

# The Student Voice

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## U. S. Commissioner of Education Commencement Speaker

### "U" Singers to Give Concert at College Tonight

Miss Avery Ames, Former Falls Student, Will Be Soloist

Social Committee Entertainment Students Admitted on Budget Tickets.

A concert by the 50 voices of the mixed chorus of the University of Minnesota will be the feature entertainment of the week at the college Wednesday evening May 15.

The organization will appear under the direction of Professor E. G. Kileen, who will be assisted by three soloists, Miss Olive Griebelow, soprano; Miss Clarice Christopherson, contralto; and Miss Avery Ames, mezzo-soprano.

Since it will be included as a social committee entertainment, students of the college will only be required to show their card at the door. The faculty and the public will pay 50 cents for reserved seats.

The concert will be one of the best ever put on at the college, say those who have heard the chorus.

Special among the attractions of the evening will be solos by Avery Ames, daughter of President and Mrs. Ames of the college, who is graduating from the university this year.

Preparations are being made to accommodate a well filled auditorium Wednesday evening.

### WILD ROSE PICKED AS MOST POPULAR FLOWER

The Wild Rose continues in popularity among River Falls students as well as students of other colleges. This was demonstrated last Tuesday when students voted 109 to 45 in its favor. The violet received 39 votes, and the columbine six.

The flower contest in this school was promoted by the girls in the intermediate and primary departments.

Many attempts have been made to choose a national flower, either by legislation or by popular vote, and thus far all have failed. The American Nature Association of Washington D. C. is responsible for this campaign. Schools, clubs, churches, and other organizations were urged to send in votes.

### 250 STUDENTS EXPECTED AT SUMMER SCHOOL

About 75 students who are enrolled in work here now will attend the summer session according to President Ames. The total enrollment will probably reach 250. Mr. Ames says it is his belief that a wider and better group of subject matter is being offered this summer than ever before.

Summer school is primarily designed for furthering the education of teachers who are already in the field. A complete course in supervision will be given to carry on this work.

### CONDITION EXAMINATION Friday, May 17, 1929

Students who have a Condition or Incomplete from the second term are advised to make definite arrangements for the removal of such Condition or Incomplete with the instructor offering that particular work. All Conditions and Incompletes not removed at that time will automatically become "Failures". See your instructor and arrange for an examination on or before Friday, May 17, the latest date that such an examination may be taken or incomplete removed.

E. J. Prucha, Registrar

### Field Day Program Promises Interesting Features Here Friday

#### Students Ready to Demonstrate Ability and New Ideas To Visitors

Eight demonstrations, ten exhibits, banquet, livestock show, and judging contest will be featured events on the Agriculture Field Day program held at River Falls Teachers College May 17th. The banquet will be held in the evening. Demonstrations and other events will be given in the forenoon and afternoon.

Schools from every place in the surrounding counties are expected to attend the sixth annual Field Day. This will be the biggest Field Day in the history of the school says Mr. May, who is in charge.

There will be three prizes given field day. One a \$5.00 prize will be given to the person that does the best work in fitting a calf for show, and the second prize is a free ticket to, the team that has the best show animals. The third a \$10.00 prize will be given to the group that put on the best demonstration.

#### PROGRAM

##### College Gymnasium

9:00 A. M. Demonstrations.

##### HOG SANITATION

Coach: Gaylord Mullendore

Speaker: Lyle Lamphere and Leonard Madison.

##### MARKETING BUTTER

Coach: J. C. Smith

Speakers: Martin Abrahamson and Arno Dittbrenner.

##### MARKETING EGGS

Coach: Erle Barber

Speakers: Donald Olson and Fred Morrow

##### PRODUCING SANITARY MILK AND CREAM

Coach: Herbert Chapman

Speakers: Leland and Everette Chapman.

##### PRUNING AND SPRAYING PRACTICES

Coach: Allen Weber

Speakers: Lee Klein and Clarence Lundeen.

##### CONTROLLING PLANT DISEASES

Coach: Ford Thurston

Speaker: Carl Wolfe.

##### IMPROVED GARDEN PRACTICES

Coach: Clayton Case

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### Students Fill Good Positions In Many Cities

Large High Schools Get Best Qualified Teachers; More Go To Berwyn, Ill.

Northwest States Will All Have River Falls Grads Statistics Show

A total of 66 graduates have positions for next year according to Mr. Johnston. Of the 66 there are 13 primary teachers, eight intermediate, eight grammar grade, one junior high school, one principal, 26 high school, and nine fourth year seniors.

A good percentage of these graduates have obtained jobs.

#### Primary Department

Vincent Campbell, Primary,

Ladysmith, Wis.

Ethel Engebretson, 1st grade

Washburn Wis.

Louise Johnson, 1st and 2nd.

grades, Maiden Rock, Wis.

Eveline Moen, 1st grade,

Spring Valley, Wis.

Hazel Mork, Primary

Berwyn, Ill.

Marcella Oltman, 3rd grade,

Washburn, Wis.

Elna Stone, 1st grade,

Owen, Wis.

Viola Swenson, 1st and 2nd grades

Melrose, Wis.

Mildred Thompson, 1st grade,

North Hudson, Wis.

Myrtle Thompson, 1st, 2nd, and

3rd. grades, Trempleau, Wis.

Mable Vruink, 3rd grade,

Berwyn, Ill.

Laura Waffle, 1st and 2nd grades

Alma Center, Wis.

Joyce Wiberg, 4th grade,

Bayport, Wis.

#### Intermediate Department

Norma Anderson, Intermediate,

Gonvick, Minn.

Colletta Bonnes, primary

Amery, Wis.

Edris Campbell, Intermediate,

Bay City, Wis.

Anna Jensen, 4th, and 5th grades,

Maiden Rock, Wis.

Ellen Magnuson, 3rd and 4th

grades, Glen Flora, Wis.

Evelyn Peterson, 3rd and 4th

grades Weyanwega, Wis.

Louise Schwellenbach, 4th and 5th

grades, Baldwin, Wis.

Mathilda Zorn, intermediate,

Alma Center, Wis.

Grammar Grade Department

Maurita Grorud, 6th grade,

Echo, Wis.

Lola Diller, 6th grade.

Berwyn, Ill.

John Dzubay, Principal,

Echo, Wis.

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### HILL WRITES FOR SO. ATLANTIC QUARTERLY

J. H. Hill of the history department will have an article entitled "Charles Read, Confederate Von Luckner" published in the July number of the South Atlantic quarterly published by Duke University.

This is one of a series of articles Mr. Hill is writing for this Duke Publication.

### FOURTEEN RIVER FALLS GRADUATES TEACH AT BERWYN

Fourteen River Falls graduates, with Irwin Davison as principal, are employed in the public schools at Berwyn, Illinois, according to Fred Wandrey who visited the Berwyn schools in his return from Springfield, Missouri, where he has been presiding over the meeting of the Interstate Forensic League. Mr. Wandrey was elected president of the league on the recommendations of Mr. Norseng who was unable to go because of illness. Mr. Wandrey made his return trip by way of St. Louis and Chicago.

### Aquatic League Will Have Canoe Trip On May 31

#### Plan to Canoe From Prescott To Stillwater and Twin Springs, Return June 1

Preparations for the canoe trip which the Aquatic League are planning to take May 31 and June 1, are nearly completed.

The League is hiring cars to take them to Prescott where they will start at noon on Saturday May 31, and canoe up to Stillwater and Twin Springs. They are going to stay at Twin Springs Saturday night. For pastime while they are in Twin Springs, the girls will swim.

Sunday noon June 1, they are going to start back. They will canoe down to Prescott, where cars will meet them and bring them home.

From fourteen to sixteen girls together with Miss Curran and Miss Arnold, who will act as chaperons, are planning to make the trip.

### W. A. A. HOUSE PARTY BOOKED FOR THIS WEEK

Final preparations have been made for the W. A. A. annual house party which is to be held at the Y. Camp on Lake St. Croix this week end.

Special committees for eats, entertainment and finance have been appointed and are doing all they can to make this a real success.

The girls will leave here Friday night on the school bus and return Sunday night the same way. So far they plan on about twenty girls going. Miss Curran and Miss Arnold will accompany them as chaperons.

### River Falls Has Many in 1929 Graduating Class

One hundred and ninety six students will graduate from the River Falls State Teachers College in June 1929. Of these 196, nine students from River Falls will graduate with degrees. They are: Herbert W. Chapman, John Davison, Ruth Foley, Ida Johnson, Lucille Malott, Helen Mooney, Marshall Norseng, Henrietta Simpson, and Gaylord Mullendore.

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### Minnesota "U" President Also To Speak Here

Rev Leonard of Eau Claire To Deliver Baccalaureate Sermon, June 2

Twenty Three Students To Receive Degrees From College This Year

Of the 196 students graduating from the River Falls State Teachers College in June, 23 will receive degrees, 50 will graduate from the three year courses, 75 from the two year elementary course, and 48 from the rural teachers course.

Commencement exercises will take place during the first week in June.

Rev. Arthur E. Leonard of the Congregational Church, Eau Claire Wis., will give the baccalaureate sermon on June 2.

Commencement exercises will take place June 6, Dean W. C. Coffey of the University of Minnesota will give the Commencement address.

On May 29, Dr. Wm. John Cooper, United States Commissioner of Education, Washington D. C., will talk to the graduates of the College.

The following students will receive degrees: Earle E. Barber, Arkansaw; Clifford H. Brooks, Colfax; Clayton C. Case, Vernon Center, Minn.; Herbert W. Chapman, River Falls; John Davison, River Falls; Ruth S. Foley, River Falls; Ida A. Johnson, River Falls; Lucille Malott, River Falls; Marian I. Miller, Elk Mound; Helen E. Mooney, River Falls; Gaylord Mullendore, River Falls; Alvin C. Nelson, Balsam Lake; Marshall Norseng, River Falls; Clifford A. Olson, Cushing; Rudolph Prucha, Two Rivers; Henrietta L. Simpson, River Falls; Jesse S. Smith, Loyal; Clyde Stewart, Beldenville; Lorin D. Strong, Lake Mills; John E. Ulrich, Menomonie; Arthur G. Waldsdorf, Stanley; Fred H. Wandrey, Cumberland; and Allen C. Weber, Menomonie, Wis.

Those graduating from the three-year course are the following:

Carl L. Amudson, Elk Mound; Beryl Atwood, Amery; Esther L. Bailey, River Falls; Milton D. Berlin, Waterloo; William E. Biss, Cable; Eleanor M. Borner, River Falls; Robert N. Carelton, Spooner; Ruth Carpenter, Stockholm; Vivian K. Chinnock, River Falls; Carl Wendell Clafin, Mondovi;

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### Meletean Proofs Go To Printer Last Time

The first copy of the Meletean will be here soon for final proof reading, according to LeRoy Luberg of the Meletean staff. This copy will be thoroughly read and corrected by the members of the staff, and returned to the Augsburg Publishing House, of Minneapolis. When this has been done, the Meletean will go to press, and should be ready for distribution about May 29.

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### MINNESOTA "U" PRESIDENT ALSO TO SPEAK HERE

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The following will graduate from the two year elementary course: Bernice I. Amundson, Emerald; Amellia C. Anderson, Clayton; Norma E. Anderson, Washburn; Stella M. Beggs, Hudson; Esther Esther Berndt, Wauwatosa; Sylvia Berven, Spring Valley; Florence Bolier, Baldwin; Colletta Bonner, Amery; Frances Bonney, Ellsworth; Marion A. Brown, Spring Valley; Bernice W. Brown, Woodville; Beatrice Buchoiz, Baronette; Edris Campbell, River Falls; Vincl Campbell, River Falls; Eva Christenson, Luck; Kermit E. Christison, Clear Lake; Esther Devine, Glenwood; Lola Diller, Menomonie; Vivian K. Chinnock, River Falls; Ethel H. Engebretson, Hudson; Gladys Erickson, Clear Lake; Ethel E. Fisher, Hudson; Maurita H. Grorud, Mondovi; Dorothy K. Grorud, Mondovi; Virginia B. Hagg, Ellsworth; Fern L. Han-

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Those graduating from the rural teachers course are the following:  
 Ruth Achenbach, Durand; Clarice F. Anderson, Clayton; Thelma C. Anderson, Clayton; Helen Austin, Cumberland; Blanche U. Baker, Hudson; Gladys Bengston, Maiden Rock; Clarence Bielheldt, Gilmanston; Frances W. Carr, Baldwin; Cecil Candy, Clayton; Orpica B. Eberwein, Durand; Nellie Foley, River Falls; Adaline Garley, St. Paul, Minn.; Iwon Greene, Shell Lake; Ruth B. Hall, Hammond; Ada N. Hansen, Glenwood City; Evelyn Hanson, Hammond; Howard Hardie, Cedar; Bernice Hawkins,

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### STUDENTS FILL GOOD POSITIONS IN MANY CITIES

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Mildred Harris, Intermediate, Nelson, Wis.  
 Ruth King, 7th and 8th grades, Baldwin, Wis.  
 Margaret McAndrew, 7th and 8th grades, Carleton, Wis.  
 Ariel Towers, 7th and 8th grade, Maiden Rock, Wis.  
 Alice Weiss, Rural critic position with county training school, Menomonie, Wis.  
 Junior High Teachers  
 Claudia Vassau, English, History and music, Hilbert, Wis.  
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 Peter Vig, Principal, Prairie Farm, Wis.  
 High School Department  
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 Esther Bailey, History, English, Debate, Maiden Rock, Wis.  
 Donald Banister, Manual training, Pine City, Wis.  
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 Vivian Chinnock, English, history, Elk Mound, Wis.  
 Wendell Claffin, Science, Coach, Neilsville, Wis.  
 Charles Conselman, History, Band, Red Granite, Wis.  
 Elaine Forsyth, English, History, Library, Nelson Wis.  
 Robert Gardener, mathematics, science, band, Spring Valley, Wis.  
 Norma Haunchild, Science, Debate in County Agricultural School, Menomonie, Wis.  
 Helen Hawkins, English, History, Music Debate, Bruce, Wis.  
 William Hunt, Science, Coach, Algoma, Wis.  
 Hoyt Johnson, History, Band, Elmwood, Wis.  
 Maida Kyle, History, English, Cable, Wis.  
 Gerald Manion, Mathematics, Coach, Algoma, Wis.  
 Emma Remley, English, Science, Athletics, Withee, Wis.  
 Leo Schnur, Science, mathematics, Birchwood, Wis.  
 Harold Segerstrom, Science, Mathematics, Coach, Cumberland, Wis.  
 Marie Strevey, English, History, Music, Prentice, Wis.  
 Mildred Thompson, History, Baldwin, Wis.  
 Anna May Vold, English, history, Library, Gillet, Wis.  
 Florence Walker, English History, Library, Arkansas, Wis.  
 Arthur Warner, Science, Mathematics, Coach, Wausaukee, Wis.  
 La Veta Weldon, Junior High School, Latin, Elmwood, Minn.  
 George White, Principal, Durand Wis.  
 Fourth Year Seniors (degree)  
 Ruth Foley, English, Music,

### RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE USE OF TEXTBOOKS

Students of the State Teachers College are entitled to draw books for use at their rooms under the following conditions:

- 1—Textbooks are loaned for a period of one term and are subject to purchase in case of injury or loss.
- 2—Books must be returned at the end of each term, or at the withdrawal of holder from school.
- 3—Books must be returned at the end of each term, or at the withdrawal of holder from school.
- 3—Books needed for more than one term must be brought to the library for renewal.
- 4—A fine of 10 cents per day will be charged for each book returned or renewed later than NOON on the day following the last examination.
- 5—Books may be drawn during Text Library hours and at no other time.

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# Falls Wins and Losses in Games With St. Olaf, Concordia

## Falls Win From Concordia, But Lose to St. Olaf

### Ninth Inning Rally Helps Falls Trim Concordia In Slow Game

### Fast St. Olaf Team Win Second Game From Local Sluggers

In a grand ninth inning rally the Teachers College baseball team defeated Concordia by a score of five to four.

The game was close throughout. Brooks started on the mound for the Falls and pitched shutout ball until the seventh inning when a walk followed by Mathien's triple scored the first run for Concordia. River Falls scored two runs in their half of the seventh inning when Claffin started things going by crashing a double to third base line which Ruidex booted, letting Claffin go to third and Kahl was safe at first. Claffin scored a little later on an error, and Kahl was caught at the plate when Brooks hit a grounder to the pitcher letting Brooks safe at first. Schuur scored from third on some safe loose playing by Concordia. In the eighth inning Concordia started hitting Brooks. They got three singles in a row scoring two runs and Claffin was sent in the box to pitch after two were out. Claffin retired the side and the Falls went to bat in the last half of the 8th inning with the score four to two against them. Hunt the man up was thrown out by the third baseman, and Peterson next struck out. Anderson dropped a Texas leaguer single back of short stop Peterson going to third. Manion sent them both across the plate with a long double to center. Glass singled behind first base to score Manion and to win the ball game. It was a well played game considering the adverse weather conditions.

### THE BOX SCORE FOR THE CONDITION GAME

RIVER FALLS	AB	H	PO	A
Manion, S. S.	4	1	0	4
Biss, R. F.	4	2	0	0
Larson L. F.	4	1	1	0
Claffin, 1st B. - P.	3	1	7	1
Kahl, C.	3	1	11	0
Schnur, 3B.	3	0	2	1
Brooks, P.	3	0	0	1
Peterson, 1B.	0	0	1	0
Vuchetich, 2B.	2	0	2	0
Hanson, 2B.	1	0	2	1
(a) Nelson	1	1	0	0
Mullendore, R. F.	2	0	0	0
Kreuger R. F.	1	0	0	0
(b) Kielhaltz,	1	0	0	0
(b) Kielhaltz,	1	0	0	9
(c) Hemp	1	0	0	0
(d) Hunt,	1	0	0	0
Total	35	8	26	11

(a) Batted for Vurchetic in the 8th inning  
 (b) Batted for Mullendore in the 7th inning.  
 (c) Batted for Biss in the 9th inning  
 (d) Batted for Schnur in the 9th inning.

CONCORDIA	AB	H	PO	A
Schnitz, CF.	5	1	3	0
Ruidex 3B	5	2	1	0
Stewart P.	5	1	0	4
Draeg 2B.	3	0	2	1
Koch, R.F.	4	1	0	0
Matheius C.	2	1	12	0
Ellwein SS.	4	1	0	2
Eihe LF.	4	1	1	0
Faulse 1B	4	0	8	0
Total	36	8	27	7

### SENIORS DEFEAT NEXT YEARS SQUAD BY 21 TO 0

The Seniors football team defeated the next year's team 21 to 0 in the final practice game of the spring football season Monday afternoon.

The redeeming feature of the game according to Coach Klaudd was the spirit shown by the new players. A love for the game, a willingness to get in and fight, will be the spirit that will carry the 1929 squad through the coach believes.

Here are a few comments on the game.

Center: Bartosh tried out and not pass the ball; will have to be shifted back to guard. Tackles weak; Hemp outstanding of the squad, Anderson lacks playing experience.

Guards: Krauger from last year looked best; Zeddies, who never saw a football game before looked very good, a short stocky and powerful man.

Ends: Thomas and Shields look the best of the new men; very easily fooled, however.

Backs: Schlicht and Larson will make good backs; Wile, Hammer and Dawson showed up well at times.

Alfonso used both at end and full; will be able to play either; his line bucking was the biggest offensive threat; most outstanding of players on squad.

Claffin carrying of the ball for long gains and Manion's passing were the best ground games for seniors.

Scrimmage was good, and was a world of good for the team. Some of the stars on the winning side are well known:

Farrell, Hagestad, Luberg, Hunt, Segerstrom, Claffin, Manion, Klimper, and Glass.

### FIELD DAY PROGRAM PROMISES INTERESTING FEATURES HERE FRIDAY

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 Speakers: Melvin Yahnke and Norman Kahl.

SHOP SKILLS AND PRACTICES  
 Coach: William Segerstrom

Speakers: Marvin Hanson and Otto Thompson

### EXHIBITS

Ten booths having exhibits dealing with important agricultural problems, will be open all day. NOON. Free lunch to High School Teachers and Students.

1:15 P. M. High School Judging Contest

Power Demonstration "The Hammer Mill"

J. P. Schaezner, Agricultural Department of the University of Wisconsin.

Live-Stock Show

From college herd fitted and shown by students of the Agricultural Department.

Captains of each team: Carl Neitzke, Arno Dittbrener.

Ball Game

High School Teachers Vs Vocational Students.

Banquet

Speakers: L. M. Sasman, State Supervisor of Vocational Agriculture. L. H. Robbins, Editor of Wisconsin Agriculturalist.

All girls interested in having a tennis tournament please see Miss Curran. If enough girls are interested, arrangements will be made for a tournament.

May 16th has been the date set for the exhibition given by the girls "gym" classes. Drilling has been started for the coming event.

## May Presents Farm Problems in Assembly Thurs.

### Decreased Purchasing Power of Dollar is Farmers Main Difficulty says May

Speaking in assembly Thursday on farm relief, a question of vast importance to the student body, J. M. May made the statement that if he were able to solve the problem he would be in Washington. Mr. May said that the chief difficulty of the farmer is that there is such a difference between the buying and selling power of the dollar.

The farmers dollar is 15c cheaper when he buys than when he sells. Mr. May made the statement that a greater percent of the farmers income goes for taxes than that of any industry.

By the use of charts Mr. May demonstrated how prices had risen but how only the prices on farmers products had fallen while other prices stay up. "We will soon know what President Hoover's stand on the matter will be", said Mr. May.

### ST. OLAF RIVER FALLS BASEBALL GAME

The St. Olaf College baseball team defeated the River Falls Teachers in a loosely played game at Ramer Field last Wednesday 12 to 3. St. Olaf collected 19 hits and allowed only five to the Falls team. In the sixth inning three base hits by Claffin and Larson and singles gave their three runs for the Falls. For St. Olaf Johnson, Peterson, Heiberg, and Amli got three hits apiece.

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## Annual All School Prom Proves Most Successful One In Years; Unusual Decorative Effect Feature Event

The annual Junior Prom which was staged in the North Hall gymnasium Friday night, May 10 was according to many the most brilliantly successful affair of its kind ever held here.

At approximately 8:30 o'clock the receiving line including Clarence Alfonse, Ruth King, Gordon Grimm, Harriette Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Ames and Mr. and Mrs. Eide, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, and Mr. and Mrs. Whitenack, was ready to receive the 105 couples who were in attendance. The following few minutes were occupied in the last steps of program-making. Then given the signal, the orchestra struck into the strains of "On Wisconsin," which was played during the grand march. The grand march was carried through successfully under the leadership of Clarence Alfonse and Ruth King.

About 9:30 dancing began and continued until twelve, D'Amico's orchestra from Minnesota University furnishing the music for the evening. If the worth of an orchestra can be pledged by the en-

thusiasm with which it is received, D'Amico's was supreme.

The unique decorations were the subject of much comment throughout the evening. Under the direction of Margaret Fox, chairman of the decorating committee, an unusual and beautiful scheme was carried out. The room was a Dutch scene, so typical of Holland itself that more than one spoke of it with no little praise.

The ceiling was hung low with blue paper streamers which were brought from the center to the sides in a very effective manner. Miniature dikes were constructed around the whole gym. Their rocky sides and tulip-grown tops did much toward securing the desired effects. In one corner stood the windmill its large wheel revolving constantly with blinking, colored lights. Within the windmill six little Junior High Girls in Dutch Costume served punch.

The walls of the gym exhibited such unusual art that special comment must be made regarding them. Every wall was covered

with large pictures of Dutch landscapes, planned and painted by Kermit Christianson alone. Words cannot sufficiently praise Mr. Christianson's work. The scenes were so remarkably realistic that people gazed in wonderment to see the gym so completely transformed. Mr. Christianson's ability along this line speaks for itself to every one who saw the work either in the making or the completion.

Few lights were used, making the decorations still more impressive. One spot light, a few shaded lamps around the room, and the blinking lights of the windmill were all that were used.

At twelve o'clock dancing ceased and the prom perhaps the most successful ever held here, was over. Much credit is due all the year students who assisted in the necessary preparation and especially to those chairmen, who shouldered the responsibility. Gordon Grimm, as general prom chairman, showed his usual efficiency.

body else lynched for what we have done. For those who are still looking for us with malicious intent please pause a moment and consider all the stuff we didn't print.

"Lowdown" was written for your benefit. Maybe it went beyond expectations? and gave you a chuckle a week. But whether it "clicked" or not, we always enjoyed writing it and then watching you squirm.

This is our "Swan Song." You all can now commit murder and go without publicity, from this source at least. Volume I of "Lowdown" that you have read these past weeks is both the first and the last, and we are sorry. We enjoyed laughing at you, and hope the laughing didn't hurt, not much anyway, and hope laughed a little too.

Yours very truly,  
Harold K. Sombke,  
Gordon W. Grimm.

The students of the fourth year class are busy taking measurements for the caps and gowns which they are ordering for commencement week.

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## River Falls Cops Twice in Public Speaking Contest

Spoooner Wins in Oratory With Fredrick First in Extempore Speech

River Falls won first in the declamation and extempore reading contest held here Friday under the direction of Justin Williams. Spoooner won first in orations and Fredrick first in extempore speaking. The scores were 100, 95, 90, and 90 respectively.

The winners of the contest will represent this district in the state contest to be held at Madison some time later in May. The contest was judged by I. M. Cochran head of the public speaking department at Carleton College. About 24 students represented the surrounding high schools.

The schools represented were: River Falls, Spoooner, Fredrick, Colfax, Hammond, Hudson, St. Croix Falls, Osceola and New Richmond.

The contestants and coaches were entertained at a 5:30 banquet on Friday evening given by the Lincolnian and masquers societies.

## RIVER FALLS HAS MANY IN 1929 GRADUATING CLASS

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Fifteen will graduate from the three year course. They are: Esther Bailey, Eleanor Borner, Vivian Chinnock, Lawrence Dawson, Elaine Forsyth, Bert Foster, Truman Glass, William Hunt, Earl Mc Laughlin, Gerald Manion, Norbert Manion, Harold Segerstrom, Mildred Thomson, Claudia Vassau, and Allan Walker.

Seven will graduate from the two year course. They are: Edris Campbell, Vincil Campbell, Vivian Elliott, Louise Johnson, Mildred Thompson, Charlotte Taylor, and Mathilda Zorn.

One will graduate from the rural course. She is Nelle Foley.

The summer school catalog for 1929 is now out. Mr. Waddell is one of the interesting speakers scheduled for the summer. He expects to give a series of lectures on various phases of high school work.

## JUNIOR HIGH NEWS

### A Disappointment

When the first of May comes 'round  
And there's a creek right near your town  
You want to get out your hook and pole  
And catch a trout in the fishing hole.

You sit down by a little stream  
Where shiney backs of trout do gleam.  
Then you drop in your hook; the line sinks down  
You hope for a trout to take back to town.

A little jerk and then a thrill  
A steaming fish on the window sill,  
Then suddenly you bump your head;  
You find you have fallen out of bed.—Bob Knowles

### "The Lowdown"

Believe it or not, Mr. Eide is looking for a lost bass drum.

This is an Ag. college, but—  
Announcement in Assembly: "All Holstein men will meet in the laboratory immediately after assembly."

Our last big hand goes to "Christy" the lad with the trick moustache and the "kimono" who made the posies, water, and beautiful clouds all over the gym walls for the prom.

Yes, he's the same kind who sculpted for us and then had that bad dream in assembly a few weeks back.

On the strength of this work down here he has two offers to paint barns this summer.

But we musn't forget the magicians who were responsible for that pretty windmill that kept going round and round without any breeze.

Well, folks, what you have been waiting for all year is about to be revealed. We're going to come right out and sign our names to this article. The curious will skip the rest and cast their eye right down to the bottom of this column. Oh! of course you knew it all the

## Webstonians Hold Annual Week End Camping Party

Thirty Two Enjoy Outing at Balsam Lake Camp May 3-5

The Webstonians enjoyed another week-end party at Butter-nut Lodge of Balsam Lake from May 3rd to 5th. The party which was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Webster consisted of ten Webstonians, four graduates who are now teaching, one visitor, and their partners.

The party left River Falls by automobile about 4:30 Friday afternoon and arrived at Balsam Lake at 6:00. Three cottages, three boats, one canoe, a tennis court, and a platform swing completed the camp.

Friday night every one journeyed to Osceola, which is only a short distance from Balsam Lake, and attended a very delightful dance. Saturday morning and afternoon were spent fishing, boat riding, canoeing, swinging, and playing football and kittenball.

Saturday night, the big night of the outing, was featured by a large bonfire with marshmallows, weiners, and crackers. Everyone joined in singing school and many other familiar songs.

Sunday morning was spent taking pictures, canoeing and playing. The big thrill of the day came while taking a trip around the lake in a motor boat. Then after putting the camp in the perfect order in which it was found, the much tired, but happy campers left for home.

time but this is for the others who are not so smart.

We didn't sign our names at first because we were ashamed of our attempts. Later, when we had finally mustered up the courage, it seemed a shame to stop the little game of finding out who wrote the "Lowdown." And then of course there were times when the weather wasn't good for leaving town directly in front of a murderous mob.

We hereby assume all responsibility for everything printed in the "Lowdown." We don't want any-

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