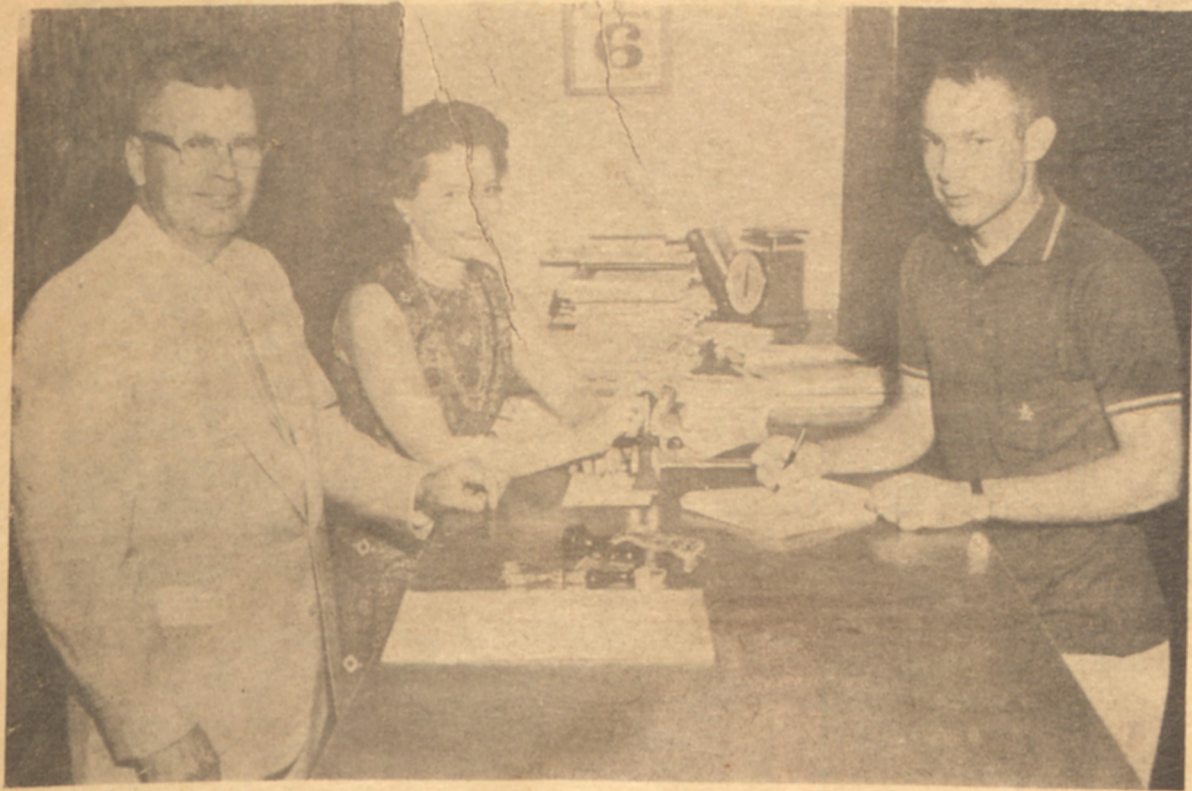


# Record Number Of Students Register



**NUMBER 1800**—A milestone in the history of Wisconsin State College in River Falls was reached last Thursday when the 1800th registration for the current school year was recorded. Number 1800 was Paul Arneson, right, of Spring Valley. Arneson, registering for his third year at River Falls is a junior major in political science. Mrs. Eunice Larson, college cashier, makes ready to stamp Arneson's fee card as Dr. J. J. McLaughlin, supervising registration, looks on. Previous high enrollment at the college here was 1680 a year ago.

## New Freshmen Enrollment Below Last Year's Figure

A record-breaking number of students enrolled for classes last week at River Falls as 1812 persons had registered by Friday noon. Late registrations are expected to swell the total even more.

The enrollment figure is 161 higher than those registered by the same time last year. It is 132 more than the total registration figure for last fall. Last year's enrollment was the previous high for the College.

Although the total number of students is higher, the number of new freshmen is down from last year. Last fall there were about 650 freshmen, while only approximately 580 have signed up for classes this fall. Decline of economic activity was given by the registrar as one of the major reasons for the decrease. The high percentage of returning students made the enrollment figure higher.

The number is below the projected figure set forth by the Board of Regents, which forecast 1900 students. However, the figure set by the Co-ordinating Committee for Higher Education was

surpassed. This projection was 1800.

No breakdown of students by classes was available by press time. It will be published in next week's *Student Voice*.

## Dr. McLaughlin Named State ACT Director

Dr. J. J. McLaughlin, dean of the School of Arts and Sciences, has been appointed director of the state offices of the American College Testing program, it was announced last week.

The state director's position gives Dr. McLaughlin the responsibility of coordinating the state testing program with the national organization.

Dr. McLaughlin was one of the committee that organized and standardized the ACT's for the state with those of the rest of the nation.



# Student Voice

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## Poland To Be Speech Topic Next Friday

Political-sociologist Dr. Jerry Wiatr will speak at an all-school convocation Friday at 10:40 a.m. in North Hall Auditorium. His announced topic is "The Social Bases of Polish Politics."

Dr. Wiatr is a delegate from Poland to the Vth World Congress on Sociology. He has emphasized research and teaching in the area of Polish elections since 1945 and the sociology of the United States Army for the latter research, he spent a year in this country gathering material for work published in Warsaw in 1962. Prior to this, he had published four articles in Poland and two in the United States, treating on the relationships between politics and sociology.

Having made his acquaintance in the summer of 1960, Dr. Peterson arranged for Dr. Wiatr's trip from Washington to speak to the River Falls student body and groups of social science students, for several reasons: Dr. Wiatr represents a rising group of young scholars in Eastern Europe. A student of his own Polish and American culture, he is qualified to make suggestive comparisons. A student of the political organization of Communist Poland, he could offer an explanation of how society is organized in Marxian countries. He would offer the student body and faculty a unique opportunity to question a scholar from a society about which we need to know much more.

Following the lecture, he will be available for general questioning about life in Eastern Europe and his specialized research.



Fr. Higgins talks to freshmen at Church night

## Europe Is Described By Fulbright Scholar

Mr. James DeMarce presented a lecture Monday afternoon at 1:25 in the Little Theatre. He spoke upon life in Europe for the Fulbright Student.

Mr. DeMarce, a River Falls graduate in 1961, is one of two Fulbright Scholars from this college. He spent the last year at the University of Erlangen, studying the rise of the Hitler party in the 1920's. He has been awarded a Woodrow Wilson grant for further study toward the doctorate in German History at Stanford University.

While in Germany, Mr. DeMarce spent a week with other Fulbright students in Berlin, about which he

has reported his impressions of life in East Berlin and the apprehensions of West Berlin. He also made "The European Tour", during various free periods at the University.

As he planned to visit his home in Spring Valley in early September before leaving for California, the opportunity was available for his revisiting the campus. He was accompanied by his recent bride, the former Virginia Easley of Columbia, Missouri. Mrs. DeMarce was also a Fulbright scholar, of Reformation history, at Erlangen, and has also been awarded a Wilson grant at Stanford.

## Students Helping Iranian Victims Of Earthquake

Students on campus will be given the opportunity to contribute to the relief of victims of the recent Iranian disaster. The Foreign Student Association will be in charge of the collections.

The money collected here will be sent to the Red Lion and Sun, the Iranian Red Cross.

As of Thursday, 7,500 people have been buried, and the toll is expected to reach more than 10,000. In Tehran, where all five Iranian students on campus are from, more than 2,500 people are hospitalized.

Many countries and colleges are also collecting funds for Iranian relief.

## Germanson Appointed Registrar

Melvin Germanson was elevated to the position of Registrar, it was announced last week. The appointment was effective at the start of the school year.

In announcing the appointment, Dr. J. J. McLaughlin said that it was in recognition for the job that he has done as assistant for the last few years.

Dr. McLaughlin will retain his position of Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences. He will also remain as the head of the Academic Standards Committee.

Mr. Germanson, a native of La Crosse, graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1958 with a bachelor's degree in business administration.

He joined the College in May 1959, and has worked in the Registrar's office since then.



Mr. Germanson

**Editorials**

**Registration, 1962**

After hours and hours of waiting and standing in line, registration is over. For most of us, it was necessary drudgery to be endured. For some, it was just a matter of one or two hours.

We have heard many comments on the manner in which registration was handled this year. Most were uncomplimentary. Very few thought that it was handled well.

We are of the other opinion. True, there was a long line in Karges waiting to pay fees. This, perhaps, was unavoidable. There were two lines in which one could pay his fees. This is a step in the right direction. It is possible that more faculty members could be made available for the process that seemed to take the longest. Or the sorting and checking of class cards could be separated from the paying of fees.

There was also a long line in North Hall, especially on Wednesday afternoon at 1. However, several hours later, there was no line at all. Moreover, most of the people in the line were not able to obtain cards until Thursday morning. If they had read their registration directions, much of the congestion would have been relieved.

The idea of sorting students and staggering registration times is an excellent one. The students were handled reasonably well, and the enormous crowds which were characteristic of previous registrations were, for the most part, avoided. In this connection we can remember the horribly unmanageable crowds in the North Hall Gym and in the halls of South Hall.

This year, once inside the gym, there was not such a number of people that one could not see his adviser within a short period of time.

In view of the fact that a record number of students registered, we feel that the administration did an excellent job, and that registration will be less painful from now on.

R. B. B. Jr.

**Meeting Notices**

Any organization that wishes to have their notices published in the **Student Voice** must bring their notices to the Voice office in the basement of the Student Center and place them on the spindle on the desk there.

**YGOP**

Important meeting at which the year's program will be presented. Monday night, Sept. 17. Lunch served.

**Chemistry Students**

All chemistry students interested in Chemistry 195 (seminar) during fall quarter should contact Mr. Setterquist in 20N.

**FFA**

There will be an introductory meeting for incoming freshmen on Thursday, Sept. 13, in North Hall Auditorium at 7 p.m. A coffee hour will follow. All interested persons are invited.

**Toastmasters**

The first meeting will be Wednesday at 6 p.m. in 201-2 S.C. Anyone interested in speaking is welcome.

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**Prologue Meeting**

There will be an organizational meeting Monday at 7:00 p.m. for those students interested in working on the **Prologue** staff. Prologue is a literary and graphic arts magazine published quarterly by the students at River Falls.

Work on the **Prologue** is two-fold; production and contributions of material suitable for publishing. Both are needed. Production requires that we have typists, production assistants, illustrators and publicity committee members.

If you are unable to come to the meeting contact either Darlene Erickson, room 307 Hathorn Hall, or Mike Vaughan, 112 S. Third St.

**Hours Announced**

**GAME ROOM**

Robert Brock, Student Center director, released the following schedule for the game room:  
 12 noon — 10 p.m. daily.  
 12 noon — 11 p.m. Saturday.  
 1 p.m. — 10 p.m. Sunday.

**CAFETERIA HOURS**

Lee Palmer, Ace Foods supervisor, announced the hours for the cafeteria and the Falcon's Cage. They are:

**Falcon's Cage —**  
 7 a.m. — 10 p.m. daily.  
 8:30 a.m. — 10 p.m. Saturday.  
 12 noon — 9:30 pm. Sunday.

**Cafeteria —**

Breakfast — 7 - 8:30 a.m.  
 Lunch — 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
 Supper — 5 - 6:30 p.m.  
 On weekends the meal ticket holders will eat in the Falcon's Cage. The hours are:  
 Breakfast — 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.  
 Lunch — 12 noon - 1 p.m.  
 Supper — 5 - 6 p.m. (Sat. only).

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# Registrants Find Patience Pays Off



Waiting for Permits



How does she know?

Patience proved the key to registration this fall. Photographers Mike Lukowicz and John Bergene dusted off their equipment and joined the masses. Here are some of the situations and expressions produced by the annual immigration of students trying to enter the halls "Where the Free Spirit Prevails" as our photographers saw it.



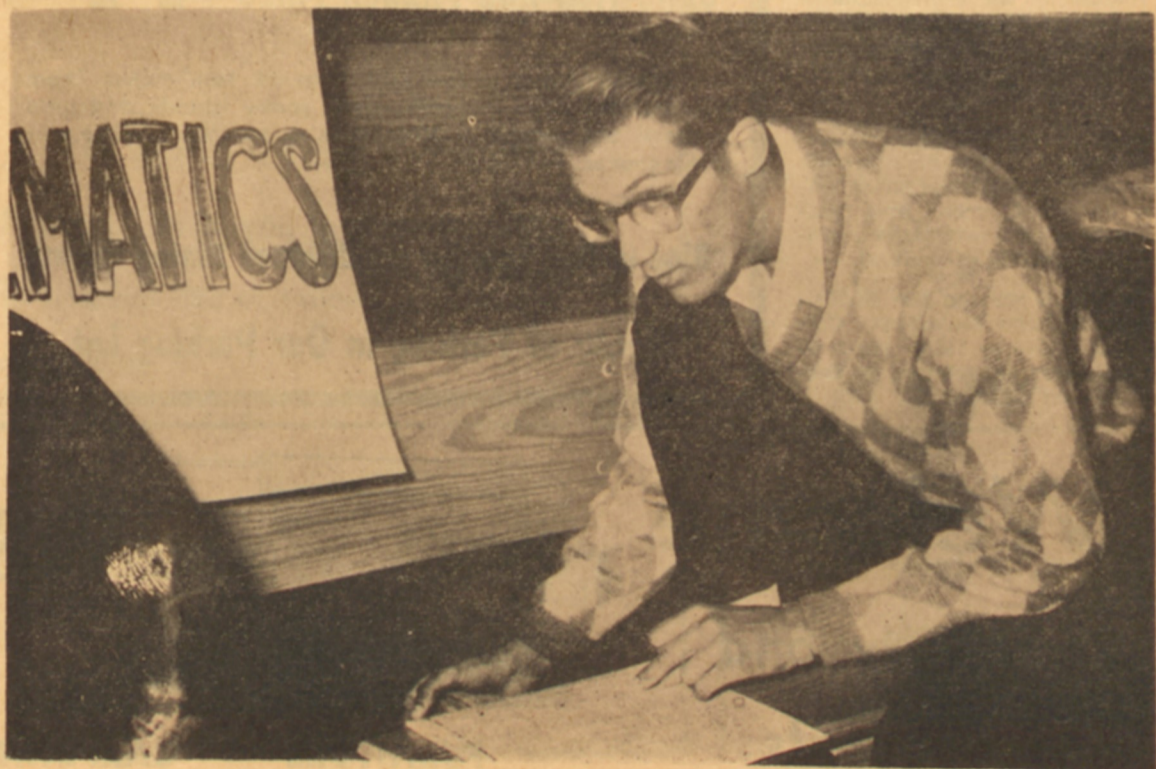
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# Students Use Near Million Of State Loans Last Year

Gov. Gaylord Nelson announced recently almost \$1 million was lent to Wisconsin college and university students in the ten months since inauguration of his \$5 million student loan program late last fall.

The State Department of Public Welfare, which administers the program, has approved 2,252 loans totalling \$998,673 since the Nelson program began. The totals include those granted so far for summer sessions.

In contrast, only 265 loans totalling \$68,413 were granted during the school year 1957-58, the last full academic year before Nelson took office. State funds available for student loans also were increased under the governor's program by the 1959 legislature during the first Nelson administration.

The University of Wisconsin led all other institutions with 943 loans granted, totalling \$452,700. The average loan throughout the state was approximately \$443.

Marquette University, Milwaukee, was second with 250 loans granted for a total of \$138,135. Other institutions ranking high in student loans were Oshkosh State College, 186 loans, \$64,232; Platteville State College 129 loans, \$50,077; Stout State College, Menomonie, 122 loans, \$50,020; and Eau Claire State College, 105 loans, \$40,247. River Falls had 43 loans for a total of \$16,658.

The Nelson program made \$5 million available for student loans without cost to Wisconsin taxpayers. The program is financed by investing a portion of idle state funds in student loans rather than in government securities.

Under the Nelson program, a student may borrow \$750 in any academic year and an additional \$250 during a summer session. The previous maximum was \$440. The \$5 million program, taking account of increased costs of education, permits a maximum of \$5,000 in loans per student, compared with the previous \$1,600, and makes graduate and professional students eligible for loans. All the loans are repaid at interest.

# Senate Sponsors Health Insurance

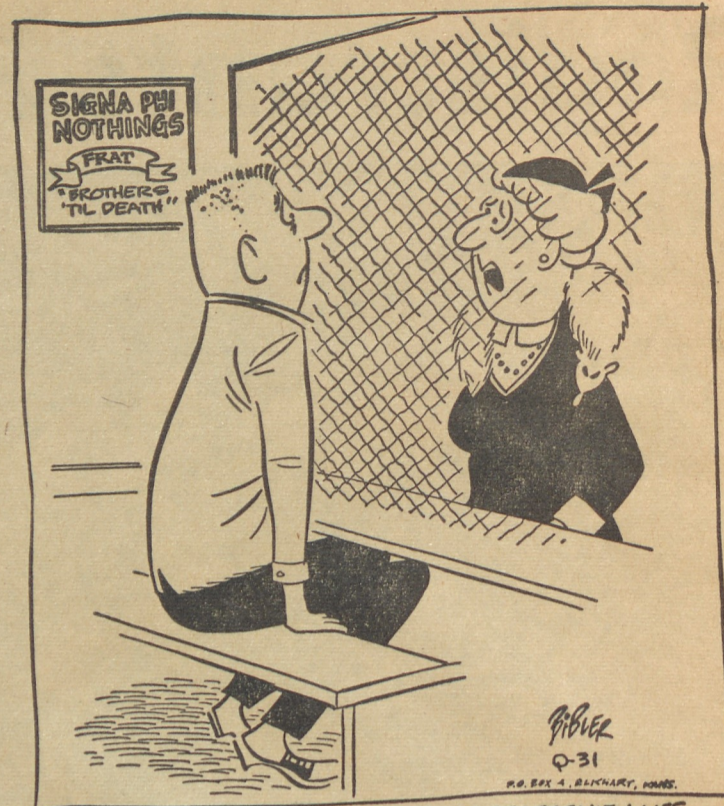
The Student Senate has announced that it will sponsor a health insurance program again this year as a service to the student body. The program will be operated at a minimal cost to the subscribing student in order to make it available to as many as possible.

Those who have not subscribed to the program will be able to do so until Sept. 20, the announcement said. Interested persons are to contact any member of the Student Senate for further information.

# Seimers, Beck Conduct In-Service Workshop

Professors Allan A. Siemers and Carlton E. Beck conducted three in-service workshops in social studies and English at Unity, Rice Lake and Spooner high schools in August. The workshops discussed courses of study, provision for the academically talented student and new curricular developments at the national and state levels.

In addition, the elementary and secondary faculty at Spooner heard an explanation of the College's graduate and intern program, and the current changes in the traditional student teaching program.



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# Fulbright Grants For Next Year Now Available

U. S. Government scholarships for graduate study or research abroad are available for the 1963-64 academic year, under the Fulbright-Hays Act. The grants, administered by the Institute of International Education, provide round-trip transportation, tuition and maintenance for one academic year in any one of 46 countries throughout the world.

In addition, Travel-Only grants, which supplement a scholarship awarded by a foreign university, government or private donor, are available to any one of seven participating countries.

General eligibility requirements are: U.S. citizenship, a bachelor's degree or its equivalent in professional training, language ability commensurate with the demands of the proposed study project, and good health. Preference is given to applicants under 35 years of age.

Students may obtain information and application blanks from Dr. Robert Bailey.

# Spelling Program Developed

The Sound Spelling Program, a new approach to learn and teaching spelling, has been developed by a former River Falls faculty member, Hugo Hartig of Eastern Oregon College, La Grande, Ore.

The spelling program, published in August by the Conversaphone Company of Chicago, consists of six volumes of phonograph records with 400 basic spelling words on each record.

Starting with the lower elementary grades and extending through the college level, the program utilized immediate recall and reinforcement and is essentially a programmed method of spelling.

Mr. Hartig was on the English faculty at River Falls State College from 1955 to 1958. He is in the education department at Eastern Oregon College.

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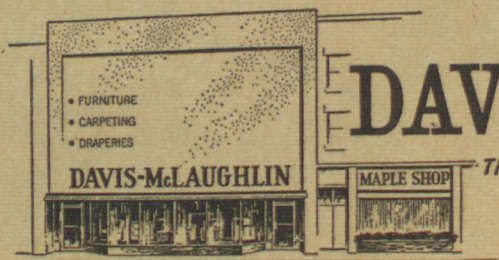
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# Auggies Spoil Falcons' Opener 7-6

## Blocked Kick Gives RF Lone Touchdown

Augsburg college continued its dominant lead over River Falls in their season opener Saturday night at Kane Field by downing the Falcons for the fourth consecutive year this time by the score of 7-6.

The game, played under a steady drizzle, was a close, hard fought contest all the way. The rain hampered play for both teams; however the Falcons managed to pick up some sizable gains via the air route.

For most of the first half the game was played fairly deep in River Falls territory. The Falcons kicked off to start the game, and after an exchange of punts the Auggies found themselves in a position where they were almost

knocking at the door throughout the first half.

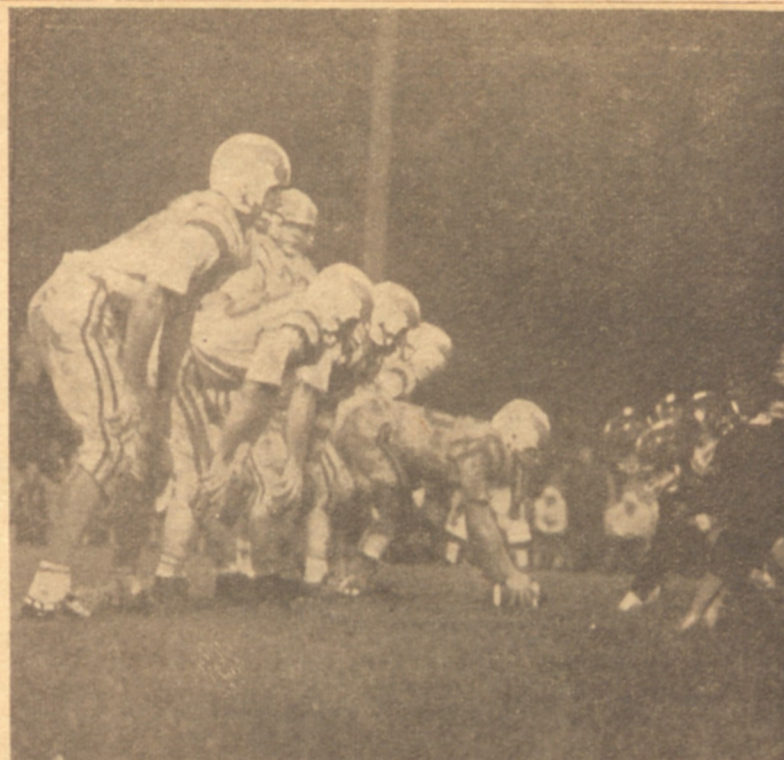
Augsburg broke the scoring ice midway through the second quarter, scoring on a 15 yard pass to last year's menace (as far as the Falcons were concerned), Phil Hansen. Hansen scored 18 of his team's 19 points last season and was a standout on defense. The kick for the extra point hit the goal post and bounced over to give Augsberg a 7-0 lead. For the remainder of the first half neither team managed to pose a serious threat and the Auggies left the field at intermission holding a 7-0 advantage.

River Falls played inspired ball during the third quarter but were unable to get a sustained drive underway. The Falcons got a break late in the quarter when the defense forced Augsberg into

a punting situation deep in their own territory. Senior tackle, Harold Rivard, broke through the line and blocked the kick and teammate Gary Burke fell on it in the end zone to account for the lone River Falls tally. The extra point attempt was blocked and the Falcons trailed by a single point.

River Falls threatened twice in the fourth quarter, but couldn't push it over, as the wet ball coupled with the slippery field led to frequent fumbles on both sides.

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6	Passes Completed	3
0	Passes Intercepted by	1
3	Fumbles	3
152	Total Yardage	113
3	Punts	3



TENSE MOMENTS during the action of Saturday's game with Augsberg, as River Falls and the Auggies are set for the snap of the ball. Augsberg spoiled the Falcon opener for the fourth straight year, by downing the "Big Red" team 7-6.

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## Tapping The Sports Line

by Curt Thurston

As the baseball pennant drive now narrows down to the final three weeks of the season it has become apparent that the Yankees and the Dodgers will be facing each other in the Fall Classic again this year.

Although many of the Yankee players have been having sub-par seasons this year they have still

managed to come up with a winning combination. The Dodgers have shown that their youth movement is finally paying off. They are having their finest season on the coast, both on the field and at the gate.

While the baseball diamonds across America are seeing less action each week the gridirons have suddenly come alive with activity as prep, college and professional teams across America get ready for the coming season which will last until New Years Day.

Football appears to be gaining more and more popularity each year. New attendance records are set each season as thousands of fans pass through the turnstiles to watch their favorite team in action. During the past two years professional football has increased its number of teams to ten by forming a new league and adding two teams to the National Football League. The new American Football League, now in their third season has had much more success than the new basketball circuit.

Starting next week this column will be your foremost authority in the world of football prognostication as it has in past years.

## Oshkosh Next Falcon Foe

River Falls begins preparation for their first conference game of the season Saturday, September 15, against the Yellowjackets of Oshkosh. This will be the first conference action for both teams this year. River Falls dropped its opener to Augsberg 7-6 in a steady rain, while Oshkosh was idle last weekend.

Last season River Falls edged the Yellowjackets 12-6 though the Falcons were second best in every department except the score. Late in the third quarter of last year's game with the score tied six all, end Duane Tollefson blocked an Oshkosh punt and the other defensive end, Tom Overman, picked up the loose ball and scampered 22 yards for the score.

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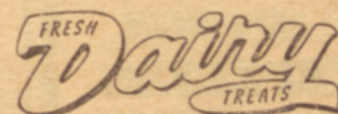
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## IM News

Intramural director, Ben Bergsrud, announced the formation of this year's touch football leagues.

According to Mr. Bergsrud the games will start Monday, September 17. Rosters must be turned in to Mr. Bergsrud no later than Friday, September 14 at 4 o'clock. Each roster must include a minimum of 15 players, the team name and its captain.

If enough teams apply from the dorms, there will be a separate dorm league formed.

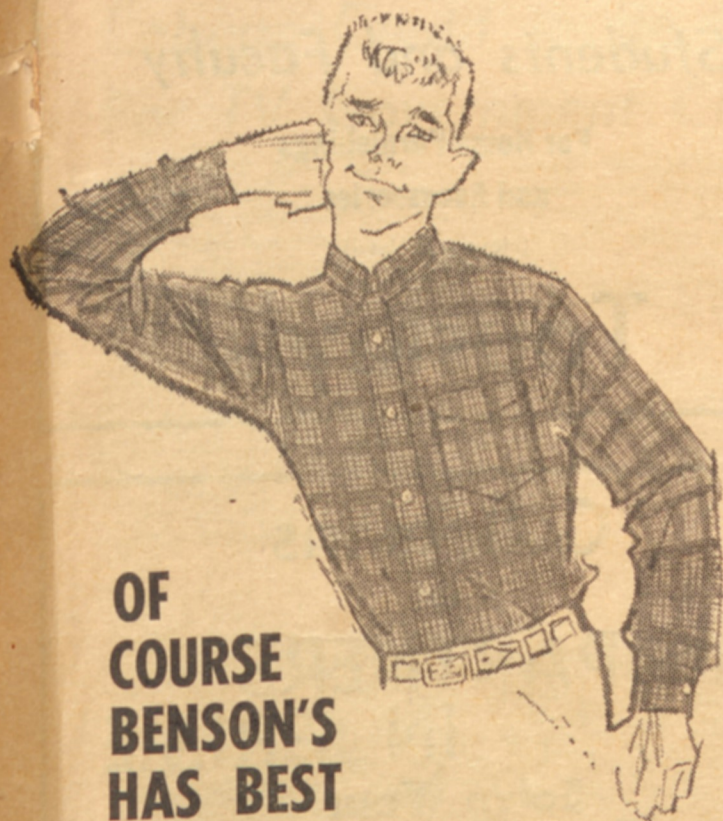


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At the dance Friday night

(Photo by Bergene)

## Piano Satirist Fascinated Audience, Says Reviewer

by Chris Becker

On Wednesday evening, Sept. 5, pianist Stan Freeman demonstrated to his River Falls audience that he was indeed more than a piano satirist. Mr. Freeman's repertoire of silly songs and wit were satire; however such songs make up only a part of the story behind the Freeman fame.

The other part is an unquestionable mastery of the keyboard. There were times that night when even the quickest eye could not follow the maze of fleeting fingers. Whether the piece was classical or popular, the audience was absolutely fascinated.

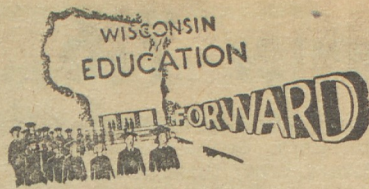
When it seemed that the audience had exhausted this man's talent through repeated encores, the pianist agreed to play a medley of student requests. Mr. Freeman even delighted the heart of one poor student when the pianist consented to play his beloved "Chopsticks." More serious requests included "Moon River," "Theme From The Apartment," and "Autumn Leaves."

Earlier in the evening, Mr. Freeman demonstrated how to obtain a honky tonk effect from a piano simply by placing a tin chain across the sounding board. As the pianist reached inside with his chain he said, "By the way, don't do this to your own piano. You'll ruin it."

To all who attended this convocation, it was obvious that Mr. Freeman could have presented an enjoyable program without both of these talents. However, the fact that this outstanding entertainer did combine his talents made the evening doubly enjoyable.

## 'Under Milk Wood' Tryouts Scheduled

Tryouts for the fall play, Under Milk Wood, by Dylan Thomas, will be held at 7 p.m. Monday in the Little Theatre. This will be the first production of the year by the drama department. There will be roles for about 30 students.



Faced with enrollments that literally stagger the imagination, institutions of higher education, along with persons interested in their development, have been considering various means of meeting the enrollment challenge.

Considerable attention has been centered on technological improvements—closed circuit television, audio-visual aids, language laboratories—and upon the use of larger classes in certain academic fields.

### Scheduling Arrangements

Interest has also been exhibited in scheduling arrangements—making increased use of Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays which are the traditional "slack days;" shifting from the semester to the new trimester or somewhat similar arrangement; extending the class day by starting earlier and continuing later into the evening.

In line with this general approach, some persons are beginning to believe it might be fruitful to attempt to balance the enrollment between the fall and spring semesters.

### Spring Drop

Traditionally in most colleges and universities there is a drop of about 8 to 10 per cent when the spring semester starts in February. This is caused by such factors as mid-year graduation, voluntary and involuntary student withdrawals for numerous reasons including academic failure, financial problems, marriage, entering the Armed Services or deciding upon immediate employment.

### Late Starts

Several State College presidents indicated that they were encouraging some students, especially those whose high school records were not promising, to start in the second semester. At the same time, however, many of the presidents thought that a definite policy which would insist that certain students enter only a certain times would not be helpful. Most would prefer increased use of the summer sessions for screening out marginal students, better counseling and guidance procedures in high schools and colleges, expanded loan and scholarship programs, and probationary policies, as now in use in the State Colleges, which give most freshmen at least one year to try to make the grade.



Beeson

## Editor of 'Voice' For Fall, Winter Is Bob Beeson

The editor of the Student Voice for the fall and winter quarters is Robert B. Beeson, Jr., senior from Hudson. Mr. Beeson was appointed to the post by the Student Senate at its last meeting last spring.

He had previously served on the Voice staff for two years, and worked on the summer edition of the Voice.

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