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G. O. P. Dance Voted "Best Ever"

Balloons and Confetti Cause Great Confusion.

The G. O. P. dance in honor of the football and basketball men given in South Hall Gymnasium last Saturday was one of the most successful social events of the school year.

Three special dances were the features of the dance program. The first favor dance was an ear ring dance, for which each fellow drew a pair of ear rings attached to a cord with a girl's name written on it. The next special was a balloon dance. For this dance, each girl received two ballcons, one of which had a boy's name fastened to it. The concluding special was a lady's tag dance combined with a confetti dance; being a double-header, this was naturally the liveliest dance. Everyone started the dance with their partner (except Miss Roherty) and a bag filled with confetti When the and serpentine paper. dance ended, everyone found himself not only with a different partner, but also snowed over with confetti and entwined with spirals. Since enough confetti for half a dozen weddings covered the floor, much second-hand confetti was in evidence during the remaining dances.

The barn-like gym of South Hall was redecorated through the aid of pennants, skates, tennis rackets, and cozy corners. The Kinnickinnick Originators, otherwise Al, Nick, and Little Pierp, furnished the music. The boys all appreciated the trouble the girls saved them by making out their programs, which were small grey elephants with a red blanket covering the dance tablet. Mr. and Mrs. Hayward acted as chaperons. It has been suggested that the G. O. P. give more dances of this type.

A great deal of curiosity is afoot as to who is the leading lady in "The Zazfield Mid-Winter Review" which is to be presented at the Vaudeville. "Dree kesses, who iss id?"

Coach Mitchell of the debate team, is planning to take Carleton Ames and Everett Smith, representing the negative and affirmative teams respectively. to St. Paul this week, to work in the St. Paul library.

PROF. HAYWARD TELLS US ABOUT UTAH AND MORMONS

Students Enjoy Talk.

Mr. Hayward's talk in assembly last Thursday on the Mormons, certainly held the interest of everyone. True to his hopes he made his talk an interesting review of his experiences during the time when he lived among the Mormons in Utah. Mr. Hayward was a member of a party of men conducting a biological survey of the vegetation of Utah. In the camp where he stayed, some Mormons were also staying.

In his talk, Mr. Hayward reviewed the history of the formation of the Mormon religion from the Mormon's standpoint, leaving the possibility of Joseph Smith's vision to the individual's imagination. He brought up as the outstanding feature of this religion the remarkable belief, those converted to it, had in it. Mr. Hayward recounted the way in which polygamy entered into this religion as one of its beliefs, the reason for polygamy being a biological one. Mr. Hayward said that the Mormons were growing to be a powerful group, and that they would well bear watching by the world. Mr. Hayward's speech was inter-

Mr. Hayward's speech was interesting, because it contained facts gained through his personal observation when in contact with these people.

UNDERCLASSMEN WIN VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

Seniors Trailing

Last week the Girls' Athletic Association, under the leadership of Miss Hoherty, closed their volley ball season by an inter-class tournament which began the week before Christmas vacation.

After several weeks of practice, beginning before Thanksgiving, teams were chosen to represent each class as follows:

Seniors	
Grace Hendrickson, Capt.	
Hazel Vasey,	
Laura McNamara	
Florence Bennett	
Abigail Bennett	
Bessie Needham.	
Subs-Leone Nothe and	Helen
Merrill.	
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River Falls Wins First Conference Game

Team Displays Entirely New Style of Basket Ball.

Playing in great form Friday night Coach Eggebrecht's hoop and net artists began their fight in the conference race when it defeated the worthy Eau Claire contenders by the score of 24 to 20.

The tilt marks well this first conference game of the season. Eau Claire is always well represented by a fast team, and their delegation of Friday night was no exception to this. Hence our prospects for a big season were greatly boosted.

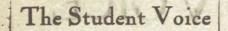
The game was fast and played with little or no intentional dirty playing. Both teams displayed greater strength on defensive than on the offensive. The Falls played more of the offensive part of the game. Only once did-Eau Claire manage to slip through for a close encounter. Their strength lay entirely in their accuracy on long shots, which proved to be the biggest factor in their scoring. The teamwork of the Red and White surpassed that of their heavier opponents who were at times greatly baffled by Eggebrecht's method of snappy passes.

The first half of the game was a neck-and-neck race which resulted in a tie score of 10 to 10 at the end of the half. Neither side was more than one basket ahead at any time during the half. The Falls had hard luck in many of its shots which circled the hoop and bounded out.

The second half started out with a desperate fight. In the first few minutes of the fracas the clever plays of the Falls scored up a six point lead which the Eau Claire huskies were never able to overcome, although they threatened nearthe end of the half when they piled up five points while the Falls was at a standstill. The sensational shot of the game was the long loop of Ernie's from the deep guard position that cleaned the basket at the crackof the pistol.

Ziebell displayed his championship speed of last year. Ernie showed a keen eye when it came to long shots, all of which were exceedingly close

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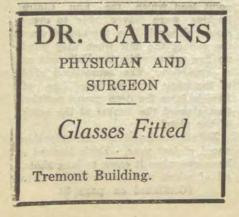
STRAW BALLOT COMING

Following the example of the "Daily Cardinal of the University of Wisconsin, as well as of several of the Eastern Universities, the Student Voice is planning to conduct a straw vote among the students of R. F. N. S. on the Eighteenth Amendment. The ballot, as prepared by the "Cardinal" has three alternatives. The voter may vote for strict enforcement for repeal, or for modification to permit light wines and beer.

In most of the schools where this vote has been taken, a majority has been shown for strict enforcement. It will be of interest to determine just how student opinion here stands on the question: Whether we are in line with student sentiment in other schools, or whether we are standing in the opposite rank.

The Student Voice, in taking this vote, takes neither side of the question, but wishes only to serve as an indicator of the feeling among the student body.

We hope that the students will respond to this call, and that every one will vote once. If only a few cast



their ballots, the purpose of the whole plan will be defeated. The ballot will be printed in an issue of the Student Voice; all that will be necessary is to fill it out, unsigned, and drop it into the Student Voice box in the hall

THE STUDENT VOICE

Carrol Brown went to the cities Saturday on business for the Y. M.

Ethel Harrigan and "Ange" Werril went to the city Saturday where Ethel had her locks shorn.

Four Penn State Freshmen have been excused from Freshmen rules because they are married.

This is "Leap Year, Girls." If they don't date you up, why not date them up for the Vaudeville?

There would be some radical changes around this school if pink eye sufferers saw red. Refer to Dave Walker.

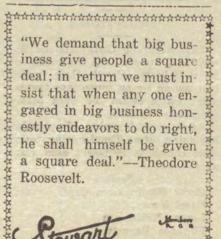
We understand that at Columbia University several Chinese students are making their expenses by teaching "Mah Jongg."

The Woman's League will entertain the faculty and members of the Senior class at an afternoon tea Thursday afternoon at 3:30 in the girls' gymnasium.

Carleton and Avery Ames entertained their friends at a toboggan party last Sunday afternoon, after which refreshments were served at the Ames residence.

A group of students who attend the University of Texas, call themselves the Cowboys and come to all games dress in leather chaps, orange shirts, black hats, and white bandanas.

Mr. P. W. Ramer of River Falls has been reappointed by Gov. Blaine as a member of the Normal Board of Regents. Mr. Ramer has made possible many improvements in the school here, and friends of the normal school are glad to see that he retains his place on the board.



The second conference game will be played next Saturday night here on the local floor with our old rivals, the Steven Point Normal five. Steven-Point has a fast team, and the game will be a real battle to witness.

A new system inaugurated at

Princeton University makes no limits

to the cuts allowed, and no attendance

records are kept, it being supposed

As ye honorable reporter was strolling aimlessly down the hall last evening after school he was halted and excited by curiosity to discover just what was the cause of the directions, commands, speeches, and songs, and last but not least the rhythmic sway of bodies which were to be heard and seen in nearly every classroom down both sides of the corrider. For the moment his curiosity was satisfied but he resolved then and there to see the Vaudeville on Jan. 25, to see and hear the final production.



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UNDERCLASSMEN WIN VOL-LEY BALL TOURNAMENT

(Continued from page 2 Juniors

Marie Lundy, Capt. Esther Oberg Ellen Lewis, Thelma Segerstrom Agnes McDonald, Mildred Hum.nel Subs-Stella Pederson and Edna

Mathison.

Underclassmen

Maxine Elliott, Capt., Harriet Beebe Erma Johnson, Mabel Fidler Margaret Kordovsky, Arlene Foss Subs-Ruth Foley and Clara Fal-

tiesek. The tournament began by a series

of three games between the Juniors and Underclassmen, the latter winning two games. In a similar contest with the Seniors the Underclassmen again care out ahead. Tuesday, January 8, the Juniors met the Seniors and brought them down to a second defeat.

Thus at the close of the tournament the classes stand:

First-Underclassmen

Second-Juniors

Third-Seniors.

Besides the spirit of good sportsmanship displayed by all, the winning team deserves praise for its cleverness and skill shown in all of the playing.

Every girl reports the season enjoyable as well as profitable.

Unless you want to pay admission to the Stevens Point game Saturday night, be sure to bring your Budget Card along. In case you have lost it get a duplicate of Mr. Whitenack, and get it before the evening of the game.

Pres. Ames returned today from a trip to Madison to attend a meeting of the Normal School presidents to take some action towards relieving the situation of financial embarrasment in which the Normal Schools find themselves.



RIVER FALLS WINS FIRST CONFERENCE GAME

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The work of the new men on the team was very creditable both to the men and to Coach Eggebrecht. Starting out with such excellent showing, we have reasons to feel very optimistic in predicting the Red and White to be championship contenders.

The performance of Captain Brown and O'Reilley featured the playing of Eau Claire. Brown is a fast man, and his work at defensive playing is equal to his keenness in basket shooting.

The officials of the game were stalled four miles beyond Hudson. They attempted to make the trip down here by car. Mr. Hayward was called upon to referee the game, which he did in a very fair way.

Lineup

River Falls-	- E:	au Claire—
Ziebell,	rf.	Brown
Cleberg,	1f.	Gunderson
Hutchinson,	c.	O'Reilley
Bergman,	rg.	Olson
Quandt,	lg.	Moran
Fouls-R.	F., 4 out o	f 7; E. C.; 6

out of 15.

Substitutions—E. C., Dona'dson for Brown, A. Olson for Gunderson, Brown for Donaldson. R. F., Keyes for Hutchinson, Hutchinson for Keyes.

Other Basketball Results Superior-19

Stout—13 (Friday night)

WHY BRAVE THE WIN-

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Superior—8 (Saturday night) Stout—24

Oshkosh—24 Ripon—23

LaCrosse—33 Milwaukee—12

EXCHANGES

Northland-

Four from Northland College went to the Student Volunteer Conference at Indianapolis.

Lawrence-

Six members of the Lawrence Conservatory of Music faculty with other Appleton artists broadcasted from a radio station at Waupaca recently.

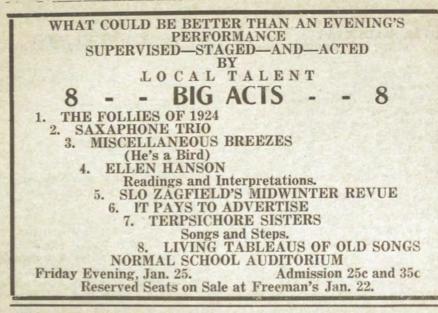
The Lawrence basketball team has just returned from a trip to Iowa where they played four of the Iowa colleges, winning three of the four games.

Fourteen Lawrentians were present at the Indianapolis convention.

Winfred Bird is on the affirmative team and Gordon Clapp of Ellsworth is on the negative team of the Lawrence debate squad. The affirmative meets Ripon College at Ripon, and the negative, Carroll College at Appleton Feb. 28.



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FRANKLIN WHIPS WISCONSIN

MASS MEETING

From a recent issue of "The Franklin," the newspaper put out by Franklin College, Franklin, Indiana, we note that the Franklin "Wonder Five" were successful in an invasion of the northern territory during the Christmas vacation, defeating Marquette University 19-18, and the University of Wisconsin 21-18, an overtime period being played to win the former.

Prof. Hanna is an alumnus of Franklin University, and may well be proud of the game his Alma Mater put up on their trip. Vandivier, one of Franklin's fonward is credited with being one of the fastest men that ever stepped on the Wisconsin floor. Wisconsin led the scoring until about the middle of the second half, when Franklin started one of the comeback rallies for which they are famous and finished up four points in the lead.

During the last three minutes, the Franklin team resorted to a stalling game, while the Wisconsin men tried in vain to break up their clever passing.

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Thursday evening we all attended the mass meeting, which was for the purpose of celebrating our coming victory over Eau Claire. Special features of the program were the band, talks by faculty members and student members, and a prophecy of our victory over our opponent. We are glad to know that we now have two prophets to rely upon. Although the meeting had a great deal

Pencils

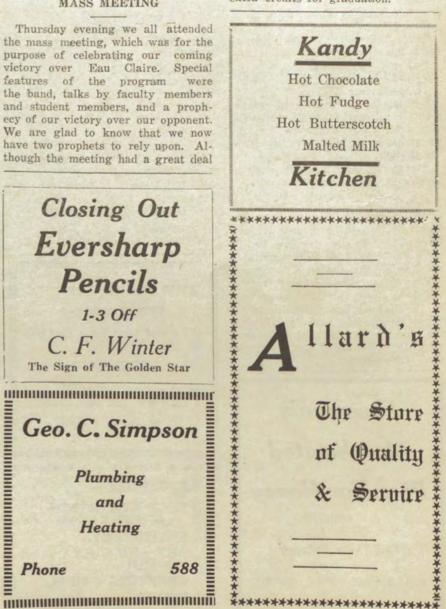
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of pep and go, we feel that our mass meetings could be improved if more people would get the spirit and show it.

Following a custom of many sport writers in naming a team after its coach, as "Dennymen," "Kellymen," etc., we suppose that we might call our basketeers "Eggmen." Hav about it?

The G. O. P. are practicing to form letters between halves at the game next Saturday. It has been a tradition of the school for the G. O. P. to perform this stunt at least once a vear.

Five men and five women students at the U. of Wisconsin have been penalized for various forms of cribbing. They have been placed on probation and are required to earn three to ten extra credits for graduation.