



The Student Voice



RIVER FALLS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE
MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1950 RIVER FALLS, WISCONSIN VOL. XXXVIII NUMBER 7

'B' Debate Squad Host To District In Tourney

River Falls' annual "B" Debate Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, January 20, 1951 with 15 participating schools from the Northwest area debating the proposition, "Resolved: That the non-communist nations should form a new international organization." Included is an after-dinner speaking division with the subject, "Fun in '51."

All students who have not participated in five major decision debates at an all-college level are eligible. The essential idea behind this annual tournament is to give the less experienced debaters a chance to participate in a tournament similar to major events for advanced speakers.

Colleges attending include the University of Minnesota, Northwestern Schools, and Augsburg from Minneapolis, Minnesota, Bethel, Macalester, St. Catherine's, Hamline, St. Thomas, and Concordia Jr. from St. Paul, Minnesota, Carleton and St. Olaf from Northfield, Minnesota, St. Mary's and Winona State Teachers from Winona, Minnesota, St. Cloud State Teachers, St. Cloud, Minnesota, and Eau Claire State Teachers, Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Teams will debate both sides of the proposition with a total of four rounds, and teams may consist of an all girls, all boys, or mixed representation. Only members of the same status in debate may enter the after-dinner speaking division.

Even Santa Attended Saturday's Formal

An indoor Christmas scene was the setting of the YM-YW Christmas Formal Saturday night at the North Hall gym. Christmas trees with gifts under them and a fireplace with stockings filled with gifts hanging on it made a familiar Christmas scene. The music was furnished by Sonny Richards. The orchestra pit was beautifully decorated with a background of silver stars. The big event of the evening was the arrival of Santa Claus, who gave a climax to the evening.

Richard Griffith to Discuss Films At Convocation January 9

Accomplishments and potentialities of the film will be discussed January 9, at 10 o'clock in the North Hall auditorium by Richard Griffith, assistant to the director of the Museum of Modern Art Film Library, New York City. His lecture is the third in the series "The Arts in Our Industrial World" to be presented during the academic season at River Falls.

Associated with the films since his graduation from Virginia Episcopal School, Haverford College, in 1935, Mr. Griffith has had a great deal of experience with one of the most important 20th Century media of mass en-



RICHARD GRIFFITH

tainment. From 1935 to 1937 he was film reviewer for the Northern Virginia Daily and during 1937 and 1938, as a holder of a Rockefeller Foundation Fellowship, did research in film history. In 1940



Members of the college choir presenting the Christmas festival tonight are, from left to right: First row—Rosemary Roehl, Susan LaBrash, Mary Jane Haessly, Mary Lou Setter, Barbara Burman, Gayle Jacobson, Germaine Steen, Doreen Buck, Genevieve Olson, Mary Lou Binkowski, Muriel Larson, Alice Quesnell, JoAnn Bjornstad, Olive Esanbock.

Second row—Donna Jones, Roberta Buchanan, Joan Wetzel, Jacqueline Greene, Eileen Larson, Janis Wurtz, Carol Landberg, Edith Olsen, Thelma Erickson, Elaine Fick, Lois Swenson, Alice Luck, Donna Lowater.

Third row—Kenneth Augst, Allen Rydmark, Tenny Neprud, Alan Peabody, Dale Lium, Robert Engebretson, Ewald Scharrschmidt, Paul Willink, Jerry Ellefson, James Jacobson, Gerald Donley, Bill Bittner, Charles Sargent.

Fourth row—Arvin Lovaa, Don Nelson, Ed Holdorf, Clair Olson, Don Landberg, Lester Muckenhirn, Bernard Lium, Delmar Polzin, Robert Jensen, Eric Von Schweinitz, Kenneth Anderson, Ardell Linerud, and James Russell.

'And On Earth, Peace' Theme Of Christmas Concert

"And On Earth, Peace."

That message, 20 centuries old but still unheeded, will be the theme of the fifth annual Christmas Music Festival presented tonight at 8 o'clock in the college auditorium.

The all sacred concert under the direction of C. B. King will feature the great music of the church through the ages. The program had its initial presentation yesterday afternoon before a large crowd.

Setting the atmosphere for the program will be a tableau directed by Alan Peabody with Germaine Steen portraying the Madonna.

Included on the program are the 55 voice a capella choir and the mixed chorus. They will be heard separately and en masse. The audience will participate in the singing of familiar carols.

Opening the program will be traditional carols sung by both choirs, followed by the reading of the Christmas Gospel.

Soloists with the a capella choir are Doreen Buck and Gayle Jacobson, soprano; Jim Jacobson and Jerry Donley, tenors, and Jerry Ellefson, baritone. Germaine Steen is soloist in a number by the women of the choir, "Sleep Little Baby," from "The Slumber-Songs of the Madonna."

The complete program is as follows:

- Hark! The Herald Angels Sing—Felix Mendelssohn
- We Three Kings—John H. Hopkins
- The First Nowell—18th Century French Air
- Reading of the Christmas Gospel—Alan Peabody
- While Shepherds Watched Their Sheep—17th Century, Hugo Jungst
- Beside Thy Cradle Here I Stand Johann Sebastian Bach
- Beautiful Yuletide—F. Melius Christiansen
- Good News From Heaven—Russian Christmas Carol, Arr. Peter D. Tkach
- Away In A Manger (Luther's Carol)—J. E. Spilman
- Joy To The World—G. F. Handel
- O Little Town of Bethlehem—L. H. Redner
- Good Christian Men, Rejoice—Traditional, Arr. Sir John Stainer
- Silent Night—Franz Gruber
- O Come, O Come, Emmanuel—Adapted from plainsong by Paul Christiansen
- Benedictus—E. Paladilhe—O.C.C.
- How Far Is It To Bethlehem?—Arr. Paul Christiansen
- Glory To God In The Highest—G. B. Pergolesi

Cast Prepares for Hamlet Presentation

Casting for the latest college play, "Hamlet", is now complete. General plans for the play, somewhat tentative as yet, call for cutting of the play to an hour and a half.

Dates for the play have been set for February 22 and 23. There has also been a demand for a high school matinee showing of the production.

The cast includes 18 characters with speaking parts. Ted Abbott is the student director. The entire production will be under the direction of Dr. Blanche Davis. The cast includes: Hamlet, Bill Wisdom; Claudius, Earl Enge; Polonius, Joseph Trenter; Gertrude, Maxine Abbot and Mary Lou Binkowski; Ophelia, Margaret Anderson; Horatio, Dick Armstrong; Laertes, Peter Russ; Ghost, Paul Radtke; Rosencrantz, Gene Gilbertson; Guildenstern, Jerry Donley; Marcellus, Ted Abbott; Bernardo, Edward Schweitzer; Francisco, William Ramey; 1st player, John DeShazo; Player Queen, Irene Tiller; Luciano, LeRoy Stern; Fortinbras, Karl Kocher; Ladies in Waiting, Alice Luck and others.

Slumber-Songs Of The Madonna, No. 3, "Sleep, Little Baby"—Colin Taylor
A Spotless Rose—Herbert Howells
Sing We Noel—16th Century French Carol, Arr. Edward Barry Greene
Rise, Arise!—From the German Arr. Peter Norman
Ye Watchers And Ye Holy Ones—17th Century German Melody—A.T.D.
Wake, Awake—F. Melius Christiansen

The church window backdrop and staging was arranged by Mr. Peabody while the lighting is in charge of Norman Noah, both under the direction of Dr. Blanche Davis. Mr. Peabody directs the men in the presentation of "Sing We Noel" and Doreen Buck directs the audience in some of the familiar carols. Accompanist for the festival is Rosemary Roehl. Robes for the mixed chorus were furnished by the local Congregational Church.

Officers of the choir are Robert Engebretson, president; Doreen Buck, business manager; Edith Olsen, secretary, and Kenneth Augst, librarian. Mixed chorus officers are Earl Adams, president; Ardie Rozehnal, secretary-treasurer, and Mary Shannon, librarian.

A free will offering will be taken to defray the expenses of the choir in its annual spring tour.

Seniors Place 21 On Fall Term Honor Roll

Five River Falls students earned straight A grades during the fall term and 48 others made at least the 2.5 ratio necessary for listing on the honor roll, it was announced by the Registrar's Office.

Two freshmen, two sophomores and one senior were listed in the all A category. They were Alan Espelien and Susan LaBrash, freshmen; Carol Jean Doffing and Marilyn Stone, sophomores, and Donald Stucky, senior.

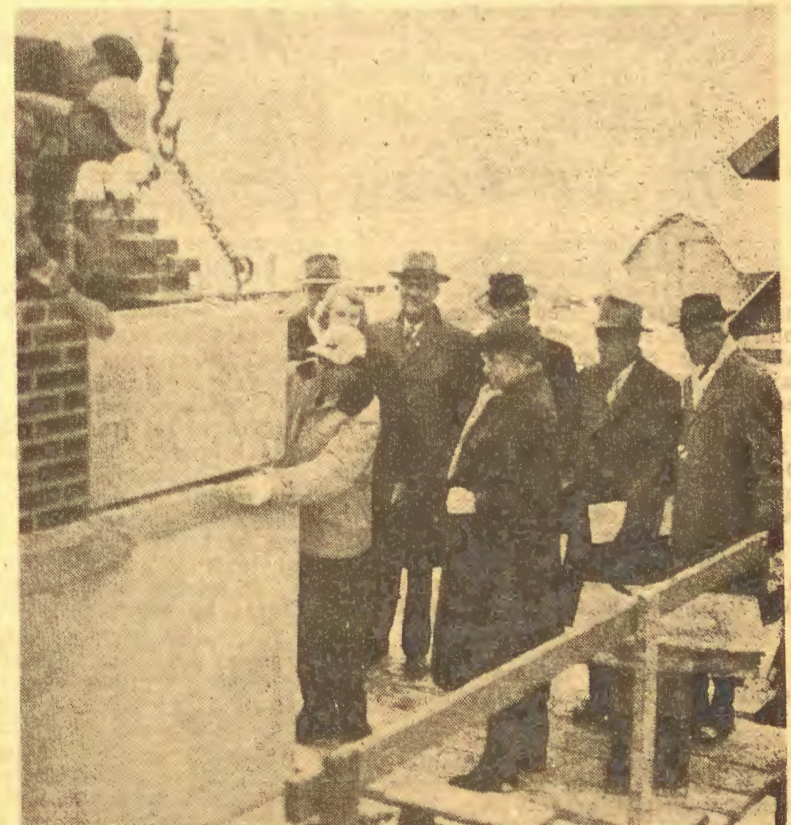
Of the 53 persons on the honor roll, ten were freshmen, twelve were sophomores, ten were juniors and twenty-one were seniors.

In addition to the five straight A students, those listed on the honor roll were Jo Ann Aaby, Phyllis Bock, Edward Bruger, Barbara Ann Burman, Eugene Carlson, Vivien Connelly, Margery Deans, Erwin Dosch, Mary Eck, Clifford Ehlers, Elizabeth Frank, Evelyn Geracts, Kathryn Haessly, Clayton Hoyt, Helen Ingels, Norma Julian, Roger Knieff, Calvin Kraemer, Wayne Laggerty, Norville Lansing, Gilbert E. Lilly, Arvin Lovaa, Margie Lund, Russel Magnuson, John Mahnke, Harold Mason, Ramona Meyer, Don Miles, Ernest Mosbaek, Laverne Palmberg, Robert Patrikus, Alan Peabody, Robert Pickering, Bob Potosnak, Jerome Rivard, Ewald Scharrschmidt, Raymond Schofield, Mary Tanner, Eleanor Thompson, Clair Tobias, Don Torgerson, Joseph Trenter, Donald Triebensee, Ellen VandeBerg, James Van Tatenhove, Robert Van Haden, Duane Westenburg, and Janice Wurtz.

First Present Arrives; New Organ Installed

Arriving a few days ahead of schedule, the new Baldwin Electronic organ was installed in the North Hall auditorium Friday afternoon and used for the first time at the campus school program that evening.

The organ is equipped with two manuals of 61 keys each and has 32 pedals. Its arrival provides the first portion of a scheduled Christmas gift to the student body. Still to come are \$3,000 worth of stage fixtures. These include a proscenium curtain and a reversible cyclorama. The stage equipment is scheduled to be in place the first part of January.



Miss Irma Hathorn watches as the cornerstone for "Hathorn Hall", the new girls' dormitory, is swung into place for ceremonies December 11. Standing, from left to right, are: J. Hartley Skeels, bricklayer foreman; Carol Landberg, C. W. A. president; Herman T. Hagestad, mayor; E. P. Rock, superintendent of schools at Hudson; Jesse H. Ames, former RFSTC president; E. H. Kleinpell, president; and Chalmer Davee, resident regent. (See story on page four.)

Army Mule Replaced By Former Student

It would seem that the reserves have replaced the Army mule. Even though I try it is useless; I'm afraid I can't "find a home in the Army".

The food here is not all I expected, I must add. In fact, our mess hall has been receiving CARE packages from Italy. Such is life. I've been lucky, though; I have an M. O. S. (Military Occupational Specialty). It's 0001 which represents the company's latrine Airwick adjuster. They always said I'd make good.

Our first sergeant is an amiable old chap who finds it ginger-peachy to awake the troops at 4 a. m. Then, with typical Army efficiency, we lie in our sacks until chow at 7.

Yesterday we had our shots and received a complete issue of combat equipment for overseas shipment. I thought my combat boots didn't fit because I was developing a blister on my left foot, but it turned out okay. I had forgotten to take out a can of ultra weather resistant grease they had enclosed therein.

I was called out of formation last week by an officer who no doubt had heard of my verbal proficiency. Appointment was made to fill a vacancy as sports editor on the local garbage sheet. Uncle Sam seems to have other ideas on my placement, however, which includes colorful, picturesque, exotic vacations in either Alaska or Korea.

I had a date this past week-end. What a beaut, what lines, what proportions, what night life, what fun cleaning rifles and combat boots.

Tell River Falls to fear not—I have gone to win the war.

(Editor's note: Lest we infringe on army regulations we do not reveal the name of the author of the above article. Incidentally, mail to Pfc. Robert Doolittle may be addressed ER 27909359, ERCTC Co. A, Fifth Engineer Combat Battalion, Fort Lewis, Wash.)

Picayune Piffle

Seems Silly to Sit and Silently Suffer un-Sibilant Sounds to Slip from the lips of the Sage who is Saying Such Sappy Sedative Stuff.

Puny Pedantic Palaver ---

Pallid Prolific Patter ---

Provoking!

Madness to Memorize Myriad Menacing Means and Extremes ---

Madness to Menace the Mental acumen of Men and of Maids!

Sadly I Sigh — no reply to my cry —

Cease Such un-Sensible Systems of Striving to Saturate Students with Sense of that Sort.

I Lament Lugubrious Lectures that List—

Lethargic Lectures that List and List—

Lectures that List and List and List. . .

Wirra-wirra — the Wearisome finals are Wearing!

Wallsome and Wacky!

Worthy of Winzes!

Sheer Whigmaleerie!

Wistfully Wroth —

Wish I could Wrathfully Wreak my Wrath on the Woe Which We Wrest from a

TEST!

"ETAOIN SHRDLU"

Official Notice

Attention is called to the following regulation on page 27 of the College Catalog: "Students who are absent from class on the day immediately preceding or following a scheduled vacation, unless excused by the Deans, will lose one hour credit in each course missed."

From Our Files

One Year Ago

Concert Series presented the Broadway play, "The Hasty Heart." Nate pumped through number 2200 during the St. John's game. FFA sponsored an all-school talent show. STUDENT VOICE published an extra on Schillberg and Finn winning the Iowa Debate Tournament.

Two Years Ago

St. Thomas handed RF first defeat, 70-48. RFSTC saluted on the Ozzie Cowles show. A recipe appeared for making a chocolate fudge cake.

Eight Years Ago

The college faced the same situation in regard to the war as it does at present. Joe Faltsek operated "The Harbor of Lost Soles"—for shoe-repairing.

12 Years Ago

Student Senate celebrated its first birthday, being organized in 1937.

17 Years Ago

Students were still writing "Letters to the Editor" complaining about the noise in the library. Three male students kidnapped a picture of Mae West from the local theatre. Incidentally, they were apprehended and paid a fine of five dollars.

20 Years Ago

College presented "R" sweaters to grid men. Poultry show attracted 700 (birds, that is). STUDENT VOICE sponsored a contest to find a nickname for the college. Art students designed social room wall.

Little Ian On Campus

by Bibler



I was chosen to play Santa for our Sorority an' I'm just waitin' 'til they all get to bed. Who are you going to play Santa for?

While Truman Writes Nasty Notes Korean Conflict Goes Unattended

by Jack Hanson

With each passing day the rift between United States Government policy and the grim reality of the Korean conflict becomes more embarrassing and further emphasized by administrative bravado.

A little more than a week ago two old soldiers met to discuss world problems. If Drew Pearson was right, they spent a great deal of time ("Major" Atlee and "Capt." Truman) discussing their days in the land of Pig Alley and the Montmartre.

At any rate these two gentlemen of unimpeachable integrity and the innocence of babes decreed that no deals would be made to get out of Korea. They seemed to be completely oblivious to the yawning jaws of the Chinese Communist mousetrap in North Korea.

Last week the boys who could stumble out of the "Mousetrap" and those who could be carried out were heading for evacuation but the State Department assured congress and the nation that the United States stood firmly and definitely opposed to any appeasement in the Far East.

Mao Tse-tung, head of the Chinese

Communists, reportedly has informed New Delhi, through the Indian Ambassador in Peiping, that his regime was willing to negotiate the Korean conflict if it were assured of equal rights at the conference table and if the agenda included all major Far Eastern issues.

Russia is beginning to show signs of calling off their Chinese Communist dogs but no, "We will make no deals. We must have unconditional surrender."

Papa Truman exemplifies the mass of intellect behind the administration periodically by calling columnists uncompilimentary names and writing poison pen letters to music critics on behalf of daughter Margaret.

"We will show 'em" seems to be the battle cry. We are out to show Russia we are top dog and we will even if it should mean annihilation of the entire population of the United States.

The paradox has an answer. After all we aren't so steeped in nationalism that we must fight a losing battle, a battle that can do little to enhance the future of the world whether we win or lose—or are we?

Anticipators of 'Buck Rogers War' Mistaken as Evidenced in Korea

by Ernie Gay

During the destructive years of the greatest conflict of mankind, World War II, and the short span of years following it, learned individuals of science, technology and other specialized fields began to speculate on the next great conflict and concluded that it would be a "push button" warfare and vast armies would be obsolete.

The devastating atomic bomb, and its undeveloped Frankenstein, the H-bomb, with member companions of guided missiles, launched from aircraft, submarines, ships and home bases, airships traveling at faster-than-sound speeds and scores of blue printed innovations were to turn the earth's inhabitants into a Buck Rogers type of warfare with the armed soldiers only moving into razed areas after havoc, destruction and confusion had been created by the "creations" of science.

But the anticipators and speculators of the next inevitable conflict were sadly mistaken, as witnessed by the long and demoralizing Korean conflict that has been in the world news since June of 1950.

American soldiers, fighting under the banner of the United Nations, have equipment and services totaling \$1,052 for each individual fighting man, pitted against the "bandits" and "volunteers" of China and North Korea that are outfitted for approximately \$110 apiece. True, the opponents are supplied with Russian-built equipment, but where is the "push button" warfare, the "arm chair" generals and police forces that control the conquered areas?

The world today is witnessing and may

witness for years to come a new strategy in warfare, new in the minds of freedom-loving people, but old in its method—the strategy of guerrilla type conflicts occurring on different points of the globe and entailing only a limited amount of people, directed by the Russian stagehand. Yet the world's governing body manifested in the United Nations cannot decide to use the destructive "creations" of modern warfare against localized conflicts, first because of the psychological effect on the rest of the world and secondly, because of the unwarranted destruction of lives, production, cities and even entire areas.

Even if the conflict or future skirmishes do develop into total warfare, it will be suicide for the major countries involved to use the atom bomb, germ warfare, or other possible means of genocide destruction on so large a scale. The end result will be complete chaos, paralysis, and a return to mother Dark Age.

The world today must put its faith into the one means of salvation left open, the United Nations, even though it may mean humiliation, defeat and possible minor unwanted results at the present time. If the diplomats and world planners are to prevent the total destruction of the major part of the earth, the conflicts and tests of diplomacy must have a place of resolving a solution and no better method can be used than an organization pledged to peace and having all involved voicing their opinion against an aggressor or about a future world war, the main issues facing every individual today.

The Student Voice

Member of Associated Collegiate Press
The official student publication of the River Falls State Teachers College, River Falls, Wisconsin. Published semi-monthly during the school year, except for vacations, holidays, during exams, etc.

Subscription rate, \$2.00 a year

Editor ----- Don Mattson

Business Manager ----- Don Trewartha

Circulation ----- Norma Kriesel

Editorial Assistant ----- Lorna Kriesel

Sports Editor ----- Bob Potosnak

Sports Writer ----- Keith Nelson

Feature Writers ----- Jack Hanson, Ernie Gay, Mary Eck

News Reporters ----- Margaret Anderson, Mary Ann Bjornson, William Collins, Beverly Jensen, Kathleen Krauth, Lorna Kriesel, Alice Luck, Helen Peterson, John Reque, Barbara Ronningen, Lorraine Teclaw, Aralda Thayer, and Don Trewartha.

Faculty Advisor ----- M. Wayne Wolfe

What They Say

From the Advance, Oshkosh State Teachers College—

"CUPID" NEEDED HERE

We are entering upon another new phase of life at OSTC. We are upon the threshold of a thrilling experience in college sports. All this trite, dramatic rubbish is supposed to say that the basketball season has begun.

Unfortunately the "married five" of last year have disappeared. The success of these five athletes was sometimes attributed to their marital state. The connection does seem rather vague, though. But anyway, there is a basis for a plan of action. Someone playing "Cupid" must marry off five of last year's subs and we shall have a successful season.

From the Royal Purple, Whitewater State Teachers College—

WHAT CAN BE DONE NOW

What can students do now to be sure that they will be those future well-educated persons which educators and businessmen want? Naturally, of first consideration must be thorough, not superficial knowledge of subject material — I doubt if D or F students would ever be considered for jobs even if they had perfect personalities, if there is such a thing. But more important is the development of the right personality, a sense of civic responsibility, an interest in students, and the desire and knowledge that you are teaching persons not subject material alone. If all these qualities are combined, the result may not be a perfect individual, but he will have a large portion of those qualities which will make him a well-educated person and a good teacher.

From the Advance, Oshkosh State Teachers College—

ODE ON BEHALF OF PRACTICE TEACHERS

Now I really start to creep
Critics and supervisors haunt my sleep.
If I should flop before I start,
I hope they'll say, "He sure looked smart."
For now we know, down deep inside,
A classroom ain't no place to hide.

From the Exponent, Platteville State Teachers College—

"Said the tooth brush to the tooth paste,
In tones of wild delight,
I'm going to give you a great big squeeze
When we meet on the birdge tonight."

Season's Greetings



On this Holiday of joy and laughter . . .
and of sober meditation and prayer in
Houses of Worship, we extend to all of
our friends, our wishes for a rich, full
life and all the things that make it so,
both material and spiritual. A Happy
Holiday to everyone.

The Student Voice Staff

Falcons Lose Lead; Give Duluth 53-52 Win

by Bob Potosnak

In a thrill-packed, closely-fought overtime period, the Falcons let slip a five-point lead to lose 53-52 to Duluth University Friday night.

With the score knotted at 46-46 at the end of the regulation playing time, Kuss made three quick baskets while the U. made one free throw, putting the Falcons ahead 52-47 with three minutes and fifteen seconds of the overtime remaining. Bill Jensen, center, made a free throw and Paul Nace, guard, and Bruce Paulson, forward, dropped the ball through the hoop with two close ones to tie up the game 52-52 with one minute of the overtime remaining. In the last ten seconds of the game the Falcons were going down the floor for the winning basket when Norman Dahl, center, fouled Paulson who made a free throw, putting Duluth ahead 53-52. Freezing the ball for the final few seconds of play bagged the game for Duluth.

The University missed an opportunity to cinch the game during the normal playing time when Bud Fossen fouled Nace as the game closed at 46-46. Nace missed his free throw and the game went into overtime.

Score at the half was 21-20 with River Falls holding the edge. Although the game was close throughout, River Falls trailed by one or two points most of the time. The Falcons jumped into the lead 39-37 with six minutes remaining in the second half and retained a two-point lead until almost the end of the game when "Pug" Norlander tied it with two free throws with 45 seconds of the contest remaining.

River Falls' shooting was off considerably with the Falcons making 20 baskets out of 67 tries

Eau Claire Is First Conference Foe

Tomorrow night the Falcons will open the 1950-51 conference race by playing host to the Eau Claire Blugolds. Eau Claire is one of the strongest teams in the Teachers College Conference this year having retained most of its lettermen.

Jim Bos, their high scoring center, is back along with Gene Musholf and George Billneyer at the forward posts. Veteran Dick Emanuel will be playing his senior year from either a guard or forward position. Eau Claire has a number of capable reserves who will see plenty of action.

Missing from last year's team will be fiery Ade Washburn, the sparkplug of the team and one of the most colorful players in the league.

Last year the Falcons defeated Eau Claire twice, 77-72 and 110-82. The last game was a record breaking one in which River Falls established two new records. One hundred and ten points was the new conference high and Nate DeLong set an individual scoring record for the conference by hitting the hoops for 47 points.

River Falls, defending champions for the past four years, is expected to have a big job on its hands Tuesday.

for a 29.8 percentage. Duluth made an even poorer showing making 17 out of 72 efforts for a 23.6 percentage.

Kuss led the scoring for the Falcons, totaling 17 points. Norlander led for Duluth with 16 points.

RIVER FALLS	FG	FT	PF	TP
Shields, f	1	0	1	2
Erickson, f	2	2	2	6
Kuss, f	7	3	2	17
Mills, f	2	0	1	4
Dahl, c	2	4	2	8
Foukes, c	0	0	4	0
Veith, c	2	2	0	6
Fossen, g	1	0	4	2
Kannel, g	1	0	0	2
Harkness, g	0	0	4	0
Van Someren	2	1	1	5
TOTALS	20	12	21	52

DULUTH	FG	FT	PF	TP
Bentz, f	1	4	0	6
Johnson, f	0	1	1	1
Norlander, f	6	4	1	16
Paulson, f	2	1	1	5
McKeag, c	2	0	2	4
Jensen, c	1	2	5	4
Nace, g	1	3	3	5
Budge, g	3	1	2	7
Christiansen, g	2	1	5	5
TOTALS	18	17	20	53

St. John's Gets Revenge; 76-65

by Bob Potosnak

Snatching victory in the last two minutes of the game, St. John's Thursday night avenged its earlier defeat at the hands of River Falls. The Johnnies 11 point margin, 76-65, did not indicate the closeness of the contest.

The game was tied eight times and was close all the way until the final two minutes of the game when St. John's dropped the ball through the hoop six times in succession. The score at the half was 32-32.

High scorer for River Falls was Rog Kuss, forward, with 17 points. He was followed by Harley Harkness and Bud Fossen, guards, with 12 and 11 points respectively. Outstanding players for St. John's were Bill Christopherson and Rich Rawlings, captain. Christopherson and Jack Litchy led the Johnnies scoring with 16 points each.

The Falcons had a total of 26 out of 73 shots for an average of 35.6 per cent while the Johnnies got 33 out of 79 for an average of 41 per cent.

RIVER FALLS	FG	FT	PF	TP
Shields, f	4	1	2	9
Erickson, f	2	1	0	5

Kuss, f	7	3	2	17
Mills, f	0	1	1	1
Czeck, g	0	0	0	0
Dahl, c	4	1	1	9
Foukes, c	0	0	0	0
Fossen, g	4	3	0	11
Kannel, g	0	1	1	1
Waller, g	0	0	1	0
Harkness, g	5	2	3	12
Totals	26	13	11	65

ST. JOHN'S

Rawlings, f	4	4	4	12
Christopherson, f	7	2	4	16
Litchy, g	7	2	3	16
Gits, c	4	0	4	8
McMahon, g	6	0	1	12
Opatz, g	4	1	3	9
Johnson, g	1	1	0	3
Totals	33	10	19	76

Regis Trips Falcons With Two Free Throws

by Bob Potosnak

Two free throws in the last two minutes of play by Ed Kohl gave Regis College of Denver, Colorado, a 49-47 victory over the Falcons at a game played in Spring Valley a week ago. Regis, on tour in this section of the country, played five games during six days on the road.

Last year the Falcons took a trip out west in which they registered a 64-52 win over Regis.

The game was as close as a game can be, with the score being tied seven times and the lead changing hands six times. River Falls jumped into the lead at 2-0 on Bud Fossen's long corner shot. Ed Kohl soon tied it up on a rebound shot. From then on it was an evenly matched contest. Bud Fossen kept the Falcons in the game during the first half by sinking 11 of their 23 points.

Regis led at halftime 25-23, mainly on the strength of guard Ed Kohl's long shots and center Dick Brown's hook shots.

Failure to gain rebounds and work the ball down into scoring position were two things that hampered the Falcons during the entire game. With 11 minutes left in the second half, River Falls boasted a 39-34 margin. A medium shot and a short jump shot by Jack Shields plus a long set shot by Dale Kannel gave the Falcons their five point margin.

Ed Kohl came to the rescue by registering five points in a minute's time to knot the score at 39-39 with ten minutes remaining.

A free throw by Jack Shields and a fielder and free throw by Roger Kuss gave the Falcons the lead again at 43-39. Two baskets by Tom Kavanaugh and one by Tom Conlin gave Regis the lead at the six minute mark.

Carver Foukes tied the game up at 47-47 with an overhead

Basketball Clinic Will Follow Holiday

The WAA Girls' Basketball Clinic has been postponed until after the Christmas holidays. The purpose of this clinic is to introduce girls' basketball to high school girls. The different rules of the game will be explained and different plays used by the forwards and guards will be shown. A basketball game will be held after the practice session. The girls will enjoy other sports such as swimming, volley ball, and folk dancing. Four high schools have been invited to send ten representatives each.

Club Presents Gifts To Chaplain, Advisor

South Hall gym was the scene of the annual Newman Club Christmas party last Tuesday evening. Pine boughs decorated the walls and a 9-foot Christmas tree, hung with tinsel and candy canes, stood in the middle of the floor.

Card playing, carolling, and dancing were included in the entertainment, and at the close of the evening lunch was served.

Father Stack, Chaplain, and R. E. Fisler, advisor, were presented with gifts by Ernie Gay, Newman Club president, on behalf of the club members in appreciation of their fine work.

Committees were as follows: Entertainment—Caroline Styes, chairman, Mary Lou Binkowski, John Kleisewitz, and Robert Patrikus; Decorations—Janice Wartz, Annie Hooper, and Pat Nelson; Food—Phyllis Bock.

RIVER FALLS

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Shields, f	4	2	0	10
Erickson, f	0	0	1	0
Kuss, f	2	4	3	8
Dahl, c	0	3	2	3
Foukes, c	1	2	4	4
Harkness, g	2	0	3	4
Kannel, g	1	1	2	3
Fossen, g	5	5	5	15
Totals	15	17	20	47

REGIS

Petry, f	4	3	4	11
Eckert, f	0	0	2	0
Wallace, f	1	0	5	2
Brown, f	3	0	2	6
Conlon, c	2	0	1	4
Kohl, g	6	6	1	18

Holiday Greetings

from

Webster & Kolasinski Ins. Agcy.
Complete Insurance Service

River Falls, Wis.
Phone 2877



Cafeteria
Superior State College
Superior, Wisconsin

Curly's Cafe

wishes the students of RFSTC

A Merry Christmas

and

A Happy New Year

Best Wishes

for a

**Happy
Holiday Season**

River Falls State Bank

"The Community Bank On The Corner"

Falls Theatre

December 20-21
"HOLIDAY INN"

December 22-23
"WEST OF EL DORADO"

December 24-25-26
"PRETTY BABY"

December 27-28
"CRISIS"

December 29-30
"HOEDOWN"

"TEA FOR TWO"
December 31, January 1

THE PEPTOMIST

Gitche Subscription Drive



5¢

Ask for it either way... both
trade-marks mean the same thing.

BOTTLED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE COCA-COLA COMPANY BY
Coco-Cola Bottling Co. of Red Wing, Inc.

© 1950, The Coca-Cola Company

Miss Hathorn Sets Corner Stone For New Girls' Dormitory

"December 11, 1950, is one of the proudest days of my life," said Miss Irma Hathorn at the cornerstone laying ceremonies last Monday for Hathorn Hall, the new girls' dormitory, named in appreciation of the 29 years of devoted service Miss Hathorn gave as Dean of Women at RFSTC.

The program honoring Miss Hathorn was divided into two parts; a convocation in the auditorium at 10 a.m. and the laying of the cornerstone at the dormitory at 11 a.m. At assembly, several speakers paid tribute to the faithful service of Miss Hathorn as Dean of Women and to her never-ending determination to secure a girls' dormitory—a dream which finally came true.

President E. H. Kleinpell introduced the speakers: Jesse H. Ames, president of RFSTC from 1917 to 1946; Edward P. Rock, president of the RFSTC Foundation, representing the alumni; Mayor William Hagestad, speaking for the residents of River Falls, and Carol Landberg, senior, representing the student body on the speaker's platform. Miss Landberg is president of the College Women's Association which Miss Hathorn organized three years ago.

Last of the speakers was Dr. Chalmer Davee of the State Board of Regents, who presented Miss Hathorn with the box to be put in the cornerstone and the trowel with which she was to begin laying the stone.

Contained in the box is a 1950 Meletean, a history of the college by Dr. Ames, a 1950-51 student-faculty directory, the latest catalogue of the school, and the Alumni bulletins for the past five

years. After the acceptance speech by Miss Hathorn, the convocation was adjourned with the singing of the pledge song, under the direction of B. J. Rozehnal.

The actual cornerstone laying took place at the northwest corner of the dormitory, with the speakers of the day assisting Miss Hathorn at the ceremony.

YM Hears Report On November Meeting

At a regular meeting of the YM on Tuesday, December 5, Harold Lindeman, president, reported on his attendance at the YM-YW Area Conference. It was held November 10-12 at Camp St. Croix, Hudson.

The event is an annual affair to strengthen the "Y" program. This year's theme, "What Does God Require of Us," was delivered by Dr. Lowell P. Hazard of Illinois Wesleyan University.

Members attending from RFSTC were Evelyn Anderson, Marjorie Deans, Beulah Dahlberg, Dale Amundson, Paul Beckel, and their faculty advisors, Virginia Akins and Leslie McKeen.

The RF delegates were in charge of registration of the 55 members attending from colleges in Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Backus Elected NCP Chairman

Ronnie Backus, River Falls Newman Club vice-president, was elected North Central Province Chairman for the remainder of the academic school year at the Duluth Province Convention, December 1, 2, 3, with Newman club representatives from clubs in Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota.

The Province is the intermediate step between the campus organizations and the National Newman Club Federation, with a chairman, vice-chairman, treasurer, and a recording secretary elected by the delegates. Other officers are: Vice-chairmen, Tom Gunning, La Crosse; treasurer, Patricia Kelly, University of Minnesota, and recording secretary, Mary Brown, University of Wisconsin.

At the convention Mr. Backus was instrumental in revising the Province Constitution and served on various committees dealing with local club problems. Annette Geretts also was a member of various committees and acted as temporary delegate on Friday and Saturday morning.

Other members attending the convention on Saturday and Sunday were Marilyn Peterson, Mary Jane and Katherine Haessly, Patricia McCollow, Lloyd Wolfe, Ernie Gay, and Father Stack, River Falls' Newman Club Chaplain. Katherine Haessly, secretary, and Ernie Gay, president, were the voting delegates Saturday and Sunday and the others observed committees that were in session.

College Host To School Safety Meet

Approximately 60 off-campus guests were present Friday at the School Safety Conference sponsored by the State Teachers College and the State Department of Public Instruction.

The morning sessions were held in the North Hall auditorium with afternoon meetings held in the Knotty Pine room and South Hall Social room. Representing the college at the panel discussion on driver education was Thorvald E. Thoreson while Oscar J. Sjowall was a member of the panel on "The Safety Curriculum" at the morning session.

Arrangements locally were made by Joseph Hoy. Guests at the conference had luncheon in the college cafeteria.

The River Falls conference was one of those held at various State Teachers Colleges. Other hosts were Whitewater, Platteville and Superior.

A Joyous Holiday

from

Temple Lunch

A Sincere Merry Christmas

from

The First National Bank

River Falls, Wis.
Member of F.D.I.C.

"EASIEST TEST IN THE BOOK"

SAYS: JOHN DWYER BOSTON COLLEGE '52

MAKE THE TOBACCO GROWERS' MILDNESS TEST YOURSELF... "TOBACCOS THAT SMELL Milder SMOKE Milder"

YES... Compare Chesterfield with the brand you've been smoking... Open a pack... smell that milder Chesterfield aroma. Prove—tobaccos that smell milder smoke milder.

Now smoke Chesterfields—they do smoke milder, and they leave NO UNPLEASANT AFTER-TASTE.

CHESTERFIELD

LEADING SELLER IN AMERICA'S COLLEGES



PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN ON CAMPUS

Copyright 1950, Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.