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CHAMPIONSHIP HOPES FADE

Music Department

Puts On Fine Program

Students Enthusiastic Over Concert.

Miss Lemmer, violinist, and Professor Geere, baritone, both instructors in the music department, gave the students an exceptionally fine musical treat at last Thursday's Assembly. Although the ability of each as an instructor has been fully demonstrated during the last few months, neither has assumed the role of individual concert performer for the benefit of the entire school before. However, neither had to put on the role—both are as well suited to the concert stage as the positions of instructor and director.

The very marked enthusiasm with which the different numbers were received demonstrated the opinion of the students as to the ability of the musicians. We don't pretend to be complete musical critics in this school, but we know good music from something else. Whether it was Miss Lemmer's singing violin or Mr. Geere's strong baritone that held the center of attention, the audience was caught and swayed by the power of music well chosen and well executed.

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AG. PLAYS COMING

The annual Agrifallian play, for the benefit of the Crop and Poultry Show, will be given tomorrow night in the auditorium at eight o'clock, under the direction of Miss Schlosser. Perhaps we should have said plays, since the entertainment this year consists of three one-act plays, instead of the longer three-act play. This idea, Miss Schlosser tells us, is "quite the thing" back East, where she spent last winter.

Both coach and casts have been working hard, and you will not regret the price of a ticket to see

"Suppressed Desires,"

"Two Crooks and a Lady," and

"Poor Old Jim."

Reserved seats are on sale today at Freeman's Drug Store.

R. F. STUDENT SPENDS SUMMER ON RANGE

Everett Smith Reports Interesting Experiences.

Everett Smith, the winner of the 3 1-2 mile run on Homecoming Day, spent his summer in a very unusual way. He worked, first as compassman then as assistant geologist, with the State Geological Survey. The expedition was prospecting for copper north of the Gogebic Range up to the Bad River Indian Reservation. Their activities covered four townships. Good surface indications of copper were found, but they were far between.

Their daily work was to hike 15 miles to look for copper indications. Copper is detected by the appearance of rocks containing "fools' gold", rocks with green strains, and by tracing lava flows in which copper is apt to be found.

More volcanic activity is evident in the northern part of Wisconsin than in any part of the world. Some of the oldest land in the world is our own Wisconsin which was at one time an island.

The outfit of nine men slept in tents which did not always prove very stable during high winds. During June their tents were blown down two or three times a week. One time Smith's tent blew away; his cot fell over and he grabbed it, to find himself sailing through the air for 10 or 20 feet. Two tornadoes passed near them during the summer.

The professor of geology of a big eastern college, the general manager,

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NOTICE TO ORATORS!

Final copies of orations are due Monday morning, November 26th, at 9:30 a. m. The preliminary will be held in the Society Room Thursday afternoon, December 6, beginning at three o'clock. Be sure to arrange for a schedule for rehearsals at the time you hand your oration in.

Mitchell, Coach.

Superior's Trick

Plays Count Twice

Team Makes Game Tight But Takes Small End of 14 to 0 Score.

Fighting gamely and consistently throughout the entire struggle, the Normal eleven lost its chance of state championship last Friday as it went down to defeat on Ramer Field to the worthy Superior eleven by the score of 14 to 0. It was a contest in which a heavier as well as fast team proved to be the deciding factor in the winning of the game. The Superior team is a strong, speedy, and well coached team, one of the best in the Normal conference. This game with Superior was looked forward to as the hardest game of the season, and Superior certainly was the strongest team the Falls has had to meet. It has been a case of hard luck that this squad from the north lost two conference games earlier in the season, for Superior has not been decidedly out-played.

The Superior line put up a stone wall against line plays and an equally good defense against forward passes. The Falls line held against any consistent gains; however, Superior managed to put over several trick plays that were responsible for both touchdowns.

In the first quarter the break for Superior when they intercepted a

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FAIRLY BEATEN,

SAYS EGGBRECHT

Coach Eggebrecht:

"Two fake plays and excellent punting by Murphy defeated the Red and White against Superior. Our eleven failed to recuperate enough after the Eau Claire game to beat Superior. I still believe our fourteen regulars are as good as any in the conference. With ten of these men, River Falls can look forward to a strong team for the coming year and a heavier schedule."

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MUSIC DEPARTMENT PUTS ON FINE PROGRAM

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cuted. It was undoubtedly the finest assembly program of the year—one which we will not soon forget. Outside talent, even of as high a quality, will never be any more appreciated. We are, indeed, most fortunate in having such musical talent represented on the faculty of the school.

The program, presented by Miss Lemmer, accompanied by Miss Giese, and Mr. Geere follows. It might be well to add that the piano accompaniment to Miss Lemmer's violin was quite up to the standard of the rest of the music:

Arm, Arm, Ye Brave—from Judas Maccabaeus—Handel, - Mr. Geere
Cavatina—Raff, - - Miss Lemmer
Song of India—Rimosky-Korsakow, - - - - Miss Lemmer
Negro Spiritual—"De Old Ark's A' Moverin, - - - - - Mr. Geere
"La donna Mobile," (Duke's Aria from Rigoletto by Verdi), Mr. Geere
"The Wreck of the Julie Plaute,"

(Canadian Habitant Song)—
O'Hara, - - - - - Mr. Geere
Rodino on a Theme by Beethoven, - - - - - Miss Lemmer
At Sundown—Burleigh, Miss Lemmer
"The Bandolero,—Stuart, Mr. Geere
"King Charles"—White, Mr. Geere
Encore—"A Dream" by Bartlett, - - - - - Mr. Geere

DANCE

The dance last Friday in the North Hall gym was attended by a fairly large crowd. Many of the Superior team and rooters attended the dance. The "Kinnickinnic Originators" furnished good music. Fewer River Falls students attended this than any dance held in the gym this year. If it is due to the fact that the girls don't get asked, the boys better brace their feet and ask a girl. On the other hand, if the girls turn you men down, don't be afraid to ask another girl and run the chances on the "first girl" keeping "mum." At any rate, we want better attendance at Normal dances.

Elmer Benson, '17, leads the topic "The Backbone Needed Today," at the Christian Endeavor meeting next Sunday at the Congregational church. 7 p. m.



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R. F. STUDENT SPENDS
SUMMER ON RANGE

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and the chief geologist of the Calumet and Hecla Copper Mining Company, which is the biggest copper mining concern in the world, visited the Survey expedition to see what success they were having. These guests were more than welcome in a country where in one of the townships lived only one person.

A regular hard-boiled guy was the cook, who had bummed and soldiered his way all over the world. He was a good cook even tho he was usually in a soaked condition.

The conveniences of civilization were conspicuous by their absence, The men carried their extra clothes in grain sacks. They washed their clothes in the rivers on the banks of which camp was always pitched. To get the mail they were obliged to walk seven miles after dark thru the woods, carrying a flashlight in one hand and a small axe in the other.

This was their daily schedule: Rise at 5:30; on the way by 6:30 thru woods and swamps to their day's work; an hour's nooning; return to camp by 6; after supper, get wood for the cook; recreation until 8; reports made at office tent 8-9:30. Then they could go to bed and sleep unless they wanted to lie awake listening to the wolves' concert.

Forest fires all around them made the air smoky continuously. In fact, one-third of one of the townships over which they worked were burned out a couple of weeks before the Survey arrived.

As a climax to such a summer, Smith hiked home. He made the trip of 260 miles by railroad (60 miles), by auto, and by foot in three days. He slept one night in a lean-to he built, and the other night, rolled in a blanket, he spent in a cornfield. Incidentally it rained both nights.

The men with whom Smith worked were students of the Geology Department of the U. of W. and members

of the State Geological Survey. Two of the students were sons of noted professors at the U., two of them were U. athletes, two had their B. S. degrees, and two, their M. S.

Smith reports that he hiked through Park Falls but he failed to see any monument to Behnke.

SUPERIOR'S TRICK
PLAYS COUNT TWICE

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pass on the 50 yard line. First down was made to the 35 yard line. On a trick play off short end Westlund, the star Superior half-back, got away with the ball, eluded Ziebell at safety and crossed the goal, the first time the Falls goal has been crossed in this year's conference games. Murphy counted another point with a goal kick.

Stung by this lead, the local eleven started with determination towards the south goal. They ripped through the Superior line to the 50 yard line for the first down. This march was stopped when Superior recovered a fumble. The Falls gained more yardage during the rest of the quarter, but Murphy of Superior showed a wicked toe when it came to returning punts. His punts averaged over 40 yards and always fell into the Falls territory.

Neither side showed any danger of scoring during the second quarter. Superior made two first downs to the Falls one. Several of Ziebell's passes that looked mighty good were fumbled. The half ended with the ball on Superior's 35 yard line.

The Red and White came back strong in the third quarter and fought Superior in their territory. The trick plays of Superior were seriously in-

terfered with and Superior was often thrown for a loss. Superior made no first downs and were never able to cross the 50 yard line. The Falls played a passing game; however, only one pass, Ziebell to Moline, was completed.

The Falls eleven was considerably weakened with Nelson out of the line-up and M. Smith out in the second half. Maiers and Quandt were injured, and Follansbee and Gardner were forced to retire in the last quarter.

Superior gained their second touchdown in much the same way as they did the first. The ball was intercepted on the 50 yard line and consistent gains were made to the five yard line. The Red and White held outbravely and kept Superior from crossing on the fourth down. A poor punt gave Superior the ball on the 25 yard line. First down was made for 13 yards from where Superior pulled another clever short side play and Westlund again crossed the goal.

The Falls received the kick-off on the 20 yard line and through a desperate aerial attack they passed their way to within 10 yards of the goal. Time prevented them from making a touchdown.

Throughout the game school spirit was at its best; steadfast and loyal support was given the losing players at every minute of the game.

Anderson at quarter and Murphy

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and Westlund at half-back positions were the outstanding stars for Superior. All were shifty open field runners, and Anderson was very skillful in concealing the ball when starting trick plays. Heggen and Quandt of the Falls team got in some pretty work in breaking through the line tackling for losses.

Lineup		Superior—
River Falls—		Hagener
Rademacher,	1e.	Johnson
Moline,	1t.	Camp
Gardner,	1g.	Christensen
Follansbee,	c.	McGill
Eck,	rg.	T. O'Neil
Cole,	rt.	W. O'Neil
Heggen,	re.	Murphy (cpt)
Quandt,	rhb.	Olson
M. Smith,	f.	Westlund
Maier,	lhb.	Anderson
Ziebell,	q.	

R. F. Substitutions—Keyes for M. Smith, Lawrenz for Follansbee, Volla for Gardner, M. Smith for Keyes.

Kilbourne, umpire.
Donigan, head lineman.
Roe, referee.

This game marked the close of a very successful season. Coaches Eggebrecht and Verette deserve much credit in developing a fast and fighting squad from nearly all new material at the beginning of the season. Cole and Moline were the only veterans of last year's squad, and around these the whole line had to be built. With the veterans M. Smith and Ziebell, a well working and speedy backfield was developed.

Our team is the lightest in the conference. The school has reason to be proud of the excellent showing they have made. The coaches and team co-operated harmoniously throughout the long and strenuous season of practice. Every member of the squad put forth his best effort, which made the season the success it was. When we won, it was because our team had

given their best; when we lost, it was because our best wasn't good enough.

The Conference Standings

	Won	Lost	Percentage
Oshkosh,	5	0	.1000
River Falls,	3	1	.750
Eau Claire,	2	1	.666
Whitewater,	2	1	.666
Superior,	2	2	.500
La Crosse,	1	1	.500
Platteville,	1	3	.250

Stout, 0 3 1 .000
Stevens Point, 0 3 1 .000
Milwaukee, 0 1 .000
Eau Claire and Whitewater will close the season by playing off their tie next Saturday.

Basketball practice opened Tuesday evening with the first call for practice.

The annual Junior-Senior game will be played next Saturday forenoon at ten o'clock.

WANTED—An assistant editor of the Student Voice, to serve as editor-in-chief next year. Advanced English composition credit is given for this work, besides the valuable training and experience to be found in the position. If you have any experience or ability along this line, report to the Student Voice office any time.

Instead of a regular meeting, the G. O. P. will hold an informal luncheon in the Domestic Science rooms, Thursday at five-thirty. All girls, who have signed up to go, should give their twenty-five cents to cover costs to Ann O'Mally or Gladys Mason. Gops who have spare time between the library closing hour and supper time can report to the cooking room for K. P. duty.

Mr. Youngberg, the photographer from Brown's Studio, may be down here for half a day next week, if there is a demand for his services.

The girls of the Supervision Class met last week at Leone Noth's to make Christmas presents and exchange ideas on such work.

Donna Brown was absent from school the latter part of last week because of a severe cold.

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