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'Universe of Palomar' Film-Lecture Topic for April 16 Convocation

Dr. Ruroy Sibley will present a film-lecture, "The Universe of Palomar," at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 16, in the RFSC Auditorium.

Dr. Sibley's experience as a public lecturer extends over a period of more than 40 years. During the past 18 years he has directed his efforts particularly to the interpretation of astronomy for general audiences.

"The Universe of Palomar" is something entirely different and unusual in the film-lecture field. It will give the audience the first glimpse of what can actually be seen through the "Big Eye" of Palomar.

Audiences will visit, through this film, the major observatories of Lowell, Mount Wilson, and Yerkes, as well as Mount Palomar. They will see the first great close-ups of Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, the Sun, the Moon and stars. Also seen will be an island universe two billion, five hundred million light years from the earth in one of the most spectacular sequences ever made.

Dr. Sibley's lecture was arranged by the University of Minnesota Concert and Lecture Series.



Dr. Ruroy Sibley

Leads in 'Winterset'



—Photo by Cliff Harmann

Bob Easton and Joan Binkowski in a scene from "Winterset." The play will be presented April 17 under the direction of Al Usack.

Modern American Drama Choice For Masquers' Next Production

Bob Easton and Joan Binkowski play the leading roles in the Masquers production of "Winterset," a three act play, to be presented on Thursday, April 17, at 8 p.m. in the college auditorium.

"Winterset" is the only modern American drama to be presented in River Falls this year. Most critics agree it is Maxwell Anderson's masterpiece and some believe it to be the best American tragedy.

The play is a story of love in the slums. Before the scene opens an agitator has been railroaded to death by a court determined to fix the guilt of murder upon a man whom society had other reasons to hate. A college professor, reopening the case, has pointed the finger of suspicion at a gangster, Trock Estrella, recently released from prison. This role is played by Bob Anderson. The key to the mystery is held by Garth Esdlos (Gerald Mott), a young witness lost in obscurity. During the play all those most deeply concerned converge on him: the murderer, determined to prevent the truth from coming out; Mio

(Bob Easton), the outcast son of the man who paid the penalty for the crime, and the presiding judge (Al Usack), now driven out of his wits by his attempts to do what he did.

With few exceptions the cast is made up of new faces. Other than those previously mentioned, the cast includes: Eugene Isaacson as Mio's friend, Carr; Esdlos, the father, is played by Arden Buchholtz; Shadow, a henchman, is played by Kenneth Roen; Dean Thorne portrays a hobo, and Dick Granum a policeman.

Tickets will be on sale Tuesday and Wednesday, April 15 and 16, in South Hall and at the door Thursday night.

Campus Calendar

April 1—Choir tour.
April 3—Choir Concert, 8 p.m.
April 6—Open House, Hathorn Hall.
April 10-14—Easter vacation.

College Host To Speech Meet

The River Falls District Speech Meet on Saturday, March 29, was attended by 125 high school students and their directors, representing 26 schools. The co-directors, Dr. Blanche Davis and Miss Marion Hawkins, agreed "it was a huge success."

Following are the high schools sending contestants: Amery, Baldwin, Balsam Lake, Boyceville, Clayton, Clear Lake, Dunn County Ag., New Richmond, Ellsworth, Elmwood, Frederic, Glenwood City, Grantsburg, Hammond, Hudson, Luck, Milltown, Plum City, River Falls, Roberts, Siren, Somerset, Spring Valley, Turtle Lake, Webster, and Woodville.

Judges were from four colleges: Eau Claire sent Miss Grace Walsh and Mr. Earl Kjer, Hamline—Miss Anne Simley, South St. Paul High School—Mr. R. Happe, and River Falls—Mrs. C. B. King, former speech teacher at the local college.

From 2:30 to 3:30 a Coke Hour was given in the cafeteria by the College Public Relations Committee.

Toastmasters Change Contest to April 8

The date of the Toastmasters' speech contest has been moved ahead one day, to April 8.

The last meeting was held in the Knotty Pine Room on Wednesday, March 19. The speakers for the evening were Don Stiehm, "Financing Our Public Schools"; Bob Guelnder, "An Oak Flooring Factory"; Carver Foukes, "Labeling a Bottle of Beer." There was no table topic because of the early F.F.A. meeting and the Ramona Gerhard program which was presented in the auditorium.

The speakers to date who will participate in the contest are Jerome Peabody, Paul Beckel, Norman Erickson and D. Stiehm.

Ten members of the college Toastmasters' club were guests of the Macalester Toastmasters' club in St. Paul on March 17. The dinner was held in the new Union Building. On Tuesday, March 25, the local club traveled to Eau Claire and were guests of the Eau Claire Toastmasters' club.

Tickets for the April 8 banquet may be purchased from any club member. The number of tickets is limited.

High School Students To Visit RFSC April 23

Wednesday, April 23, will find the campus crowded with high school students.

Students will be here for what is becoming an annual affair—"High School Day" on the River Falls campus.

The program which will include an opportunity for the students to become acquainted with our many extra-curricular activities, to visit classes and to gain some insight into college life.

Events of the day will be culminated by a dance and coke hour in Hathorn hall.

Three Faculty Members Attend Music Festival

Three instructors from the River Falls State College music department attended the Eau Claire Music Festival March 28. The instructors who attended were Nicholas Jadinak, C. B. King, and B. J. Rozehnal, who judged solos and ensembles for high school students. The festival was held at the Eau Claire Senior high school.

Fifty-six on Honor Roll During Winter Quarter

Fifty-six students, one-tenth of the student body, have earned places on the Winter Term honor roll, according to Registrar E. J. Prucha. To receive scholastic honors, a student must carry at least 14 hours, and get a 2.5 or better grade point average.



Grant Reynard

Artist to Speak Here This Week

Grant Reynard, outstanding painter and etcher, arrives at River Falls State College this afternoon for lectures and informal talks with college students. He is planning to bring a group of his water colors and prints to be displayed during his stay until April 4.

Mr. Reynard lectures on "Painting My Way Across America," "An Artist Draws New York," "Enjoyment of Art," and "Rembrandt."

The artist has a reputation for a knowledge of the great masters in art and an inspiring lecturer. He is a member of the American Water Color Society, American Society of Etchers, Prairie Print Makers, American Artists Group, and Associate of the National Academy.

The work of Mr. Reynard is represented in collections of the Metropolitan Museum, Fogg Museum at Harvard University, Addison Gallery of American Art at Andover, the New York Public Library, DeYoung Memorial Museum in San Francisco, Newark Art Museum and the Library of Congress in Washington.

No School April 10-14

Suitcase students are in their glory along with the rest for Easter vacation starts Thursday, April 10, up to Tuesday morning, April 15, then back to work. So get the most out of it and Happy Easter.

Debaters Make Good Record In Final Meet of Season in St. Paul

In the concluding forensic competition of the 1951-52 year at Macalester College, St. Paul, on March 21 and 22, River Falls State College debaters ranked high among the twelve colleges and universities taking part. The local squad returned with additional honors of a superior rating in men's debate and a superior in oratory.

"The Provincial Meet at Macalester will be outstanding in our reminiscences," said Miss Marion Hawkins, debate teacher, "because of the fine work shown by the teams and the memorable snowbound phase of the trip."

More than 100 students representing 12 colleges from Iowa, Minnesota, and Wisconsin vied for honors in debate, oratory, and extemporaneous speaking in the men's and women's divisions. The schools were: Concordia of Moorhead, Dubuque University, Eau Claire State, Hamline, Luther, Macalester, River Falls State, St. Catherine's, St. Mary's, St. Olaf, St. Thomas, and Upper Iowa University.

Two instructors from the local college acted as judges: Miss Hawkins and Dr. Walter Engler. The former also acted as co-chairman of women's debate.

Top honors for River Falls included a rating of superior for debate with five wins out of six for the team of Ambrose Murphy and Jack Hanson. Being seniors, this is their last tournament. They received a Pi Kappa Delta certificate. Out of the 20 teams entered three earned superior

Thirteen students received straight A's for the term. They are Gordon Anderson, Margie Lund, and Donald Stiehm, seniors; Carol Doffing, Delphine Johnson, Arvin Lovaas, John Reque, and Peggy Smith, juniors; Raymond Schofield and Betty Wiskerchen, sophomores; and Audrey Peterson, William Verkuilen, and Richard Wells, freshmen.

Fourteen freshmen, nine sophomores, 22 juniors, and 11 seniors were included on the list, which is as follows:

NINETEEN HOURS:
57 honor points: John Reque.
EIGHTEEN HOURS:
54 honor points: Carol Doffing, Margie Lund.
51 honor points: Susan La Brash.
50 honor points: Clifford Ehlers, Donald Trewartha.
49 honor points: Marian Aebly, Rodney Stone.
47 honor points: Beverly Andrews.
46 honor points: Genevieve Olson, Wayne Otto, Richard Rozehnal.
45 honor points: Jean Allie, Gerry Bohn, William Collins, Frank Janish.
SEVENTEEN HOURS:
51 honor points: Gordon Anderson, Audrey Peterson, Peggy Smith, Richard Wells.
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Red Cross Sending Bloodmobile April 17

The Red Cross takes over South Hall gym on April 17, when students will donate blood for civilian and military needs. The Bloodmobile will be ready to go Thursday morning at 10, and donations will continue until 5 p.m.

Les Newville has been named general chairman of the drive, while JoAnn Bjornstad, Ruth Davis, and Royal Fraedrich are assisting him. Recruiting is to take place on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday just prior to Easter vacation (7, 8, 9 of April).

Students between the ages of 18 and 21 who wish to donate blood must first receive permission from their parents. Forms may be obtained from the table in South Hall during recruiting, which can be taken home during vacation for parental signing.

Pierce County's normal blood quota is 750 pints; this year, because of the Korean War, the quota is 1500 pints. The blood is used not only for the armed forces however. Any person who is a resident of a participating county can get free blood when he needs it.

One hundred and ninety-two donated blood when the Red Cross mobile unit was on campus last fall.

ratings: Eau Claire, River Falls, and St. Olaf. River Falls defeated the former and lost to the undefeated St. Olaf team.

In men's oratory Richard Aukema won superior rating, a record for a freshman. Ambrose Murphy and Royal Fraedrich, a freshman, took part in extemporaneous speaking. Ambrose received a certificate of excellent.

Concluding in the men's division the Herbert Tauchen-Richard Aukema team won three and lost three with a rating of good. Toward the sweepstakes the men's delegation accumulated 28 points and took third place.

The women's group placed fourth in that division. Margaret Helmer and Heather Dopkins won four out of six decisions and received a certificate of excellent. In extemporaneous speaking Heather Dopkins and Margaret Helmer earned a final rating of good. Marian Aebly and Jean Allie entered in the women's debate.

Social events at the convention were a banquet at Wallace Hall (Continued on Next Page)

Poll Reveals Juniors Study More Than Other River Falls Students

All across the country, and at River Falls, students were recently asked, "Aside from mid-term week, and final exam week, how much studying time do you estimate you spend during a normal week?" Here are the national tabulations:

- 1. 10 hours or less -----28%
- 2. From 10 to 20 hours ----45%
- 3. From 20 to 30 hours ----16%
- 4. 30 hours or more -----5%
- 5. Don't know -----6%

The poll taken at River Falls indicates almost identical results:

- 1. 10 hours or less -----26%
- 2. 10 to 20 hours -----54%
- 3. From 20 to 30 hours ----12%
- 4. 30 hours or more -----6%
- 5. Don't know -----2%

Locally, the juniors do more studying than the other three classes, which correlates with their having more members on the honor roll this quarter than the rest.

At the universities and other colleges, the graduate students seem to study most. Thirty-five per cent of them put in more than 20 hours a week, as opposed to 19 per cent for freshmen and 23 per cent for seniors.

"Most of the time you don't know what you're supposed to study for," complains a pre-law sophomore at the University of Akron. He studies less than 10 hours a week. But a sophomore in music says she studies "when-ever I get a chance," about 15 hours a week.

Here are a few of the other comments:

Says a business senior at Baylor: "My courses overlap too much to require extensive study."

Says a senior in social work: "I work 52 hours a week and squeeze my studies in wherever I can."

Says a boy attending a teachers college: "I study 10 hours or less—much less."

Jeanne Bailey To Vacation Here

Miss Jeanne Bailey, former director of women's physical education at River Falls State College, arrives here Friday, April 4, for a spring vacation. She is employed by Formfit of Chicago as a salesman in Arkansas and southern Missouri.

Many will be interested to hear that she missed the tornado that swept Arkansas and five other southern states. If she had not been crowded for time she would have been in Dircks, Arkansas, during the storm. As it was she had headed for Dallas and thus ran into the torrential rains that accompanied the hurricane.

Honor Roll

(Continued from preceding page) 48 honor points: Mabel Peterson.

47 honor points: Janis Benson, Gayle Jacobson.

46 honor points: Bryant Wyman.

45 honor points: Charles Connelly, Andrew Kristo, Ramona Meyer.

44 honor points: Kenneth Ames, Leslie Newville, Janet Westad.

43 honor points: Jean Bjornson.

SIXTEEN HOURS:

48 honor points: Arvin Lovaas, Raymond Schofield, William Verkullen.

45 honor points: Margery Deans.

44 honor points: James Horn, Anton Sendelbach, Alfred Usack.

43 honor points: Charles Schindler.

42 honor points: Duane Westberg.

41 honor points: Rita Ruemele, Juliann Ryan.

40 honor points: Paul Gaustad, Vilas Henderson, Olive Muhlham.

FIFTEEN HOURS:

45 honor points: Donald Stiehm, Betty Wiskerchen.

43 honor points: Tom Ingham.

41 honor points: Shirley Harrison.

38 honor points: Joe Anderson, Robert Easton, Earl Johnson.

FOURTEEN HOURS:

42 honor points: Delphine Johnson.

39 honor points: Marjorie Holterud, Jerome Lulloff.

35 honor points: Mary Eck.

Dr. Karges Honored

At State Meeting

Dr. R. A. Karges, of the local college athletic board, attended a meeting of the state athletic board in Madison last week-end. Dr. Karges has been a member of the board since its organization, about 40 years ago. Inasmuch as he is retiring this spring, and this was his last meeting with the board, his fellow members presented him with a beautiful pen and pencil set.

Official Notices

Fines of 25c plus dues are now being charged to anyone who has failed to pay his Senior Class dues. An additional dime will be levied each week hereafter. Dues may be paid to Arnie Johnson, treasurer, or Ernie Mosbaek.

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Dr. O. E. Sanden

Guest Speaker At Y Meeting

Dr. O. E. Sanden, noted lecturer on the correlation of science and religion, is scheduled to address a joint meeting of the YMCA and YWCA on Tuesday evening, April 15, at 8 p.m.

A lecturer for 12 years, Dr. Sanden has spoken on campuses throughout the United States and in 14 countries abroad. Currently serving as president of the PTA of Central High School in Minneapolis, and college dean of Northwestern Schools in the same city, Sanden has in the past held several important pastorates.

Sanden is a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Texas State University, a graduate of Columbia and Austin Theological Seminaries, a graduate of the Bible Institute of Los Angeles, and graduate of the Yale School of Applied Physiology.

He is also a member of the Texas Academy of Science and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

V.A. Explains Rules On Continued Study

According to an announcement by the Veterans Administration, students who will graduate in June or July and desire to go on for graduate study must apply to the VA before the end of this quarter or semester in order to be eligible for graduate work. If they expect to be teachers during the 1952-53 school year they must attend a 1952 summer session, to have further eligibility.

A teacher during the 1951-52 school year who now desires to discontinue teaching and attend school full time to complete his degree work, may do so but must attend the 1952 summer session. He will then be eligible to continue in school during the next regular school year. Once he reverts to regular student status from a teacher status, he may never revert back to teacher status (attending only summer sessions) again.

Debate Results

(Continued from preceding page) Friday evening and a tea at Little Theater Saturday afternoon.

At the end of the tournament Saturday evening the falling and drifting snow made it impossible for the three cars to return to River Falls. With the aid of Miss Hawkins' "lucky" shovel carried in the car and the willing shoulders of the teams, they were able to get to the Ryan Hotel. There they camped for the night and returned to River Falls at noon on Sunday.

"Pi Kappa Delta initiation will take place on May first," said Miss Hawkins. "Six new members will enter and five will move into higher ranks in the fraternity."

Choir to Return From Spring Tour Tonight

Members of River Falls State College Choir are making their annual spring tour. The trip included concerts at Black River Falls, Eau Claire, Cornell, Chippewa Falls and Rice Lake.

The choir left Sunday morning and plans to return to River Falls tonight. Business manager of the choir, Robert Engebretson, is in charge of arrangements for the trip.

Thursday evening, April 3, the choir will present its home concert in North Hall auditorium. The program is made up of both sacred and secular music. The choir is under the direction of C. B. King.

Falls Theatre

April 1 - 2 - 3

"THE BAREFOOT MAILMAN"

April 4 - 5

"INDIAN UPRISING"

April 6 - 7 - 8

"TWO TICKETS TO BROADWAY"

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YM-YW Set Easter

Vesper Services April 8

The annual Easter Vesper service, sponsored jointly by the YMCA-YWCA is scheduled for 7:30 p.m., April 8, at the First Baptist Church. Pastor Earl Grubb will bring the message.

The YMCA cabinet has nominated the following students to succeed the retiring officers: for president, Larry Peterson, sophomore, Les Newville, junior; for vice president, Tom Ingham, first term senior, Keith Schmidt, junior; for secretary, Larry Vollrath, sophomore, Bob Granum, sophomore; for treasurer, Ken Barrows, freshman, Dick Aukema, freshman.

The election, to be held April 1, at 7:00 p.m. in 121 South, will precede the regular meeting. Additional nominations will be accepted from the floor before the voting.

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