Gymnasium
High
the final game for first and second Saturday games will be played in Saturday night. The evening one another for the championship.

Eight Teams Compete For Prizes
In Basketball Meet
With the opening of the secondary High School basketball tournament, the Central Wisconsin State Teachers' college becomes the focus of attention of the athletic world of central Wisconsin.

Eight teams are here to play one another for the championship. The games begin at three thirty this afternoon and continue until the final game for first and second place which will be held Saturday night. The evening games begin at seven thirty. Two games are held in succession. The Saturday games will be played in the morning instead of the afternoon.

Eight Teams Play
The teams which will take part in the local affair are: Amherst, Hancock, Pardeeville, Port Edwards, Redgranite, Rudolph, Westfield and Winneconne. The teams are arranged and numbered alphabetically and will play 1-5, 2-6, 3-7, 4-8, in the elimination.

A formidable array of awards has been arranged for. The winning team will be presented with a large silver basket ball, as well as gold medals. The second best team will get silver medals and the third team bronze medals.

Ferdinand Hizry, with his usual support of athletic meets, will present a plaque to the best all-around player and a cup to the team making the best appearance and having the best conduct in the tournament. Other business men of the city have pledged their wholehearted support to the tournament.

Officials Local Men
The officials working the games will be Coach Hunting and Professor Rollahan of the local faculty. Professor Schmeekle is the power behind the scenes, i.e., the tournament manager. He will be assisted at the gates and the officials bench by Harold Paukert, Frank Wierzinski, Ben Weronek, Vie Vrobel, Dale Spry, Ray Boone and Keith Berens.

S. P. N. GRAD IN CONGRESS
OPPOSES THIRD TERM IDEA
A recent report discloses that J. D. Beck, Congressman from the 7th Wisconsin District, who graduated from the Stevens Point Normal School with the class of 1897 has introduced a resolution in the House of Representatives against a third term in the President.

The resolution was introduced at the last Congressional session but was not voted upon. Reports have circulating over the country concerning the anti-third term resolution indicating that it has profoundly interested the voting public. The resolution will be reintroduced next December.

Charlesworth Sues
In Mock Law Suit
"Gregory Charlesworth" represented by Leonard Sprague and with Frank Joswick for his attorney won a suit conducted by the High School department in which it was claimed that the High School department had defamed the plaintiff's character by deeming him the biggest Buxler in school.

Charlesworth sued the Department for fifty thousand dollars, but the Department, represented by Keith Berens, held its side of the case ably and was ordered to pay only the sum of one dollar and ninety eight cents and costs.

It was rumored that the girls were presented "souvenirs" for their verdict.

Mr. Steiner's nine 'o'clock civics class was the scene of the trial.

Students Are Near-sighted Exams Show
For the past week examinations have been conducted to test the eyes, and ears, and to get the weight and height of each student. These have been conducted by Mr. Evans, and are preparatory to a physical examination which will be conducted by state officers the last two weeks in April.

The examinations show that about fifteen percent of the student body is near sighted, and the majority are underweight.

Forensic Board
To Decide Tie
The executive board of the State College Forensic League will meet tomorrow at Eau Claire to decide when, where, and how the tie between the La Crosse and Stevens Point will be decided.

La Crosse is in favor of flipping a coin to decide the winner but the Pointers wish to have both teams debate again. A heated discussion is expected.

Phone Satirized
In One-Act Play
With a highly amusing and instructive script presented by the Wisconsin Telephone Company, students of the Normal were entertained during the assembly period Thursday, March 10th. An actual play was the telephone switch board operated as in reality by a girl who made the numerous connections between the parties.

Every conceivable kind of call was made, ranging from social calls to distinct business calls. It became evident that the great number of errors that are made in telephone connections are not entirely the fault of the operator. The skit was educational as well as entertaining, and it afforded the students an opportunity to understand the difficulties of making accurate telephone connections.

Grammar, Schools Tie For Second.
Rural Assembly
In a tight game with the High School department, the Home Economics won the championship of the girls basketball league. The Home Economics were ahead throughout the game, but were followed closely by the High Schools. The game was exciting from start to finish, as was the Grammar-Primary game which ended the series. The half of the first game ended with the Hash Slings only two points ahead of the Smith proteges, the score being 5-7.

The preceding games were good, and from the standpoint of men's basketball, the girl's games were fast but loose. Holding, charging, blokeing, overguarding and similar fouls which would not be permitted in the men's games, were allowed to run riot. If they had been held to the narrow margin of 5-7 by which the girls games would have been a total loss. As it was, however, the players put on a fine exhibition of basketball, with both teams exhibiting the hair-pulling and rough work.

Three Teams Tie
The second place is divided equally between the Grammars and the Primaries. The Rurals and the Home Eves are tail and head, respectively, with four losses and four wins. The other three teams each won two and lost two games.

As was generally predicted, the Home Eves were the class of the tournament, with an unbeatable squad. Their guarding was consistent, their offense good and their players well coached and of no mean ability.

They were threatened only by the Primaries, who held them to a 10-11 score. Those playing during the tournament for the winning teams were: Sholes, Lord, Anderson, Lohr, Timm, Losby, Sheasly, Ascott, and Wright.

The scores of the games, in order are: 31-14; 16-10; 11-10; 5-7; 37-12; 5-7; 15-14; 5-7; 15-14; 5-7; 15-14; 5-7; 15-14; 5-7.

Arthur McNee, of the Stevens Point Normal, is a member of the board and will represent his Normal's interests.
AN URGENT NEED

Thirty years ago an Alumni Directory was published containing the names, home addresses, occupations, and locations of the occupants of all persons who had graduated from the Stevens Point Normal School from the year of its opening in 1894. That was twenty years after the institution had first opened its doors. The Directory was compiled with infinite care; a phenomenal energy was required to complete the great task. Since that year, 1914, nothing more has been done to perpetuate the bond between the alumni and the school except the publishing of departmental lists. These departmental lists, while ameliorating matters somewhat, are little effective in the school's event. They are a move in the right direction, but they are wholly inadequate.

The project of 1914 was a momentous undertaking and was a splendid start toward a yearly Directory. However, the benefits of that work have lapsed. Today no bond exists between the alumni and the Alma Mater. The day the student graduates is the last day he is associated with the school. This perforce weakens the great common experience which binds all alumni to their Alma Mater. The alumni are an integral part of the school spirit and it is only by a line of communication with them that the life blood of the institution's connections with the world can be sustained.

If an alumnus who graduated from this school thirty years ago thinks sufficiently of his Alma Mater to inquire about the existence of an Alumni Directory there is evidence enough to believe that an Alumni Directory is needed. The inquirer in this ease is none other than Honorable J. D. Beck, Congressman from the 7th Wisconsin District, who graduated from the Stevens Point Normal School with the class of 1887.

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What's a kiss? Just a velvety touch?

Then why do we crave them so?

Silks and rose leaves are smoother than lips.

Yet, who, tasting them, capture slips?

It is only the thought, lover mine,

That makes kisses such blisses divine.

It's the knowing those lips on

Mean mad love that makes sweet the embrace. —Alumna.

Say! Is this Girls' basketball tourney a business proposition or a colorful gala show? The variety of dress is amazing!

POTENTIAL BEST SELLERS


AIRY FACTS

Our amateur detective tells us that Miss Allen came as near to arrest as she ever will, when she removed the bottle from the pocket of an unsuspecting male on an aeroplane. We wonder if that had anything to do with the fact that she was in the twelfth hour of a four hours sleep, and just what happened to the bottle.

As we sit here and listen to the Orchestra practise, we are reminded of the time we attended the U. S. Marine band and Paul Whitman at the same time, on radio.

OUR DICTION BOOK:

Fraternity — A place where you cannot commit suicide while all house bills are paid.

Man's Life — School tablets; aspirin tablets; stone tablets.

University — Some students, a few books, and a double-decked stadium.
Six-Thirty Dinner Given By Girls

The Misses Lila Olson and Marion Pazourhek entertained at a six-thirty o'clock Saint Patrick's dinner at the South Cottage last Thursday evening. They were privileged to have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Collins and Miss Jule Will. The decorations were typically Irish, and the symbolic green was made effective even in the food. The grapefruit baskets were decorated with gay green ribbons, and the little cakes were shaped like shamrocks and accompanied the delicious ice-cream with its green sauce. The table was very prettily decorated with shamrocks and tall green candles in very ingenious potato candle sticks. The dinner was a splendid success.

LOYOLA CLUB ENJOYS WELL GIVEN PROGRAM

The Loyola Club held a meeting in the Rural Assembly Rooms, Thursday evening, March 10. Miss Arlyn Carsten sang two vocal numbers "In an Old-fashioned Town" and "Can't You Hear Me Callin', Caroline?" and Frank Joswick gave his oration, which he is to deliver tomorrow night at Eau Claire. This oration has been rewritten twenty-eight times", said Mr. Joswick in his opening remarks, "and Mr. Burroughs and myself are just beginning to feel satisfied with the results." The oration is titled "Crime, and Its Effects Upon the Youth of Today." It was given in a very forceful and convincing manner.

In a business meeting, which followed the program, it was decided to give five dollars toward sending a quartet to Eau Claire with the orator.

New Changes Made At The South Cottages

The four girls who have been in the South Cottage for the past ten weeks are to conclude their term this Friday, March 19. The group which is to move in consists of Alice Picha, Rose Sporer, Adelaide Greindl, and Marie Stevenson. They will remain in the cottage until the close of school in June.

SOCIETY

ANNUAL SPRING DANCE GIVEN BY RURALS

A pleasant break in the long, uneventful period of Lent occurred Wednesday evening, March 16, when a dance sponsored by the Rural Department was held in the gym, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion in appropriate colors. A large number of students, and their invited guests attended. Music was furnished by Ray Jacob's orchestra. The party was chaperoned by Miss Mae Roach, Miss Mary Hanna, and Prof. and Mrs. Neale, members of the faculty of the Rural Department. The dance was a St. Patrick's affair and is an annual institution of the school, but owing to the fact that the first games of the high school tournament sponsored by the Stevens Point Normal School, were to be held on Thursday evening, it was thought best that the dance be given on Wednesday so as not to conflict with the tournament.

HELEN LOHR HAS GUEST

Miss Helen Lohr had the pleasure of having her mother as her guest this past week-end, Mrs. Lohr was able to see Helen in action in the tournament game last Friday evening.

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Local Students Attend State De Molay Meet

The local De Molay basketball team goes to the State Tournament at Madison today. Six of the members came from the College. They are: Gunning, Miller, H. Vetter, E. Vetter, Bright, and Forrest MacDonald. Ralph Donahue and Donald Crocker of the local High School will also go.

Health Play Given By Second Graders

The Second Grade trained by Jessie Dingee and Irene Patrick, student teachers, gave a Health Puppet Show Monday P. M. Those participating were: Reginald Nelson, the boy who was ill; Bonnie Bach, the sick boy's mother; Billy Maier, the doctor and Gladys Froenger, the Health Fairy. Other children represented vegetables, fruits, and other things good for health.

Olive Jane Cartmill revived the Health Alphabet.

The children took their parts well, showing the good work done by the student teachers.

Since he won't do it himself, we want to apologize in behalf of the athletic editor for the mistake he made in the last issue. He said that six girls constituted a basketball team, but it has since turned out that there are only five. The six-girl team is only High School style. The College girls have left that stage. Accepted!

Literary Club Holds Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Margaret Ashmun Club was held last Monday after school, to vote upon new members for the present semester. Only those who are proficient in English or Speech work were considered. Pledges will be initiated at the next regular meeting, to be held on Tuesday evening of next week. It is desired that a large number of old members be present to welcome the new members. A splendid program has been prepared, and matters of interest to all will be taken up. Please arrange your "studying," so that you will be able to be there.

Stout finds out that they won a football game which they lost. The contradiction is explained by the fact that one of the La Crosse players was ineligible.

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