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Falls Men Placed On All-Star Teams As Coaches Meet Friday

Superior Resumes Athletic Relations With Falls As Schedule Is Drawn

Athletic coaches and faculty representatives of the nine schools in the Wisconsin college conference met at Madison on Friday. Coach Klandrud and Prof. E. J. Prucha represented River Falls at the meeting.

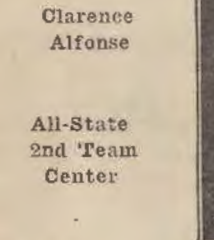
Schedule drawing, selections of the mythical teams, and the usual business meeting were the important events of the day's program. The mentors attended the state high school basketball tournament during their leisure hours.

Two River Falls men placed on the mythical state fives. Ray Helixon became an almost unanimous choice for one of the guard positions. Clarence Alfonso was the center selection on the second team. Two other men, Warwick and Eervin received honorable mention.



Raymond Helixon

Chosen All-State Guard



Clarence Alfonso

All-State 2nd Team Center



First Team

- R. F. Novak, La Crosse
- L. F. Gother, Milwaukee
- C. Van Galder, La Crosse
- R. G. Helixon, River Falls
- L. G. Zimmerman, Oshkosh

The attempt to set a new ruling allowing four years of competition in athletics in the conference was voted down by a large vote at the business meeting. Freshmen playing rules will remain the same for the coming year.

The 1931 schedule will, again, include eight games. Superior will be in the conference next year after a year's vacation. The Yellow Jackets will meet the Falls twice on the cage floor. Two games will also be played with Eau Claire, Stout and La-Crosse.

Pinkerton Man Here to Investigate Theft

A representative from the Pinkerton National Detective Agency spent four days at the college last week making an inquiry into the theft of the tournament receipts on the night of March 19. College officials are expecting him back again this week.

The money disappeared from a small room adjacent to the balcony of the gym. An old rusty key, thought to be the one lost by college authorities more than six years ago, was found in the lock. The thieves did not take the box in which the money was kept, nor did they take a sum of money deposited under the box.

The school administration announces that the employment of a detective is the first movement they will make to clean up the affair. The athletic council has a fifty dollar reward out for the apprehension of the criminal or criminals.

Beg Your Pardon

The name of Edward Kinney was unintentionally omitted from the list of honor roll students which was printed last week. Mr. Kinney, who hails from Amery, made forty-eight honor points.

"R" Club Completes Plans for '31 Formal

Plans for the "R" Club formal are nearing completion. The event will take place in the North Hall gym on Saturday night, April 11.

According to Clair Bartosh, president of the organization, a ten piece orchestra will be secured for the occasion. Invitations to former "R" Club members were issued today. Many new features will appear during the evening.

Costumed Party Well Attended By Collegians

Gorgeous Prizes Awarded To Best Masqueraders

An activity that brought out approximately ninety per cent of the student body was the masquerade party held in the North Hall gym on Friday evening. According to student opinion the event was the Utopian social affair of the present school year.

Costume clad gentlemen and coeds dressed in every conceivable wearing apparel from elaborate gaudy manners of dress to overal and "gunny sacked" individuals gathered during the early part of the evening. More than eighty couple joined in the grand march held at 8:45. A similar number in civilian clothes remained spectators until the judges made the placings and the masqueraders had removed their masks.

Professors Jacobson, Spriggs and Miss Bridges acted as judges. Ten prizes were awarded as follows: best dressed lady; first, Ella Polgar; second, Marjorie Gallup; best dressed man; first, Lillian Kiehotz; second, Orvis Olson; best costumed group; first, Libakken, Buske, Pratt, Johnston, Keeler (all dressed as women); second, Misses Gallup, Hanson, Catur, Stehlow; couples; first, Clarice Olson and Ben Patterson; second, Evelyn Volla and Ray Penn; groups of three; Misses Blaine, Fox and Rhiel (as pirates); second, Neitzke, Hocking and Korting (as prisoners).

Dave Dahl's orchestra from the Twin Cities furnished the music for the occasion.

Band Concert Thursday

A band concert under the direction of Prof. Schliep will constitute the assembly program for Thursday. The occasion marks the first public appearance of the band since the Milwaukee game.

Five selections will be rendered by the musical organization. The program will consist of two marches, one overture and two other numbers.

Go East, Young ! ! Man, Go East ! ! !

The mystery concerning the disappearance of Gordon Page, junior from the college the week previous to exams has at last been solved. According to a report received here last week Page is now in Boston getting ready to enter a school of music.

Leaving here penniless on the morning of March 4th, Gordon hitch hiked his way to the Massachusetts city in less than two weeks. His whereabouts was not known to his friends here until an aunt of his in New York state reported that he had stopped there to get some laundry work done.

Gordon Page was considered one of the most talented musicians at the college. He has also taken part in a large number of stage productions.

Eastertide

By Charles Kingsley

See the land, her Easter keeping,
Rises as her Maker rose.
Seeds, so long in darkness sleeping,
Burst at last from winter snows.
Earth with heaven above rejoices,
Fields and gardens hail the spring;
Glens and woodlands ring with voices
While the wild birds build and sing.

You to whom your Maker granted
Powers to the sweet birds unknown
Use the craft by God implanted;
Use the reason not your own.
Here, while heaven and earth rejoices
Each his Easter tribute bring—
Work of fingers, chant of voices,
Like the birds who build and sing.

Joint Session Tonight Features "Y" Program

A joint session of the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. will be held in the auditorium tonight. A very interesting musical program with Easter numbers is in store for all who wish to come.

The program will be as follows:
Piano Prelude ----- Byron Holtz
Vocal Solo ----- Margaret Kelly
Vocal Number ---- Women's Chorus
Scripture Reading
Vocal Solo ----- Helen Davee
Violin Solo ---- Elaine Christianson
Vocal Solo ----- Glen Gallup
Vocal Number ----- Ag. Quartette
Reading, A Poem

Local Debaters To Be On Air Tomorrow

Falls debate talent will be heard all over the Northwest tomorrow when the locals meet St. Thomas in a radio debate. The broadcast will come over K. S. T. P. at 3:30.

Miss Lucille Garley and Horace Merrill will represent the college in the unique speaking event. The question for debate will be: Resolved that women should be permitted to seek employment on an equal basis with men. The local speakers will uphold the affirmative.

This is the second broadcast made by local college talent during the past month. The other air presentation was made by the string quartet over the Stevens Point station.

Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Men Guests at Stout

Two carloads of men students who are members of the "Y" cabinet journeyed to Menomonie Sunday afternoon where they were the guests of the Stout "Y". The men who made the trip were: I. Taylor, Korting, C. Hanson, G. Graham, C. Nelson, W. Clapp, F. Miller, W. Jueds, J. Thompson, D. Johnston, M. Pratt and Prof. Jacobson.

A get-together meeting including a social hour and a discussion was held at four thirty. The Stout "Y" president, Earl Halvorson, presided. Mr. Aldrich, the state "Y" secretary, led a very interesting discussion.

At six o'clock a three course dinner was served at the Cafe LaCorte.

The men were again assembled at seven o'clock in the "Y" club rooms and a talk was given by Mr. Aldrich on the subject, "What Men Live By." A discussion was afterwards held which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. At eight thirty the meeting came to a close.

Other guests were: Mr. Babcock, State Hi-Y worker of Eau Claire and Dr. Randall of Menomonie.

Compliments should be extended to Pres. Halvorson and the rest of the Stout cabinet and to the faculty advisors: Prof. T. W. Johnston and Prof. H. C. Milness of Stout for the splendid program which was surely enjoyed by all who attended.

Oshkosh Forfeits Debate; Falls Prepares For Finals

Y. M. C. A. to Install New Cabinet April 14

A "home made" banquet in Prof. Jacobson's physics laboratory will be the feature affair of the "Y" organization on April 14. The new cabinet for the 1931-32 school year will be formally installed at that time.

An elaborate dinner will be served at 6:30. The program committee announces that they hope to have Guy V. Aldrich, state secretary, here for the occasion.

Ag Department Devise Plans For Field Day

Seniors Are In Charge Of Annual Event

Committees have been appointed and plans are being formulated for the annual field day scheduled to be put across by the college Agricultural department on Friday, May 15.

Demonstrations and exhibits will be prepared by the seniors in the department. The demonstrations will be given in the gymnasium during the forenoon. The exhibits will be on display all day. The seniors having demonstrations are: Arno Dittbrenner, soil management; Chris Hanson, hog sanitation; William Turner and Carl Larson, entomology; Ed Barber and James Hocking, farm machinery; caponizing, Irwin Lotz; castration, John Lloyd; poultry house construction, Leonard Madison; marketing exhibit, Earl Sanford, Carl Neitzke and Leonard Warner.

In the afternoon a high school judging contest and a fitting and showing exhibition by the college animal husbandry class will be the major attractions. More than a dozen of the high schools in the adjacent vicinity are expected to enter their judging teams. A free noon lunch will be served to the visitors.

An Ag men banquet will close the day's festivities. State and possibly nationally known leaders in vocational agriculture are expected to appear on the evening program.

The committee in charge of the arrangements are: Entertainment, Madison, Neitzke, Miller, Lloyd and Krueger; Banquet, Warner, Turner and Hanson; Publicity, Warner and Dittbrenner.

R.F.S.T.C. Gets Vacation

A four day Easter vacation will be in vogue this week end. There will be no school on Friday or Monday. According to announcement made from the office this morning arrangements will be made to shorten classes and close school early on Thursday afternoon.

Classes will be resumed again at eight o'clock on Tuesday.

Two Ag Seniors Visit "Near" Polar Region

Leaving River Falls under summer skies and traveling through a blizzard and an area covered with nearly four feet of snow before they returned was the experience of two senior men over the week end. The unique trip was made by Arno Dittbrenner and Leonard Madison.

The boys left here early Friday morning, drove 350 miles and arrived at Fish Creek, Door county, in mid-afternoon. A blizzard raged over that region Friday night.

After being towed into a garage three times and waiting many times along the highway for snow plows, the boys reached Green Bay Saturday evening. Ten hours was the time required to traverse the sixty miles.

The roads from Stevens Point over were better the boys reported.

River Falls Speakers Go to Superior as Whitewater Affirmative Comes Here

Oshkosh's forfeiture of the River-Falls-Oshkosh debate scheduled to take place at Stevens Point Friday evening gave the local speaking squad the right to enter the state finals. The Falls and Oshkosh tied for third place in the first round of college debates.

Whitewater and Superior are the other Teacher Colleges to survive the first round of debate. The finals will be held on Friday, April 10th. The schedule made out by the state forensic league and received here by Coach E. W. Harrington calls for the following meets: Whitewater affirmative here; Superior affirmative at Whitewater; River Falls affirmative at Superior. In each case the negative team debates at home.

William Hawkins

Veteran Debater to Compete



Horace Merrill

Captains 1931 Debate Team



Coach Harrington announces a slight change in the personnel of the two teams that will compete for the state championship. The negative team will be composed of: Lucille Garley, William Hawkins and Morris Buske. Leslie Lihakken, Leonard Madison and Horace Merrill will comprise the group that will make the journey to Superior.

According to reports from state forensic circles, Superior boasts of having the best debate team in its forensic history. Reports, also, state that Whitewater's strong team won easily in the first round of debate.

"We're going to have a plenty hard battle to beat those teams," was Horace Merrill's, debate captain, comment.

Falls Coaches Have Teams In State Finals

Marshall Norseng's Chippewa Falls debate team won second place in the state high school debate finals. The championship in this area of forensics went to Baraboo. Milwaukee high school placed third.

The basketball team from Cumberland, coached by Harold Segerstrom, former Falls star athlete, won its first game in the state tournament by blasting Tomah high's hopes 18-14. The Giants of the North lost the next two games, however, and failed to win a place in the tourney standings.

In the Wisconsin state tournament held at Madison last week, Ernie Ziebell's Washington High team of Racine came within a hairline of winning the state championship. The Racine boys lost the final game to Wisconsin High of Madison by a 19-20 score. Ziebell was a star athlete at the college in 1923-24-25.

Voice Staff Declares Vacation

No issue of the Voice will appear next week. As we are now one copy ahead of schedule, the staff takes the liberty of enjoying an Easter vacation without worries of press day hovering about us. We'll be on the air again April 14.

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Geere Emphasizes Musical Values In Educational Areas

Music Head Believes Music Should Be More Widely Studied

Quoting from Henry T. Finck, positive proof that music is the best mind trainer comes from Oxford University. Only 10 per cent of the students there study music; yet this 10 per cent takes 75 per cent of all the school prizes and scholarships. This is not the record of a single year, but the average over a period of 30 successive years.

The students of Culver Military Academy are divided into military companies. The school band is made up of 50 students. A four-year test recently concluded showed that the 50 bandmen led the other companies in scholarship more often than any other unit. And in addition, the fourth year of the contest showed the musicians leading the school in scholastic honors every month in the year.

Leaders in all lines of endeavor find relaxation in music of their own making. Self-expression through music leads to character building.

Music Suggests Attitude

It cannot be denied that music possesses possibilities for developing attitude, but we regret that one seldom comes in contact with music taught in such a way that this most desirable response is the result. This response should be "sensed." In other words it is a feeling or an emotion. This should come from the music itself rather than from something the music suggests.

Through music study one can cultivate this attitude or develop an appreciation or feeling which is closely akin to attitude.

With the increased interest in our general educational circles comes a very much better understanding of the value of music in our school curriculum. There is no doubt or question that music plays a large and ever increasing part in human life. This brings us to the training of the teachers to whom this work is entrusted.

Vast improvements have been made in the past few years in our teacher-training program for special music teachers. Where there is a supervisor of music his or her work must be followed up by the special teacher which in most instances is none other than the elementary teacher. She spends the greater part of the day with the children and occupies the strategic position with regard to the music situation. She can 'make it' or



Prof. M. D. Geere

'break it'. In other words she can create the proper atmosphere for making music highly cultural and a thing of beauty, to be desired or she may do the opposite. Her preparation should be only second to the supervisors in quantity, not in quality.

Should Be Made Compulsory

There should be a definite State requirement in music for all elementary teachers. These requirements should be of high definite standards, not hap-hazard. A large per cent of our prospective teachers enter the training institution or other institution of higher learning with little or no musical background. Only those of us who have had a part in this type of training are aware of the problems that confront the teacher of music in the training institution. Musically illiterate teachers should be on the wane. Our training schools and teachers colleges must, sooner or later, consider music as a basic subject and offer as thorough a course of training in it as in any other subject.

We must develop musical self-expression in our prospective teachers. This can be done only through the use of good music, a definite objective and much specific material. Time is too valuable to be wasted on anything but the best. It is through this work that we must develop appreciations and attitudes of the right type. Properly directed, music needs no academic arguments to win a place for itself in the school curriculum.

So we return to the question on "Why Music"? Because of its usefulness in the post-school life of the students. Twenty years after leaving school, what other activities touch more frequently the life of the majority.

Army Officer Talks On Panama Zone At Assembly Meet

At assembly last Thursday Captain Henry gave an interesting talk on the Panama Canal. He gave a description of the gold-seeking attitude of the early settlers and the resulting "gold trail" across the isthmus. In this connection the importance of the Panama region for passage between the seas at the time of the '49 gold rush was brought out. He explained the questionable manner in which the United States obtained the Canal site. He described the locking system on the canal, and also its size and capacity. He showed by descriptive facts that the large Calebra cut and the necessity for ships to go through it slowly. The difficulty of making maps of the region was also explained; the fact that vegetation tends to grow to the sunlight makes it difficult for them to construct maps that give accurate information on surface conditions.

According to his speech: The interests of the French were taken over by the United States in 1903, and the Canal was completed in 1914. The motto of the Canal is "Land divided-world united." The lock system was used instead of the sea level because of the possibility of rapid erosion with the latter. It is necessary to carry special knives and cut your way in the dense vegetation of the region.

The Atlantic side has twice as much rain and twice as dense vegetation as the Pacific side of that country. The wet season extends from April to December. The best place for tourists to visit is the Atlantic side during the dry season.

There isn't any road across the isthmus, but there is a railroad. All those living in the Canal Zone are working on the Canal.

Poets' Corner

It's the gypsy spirit in me that is being called tonight
And I can't help feel like going when the sky is clear and bright.
Sunset just a wee bit rosy, showing me the joy of life
And the air's so calm and peaceful I forget life's knocks and strife.

When the spring is slowly coming, I can feel it, I can see it.
Everything is sweetly shouting, "Spring is just around the turn."
To control my roving longing, in the evening and at dawning
When the spring is softly calling, is a thing I'll never learn.

It just seems I live for springtime, yet it's then I know no rest
For I long so much for freedom of the soul that spring has kissed.
When the spring rules in Wisconsin, I'm cradled in its arms
It's the mother of this gypsy and I love all of her charms.

Spring gives me a special message long before the rest can know
Telling pussy buds are swelling, that we soon shall have no saow.
And the violets are keeping lovely eyes beneath the ground
Anemomies and bloodroots will be blooming all around.

Soon I'll know again the fragrance of wild cherry blooms and plum
Apple trees will give their blossoms after these first two are gone.
Birds will nest within tree tops and they'll sing their songs of cheer
Everything is full of gladness in the springtime of the year.

E. K.

Cross Words to Appear Again

Due to lack of space, the cross-word puzzle will not appear in this issue. However, the next Voice will contain the regular cross-word puzzle.

Editorials

Thoughts of Easter

With the coming of Easter, the student thought is centered mainly on the Easter vacation and perhaps very little on the day itself. However, Easter is the most joyous day in the Christian year, the festival of Christ's resurrection, the foremost in dignity of all its commemoration.

Easter has this pre-eminence not only because all the other festivals are derived from and regulated by it, but chiefly because it commemorates the great historical fact and fundamental truth upon which the whole structure of the Christian religion rests.

Perhaps we could well afford to pause a few minutes in this materialistic world of ours to turn our thoughts to higher things.

A Gentle Reminder

Although the Voice does not begrudge any faculty members, it cannot help making a comment on a situation which is growing more and more irritable every day. Numerous requests have come to us to call it to the attention of the faculty.

This situation arises out of the persistent habit of certain faculty members in keeping the students two or three minutes after the dismissal bell rings. These same faculty members are loud in their reprimands to students entering their classes late.

When students are asked to travel from South to North Hall or from the Mechanics building to North Hall, they surely need the full five minutes for the trip.

Falls faculty members are known all over the state for their fine cooperative spirit. No doubt, the inconvenience caused by such practice is unknown to them. We are certain that a "gentle reminder" will be taken by them in the right spirit.

Cooperative Power

What can be done under proper management and with the cooperation of the student body was demonstrated at the masquerade party Friday night. Comments during the evening and since the event indicate that students believe the party Friday was the best social event of the school year.

From the time Dave Dahl's music boys sounded their first notes until the last person left North Hall, a splendid spirit prevailed. There was no evidence of "clicks" or the kind of formality that makes such an occasion almost painful. Surely, the social committee must be complemented on the splendid work it did in putting over the event.

Easter Vacation Days

This week end marks the first break in the school year since the Christmas holidays. A four day vacation is the time allotted to the student body for Easter time.

For a large number of us it will be the first time in more than three months that we have been home. A few of us will have to travel long distances to reach our destination. Others, too, will be forced to stay here.

No matter where we spend our vacation let's make it a worth while breathing spell. Make it have a double purpose, inspirational and

Restaurant Geography

Waitress: Hawaii, gentlemen? You must be Hungary today.

Man: Yes, Siam, but we can't Rumania long. Venice lunch ready?

Waitress: I'll Russia to a table. Will you Havana?

Man: Nome, you can't wait on us.

Waitress: Japan a menu? The Turkey's Nice.

Man: Can't Jamaica little speed?

Waitress: I don't think the cook can Fiji that fast, but Alaska.

Man: Just put a Cuba sugar in our Java.

Waitress: Sedan it yourself. I'm only here to Servia.

Man: Denmark our bill and call the Bosphorus. He'll probably Kenya. I don't Bolivia know who I am.

Waitress: And I don't Caribbean. You certainly Armenia.

Boss: Samoa your racket, eh? Don't Genoa customer's always are right? What's got India? Canada noise!

Say, what did Delaware? She wore a New Jersey. Where has Oregon? Does Iowa a Washington? What did Tennessee? How did Wisconsin? Whom did Illinois? Does Virginia Kansas in berry season?

recreational, and let's all be back Tuesday morning ready to do just a bit better the last nine weeks of the school year.

Ped Books

"Class Reunion" by Franz V. Werfel is an exceedingly interesting and readable book. The plot, which is highly original, is powerful in its emotional analysis. The story is not long, a person can easily read it in an hour.

A Viennese judge is confronted by a prisoner charged with murder. The examining magistrate's mind is full of the class reunion which he reluctantly consented to attend. He sees, or imagines that he sees, in the prisoner a former classmate. The class reunion revives vivid scenes of his school days. That night, under some

powerful and unknown influence, the judge is forced to write out his follies and sorrows of his youth which had culminated in a crime for which the judge had thrown the blame on his classmate. The murderer isn't the Adler of the judge's acquaintance and the judge's confessions are not believed.

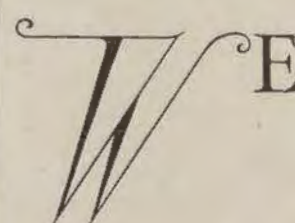


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Eyes Examined

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Intra - Mural Aquatic Meet Tomorrow

Inter College Meets With Stout And Eau Claire Will Be Held In May

The annual class swimming meet will be held in the college pool on Wednesday afternoon (tomorrow) at 4 o'clock. The following men will take charge of their class teams: freshmen, Ernest Begley; sophomores, Earl Lartosh; juniors, John Hammer; Seniors, Clair Bartosh.

The events for the meet are: 40 yard free style, 40 yard breast stroke, 20 yard back stroke, 80 yard free style, plunge, 80 yard relay (four men), 160 yard relay (four men), 120 yard medley (three men), diving (four dives).

The points given for winnings will be as follows: Individual events; 1st, 5 points, second 3 points, third 1 point. Relays: 1st, 10 points; second 5 points.

The swimming meet has been an annual event at the college for the past three years. Present records and holders are as follows: 40 yd. free style, Lund, 26.6 sec.; 40 yd. breast stroke, C. Bartosh, 35 sec.; 20 yd. back stroke, Hammer, 13 sec.; plunge, Hammer, 39.5 ft.; 80 yd. free style, C. Bartosh, 67.4 sec.; 80 yd. relay, Class of '33, 51 sec.

The intra mural meet each year arouses a great deal of class competition. The outstanding performers are selected to represent the school in the triangular meets with Eau Claire and Stout.

Baseball Candidates Practise Outdoors

The baseball candidates who have been working out in the gymnasium during the past two weeks took a liking to the spring weather and had their first workout on Ramer field Thursday. About fifteen fellows participated in batting practice.

Experts predict that River Falls will have a strong team in the field when they open the season with Concordia here. Coach Klandrud has already scheduled nine games and may arrange a few more with semi-pro teams in this community. Eau Claire and Stout will have baseball teams for the first time in years, and they are expected to furnish keen competition for the locals.

The return of Oliver King, veteran catcher, bolstered prospects for a successful nine. A veteran pitching staff composed of "Arnie" Larson and Oral Claflin, right handers, and Gerald Belisle and Elmer Parnell, southpaws, will form the nucleus of the 1931 hurling crew.

Seven veterans will be back to compete for infield positions. The veterans are: Peterson and Juncheon, first base; Vuchetich and Warner second base; Clarence Alfonse, short-stop, and Harry Koteleski, third base.

Larson, Krueger, Helixon and Nelson will return to battle for the garden positions.

Milwaukee Peds Get New Gridiron Coach

Herman Kluge, former Milwaukee student, has been appointed to succeed Percy O. Clapp as football mentor at the Milwaukee school.

Mr. Clapp resigned to accept the position as head football coach at Lawrence College, Appleton. Percy is a former River Falls student, and all his friends wish him much success in his new position.

Mr. Kluge was captain of the Milwaukee football team in 1927. He was an outstanding player, receiving recognition on the All-State team for two years, 1926, and 1927. He was a lineman, playing both guard and at tackle.

Kluge has had several years experience as high school coach, but this is his first attempt at college coaching. His experience included one year at Cudahy high school and one year at Lincoln high of Milwaukee. He teaches the Minnesota system, as does Mr. Clapp.

Sports

W. A. A.
"R" Club
Intra-Mural

Fourteen Men from '30 Squad Back for Nine

Left to right, back row

Oral Claflin, pitcher
Joe Cloutier
Arnold Larson, pitcher
L. Juncheon, infield
Ray Helixon, outfield
Joe Gordon, outfield
H. VanOrnum, outfield
"Pat" Mattison, outfield



Left to right, front row

Elmer Parnell, pitcher
Carl Klandrud, coach
Elmer Sticht, catcher
Norman Kahl, catcher
Frank Vuchetich, infield
Clayton Peterson, infield
Leo Krueger, outfield
Leonard Warner, infield
Harry Koteleski, infield
Clarence Alfonse, infield

Looking 'em Over

By David Johnston

Since the other sport pages are turning towards baseball, we will conform to their method and try a little diamond dust on you.

In case you don't know it, the candidates for our baseball team are working out daily in the gym. From the bunch of first year men out, we would say that a good many men in the school think a whole lot of the game of baseball. And after all, why shouldn't it be as popular as football and basketball.

With twelve men from last year's squad, Coach Klandrud has everything but a battery. "Ollie King" can very easily take over the job behind the plate. King has had plenty of baseball experience, including two years of playing with River Falls back in 1927 and 1928. "Ollie" pitches as well as receives.

Jerry Belisle looks as if he should be able to take over a regular pitching berth. He throws with his left, and has plenty of smoke on his straight ball. He also has a fine underhand delivery which will be a puzzle to most batters. In his high school days he pitched for Turtle

Lake. Some of the boys who played against him then say that he is plenty good.

Last year's infield is intact. Harry Koteleski on third base is sure to beat out all comers for that position. Harry is a good fielder, and a heavy hitter from the right side of the plate. For example, during the first Concordia game last spring, he hit two triples and one home-run. Heavy hitting for a little man. Alfonse, at short, shows the same aggressiveness that is characteristic of him on the gridiron and the basketball floor. Frank Vuchetich, the bespectacled infliedier, will make anyone play hard to take over his position. Frank is a sure fielder from any position. Clayton Peterson is the veteran first baseman. His specialty is stopping wild pegs.

With Ray Helixon stepping around in center field this garden is well taken care of. Ray is the clean-up hitter for the team. He can sock that ball far and wide. Leo Krueger and Arnie Larson play the other two outfield positions. Both are sure ball hawks, Larson being the best hitter of the two.

Athletic Calendar

May 6, Baseball, Concordia here.
May 7, Triangular Golf meet with Stout and Eau Claire.
May 13, Triangular Swimming meet with Stout and Eau Claire.
May 14, Second Triangular Golf meet.
May 15, Baseball, Stout there.
May 16, Baseball, St. Thomas here.
May 20, Second Triangular Swimming meet.
May 21, Third Golf meet.
May 22, Baseball, Stout here.
May 23, Baseball, Minn. Prison.
May 26, Baseball, Concordia there.
May 27, Third Swimming meet.
May 29, Baseball, St. Thomas there

Eau Claire baseball dates have not been arranged at this writing.

Alfonse to Coach at Bloomer

Clarence Alfonse signed a contract last week to teach science and coach at Bloomer.

The graduation of Alfonse in June marks the passing of an athlete and student, who according to all records, has had few equals in this school. The Cumberland lad had another laurel added to his record last week when he was selected on the second mythical all-state cage team.

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Local Opponents Place High In National Meet

Local basketball fans may be pleased to note that the St. Paul Y. M. C. A. team which played here last December reached the semi finals in the National Y. M. C. A. tournament. The Sainly team reached the finals by winning from Niagra Falls, N. Y. in an overtime game.

On three occasions during the season the St. Paul quint played the local cagers. Two of the games went to the Minnesotans. Experts predict that the St. Paul team will win the finals.

Roose Will Officiate at Relays

Harry Roose will be one of the officials at the Minnesota Relays to be held at the U. of Minnesota on Saturday of this week. Harry Roose has refereed football and basketball games in this vicinity all season.

Mathematic Recreations

In a college mathematics class the question was asked that if there were a band of metal around the earth at the equator, how long a piece should be inserted in order to raise it off the earth six inches. The class opinion varied from miles to a few feet. How much do you think should be added?

Golfers Take to Course
College golfers have been busy during the past week getting into shape for the coming season. Coach Klandrud has arranged three triangular meets with Eau Claire and Stout.

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College Briefs

Vernon Nelson, '30, principal of the Junior High at Clear Lake came down for the college masquerade Friday evening.

Margaret Fox, Maxine Blain, Ly-leth Jensen and Robert Fritz recently made personal applications for positions at Centuria, Wis.

The freshmen animal husbandry class began its series of field trips Friday. Prof. A. N. Johnson had the boys judge hogs on the college farm.

Harold T. Richie, '20, Milbank, S. D., was a college visitor Monday.

Laura Bowers, student of the junior high school in 1921, visited at the Roese home last week. She is attending the U. of Minnesota.

Spring vacation prevailed in many of the high schools and grade schools in this vicinity this week. Former students who were Monday campus visitors include: Marjorie Hughes, '30, Hammond; Viola Swenson, '30; Vivian Mayer, '30, Hammond; Harold Segerstrom, '29, Cumberland; Nor Manion, '30, Laverne, Minn.; Donald Olson, '28, Hammond.



We would suggest that for the benefit of all those concerned that Mr. Jacobson scout around for a more efficient assistant in his photography business. It's not so much fun to pose for a picture five times in succession and still have nothing to show for it—especially when some of the fellows' dresses had a tendency not to hitch and when bonnets refused to "stay put."

Here's a problem to solve:—Why the sudden decrease in songsters at school? Does it require prospects of tours to neighboring towns to get chorus members out for practice? Do the forty-five people who appeared in the oratorio but who do not report now think they're doing their duty? It would seem that the thirty-odd members who still appear contributed just as much to its success as the others. Chorus members, in which group do you belong?

Patronize your home industry! That is the slogan in regard to chain stores. According to some comments heard at the masquerade, the same slogan could also be applied to the local dance orchestra.

All recent reports and observations seem to indicate that our campus has grown exceedingly "doggy." We suggest that Prof. Vogel's zoology class be called into consultation to see what can be done to aid the situation.

The person who appeared as a feed sack at the college masquerade must have been hauled back to the elevator soon after the awarding of the prizes. Nobody seems to be able to identify the individual.

Former Ag Men Get New Advancements

That River Falls Ag men make good in Smith-Hughes work was further demonstrated when word was received here last week that two of last year's graduates had received a very substantial raise in salary. According to local comment, a raise in pay during a period of depression like the one we are going through is something unusual.

The members of the '30 class to receive the raises are Lyle Lamphere and Martin Abrahamson. Lyle is at Osceola and Abrahamson is located at Twin Bluffs.

Combined Choirs to Sing

The choirs of the Methodist and Congregational churches will sing Stainer's "Crucifixion" in the Methodist church at two o'clock on Good Friday afternoon.

Fifteen Qualify For Junior High School New Honor Roll

The Honor Roll in the Junior High School at the Teachers College for the term ending March 13 is as follows:

9th Grade: Elza Lou Hanna, Lucille Samuelson, James May

8th Grade: Ruth Milbrath, Robert Moser, Lucile Kay, Gordon Clark, Melvin Greene, Audrey Jones

7th Grade: Mary Katherine Prucha, Lenore Anderson, Glen Crowley, Harry Holtz, Phyllis Gutzler

A perfect attendance record was attained by seventeen pupils. This means no absence nor tardiness for sixty days. The following have a perfect record:

Margaret Carey, Eldon Crain, Iz la Anding, Lucile Kay, Audrey Jones, Keith Barry, Glen Crowley, Earl Keith, Edwin Rosenberg, Carl Scheleen, Charles Stratton, Blanche Eastman, Mary Kathryn Gutzler, Phyllis Gutzler, Mary Kathryn Prucha, Carabelle Smith

Rural Life Notes

The Rural Life Club will hold their next meeting on Wednesday afternoon from 4:30 until 5:30 o'clock instead of Thursday evening. Mr. Saxton, County Superintendent of Pierce County will speak to the rural group at that time.

The Centerville Practice School was closed last week on account of bad roads. Ann Johnson and Kathryn Johnson visited schools in Pierce county during the week. Susan Belbeck spent the week at her home in Chippewa Falls. Alice Knerr spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Rudisell at Centerville.

Minnie Horman has had an appendicitis operation.

The following students have been placed in schools:

Stanly Birkel at Fairview in Pierce county.

Emily Mallon at Herbert in Pierce county.

Dorothy Gaustad at Birchdale in St. Croix county.

Elizabeth Herum at Willow Hill in St. Croix county.

Grace Reitz at Fairview in Dunn county.

STUDENT VOICE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

March 28, 1931

RECEIPTS

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| Bal. on hand Sept. 15, 1930 | \$ 13.38 |
| Activity fee (three terms) | 867.80 |
| Advertising receipts | 370.31 |
| Subscrip. (other than stud.) | 36.00 |
| Publicity fund | 12.00 |
| 1930-31 bank note | 75.08 |
| Total Receipts | \$1374.57 |

EXPENDITURES

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|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Printing | \$853.00 |
| Supplies | 10.93 |
| Sport writer's trips | 6.00 |
| Typing labor | 2.50 |
| Cuts | 32.54 |
| Press Club Expenses | 5.00 |
| Prizes | 4.00 |
| Total expenditures | \$913.97 |
| Receipts | \$1374.57 |
| Expenditures | 913.97 |
| Cash on hand Mar. 28, 1931 | \$460.60 |
| Outstanding on advertising | 86.85 |
| Total Assets | \$547.45 |

The Spotlight

Illuminating the Higher

:- Things in Life :-

They called it the "Annual Masquerade" but that name is rather improper. However, since we haven't a word in our dictionary which means pretty costumes, good music, lots of fun, confetti and laughs, it'll have to do. Besides the gym was crowded and those who missed the affair—well! If you had a better time staying away, costume or no costume, you had some time and please don't be so impudent as to think you'll have another very soon.

Let us take off our hats to those who put on this Masquerade. Everything went along smoothly and what they forgot to have arranged may be termed a minor technicality. However, they didn't even forget to have those looked after.

And the judges! They had one swell time picking the winners. Must have been a few disagreements as to who had the best costumes. However, they did a fine piece of work and the prizes were substantial. Bet the winners will swamp Prof. Jacobson for a picture—hoping they turn out O. K.

One of the bright spots of 1930 is the excellent health record established. The record as set down by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company shows that is the best ever recorded in the United States or Canada. Chicago perhaps can't say that nobody was shot, but they ask you to show them a lower death rate of T. B. than the one they established, 66.1 person per 100,000 population. All in all, we are becoming a healthier nation.

"One of the best criticisms of the modern college curriculum is that it deals with too many little things in a little way," says Frank E. Baker, State Teachers College, Milwaukee.

If you want to be safe from automobiles live in the city. Sixteen rural populated states reported a 14 per cent auto fatality increase while ten urban populated states reported a small increase of 1.5 per cent. How we love to get into the wide open spaces and let'r roll.

Make a brief outline of all your basic reading. It will be one of the most valuable forms of review you have at exam time.

The boys at the Antigo High School have organized a forestry club and at present are clearing a tract of land near Koepenick where 10,000 pine seedlings will be planted this coming spring. This is a plan worthy of consideration in more Wisconsin high schools. Hats off to A. H. S.

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April Fool's Day

There is one day in the year when a person can pull some rare stunts and get away with it. Many devices will be used in carrying out these pranks, the more original, the better.

The old "gag" about the bug crawling around on a person's coat is getting old. However, such practical jokes as placing thumb-tacks where they don't belong, pointing at some imaginary object, or awakening some drowsy classmate by rude methods such as tickling or dashing water over the victim still makes All Fool's Day a picnic for pranksters.

Will G. Johnston, the author of the Universal Handbook, defines an April fool as one who is imposed upon or deceived on April first. Some of us have different ideas on what he means by the term "impose." Thus, we have a variety of ways of reminding our friends that April has arrived.

Perhaps you escaped two Friday the thirteenth without a mishap, but take a tip, and watch your step on All Fool's Day.

:-: W. A. A :-:

Luella Gregerson gave two skits at the meeting of the W. A. A. last Thursday. Marjorie Gallup gave two readings at the meeting.

The W. A. A. girls decided at their meeting to go for a camping trip the first week in May. In connection with this trip, the girls are divided into money-making groups. The money which the girls earn will be used for the camping trip.

The girls were divided into program groups at the last meeting. Each group is to give a program at one meeting before school closes. In this way, everyone will have a chance to be on a program.

The girls met in their individual

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