone stop and pick up a piece of paper and put it in the trash can, would make everyone more

Chit Chat ☆ ☆

Flash! Shay gets it again! Once more the vigilant police force has tracked down that menace to society, Fireman Shay. Last week he was apprehended speeding through the village of New Richmond. His antics cost him \$7.00 plus costs according to the New Richmond News.

Our private eye disclosed that at the Easter Monday dance in Ellsworth "Sleepy" Long and Don Goodrich were operating with two slick chics from the "big town." Upon interview Goodrich said "damn, but that's a long haul."

Exclusive, Ding Ding. . . Debutante Jean Schaefer was seen at the R.F. high school prom with that handsome, young, celebrity Jim Tobias who has made a name for himself as a hoop-star in these parts. Young brother of Toby.

It's spring, it's spring!! Our roving reporter informs us that Steve Lengell is on the prowl in a clean pair of levis'.

Public servant Rockman is ireed as he receives set back from another public spirited citizen. What a Kettle of fish, eh John???

An alert copy boy with his feet in the waste basket listening to Friendly Time heard Butch McCardle lament to Sharon, "Kiss Me Good-nite", Decca!!!

Jim Murphy has won a new clock radio—stroke of luck.

Yde arrived in time for free beer and sandwiches at the grand opening of the new Legion club. Dick reports that he and Lola have set the date for sometime this summer. (June 19)

It can't happen here department! College girls quit snapping their gum. We gals must refrain from bubble gum.

Kay "South of the Border" Krauth has finally learned to enjoy hot tomasles and all the chili she can eat. . .

Members of our faculty forot their snow shoes and shovels on a recent trip along Lake Michigan. Misses Howard, Bloom and Smelser made the best of the situation and paid visits to factories, sewage disposal plants and hospitals.

Enough of this stuff. Next issue Horace will be back.

Kramer, he isn't human.

If he listens to sports broadcasts, he's illiterate.

If he gets paid for outside work he's greedy.

If he does outside work for nothing, he's a sucker.

If he sands up while teaching, he's oratorical

If he sits down while teaching, his feet hurt.

If he's young, he needs more seasoning.

If he's old, he's seen better days.

If he gives a lot of quizzes, he's a slave-driver.

If he seldom gives a test, he's too lazy to read papers.

If he gets his name in the newspapers, he's publicity mad.

If he never appears in the public prints, he's so much deadwood.

If he's on good terms with the president, he's a scyphphant.

If he doesn't wear out the stairway from the Ad building, he's disloyal.

(American Association of University Professors Bulletin—(ACP)—Professor Harold Larrabee writes for college professors.)

conscious of how to dispose of rubbish. The cooperation of the student body with the message of the prominently displayed signs on the campus has been gratifying. Already there are signs that grass may grow on the well-trodden path from North hall to the Jerney club. It still isn't a habit with most students to take the sidewalks when going from North hall to South Third street, but the person that charges across the lawn or strolls nonchalantly, is more conspicuous, but whether pangs of conscience disturb the student or faculty member is a question for discussion.

Obvious paths, rivaling the Jerney Path, give the south and east campus lawns the appearance of last year's pasture, from the library window. Can't something be done about these eye sores? Obviously it would be a great injustice to require the people of 581 and other houses along South Fourth to walk around and use the sidewalks. That would more than double the distance that some would have to traverse between home and class. The campus lawns aren't sacred and no one is going to yell at you if you get off the sidewalks, but must it look as if the animals in the college barns have been blinding following a leader across them to and from pasture? It looks that way and any farm boy or girl will agree. If each of the south campus students and the tennis players would make it a point to avoid following the established paths, mother nature would conceal the passage of all. If you will do your part, that is all that is needed.

Note: I would like to recommend to everyone that they read an article in the April Readers Digest which expresses more fully ideas which yours truly has discussed in recent columns. The article is: "How To Acquire the Art of Leadership."

Sir John

SPORTS

RFSTC Baseball Team to Meet St. Olaf Tomorrow at 3:30

Another baseball game has been added to the Falcon schedule. Tomorrow they will meet St. Olaf here at 3:30. St. Olaf is a member of the Minnesota college conference.

The Falcons will play six games within the next two weeks, four on the road and two at home. All games are conference games.

The tennis and golf teams will play three matches before the Minnesota-Wisconsin conference meet at St. Cloud on May 14.

Falcons Whip Auggies, 10-3

The River Falls Blasters (better known as the Falcon baseball team) opened their '49 season with an impressive 10-3 victory over Augsburg on April 13. Augsburg is the defending champions of the Minnesota college conference.

The Falcon 12 hit attack was led by Jerry Siverling and Benny Benson. Siverling pounded out a home run and a triple while Benson singled four times. Bob Guith also homered for the Falcons.

Augsburg could garner only seven hits off the slants of Dan Demulling and Keith Riley. Two of the hits were doubles by Henjum and Dillon.

River Falls scored two runs in the opening inning, added another in the second, and poured five men across home in the third to grab an 8-1 lead. The Auggies scored single runs in the second, seventh, and eighth innings.

The Falcon fielding was much improved over last year as they committed only one error. Augsburg was charged with five.

All-School Track Meet This Week

An all school track meet, whose primary purpose is to select men for the track team, will begin today. The meet will continue on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The events will be run off in this order:

Monday—Two mile run, 440 yard dash, 110 yard high hurdles, pole vault, and discus.

Tuesday—100 yard dash, mile run, 220 yard low hurdles, broad jump, and shot put.

Wednesday—Half mile run, 220 yard dash, javelin, high jump, and relay.

Some of those who have indicated they will participate in the meet are Harley Harkness, Cy Kleever, Jim Van Tatenhove, Art Jevent, Loyd Brunstad, and Don Mattson.

The team will make its first public appearance on April 30 at Eau Claire. On May 7 they will travel to Mankato for an invitational tourney.

Dinks Win First Volley Ball Tourney

Playing true to form throughout the tournament, the Dinks came out on top in the final series to beat the Cellar Dwellers for the Intramural volleyball championship. Being the first tournament for volleyball that was ever held at RFSTC the tourney showed many signs of good organization and many talented volleyball players. The first tourney had only ten entries but if this sport grows in size as all the other undertakings of the Intramural sports department it will soon be right up among the top ranking Intramural sports. Volleyball is the fourth full scale sport added to the department sports program.

The Old Spectator

Baseball season was opened successfully by the Falcons when they defeated both Augsburg and a threatening snow storm.

Benson, the basketball ace, slammed through for a perfect day at the plate and in the field. Benny hit four for four and handled his short stopping equally as well. Siverling came up for the long ball honors by hitting three terrific smashes deep into left field. One went for a home run, one for a triple, and the other was caught as it rode into foul territory. Jerry did a pretty nice job out in the garden, but was handicapped by a turned ankle suffered when he jumped into second.

Danny Demulling started on the mound for the Falcons and had the Auggies eating out of his hand for the most part of the game. Whenever Danny would ease up, the visitors would collect a hit or so, but he didn't let up too often, consequently held the Auggies powerless.

A newcomer, Keith Riley, replaced Danny on the mound but seemed to be bothered by the extreme cold wave that settled down about the seventh inning.

All in all, the Falcons looked good at the start. Augsburg was Minn. State Champs last year, as you remember. The team is balanced in all departments, fielding, hitting, and general ball sense. There is a need for a little more speed in the outfield and behind the plate. But, this will all come as the season progresses.

Every once in a while the Vet's Administration comes up with the prize boner of the year. Once again the V. A. has scored in the "Boner field".

Carl Penno, the Chesterfield man, has just received "permission" to attend college along with a letter encouraging him to continue his undergraduate studies.

The interesting fact about this situation is—Carl has been in college for several years and is now a graduating Ag. Senior! Oh well, better late than never brings up the old Army saying—"Hurry up and wait".

Spring is here, or have we said that? Anyhow, that elusive season is here now for sure. The efficient local police force was observed "tagging" a '35 Ford sedan parked in a no-parking zone west of South Hall.

This is all well and good, but if the local gendarmes are to be brought into the scene to control parking on the campus, why aren't they brought in to control the excessive speed on the Cascade Race Track?

The casual observer may notice that each vehicle approaching the college crossing when classes are changing, seems to speed up rather than proceed with the caution the law requires.

Why not station that same local police officer at the Cascade crossing for a week in a valiant attempt to save life and limb?

This suggestion would come under the category of "Locking the barn door before the horse was stolen."

Mobile X-Ray Unit Leaves today

A mobile X-ray unit of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association was on the campus April 21, 22, and 25. This is part of a general project being conducted in schools and communities in this area.

The procedure used in giving these X-rays was very efficiently handled. It was just a matter of having to fill out a small card giving a few vital statistics, entering the trailer, getting X-rayed—a simple harmless process involving no more trouble than getting a cup of coffee and much more beneficial. Approximately one person per minute can be accommodated.

This college clinic was arranged by Dr. Davee and Miss Lorna Thigpen, the college nurse, with the cooperation of Miss Hilda Pfeifer, the Pierce county nurse. Also members of the faculty and townspeople aided students in filling out vital statistic cards. The mobile units are made possible by the purchase of Christ-

Son Is Born To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Karnes

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Karnes became the proud parents of a son on Sunday, April 10, 1949. They named him Wayson Donald. This new resident of Apt. 19, Campus Apartments, has one brother, Danny Lee.

mas seals. After leaving River Falls the mobile X-ray unit will travel to the Prescott high school.

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The Maturity of College Students

"College students of today are, on the average, more mature emotionally and socially than they were in preceding years," stated Dr. Stone in an interview on the maturity of college students.

"But there is no such thing as blanket maturity," continued Dr. Stone.

In explanation, he pointed out that people mature in a number of different phases — socially, emotionally, physically, and mentally. Of these, social and emotional maturity are slowest in developing.

"The ideal in life," said Dr. Stone, "would be if people could mature socially and emotionally at the same time they mature physically and mentally. If this were the case, a person ought to be able to vote or marry at eighteen."

And how does a student become mature?

"Through the acceptance of responsibility," was Dr. Stone's reply.

Many of the problems which underlie a student's college life are in the area of the personnel services rather than the academic services. According to a study conducted by Dr. Stone, 46 per cent of the freshmen do not know how to study correctly.

A great many of the student's problems may be overcome through help from the faculty. This means the student should know the staff and be confident that the faculty is willing to give him help in solving his problems.

Rev. Johnson Speaks To College YMCA

A regular meeting of the RFS TC YMCA was held Wednesday evening, April 20, at 7:00 p.m.

The main event of the evening was a talk by Rev. A. N. Johnson, pastor of the Lutheran church, River Falls. Rev. Johnson talked on "Sex in Married Life."

Nominations for officers of the YMCA for 1949-1950 were made. These nominations were only tentative and the candidates will be selected and elected at the next meeting of the YMCA, to be held Wednesday evening, April 27, 1949.

A Cappella Choir Exchanges Concerts With Eau Claire

A large crowd attended the concert presented by the State Teachers college choir at Eau Claire in the college auditorium here last Thursday.

This concert was the continuation of the exchange series with other colleges which our choir has been conducting since the beginning of the concert season.

The River Falls choir went to Eau Claire April 20 to perform before the students there. This concert was recorded and broadcast over station WEAU that afternoon.

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Ever hear of the "Boy Wonder of St. Croix Falls." Well, there is such a fellow. He is Roy Patterson, who pitched for the Chicago White Sox from 1900-08.

This man Patterson has a grandson by the name of Pat Christie. Christie is now attending school here. Pat played left half with Morgan Park high at Duluth and later played freshman football at the University of Minnesota.

But now, let's get back to Roy

Patterson. Patterson, during his career, pitched for Duluth, St. Paul, Chicago, Minneapolis, and Winnipeg.

The first two years that Patterson was with Chicago they won the American league pennant. Patterson, during his prime years, was compared with the great Rube Waddell, who pitched for Washington.

I suppose dear readers, you are wondering what this has to do with Pat Christie. Perhaps nothing, but if Pat is anything like his grandpop, RFSTC may have another football star, come next year.

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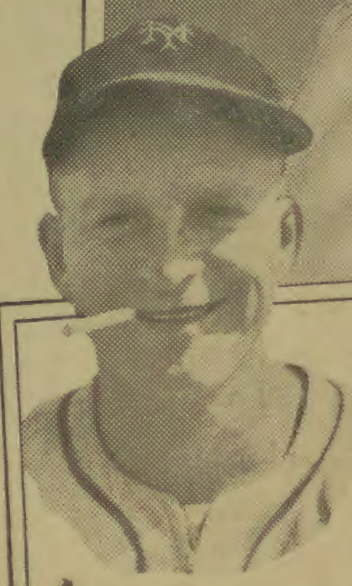
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