

# The Student Voice

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## Library Tour Taken By Literature Class

Members of the Children's Literature class toured the children's section of the St. Paul Public Library on Wednesday afternoon. Miss Marion Hawkins, instructor of the class, and Miss Irma Hathorn, former dean of women at this college, accompanied the class. Miss McGregor, head librarian of the section, conducted the tour and gave the students a little background on the children's library.

That evening fifteen members of the class heard Mrs. Francis Clarke Sayers, one of the nation's foremost authorities on children's books, lecture at a dinner meeting of the Friends of the Library. She stressed the importance of introducing to children the reading of library books at an early age.

Mrs. Sayers has written five children's books as well as many articles for magazines, professional journals and Compton's Pictured Encyclopedia. For 12 years she was superintendent of work with children in the New York Public Library. Last year Mrs. Sayers was special consultant on children's literature for the Library of Congress and also acted as a script writer for a State Department motion picture.

Students in the class making the tour were: Peggy Jillson, Miami, Florida; Mrs. Lillian Webster, Joy Seyforth and Marian Thompson, Ellsworth; Helen Davis and Susan Wiff, Spring Valley; Mrs. Shirley Jensen, Ruth Osits and Dorothy Inglis, River Falls; and Hannah Bents and Norma Dierks, Comstock.

Also making the trip were: LaVerne Boll, Plymouth; Annette Peterson, Rice Lake; Jeannine Kuhn, Wilson; Darlene Ruhnke, Hastings, Minnesota; Shirley Stehr, Balsam Lake; Janice Moen, Prairie Farm; Phyllis Pabst, Clayton, Virginia Potter, Cable; and Janet Thode, Amery.

## Twenty Schools At Rural Fair

The rural school fair of 1953 was held on Friday, October 23 in the college gym. Twenty rural schools participated.

The twenty schools had a total of 225 exhibits, plus booth entries showing the extent of their work, both agriculturally and educationally.

The morning program consist-

## RFSC Women Debaters To Enter Tournament

Women debaters at River Falls will open the 1953-54 season at the fourth annual St. Olaf College Women's Debate Tournament at St. Olaf College, at Northfield, Minnesota, on November 13-14. This is the second time River Falls has participated in this tournament which includes 25 colleges from South Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, and Wisconsin. Each school will send one unit, (one affirmative and one negative team) to this invitational affair.

The question, "Resolved: That the United States adopt a policy of free trade," will be debated in three rounds on Friday and two rounds on Saturday. Friday evening a banquet will be staged for participating debaters. The tournament will end Saturday noon.

Those making the trip will be: Affirmative, Annette Peterson, Rice Lake; and Margaret Helmer, Plymouth; Negative, Phyllis Benoy, Hudson; Shirley Engleman, Woodville; and Beverly Damaika, Rhinelander. During their stay at St. Olaf, the students will be housed on the campus. Dr. George Gilkey, member of the faculty debate committee and faculty member will accompany the group and act as critic judge.

The debate students have been engaged in intensive training and preparation the past few weeks in anticipation of the start of this year's activities.

## DEANS TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

The Deans will attend a conference at the University of Minnesota on November 2 and 3. The conference is to be on better Orientation programs, both in large and small groups in the colleges.

ed of placing entries, judging exhibits, a corn and potato judging contest for school judging teams, and a tour of the campus for the visiting students.

The afternoon program included a play, put on by the Masquers, "Arthur and the Magic Sword".

Following this, H. G. Seyforth, Pierce County Extension Agent, outlined a few points for the students, on how to make better exhibits. The day was completed by awarding cash prizes to the exhibit winners.

The entire day's activity was supervised and sponsored by the Collegiate Chapter of the FFA.

## Hathorn Club Will Hold Party In Dorm

A "late party" will be held in the dorm November 13. The Hathorn Club, the sponsors, have designated the hours to be from 10:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. The fellows will be "shooed out" at 2:00 a.m. and the town girls invited to stay on for a "Slumber Party."

The local businessmen have planned a party for high school students in North Hall gym for Hallowe'en. Music will be furnished by an orchestra with the town mothers in charge of refreshments.

## Campus School Staff Arranges Book Exhibit

The Campus school staff, in cooperation with the members of the Association for Childhood Education, is arranging a book exhibit, play, and coffee hour for students and campus parents during Book Week, on November 17 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Mr. Richard Cooklock, college librarian, will discuss book selections for children.

Miss Helen Davis will report on highlights of a recent lecture on "Choosing Books" given in St. Paul by an outstanding expert on children's books.

The exhibit will be held in room 121 South Hall. The tea will follow in the social room.

## Debate Group Begins Season

The debate season officially began Monday night, for beginners and veterans alike, with a round table discussion on the national topic for this year, Resolved: The United States should adopt a policy of free trade. A similar discussion followed on Tuesday night. These discussions were led by members of the faculty who are on the debate advisory board.

Practice debates are now being scheduled among members of the team.

Students participating in debate this year are the following: Margaret Helmer, Plymouth, Annette Peterson, Rice Lake; Beverly Damaika, Rhinelander; Phyllis Benoy, Hudson; Don Nevala, Thorp; Rickie Teclow, Thorp; Robert Miller, Weyauwega; Bill Schoenwetter, Glenwood City; Dale D. Wagner, Tomah; James Watrud and Dane Watrud, Clayton; Jules Shern, Willard Ridley, Hammond; Shirley Engleman, and Robert O'Neill, Woodville; Dick Granum, Holman; Halbert Belts, Tomah; Roger Hanson, New Richmond; Richard Schwenb, Hudson; and Jerry Murphy and Larry Henneman, River Falls.

## Correspondent And Pianist Scheduled For Convocations

Two convocations are scheduled to be presented on campus soon. The first will be a lecture by Dr. Mario Rossi, a diplomatic correspondent. The second convocation will be a piano recital and lecture by Dr. Konrad Wolff, who last year appeared as soloist with the National Art Gallery Orchestra in Washington, D. C.



DR. MARIO ROSSI

Veteran diplomatic correspondent, Mario Rossi will be the speaker at the all-college assembly Friday, November 13, at 10:00 a.m. For the past two years Dr. Rossi has been reporting and interpreting United Nations developments affecting the Middle East, South Asia and Africa for THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR.

His recent syndicated series on the Asian-African bloc appeared in newspapers on three continents. From 1946 to 1949, he was Rome correspondent of THE NATION magazine and traveled widely throughout Western Europe, visiting Israel in 1948. In view of this experience, he will speak on the topic, A UN Correspondent Views the Palestine Issue.

During World War II, Mr. Rossi was Editor of the Italian Desk of the Office of War Information, and later a radio commentator. He studied at the Universities of Venice and Geneva and received his doctorate in political science in this country.

Dr. Konrad Wolff will do battle against what he considers "the misconception that only 'experts' may enjoy good music" when he presents his lecture-recital Wednesday, November 18, at 10:00 a.m. in North Hall Auditorium. Dr. Wolff combines his skill as a pianist with a historian's knowledge of music in an effort to bring increased musical enjoyment to others. Based on his idea that music is understood if you listen and enjoy it. It is simply an attempt to give his listeners a musical experience they can really enjoy, for enjoyment, he says, is the root from which musical understanding grows.

German-born Dr. Wolff is a graduate of the Sorbonne in Paris and received his doctorate from the University of Berlin. Last year he appeared as soloist with the National Art Gallery orchestra in Washington, D.C., and presented a recital at Phillips Gallery in the same city. His interest in music for modern dance has led to his playing for many of this country's leading modern dancers. On completion of his current tour, Dr. Wolff will return to Washington for another recital at Phillips Gallery, after which he will depart for a concert tour of Western Europe.

In speaking of him, Artur Schabel, famous teacher, says that here is "a remarkable pianist whose musical activities are marked by cooperation of his profound love of music with his profound knowledge of music." In attending this assembly, students will not only learn about music but at the same time enjoy a masterfully executed piano recital.



DR. KONRAD WOLFF

## 20 FACULTY MEMBERS TO ATTEND MEETING

Faculty members attending a meeting of the Wisconsin Education Association will leave Wednesday, November 4, for the conference which will be held the 5th, 6th, and 7th at Milwaukee. Thursday evening an alumni tea will be held, with Margaret Helmer representing the student body.

Faculty members attending from here are: Misses Garner, Dubbe, Roberts, Ullman, Knox, Mrs. Quinn, Msrs. Krueger, Fislser, Harris, Anderson, Garnett, Stone, of the Educational division; Msrs. Jadinak, Rozehnal, Kleinpell, McLaughlin, Misses Hawkins, Moss, Lieneman and Lipp.

All Danforth Fellows will participate in the annual Danforth Foundation Conference on Teaching, to be held at Camp Miniwanca in Michigan next September. The qualifications of the candidate as listed in the announcement from the Foundation are:

- Evidence of superior intellectual ability in college record;
- good record of health and emotional stability;
- outgoing personality and the concern for people, essential for successful teaching;
- choice of vocation of teaching as form of Christian Service; and
- deep religious convictions and growing religious perspectives.

(The Foundation is looking for candidates who are seriously examining their own religious life, and are seeking a maturing faith and social outreach.)

Each institution is asked to limit its nominations to two, or at the most, three. Any student wishing further information should get in touch with the Dean of Men, B. J. Rozehnal.



Above are the players that compose team six which won first place in the intramural football league. Kneeling from left to right: Dick Buck, Rueben Eckardt, Dick Fischer and John Hartwig. Standing from left to right: Dick Hoffman, Duane Teska, Stan Lehman, Phill Kuss and Mel Postler.



# FALCONS WIN GRID FINALE, SMASH MANKATO 20-6

Even though it was the last college game for three seniors, it was the Freshman Flash John Steffens that led the way against Mankato. Accounting for all three touchdowns, he got able assistance from Murphy and Di Salvo.

Steffens points came on runs of 35 yards for the first one and two ten yard sprints for the others. Murphy made two of his three attempted conversions to boost his season's total. The Falcons scored in the first, second and last quarter.

It was Beckman that scored Mankato's lone tally on a thrust through the line from a yard and a half out in the fourth quarter. Hanson blocked the ex-

tra point.

The victory gave the Falcons a season record of four wins against two losses and a conference record of three victories with the LaCrosse blemish on an otherwise successful season.

## Official Notices---

An evaluation committee of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education will be on campus November 15, 16, and 17.

All students making applications for the Senior Division must have their application in by Friday, November 6.

## FIFTY YARD LINE

by Ronnie Jensen

LA CROSSE IN WRONG LEAGUE. . . Many observers of the game between River Falls-La Crosse expressed the above sentiment after watching Berzinski, Tuska and company operate. "They ought to be independent or else increase the Big Ten to a Big Eleven", was the way one fan put it, perhaps he isn't too far wrong either. When any team dominates their conference the way La Crosse has in recent years, and look like they intend Continued on page 4

# Indians Share Title . . . . BERZINSKI - - LA CROSSE SWAMP FALCONS 34-6

The unbeaten, untied LaCrosse Indians gathered their fifth consecutive scalp by the lop-sided score of 34-6 at the expense of the Falcons. Fullback Willie Berzinski led the attack as he dashed for two of the touchdowns.

It was a game and fighting Falcon crew that battled all the way but they were completely outclassed right from the opening kickoff. River Falls can draw some consolation from the fact that they were the only team in the conference to cross the goal line of the Indians this season.

Berzinski took the opening kickoff on his 10 and raced 90 yards up the sideline to score, only to have it called back when he stepped out of bounds on the River Falls 42. Three plays later he went 24 yards to paydirt, the conversion by Eifert was good, and the Falcons were down seven points. Alexander spilled Tuska for a three yard loss, after the punt the Falcons started a drive which was cut off when Meyers intercepted a Steffen pass on the 36.

A 37 yard heave from Meyers to R. Hackett three plays later gave L. C. State their second T.D., again Eifert's kick was good and the Indians led 14-0.

In the opening minute of the second frame Mason pitched out to Berzinski and the Sophomore Flash galloped from the 50 yard line to the 36 on a play which never failed to gain for LaCrosse. On the next play he rammed his way 17 yards down to the 19. A Werbeckes interception on the 16 only forestalled the inevitable.

The next time they got their hands on the ball, the hometown boys marched 57 yards to another touchdown with Berzinski lugging the pigskin the final 18 yards. Eifert made it three in a row and the scoreboard gave the Indians a three touchdown edge.

The rest of the quarter saw both teams punting, a nice sprint of 21 yards by Route, and Mettlach returning an intercepted pass 26 yards to the River Falls 12 as the half ended.

The first time the Indians got control of the ball in the second half they steamrolled over the Falcons to their fourth touchdown. The P.A.T. was wide and L.C.S.C. led 27-0. Berzinski and Tuska cracked off a first down between them, and a screen pass from Meyers to Berzinski was good from the 30 to the River Falls one foot line.

A gallant and rock ribbed Falcon defense held for one down and then Meyers bulled over for the counter and put his mates ahead by 27 points. This defense, along with two 15 yard penalties, pushed LaCrosse from their own 43 back to the 18. A beautiful pass from Meyers to Eifert went to the Falcon 33, but the drive was stopped on the 29.

A few plays later a La Crosse 15 yard penalty gave the Falcons a first down on the Indian's seven yard stripe. On the fourth down Jerry Route smashed over for the lone Falcon score from the one. That play gave this Junior Halfback the distinction of being the only player in the league to cross the Indian goal line this season. Werbeckes missed the point and it was 27-6 La Crosse.

The last quarter was the best for the Falcon running attack as Steffens gathered 30 yards in two carries and Di Salvo blasted for a first down to lead their mates. A bobbling, fought after pass in the end zone in the final 30 seconds gave La Crosse their last touchdown which they certainly didn't need. Lea booted the conversion and the game ended with our Falcons on the short end of a 34-6 count.



A bit of action that occurred in the championship intramural football game, as Stan Lehman, Dick Buck and John Hartwig, all of Team Six break up an attempted pass by an unidentified player from Team One.

### INTRAMURAL SPORTS

**TEAM 6 BELTS TEAM 1 38-0**  
A powerful team 6 displaying a versatile attack in their passing and running completely outclassed team 1. Team 6 was led by Phil Kuss's accurate passing and the brilliant playing of Dick Hoffman who intercepted three passes, twice scoring T.D.'s and falling short the third time only a few yards. Team 1, although having great potential, just couldn't get moving and consequently suffered defeat.

Team 1 kicked off to Team 6 as Dick Fisher returned the pigskin to the mid-field stripe. Phil Kuss then passed to Dick Buck for ten yards and on the next play passed to Dick Fisher for a T.D. Stan Lehman went over for the extra point. Team 1 having possession of the ball tried a long pass which was intercepted by Hoffman who ran for team 6's second T.D.

After a series of exchanging possession of the ball, team 6 started a march to pay dirt. Kuss passed to Hoffman for a 20 yard gain and with Team 6 taking to

the air, once again completed a T.D. pass from Kuss to Fisher. Teska ran over for the extra point. Early in the second half Hoffman intercepted his second pass and scampered for a T.D. The last T.D. was made by John Hartwig as he was on the receiving end of a 10 yard pass from Kuss.

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### Official Notices---

Application blanks for the Selective Service Qualification Test to be given on November 19 are available in the office of the Dean of Men. These applications must be postmarked not later than November 2.

All students who expect to graduate at the end of the Fall Term and who haven't made application for graduation, should do so now. Application forms may be secured in the Registrar's Office.

Seniors graduating at the end of the fall term will not be excused from final examinations. Since graduation exercises are not held during the year, exemptions from examinations are not allowed.

#### Scholarship Committee

### Dr. Stone To Preside At W E A Meeting

Dr. L. G. Stone will be chairman of the section meeting on "Teacher Education", on Thursday, November 5, at the W.E.A. meeting in Milwaukee. The theme of the meeting will be "Newer Patterns in Teacher Education". Miss Opal Knox will act as secretary for this meeting.

Robert Fislser will act as chairman of the arithmetic section meeting on Friday, November 6 1953.

### MARSH'S MIRROR

by Marsh Kammerud

In the past issues of the Mirror, it has been my privilege to interview the three men on the football squad who were seniors. As football is still in the air as this Voice comes out, I would like to pass on to you some of the funny bits of "horseplay" and namecalling which is part of the morale of any team.

#### DID YOU KNOW THIS???

Larry Gannon is called by most of his mates, "Apple Seed". Funny though, that Bill Lindenberg (Larry being his understudy) calls him Apple Blossom; hoping that Larry will blossom into a great end.

Bucky DiSalvo is called "Wooden Arm." Why is that again, Bucky?!

Joe Burgoyne is the Jimmy Durante of the squad, having the "nicest" nose. They say he has it insured by the "Lloyds of London" for \$5000, and Coach Belfiori "made out" the policy. A favorite saying on the squad is: "There goes Burgoyne by a NOSE."

### Concert Band To Offer First Program Nov. 10.

An "All American" concert will be presented by the state college concert band under the direction of B. J. Rozehnal on Tuesday evening, November 10 at 8 p.m. in the college auditorium. The concert will feature works of contemporary American composers who are well known to the public through their music on radio and television.

This is the concert of the

school year which is dedicated to the River Falls Foundation and all proceeds will be donated to the fieldhouse fund. A free will offering for the fieldhouse fund will be taken during the program.

#### Program

- America Grand March—Edwin Franko Goldman.
- Arkansas Traveler, Concert Transcription—David W. Guion.
- Scenes from the Sierras, Tone Poem—David Bennett.
- Tramp, Tramp, Tramp from Naughty Marietta — Victor Herbert.
- George Gershwin Selection — George Gershwin.
- Song of Bayou—Rube Bloom.
- Pavanne from Second Symphonette—Morton Gould.
- Mardi Gras from Mississippi Suite—Ferde Grofe.

### DR. LIPP TO SPEAK AT MEETING

Dr. Dorothy Lipp will attend a meeting of the Wisconsin Association of Deans of Women on November 5 at Milwaukee. It will be a meeting of a group of college and high school advisers and counselors. Stress is to be laid on better cooperation between high schools and colleges in helping students make their decisions on attending college.

Dr. Lipp will be one of three speakers at the meeting.

#### 50 YARD LINE—

(Continued from page three) to continue doing, the fans and other teams begin to lose interest and that is bad for any conference. The season then becomes nothing but a fight for the also-ran spots.

CONGRATULATIONS — LA

CROSSE INDIANS. . . No matter what your personal attitude may be, credit must be given where it is due and thus a tip of the hat is in order for the fine team, and champs of the Northern Division, of La Crosse. A pat on the back is also in order to the game Falcons who gave their "all" in the losing cause.

ROUTE, THORN IN INDIAN'S SIE . . . If any one Falcon was

a thorn in the side of La Crosse's team it was Jerry Route. This lad rolled up a net total of 56 yards. He got 53 of them in 10 cracks at the line for a 5.3 yard average, and completed one out of two passes for three more. And to add insult to injury he scored a touchdown against the vaunted Indians. The latter accomplishment rates a tip of our hat to you, Jerry, keep punching fella.

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