

PROM COMMITTEE HARD AT WORK

KRUMM, AIDES PLAN ANNUAL SOCIAL EVENT

Promenade Features Spanish Motif; Music Furnished By Wally Beau

Plans for the college's biggest social event of the year, "the Junior Prom", have begun.

President Guy Krumm met with his committeemen last Thursday and definite arrangements for the various features were considered. The date set for the big hop is Friday, April 6.

Last year's Prom carried out an "Under Sea" theme, with Joe Gumin and his orchestra as entertainers. The plan for this year's gala event has been announced by committee heads as being a Spanish theme.

Schwahn Chairman

Wally Beau and his twelve
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Greek Dance And Pictures Tuesday Eve.

At a meeting of the Greek Council held last week, the group decided on Tuesday evening, March 20, as the date for a private inter - fraternity - sorority dancing party. The dance will be held in the new gymnasium.

Misses Alice Sorenson and Jean Boyington, council representatives of the respective sororities, are in charge of the affair. Don Halverson, our "King of the Keys", and his Castillians, of Wisconsin Rapids have been engaged to furnish the music.

More Ahead

To date only one of these dances has been held, but at present the Council is considering sponsoring one during each of the remaining two months, April and May.

All members of the Greek social organizations and their friends and escorts are invited. Pledges of these organizations are likewise invited.

Pictures of the five groups, will be taken for the Iris at the following specified times preceding the dance: Greek Council at 7:00 P M; Tau Gamma Beta at 7:15; Phi Sigma Epsilon at 7:30; Omega Mu Chi at 7:45 and Chi Delta Rho at 8:00 o'clock. All members are requested to be prompt, as dancing will start immediately after the pictures are taken.

ON THE SPOT!



Greek Organizations 'Clamp Down' On Pledges For Five Week Period

that, and have even participated in that noble line of endeavor.

Some Advice

As a parting coup d'etat, let me offer a word or two of advice to you benighted, and soon to be blighted, mortals in the ways of pledgship. If you will but follow these simple rules, you will be sure to make a large hit on the brethren or sisters.

And Here It Is

Chisel a bit on the actives; there is nothing they like so well as having the pledges take an active interest in their girls. Never acknowledge a greeting or take an order from any of the brethren; it shows that you have spirit. Always refer to the organization as a 'frat'; it sounds cute. Hide in your spare moments; they like to look for you, and you will get out of a lot of work this way; — besides, you will gain a reputation for cleverness. Always call the actives by their first names; it shows a friendly disposition.

With these few simple rules in mind, you are sure to be a great success. - The above advice, I have come by through bitter experience. Out of the largeness of my heart, I now offer it to you gratis.

The semi-annual pledging season is on and, ladies and gentlemen, what we mean is that it is on! To us old hands, it means a lot of coo-cooing and other forms of amusing indoor sport.

But, to the unsuspecting pledge, it is a very serious and tragic affair. It is just one of those things that one must go through in order to become a fraternity man, or sorority girl, as the case may be.

A Serious Matter

To them, the pledges, I mean, it is a relic of barbarism and serves merely to show the inherently blood-thirsty and overbearing nature of that superior person called an 'active.' Personally, I have heard them, the actives, I mean, called much worse things than

College Debate Teams Meet "U" Wis. And Ripon

The freshman debate team composed of Willard Hanson, Gerald Porter and Mike Zylka met the University of Wisconsin freshmen team in a decision debate held in the college auditorium last evening. The local boys argued the negative side of the question. Judges for the contest were: Mrs. Chandler Copps, Mr. George Hartel and Mr. R. T. Reinholt, all of this city.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock an affirmative team composed of Nuesse and Mills will meet a Ripon negative team. The debate will be held in Mr. Burrough's room on the second floor.

To date no further arrangements have been made for our

Citizen's Final Number Presented Tuesday Evening

Tuesday evening the Crayne-Parker Production Company presented two plays, "The World and His Wife" by C. F. Nirdlinger, and "The Silver Cord" by Sidney Howard, in the college auditorium. Both plays were intensely dramatic productions.

This number concluded the series of entertainments for the citizens of the city who held season tickets for these programs. However, there will be two more evening programs for students during the remainder of the year, plus a number of regular assembly hour programs.

team to attend the National Tourney, which is to be held at Lexington, Kentucky.

RURAL STUDENT OF WITTENBERG DIES SUDDENLY

Adelbert Williams Passes
Away Saturday Night
Wausau Hospital

Students and faculty of Central State Teachers College were saddened in learning of the untimely death of Adelbert Williams, Rural freshman from Wittenberg, Wis., at 9 o'clock last Saturday night, March 10, at the Memorial hospital in Wausau, Wis.

In School Last Week

Adelbert, as he was commonly called by those who knew him, remained in school until Wednesday of last week in spite of the fact that he was not feeling well. He was confined in bed at the home of Mrs. C. G. MacNish, 806 Clark St., where he roomed. Dr. Von Neupert of this city was called to attend him and immediately advised that he be sent home. The physician at Wittenberg had him sent to the hospital in Wausau. We understand that he remained in an unconscious state from Thursday morning until the time of his death Saturday night.

The ultimate cause of his death remains an uncertainty. Doctors are carrying on further investigations at present.

Good Student

The deceased was an excellent student, in fact one of the best in the Rural department. He worked for his room at Mrs. MacNish's and for his board at the Gingham Tea Room.

He will be remembered by his many friends as a hard worker, a true friend, and a decided asset to society.

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St. Patrick's Party In New Gym Fri.

The Rural Life Club is sponsoring its annual St. Patrick's Party, which is to be held in the new gym tomorrow evening, Friday, March 16. Aaron Mannis and his Collegians will furnish the music for dancing from 8:30 until midnight.

Faculty members, College and High School Students and Townspeople are invited. Faculty members and College students will be admitted free of charge. College students are requested to present their activity tickets at the door. Admission price for High School students and Townspeople will be twenty-five cents per person.

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NEED COOPERATION

A. J. Herrick, principal of the training school, announced during a mass conference of student teachers held in the college auditorium last Monday afternoon that the campaign for positions for graduate teachers is well underway. Mr. Herrick stressed especially the need for student teachers to take an active interest in locating vacancies. If they do not apply to yourself, give them to your friends or report them to the training school office.

We would like to add here that every student of C. S. T. C. should take a similar interest. When you spend a week end at home or in any other community, it will take but a very small part of your time to inquire as to the possibilities of vacancies in that community. It is not only for the interests of the graduates to secure positions but for the interests of the entire student body and institution to place as many of its alumni as possible. At present we rank among the foremost of the teachers colleges in the state in placement of graduates. During the past, the efforts of the training school force have met with excellent success in this respect. Here is a chance, without much effort on anyone's part, to even better this vitally important characteristic of an institution. One needs only to remember that an institution never stands still, as the old proverb goes, it moves either forward or back.

The securing of jobs for student teachers during times such as these, when competition for positions is especially keen and when jobs are extremely scarce, is no easy matter. Cooperation from every possible source to the utmost of one's ability is essential at this time. Are you doing your part?

VICTOR E. THOMPSON

Like many of his colleagues, Victor E. Thompson was born on a farm, in the town of Weston, Dunn Co., Wisconsin, in August, 1881. His parents were of English, Scotch, and Irish descent. Victor was the fourth of a family of two boys and four girls, three of the latter being graduated from "S. P. N.", and later from the university of Wisconsin.

He received his elementary education in the local rural school district. The first few years of his school experience was in a log school house where sometimes it appeared the teaching of reading and writing and arithmetic were learned to the tunes of hickory sticks. His secondary education was received in the Menomonie Wisconsin high school, by which school he was graduated from the English course with two extra units of Industrial Arts.

His father having passed away before he entered high school, it was necessary to supplement the family finances. Cleaning board sidewalks, splitting wood and carrying it into woodsheds were among the more common opportunities for student employment. The somewhat standardized price of 10¢ for shoveling corner-lot sidewalks, 5¢ for interior-lot sidewalks, 25¢ a cord for splitting wood, with 3¢ additional for raking it inside the shed, compelled most boys not only to think twice, but many more times before "burning up their small earnings". In his Sophomore year he was fortunate in securing a part-time position in an Architect & Contractor's office where he was employed at architectural drawing. As time went on his duties increased to listing bills of material, some book keeping, and finally to estimating costs. During one summer vacation when there was little or no work to do in the office, Mr. Goven, his employer, furnished the necessary tools and young Thompson was sent out "On the job" to hold his own with the carpenters. Mr. J. S. Goven was an exceptional employer: kind, thoughtful, considerate, and yet "Very exacting". "Good enough" was not in his vocabulary, which every employee very soon learned to either his delight or sorrow. This position was retained while completing high school, and then continued while attending Stout Institute. Mr. Thompson looks back at this experience and the sincere friendships that were formed as being among the most valuable in his life.



V. E. Thompson

And many a man makes strenuous effort to recognize his duty so that he will be in a position to dodge it.

In spite of (or possibly because of) these out side of school employments Thompson still found time to become a member of the football and baseball teams for two years (these sports were then dropped because of the school's athletic financial conditions); played guard on the basketball team for four years; and "rode the wheel" in the track team for four years. His best athletic achievements were made in the last two sports. While by far the major part of his extra-curricular activity time was spent in athletics, still he was very much interested in other lines of activity. He was selected as a member of the inter-class debate teams; played alto in the high school band; and occasionally played a part (usually the villain) in the high school plays.

In his high school class-room experiences Thompson was fortunate in coming under the influence of many men of outstanding ability and high ideals, some of whom left indelible imprints upon his character and future development. Of those the following perhaps are most outstanding: first, Prof. J. H. Mason, a Craftsman of Craftsman, taught Mathematics, Mechanical Drawing, and Machine-shop Practice. Mason used to say: "Show me enough of a man's handicraft and I will tell you his character". Prof. Mason later was selected Director of Stout Institute, and Thompson continued under his direction there. Next, was Prof. John Pierson, a Master Scientist, and a "Teacher Par-excellence". It was he who furnished the match that kindled Thompson's interest in, and enthusiasm for, Physics and Chemistry. A third outstanding man was Prof. N. J. AcArthur, Coach of Athletics, and Gymnastic Instructor. No matter what he did in his line, it was exceptionally well done. He always maintained two ideals: continually strive to perfect your details of execution, and ultimate perfection and rewards will result from your endeavors; and, the winning of no game in any sport on earth is honorable if the winning costs you the lowering of your character and reputation.

In June, 1904, Stout Institute graduated its first class, which consisted of prospective teachers of Kindergarten, Home Economics, and Manual Training. The last group consisted of two men: J. H. Bonnell, and V. E. Thompson. The former was placed in the Marathon County Agricultural School, and the latter in the public school system at Grand Rapids (now Wisconsin Rapids), to teach seventh and eighth grades and Freshman and Sophomore Manual Training. Altho he was asked to return with a raise in salary for his third year, he declined the offer and entered the commercial field as a draftsman, looking forward to a possibility of entering some form of contracting. During the following two years he worked as a draftsman for Jacobson & DeGuerre, Mill Architects and Engineers, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, who specialized in Paper Mills and Hydro-electric Power Plants; the Structural Steel Department of the Minneapolis Steel and Machinery Co.; and The Longyear Exploration Co., Mining Engineers, of Hibbing, Minnesota.

During this time the School Board of Grand Rapids erected a new building to be used exclusively for Manual Training, Domestic Science, and Art, and Mr. Thompson was asked to return, and offered the position as Director of Manual Training, to plan and supervise the installation of the new equipment, which was intended to provide work for the boys beginning with the fifth grade and continuing thru the four years of the high school. Altho Thompson did not then intend to reenter the teaching field as a life work, he believed the offer, with its implied confidence and reputation, was too valuable to turn down. During the following six years his salary rose to be second only to that of the City Superintendent.

In the summer of 1909 President Sims offered Thompson the position of Instructor of Manual Training in the local Normal School, but with certain conditions which existed at Grand Rapids at that time he felt in duty bound to remain there, altho the change would have meant an additional \$100 in yearly salary. However, this decision on his part paved the way for President Sims to renew his offer, and hire Thompson nine years later.

During the year 1913-14 the lack of a degree cost him a position as Head of Industrial Arts in the State Agricultural College at Corvallis, Oregon. As a result of this, in June 1914 he declined reelection, and in the fall entered the University of Wisconsin, where he taught part-time in the Madison public schools during the two years, and received his Ph. B. degree with the class of 1916.

During the two years of 1916-17 and 1917-18 he was Director of the Vocational schools of Kenosha, Wisconsin, which then had nearly 800 enrolled in the daytime, and about 900 in the night school. In the fall of 1918 he became a member of the Central State Teachers College faculty, in charge of Industrial Arts, which position he since has retained. During the past two years he also has assisted in Mathematics, teaching classes in College Algebra and Trigonometry.

During the four summers of 1922 to 1925 Mr. Thompson was a member of the Summer Quarter faculty in the Industrial Arts Department of the University of Iowa. During the 1925 Summer Quarter he was placed in charge of the shops, and during the second term of the Quarter he was Acting Head of the Department. He also was a member of the faculty of the Industrial Arts Department in the State College of Washington, at Pullman, during their Summer Quarter of 1931.

In the fall of 1928 he received a scholarship from the University of Wisconsin, and in June, 1929 he received his Ph. M. degree from that institution. Since then he has taken six hours of advanced work at Wisconsin, and one summer term at the University of Colorado.

Mr. Thompson holds membership in the local and State Teachers Associations, the State Vocational Guidance Association, the State and National Industrial Arts and Vocational Educational Associations, Phi Delta Kappa, and Sigma Zeta. He also has taken an active part in Masonic circles and the Presbyterian Church activities.

In the summer of 1908 Mr. Thompson married Florence M. Warner, of Windsor, Wisconsin. Mrs. Thompson holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Minnesota. Previous to her marriage, she taught Mathematics and Science in the high schools at Dodgeville and Grand Rapids. They have three sons: Herbert W., who is employed in the accounting Department of the Hardware Insurance Co.; Arthur W., who received his Bachelor Degree from C. S. T. C. last June, and at present is assisting Coach Kotal in the Athletic Department; and Kenneth D., who is a Sophomore in the local high school.

Altho Mr. Thompson has not been a member of the "roving teacher class", the family enjoys traveling, at present having motored in over half the states of the union as well as Ontario in eastern, and Vancouver in western Canada. While the family plans for the coming summer vacation are not definite, it is quite probable that they will motor into some new states, trusting that thereby he may make his twenty-ninth year of teaching, and his seventeenth year as a member of the faculty of Central State Teachers College one of the most pleasant and profitable to his pupils and students of his teaching career.

Some reformers are ushered in to office with a lot of noise — and later they are ushered out with a lot more.

RAPIDS PREPS IN STATE TOURNEY

POINT CAGERS BEAT PACKERS IN FINAL GAME

Michalske, Unferth, Grove, Marsh, Lead Scoring In Easy Game

Last Wednesday Coach Eddie Kotal and his cagers took on the Green Bay Packers professional squad and handed them a 47 and 32 beating. The locals led 21 and 4 at the half, scoring almost at will. However, Mike Michalske, 225 pound tackle of the Packers grid squad, dropped in five baskets and three free throws. Roger Grove, good-looking Packer forward, sank four baskets and three charity tosses for second honors. The Point scoring was led by Unferth with five buckets, Marsh with four and Gordon, Collins, Tardiff with six points each.

Husky Team

The five men who represented the Packers are all members of that famous professional football team. The average weight of the team was about 200 pounds per man. Coach Kotal gave all his men a chance to play and, strange to say, Captain Gregory was the only man who didn't score. Greg, who led the Point scoring all season, couldn't get the range.

That's All For Three

Well! That sew's up the basketball for this year. The boys have hung up their suits and three of them will never again play on the hardwood under the colors of C. S. T. C. Harry Hansen, Nolan Gregory, and Frank Klement are the three lost through three years of competition and graduation.

Box Score:

Stevens Point (47)—	FG	FT	PF
Unferth, f	5	0	1
Gordon, f	2	2	1
Hansen, f	1	0	0
Shorey, f	1	0	0
Collins, e	3	0	0
Tardiff, e	2	2	1
Anderson, e	1	0	0
Gregory, g	0	0	2
Abel, g	1	0	2
Marsh, g	4	0	1
Klement, g	1	1	1
Totals	21	5	9

Green Bay (32)—	FG	FT	PF
Grove, f	4	3	1
Herber, f	3	0	1
Rose, e	0	0	0
Michalske, g	5	3	0
Gantenbein, g	1	0	4
Totals	13	6	5

Free throws missed: Anderson, Collins, Marsh, Grove 2, Michalske, Gantenbein.

Referee Carl Klandrud of Wisconsin Rapids; scorer, Ignatius Mish.

After arguing with a man for half an hour a woman invariably says: "Now, why can't you be sensible?"

Platteville On Boxing Card April 13. Pick Team Thursday

Interscholastic boxing competition is fast being approved by the schools in the conference. Platteville has written to Coach Kotal asking for a date. In order to work up a real "tin gloves" squad, Russ Beppler has set the date for April 13 here. In view of the fact that a return engagement with Platteville and cards with St. Norbert's are prospects, Russ in planning a preliminary card among the fighters here in school to decide who will represent the Purple and Gold in fistic encounters. Eight men must be chosen to fight within the 125 to heavyweight classes. Russ says that all who wish to take part



should get in training immediately. Next Thursday is the preliminary.

Beppler Organizing Show

Russ has been trying to get mat cards for his wrestlers here in school and will stage a show when he finds competition. Beppler and Sparhawk are the outstanding wrestlers here.

The best thing about these amateur bouts is that the boys get in there and scrap. The short three-round bouts do not overly tax the stamina of the fighters; but they do make it necessary for fast work if anything is to be accomplished. Manager Ray Urbans says that nothing will be furnished but boxing gloves. He says that so much material in the sports line has casually disappeared that he'd like to buy some of it back at a discount.

BILL'S BULL

Ho! Hum! Spring is here. Or at least it was here when this paper went to press. The college cagers have hung up their suits. Hold on! That's right. Unferth, Marsh, and Gregory are now playing with the Tydol semi-pro team of this city. Recently they helped defeat the Chicago Clowns 32 and 30 at the St. Peter's gym. If you want to see some real basketball playing go over there tonight and watch them take on the Marquette all-stars. This team features Eddie Mullen, Wayland Becker, Adolf Gorychka, and Blask of this year's great Marquette cagers. Gene Fonzani of last year's team makes up the fifth man.

Two local high school boys were picked for the Wisconsin Valley all-conference team. Rinka and Steckel, the lanky center and forward of Ringdahl's champions were the honored men. Kohnen of Wisconsin Rapids was the other forward, while the guards were Weinbauer, also of the Rapids and Edwards of Nekoosa.

For the past four or five years Ringdahl's teams have reached the district finals only to be defeated by some squad who have dropped at least one game to the Pointers during the conference season. It's a jinx.

Coach Kotal asked me to invite all men interested in a volley-ball tournament to come down and sign up with Art Thompson.

The nice weather we had Monday prompted me to ask Coach about spring football. He said that it may be possible after the Easter recess. The weather is too uncertain now and the field isn't in shape.

Prospects for track this year look good with Fritch, Sparhawk,

Scribner, and Berard back. That's all we can think of now, but those boys will net us points in the weights, discus, distance, and hurdles.

Baseball talk is starting again, as every spring. Neal Rotman as usual picks the St. Louis Browns. Why don't they come in ahead some time? He's been backing them for years. Unferth, of course backs the Chicago Cubs, heartily opposed by Redfield and his St. Louis Cardinals. However, in our own school we have a great amount of talent. Over sixty men have shown interest in a college baseball team. About forty of them have had professional experience. That ought to make a real team or two. Stevens Point is a real baseball town. The youngsters learn to play in leagues all over the city. As they grow a little older one of the numerous city teams picks them up. The great Al Simons played ball here but his name then was Aloysius Szymanski. Most of you students who think Mish is somewhat of a useless fellow (we don't think, we know) ought to see him pitch a baseball. This paper is backing baseball plenty.

'Butter And Egg Man' In Assembly This Morning

The assembly this morning will be in charge of the Speech class under the direction of L. M. Burroughs. "The Butter and Egg Man", a play by George Kaufmann, will be presented at that time. Bill Nason and Gennette Beggs will play the leading roles as Peter Jones and Jane Weston respectively.

Our idea of a modest man is one who can keep his opinion of himself to himself.

DEFEAT POINT; THREE LEAVE GAME ON FOULS

Weinbauer, Steckel, Dagneau, Foul Too Often; Menzel Leads Scoring

Many of the college students have been watching the progress of the local high school cagers in the district tournament. In case there's anyone here who doesn't know who won the tourney at Wausau, ask one of the students who hail from Wisconsin Rapids. The preps from that city defeated the conference champion Stevens Point team 24 and 22 in the usual tough battle which takes place whenever these teams meet.

A Tough Game

In fairness to both sides we must say that the final result was greatly influenced by the removal of Weinbauer, high-scoring Rapids guard from the game. On the other hand Steckel and Dagneau of the Point team were also removed by four fouls. Roy Menzel was high scorer with four buckets and two free tosses. For the Rapids, Miller scored three field goals and the same number of charity tosses.

Madison West First

The Stevens Point preps advanced to the final round by defeating Medford 26 and 7 the first night, and Rhinelander 27 and 22 the following evening. The Wisconsin Rapids team had previously beaten Antigo 27 and 18, and Marshfield 34 and 23. We wish them luck in the state tournament. They'll need it. The first game they play finds them matched against the strong Madison West cage team. The Rapids boys have one defeat chalked up against this team in a non-conference game.

Stevens Point (22)—	FG	FT	PF
Rinka, f	2	2	1
Menzel, f	4	2	3
Molski, f	0	1	1
Maine, f	0	0	1
Steckel, e	2	1	4
Dagneau, c	0	0	4
Higgins, g	0	0	1
Parrish, g	0	0	0
Totals	8	6	15

Wisconsin Rapids (24)—	FG	FT	PF
Kohnen, f	1	0	0
Miller, f	3	3	0
Lambert, e	1	0	2
Weinbauer, g	0	2	4
Kaja, g	2	2	2
Lukaszewski, g	0	1	2
Davis, g	0	2	0
Totals	7	10	10

Running score:
Wisconsin Rapids 2 10 18 24
Stevens Point 7 15 16 22
Free throws missed: Point—Menzel 4, Steckel, Molski; total 6. Rapids—Miler 4, Kohnen 3, Kaja; total 8.

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LOCAL LIBRARY HAS VALUABLE MANUSCRIPTS

Interesting National And Local
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by LOIS L. RAINER

"The nation mourns the death of its first president!", states the Ulster County Gazette on Saturday, Jan. 4, 1800. This paper which carries George Washington's obituary, and the numerous editorials edged in black to show due respect for the "Father of our country" is the property of the Central State Teachers College Library. Copies of the Wisconsin Pinery, a local paper, from 1853 to 1873 giving interesting bits of local history are also among the treasured possessions of the library, having been presented by Geraldine Bliss Clark. These specimens of journalism of the 1800's are kept with books belonging to the same period, musty in appearance, but valuable in content; products of the last century which serve as an interesting comparison with those of the nineteenth. Books in this category are:

Ecclesiastical history of New England... in seven books, by the Reverend and Learned Cotton Mather. 1820, Hartford.

A digest of the common school system of the state of New York, by S. S. Randall. 1844, Albany.

Autobiography of John B. Gough. 1845, Boston.

History of the United States of America, designed for schools, by Egbert Guernsey. 1847, New York.

Narrative of the life of Frederick Douglas, an American slave. 1846, London, England. One of the first negroes to have a book published.

Constitution of the United States of America; the Declaration of Independence; Articles of the Confederation; and other historical documents, edited by W. Hickey. 1851, Philadelphia.

Wisconsin Gazetteer containing names, location, and advantages of the counties, cities, towns, villages, post offices, settlements, etc. alphabetically arranged by J. W. Hunt. 1853, Madison.

Handbook of Stevens Point and the upper Wisconsin. 1857. Gives the following statistics: population, 2,000; dwellings, 270; stores, 23, hotels, 6; saloons, 10; churches, 2. These books will be on display in the Culver case in the library..

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piece band has recently been engaged to furnish the music for dancing from 9:00 until 1:00 o'clock. Wally's orchestra proved to be a favorite among the college students, which, no doubt, will be an important element in making the whole affair a success.

Skinner Arranges Music

Wilson Schwahn was named general chairman by President Krumm. Morris Skinner is chairman of the music, and has been busy for the past month soliciting an orchestra for this occasion.

Yvonne Dallich and Bob Emery have been appointed chairmen of the decorations committee and are showing considerable speed in completing their plans. Refreshments will be served at novel punch booths at which appropriately costumed "Senoritas" will serve. Sofia Nicalazzo is chairman of this group. Lawrence Berdoll is head of the publicity committee.

Admission price for this outstanding event of the year remains the same, at \$1.50 per couple.

RURAL STUDENT OF WITTENBERG DIES SUDDENLY

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Funeral services were held from the First Lutheran church of Wittenberg last Tuesday, March 13. Those attending from the college faculty were: President Frank S. Hyer, Dean H. R. Steiner, O. W. Neale, director of the Rural department, Norman Knutzen and Miss Carolyn G. Rolfson.

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Broome, Knutzen On Radio Hour; Porter And Ringness Speak

Yesterday afternoon over the local station WLBL, the Purple and Gold radio hour presented Fred Knutzen with violin solos and Robert Broome rendering some vocal selections.

Ten minutes of the period was taken up with a discussion of the national park system in the United States by Gerald Porter.

Jack Burroughs did the announcing and William Ringness handled the College "News Briefs".

Burroughs announces

The weekly share of the programs sponsored by the music department will present the following programs in the future: March 21 Edward Plank will play an organ solo; March 28, the drum section of the band will give a sketch assisted at the piano by Miss Margaret Miller; April 4, the faculty will present a program of varied musical numbers.

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Rural Lives Present Annual Play In May

The Rural Life Club has selected for its annual dramatic production the three act comedy "Playing the Game" by Wilbur Braum. It is significant of the choice that it had a three year run on Broadway, and has been highly praised wherever it has been produced.

Two traditions have grown up in connection with Rural Life Club plays. The first is that Miss Mary Hanna coaches them. That is suggestive of the second, which is that they are always good. The cast will appear in next week's Pointer.

While no date has been set, it is expected that the play will be given early in May.

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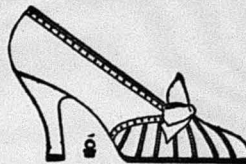
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SOCIETY NEWS

H. E. Demonstration

Wednesday evening, March 14, the Home Economics girls enjoyed a lecture-demonstration on electric cleaners and rug cleaning. Miss Madge E. Delts, representative of the Hoover Company was in charge of the demonstration.

St. Pat's Party

The spirit of Saint Patrick's day will prevail at the annual eighth grade party to be held this evening in room 101 of the Training School. All eighth grade pupils and their teachers are invited.

Another One

The Y. W. C. A. is having a St. Patrick's day party Thursday evening at Nelson Hall. Miss Erma Groth is in charge of the entertainment.

Loyola Program

A varied and interesting program has been arranged for Loyola Club's meeting this evening. The program is as follows:
 Two-act play dramatization Philip Kunding
 Solos with guitar accompaniment William Theisen
 History of St. Patrick's Day Lucy Doyle
 Piano-Accordion Selections Jimmy Parshall
 Talk by Father Scanlon
 The program is scheduled to start at 7:40.

EXCHANGES

From "Wisconsin Schools"

"While the local taxes for public schools have decreased \$9,692,744 or 27.7% since 1929, school enrollments have increased 30,617 or 5.9% during the same period."

"An analysis of the annual reports of the city superintendents for the year ending June 30, 1933 revealed that 1,653 teachers, or more than 18% of all the teachers under city superintendents, attended summer school six weeks or more the previous summer. In spite of the fact that teachers' salaries in this state have been reduced on the average of 20% in the past two years."

From, "Echo Weekly"

Milwaukee Teachers College

Nights on the Rhine, historic castles diffusing medieval romance and mystery, and hikes in the Swiss Alps are but a small portion of the itinerary planned for the band on its scheduled trip to Europe this summer.

"Hugo Anhalt, band director, announced that despite signing of the final contract Wednesday, the band may yet fail to see foreign shores this summer if sufficient funds for the project are not forthcoming."

— W. A. A. —

Basketball

The inter-class basketball tournament was won by the Junior-Senior team last week when they defeated the Freshmen team to the tune of 37 to 22 and the Sophomores 30 to 20. The final standings of the teams are:

	Won	Lost	Percentage
Jr. Senior	3	1	.750
Freshmen	2	2	.500
Sophomores	1	3	.250

Members of the Jr.-Senior team are:
 Captain A. Sorenson f
 Y. Dallich f
 T. Iverson f
 J. Kneip f
 B. Newby g
 V. Scribner g
 R. Sparks g
 R. Reisinger g
 K. Wiggins g

In the beginner's tournament, the Gold team captained by Marian MacKenzie, a guard, secured two games out of three to win the championship. The other members of the team are: guards; M. Hormung, P. Brewer, and D. Vance, forwards; F. Yerke, I. Rodger, and D. Pfiffner.

Initiation

At the regular meeting last week sixteen women were initiated into W.A.A. The new members are: Maxine Miner, Eleanor Crumme, Ruth Schwahn, Magdeline Wolf, Evelyn Dumbleton, Marian MacKenzie, Ila Rodgers, Dorothy Pfiffner, Roberta McWilliams, Helen Kopecky, Verna Michaels, Nelva Spry, Ruth Switzer, Alicia Jones, Audrey Wehr, and Charlotte Gauthier. The initiation was followed by a party in the old gym.

Tapdancing

Alice Sorenson and Thyrsa Iverson performed Tuesday afternoon for the Parent Teacher's Association of Washington School. Friday evening a group entertained the P. T. A. of St. Peter's School. Jean Lynn did her chiffon pie number. Velma and Bonita danced a waltz and Allie and Thyrsa a foxtrot. Tapdancing is a popular form of entertainment and will be even more so when the fellows present their dances.

Volleyball

Volleyball season started yesterday in the old gym with a large group out learning the tricks of serving and knocking the ball about. See you at the Wednesday and Thursday practices at four o'clock.

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Miss Jean Lamotte, with Barbara Fulton and Helen Piehl as guests, visited with her grandmother at Rhinelander over the week-end.

Miss Lillian Frawley was called home to Kewaunee because of the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Alice Martin, who has been confined to her home for the past six weeks because of a severe case of scarlet fever is expected to return in a week.

"I'll be faithful", wailed the radio from one of the co-ed's rooms. From somewhere several distinct groans were heard. Upon looking out it was discovered to be only Bremmer, sitting with his head in his hands gazing wistfully at the moon.

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Red Granite Wins Debate Tournament

On Monday March 12, Central State Teachers College was the host to a high school sectional debate and dramatics tournament which chose the representatives for this area in the state tourney to be held at Madison.

Local Judges

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon New London, Red Granite, and Tomah debated on the question: "Resolved that the U. S. should adopt the essential features of the British System of Radio Control." All three high schools were represented by both negative and affirmative teams. The contests were held in three different rooms of the college. The judges of the debates were chosen from the college faculty, including Mr. T. A. Rogers, G. C. Allez, Mr. N. E. Knutzen, Mr. N. O. Reppen, Mr. H. R. Steiner, Mr. C. D. Jayne, and Rev. Dybvig, a local pastor, and Celestine Nuesse and Rev. Donald Mills, both members of the college debate squad.

The teams placed according to their respective ratings. Red Granite received first place with a rating of six points; New London placed second with a four point rating and Tomah rated last with a two point rating.

Oconto Falls Rirst

In the evening, beginning at eight o'clock, three one act plays were presented by the high schools of Bangor, Athens, and Oconto Falls, in which the latter received first place. They presented the play "The Pot Boiler". Athens was awarded second place in presenting the play "Judge Lynch". "King Row", presented by Bangor, was rated third. The judges for this contest were Miss Susan Colman, Miss Mildred Davis and Miss Ruby Tilleson of the college faculty.

The program of plays and debates was made possible through the efforts of Mr. Burroughs, head of the speech department. Cletus Collins, chairman of the activity, arranged and scheduled the various debates and plays of the tournament. He also filled the capacity of announcer during their presentations.

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Men's Glee Club Sets March 22 For Annual Concert

Just a week from tonight the Men's Glee Club of the college will present its annual program. The program is to begin at 8 o'clock skarp and as Mr. Knutzen states it, "Even though the president of the United States is to be present we will begin promptly at eight." The program is open to all students and townspeople. It is expected to fill the auditorium to its capacity. Therefore, an early arrival is advisable.

The organization has been rehearsing four times a week for the past two weeks. It is their intention to make this feature outstanding among the student talents thus far presented.

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