

THE POINTER

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HALLOWE'EN PARTY TO BE HELD IN GYM

FIGHTING PURPLE LOSE THIRD GAME TO TUNE OF 28-0

**Capt. Paukert, Wray, Injured In
Rough Battle At Superior**

A fighting Point aggregation held Superior, the class of the conference, to a 28-0 score at Superior last Saturday. Eggebrecht's men, making the long drive the day before, and still shaky from injuries, started off with a bang and arched down the field before the Northmen knew what it was all about. Superior stiffened and held the Pointers from doing any damage and proceeded to do a little on her own accord. Before the game was ten minutes old, Harold Paukert, chief punter and ball carrier for the Purple, twisted an ankle and was forced to retire. To make matters worse, his high explosive teammate, Les Wray, pulled a tendon and was forced to the bench. Going from bad to worse Bennie Weronke, giant Point center, was ordered to the bench on an alleged charge of slugging. Without these main cogs in the back field and line, the Pointers gamely and bitterly fought against tremendous odds.

Purple Tries Passes

Carl Eggebrecht's men resorted to the aerial route throughout most of the contest, while Superior took advantage of the Point wingmen and did their gaining on sweeping end runs, and trick plays. The scoring was not done all at once, but was evenly distributed through every stanza, — Superior getting one touchdown each quarter and adding a drop kick; for good measure totaling 28 points in all. The game was marked by rough playing on both sides and Ray Marvin, referee, removed Green, Superior quarter, and Ben Weronke from the fray for using violent tactics.

Northland Next

The Point players are idle this week. The next game is a non-conference one with Northland College on Nov. 4th at the fair grounds. After River Falls makes their bow, then the colored jerseys seek the moth balls till next year. If the team will ruin River Falls, we'll forgive them, won't we gang? All right fellows, what are we going to do about it? LET'S GO!

Superior-Point Lineup

The following is the lineup of the Superior-Stevens Point game.

Superior	Stevens Point
Dolan	L. E. Cheshrown
Nelson	L. T. Bannach
Noruk	L. G. Flolid
Nyard	C. Weronke
Chatterson	R. G. Charlesworth
Horyza	L. T. Smith
St. John	L. E. Baruth
Greene	Q. Wray
Geffe	L. H. McDonald
Hendrickson	R. H. Holmes
Peterson	F. Paukert

Officials: — Referee, Marvin; Umpire, McDevitt; Headlinesman, Funk.
Substitutes: Point, L. Holmes for Baruth; Marsh for Weronke; Precourt for Flolid; Baillargeon for Cheshrown; Horuk for Paukert; Piles for Wray.

ASTOUNDING GENEROSITY!

Allen McVey says, "Every senior, after paying his five dollars for dues, will receive a copy of the Iris FREE!"

IRIS STAFF MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT OF FUTURE POLICY FOR '28 PUBLICATION

Our year book is a record of school activities. Should it be above criticism? The Irises of the past have been criticized. This criticism has been based largely upon the lack of uniformity of the individual pictures. Is such a criticism justified? Look at an old Iris and see for yourself. We, the staff, feel that the criticism is justified. It is a problem the student body as a whole must help us solve. What are possible suggestions? Should we give all photographers like specifications and demand those specifications? That has been our past policy. What does our engraver suggest? The Brock Engraving Company suggests that all pictures of a like nature be taken by one photographer.

This policy has been tried before and is at present the policy of the Badger staff of the University of Wisconsin. We, the Iris staff, have outlined this policy as our own.

All Senior and Faculty Individual pictures will be taken at the Cook Studio. In order to protect the majority of the Seniors, all photos not taken at Cook's Studio will be refused placement in the Iris. These pictures must be taken not later than November 25. Any pictures taken thereafter must be accompanied by a permission slip signed by the Editor-in-chief.

All Junior and underclassmen pictures will be taken at the Kennedy Studio. As a protection to the rest and majority, all photos not taken at Kennedy's Studio will be refused placement. These pictures must be taken not later than November 25.

Group pictures will be taken at such times as are designated by future announcements.

For general information, a sitting will cost you \$1.50. This guarantees to you a picture according to Iris specifications for 1927-1928 edition.

Choose Iris Staff

There has been some delay about picking the Irish staff. However the following have finally been chosen:

Associate Ed.	Mildred Patchin
Art Editor	Irene Loberg
Organizations	Helen Lohr
Girls' Athletics	Elizabeth Kelly
Men's Athletics	Harold Paukert
Forensics	Henri Hess
Music	Arlene Carlsen
Publications	Jane Wright
Features	Margaret Collins
"	Mae Gaffney
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Typists	Crystal Holderegger
"	Florence Nelson

The Juniors have not elected Asst. Editor or Asst. Business manager. These officers will be editor-in-chief and business manager for the 1929 Iris.

ALLEN McVEY

Girls To Give One Act Play For P. T. A.

On November 1, several girls of the public speaking class are going to put on a play for the Washington School Parent Teachers' Association.

The play, "Solemn Pride", is a one act sketch taking place during the Civil War.

Those having parts in it are: Grace Lepenske, Ruth Pierce, Mary Kusireck, Dorothy Bents, Mildred Foss, Anne Stewart, Norma Hess, and Eleanor Melarky.

Doctor Baldwin will also speak that evening. His talk is "An Activity Program for Boys and Girls."

Literary Club Pledges Named

The Margaret Ashmun Literary Society met in room 222 Monday at 4:00 P. M. After the preliminary business was finished plans were completed for the coming Halloween party. Pauline E. Buhlman was appointed chairman of the decoration committee. Leander Van Hecke is arranging the novelty program.

The Chairman of the selection committee, Julia Van Hecke reported. It was decided to hold the next regular meeting Nov. 8th.

The following pledges were announced: Forrest McDonald, Margaret Larson, Carlton Lintner, Solomon Welantzik, Crystal Holderegger, Marjory Footte, Catherine Thompson, Irene Loberg, Clarence Teske, Allen McVey, Elizabeth Kelly, Agnes Behling, Mildred Patchin.

There will be a meeting of the pledges at 1:00 P. M. Thursday afternoon. No one will be excused unless they personally see Pauline Buhlman before time for the meeting to take place.

S. T. C. Harriers Here Nov. 11 Annual Meet

The annual cross country meet for Wisconsin State Teachers' Colleges is to be held in Stevens Point, Nov. 11th, the day of the last football game of the season with our old rivals, River Falls. Last year the hill and dale men met at Milwaukee, but, as it was too distant for many of the Normals, not all schools were represented. To remedy this handicap, Stevens Point, being centrally located, was selected for this year's scene of activities.

Cross Country running has become an important part of athletics in nearly all universities, colleges, and larger schools of the middle west and east, and we are extremely fortunate to have the harriers meet here. Most of the Colleges have not registered, to date, but it is early and strong teams from Milwaukee, Oshkosh, and La Crosse are expected. Platteville has taken the initiative thus far and has entered about twenty men.

The course will probably be out on Highway 66, cutting across country and back on Highway 10 — a distance of three and a half miles. A beautiful trophy cup will go to the winning team, and individual medals will be given the winner. Stevens Point will not participate this year as there has been no cross country team. All of Carl Eggebrecht's attention has been concentrated on football, trying to make a classy eleven out of the limited supply of material which he has. The Point has some good distance runners in Krake and Krause, who can perform in record time, but no team is to be formed for the meet.

School To Close Wednesday Noon

Much to the regret (?) of the students there will be no school Nov. 3 and 4. The Wisconsin Teachers' Association will meet at this time in Milwaukee. In order to enable our professors to prepare to go, school will be dismissed at 11:50 Wednesday. Classes meet again on Monday morning at 8:15.

LITERARY SOCIETY INVITES STUDENTS TO DANCE MONDAY

**Good Orchestra Engaged, Novel-
ties And Specialties To Feature
Evening**

Although this year October 31 comes on Monday, it is going to be more than a plain school night. It is going to be a real genuine Halloween night with fun and excitement "an' everythin'". For there's going to be a dance.

Dance Open To All

The Margaret Ashmun Literary Society is extending to one and all an invitation to a dance in the gymnasium Monday evening, October 31, promptly at 7:30. If anyone has a friend from town whom he would like to have invited and will leave the friend's name in the office before Friday, October 28, an invitation will be sent to him.

Plan Special Program

An added attraction to the dancing is to be in form of a spot-light dance. There will be a quartette present also. The identity of the entertainers and their definite programs is to be one of the mysteries to be unveiled Monday evening.

The committee in charge states that plans have been made for very attractive decorations as well as a few specialties which go down with the program as one of the mysteries of the night.

Good Music Arranged

Because it is to be held on Monday evening the music will start at 7:30 sharp. The orchestra which has been engaged has a reputation for really peppy music and, all said, the evening promises to be very exhilarating.

Don't forget to have your friends invited. Remind them of the joys of Halloween. And most of all, come yourself — "Or the goblins'll get you if you don't watch out."

Iris Expenses For 1927 Are Announced

It has been suggested that the student body be given an accounting of the money dispensed in editing and printing the Iris. Often times there is some confusion as to the use to which the money each subscriber pays is put. The following is an itemized accounting of the 1927 Iris.

Receipts.	
1926 Accounts	\$ 24.00
Class Dues	727.00
Subscriptions	643.00
Advertising	449.00
Organizations	211.41
Mardi Gras	333.38
Sr. Class Play	68.90
Announcements	55.99
Disbursements.	
1926 Accounts	\$ 10.50
Printing & Binding	1213.00
Engraving	779.55
Senior Class Ex.	53.00
Senior Announcements	63.00
Photographs	147.35
Operating Expense	120.00
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Total	\$2512.68

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WHY THE U. S. SHOULD DISCARD ITS OLD WEIGHTS AND MEASURES AND ADOPT THE METRIC SYSTEM.

The editor asked me to give reasons why we should adopt the Metric System. Here are some of them:

First, arithmetics would be only half as thick, and these thin books only half as hard to learn. Pencil biting would largely cease. Next, High School pupils could learn science much easier. They would not have to learn science and weights and measures at the same time. Thirdly, nearly all the rest of the civilized world is now using the metric units. Fourthly, foreign commerce would be greatly aided. Foreigners can not understand our weights and measures and so will not buy our goods.

Our present system came from where Topsy came from; it just grew. Each city and each little burg and often each individual had his own pound, bushel, pint, foot and so on. Once there were as many as 400 different pounds in Europe. You could not expect any system from such a set of units. We must know 35 or 40 different scale numbers or we can not solve problems that come up. Are there 320 or 640 or 160 rods in an acre; or is it a mile? Few of my students, perhaps none could be depended on to know all these scale numbers. Then nobody but college professors can figure out the weight of things from their volume. Every youngster in metric countries can find the answer almost instantly! It cost me \$1.50 of a carpenter's time to figure out how to space the balusters on my porch. In metric counties he could have solved the problem in a minute! Our mechanics have corresponding troubles all the time.

The movement for the adoption of metric weights and measures is gaining great headway in our country. Thomas A. Edison is for it. The National Federation of Women's Clubs is for it. The National Wholesale Grocers are for it. The Chemical Society is for it. The electrical people are for it. Metric words are creeping into our language, as kilowatt, ampere, kilometer. Foot rules with metric divisions on one side are sold generally. There are strong organizations devoted to pushing this reform. Bills in Congress are now getting vastly more attention than at any time heretofore. A bill before the present Congress proposes the adoption of the system beginning 1935. Reader, you can help. Write to your Congressman and your two Senators. It will do good.

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Square M.		Hektar	Ar	Sq. Met.				100
Cubic M.				Cu. Met.	Liter			1000
Weight	Kg			Gram				10

1 Metric Ton = 1000 Kg, 1 meter = 39.37 inches.

JOS. V. COLLINS.

NEXT

Dr. Bolton, a Philadelphia psychologist, says that horses laugh, and so do cows and monkeys.

"What we call laughter," the doctor continues, "is the expression of a coarse emotion which, as culture increases, is refined to the form of a smile."

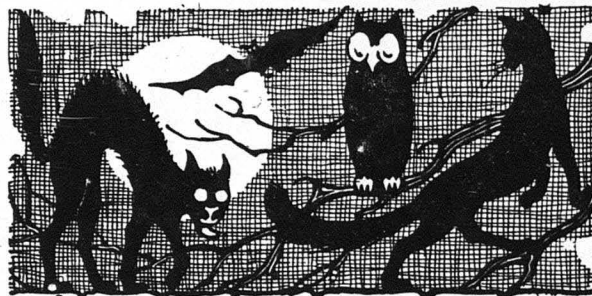
There is no doubt that many of us cannot laugh without being very conscious of it. When in a crowd, laughter is quite likely to take the form of a number of snickers beautifully harmonized with a few "horse laughs." The only real laughs that come to mind at present are both girls. One almost chokes herself to keep others from getting a glimpse of her larynx and the other is degenerating into a giggler.

Most of us, however, will be disposed to disregard the learned doctor and laugh as best we can.

Which proves that either Darwin or Barnum was right.

HUMOR

MORE OR LESS



FATHERS SEND YOUR SON TO COLLEGE.

Ask the man who disowns one.

If this college had a crew, would they use iron ores?

Arline: You know, darling, seeing is believing.

Bill: Well, how the men must believe the women of today.

Max: "Do you love me, darling?"

Silvia: "Of course, I do, Herby."

Max: "Herby? My name is Max."

Silvia: "Why so it is; I keep thinking this is Monday."

GIFTED.

"Blind, eh? And employed on the Iris staff? What on earth can he do there?"

"He writes the caption, 'Beautiful Co-ed,' under all the feminine photos."

Arminda Warner: "Are you trying to make a fool of me?"

Friend Pearl: "I couldn't go against Nature."

POE'S "RAVEN" (revised)

There was a tap at the door. He arose and turned it off.

THE LATEST HIT.

Sung at a Mexican necking party —
Hemp! hemp! hemp! the boys are hanging.

JOYS OF POVERTY.

Jerry: "My face is my fortune!"
Lyle: "Its hell to be bankrupt isn't it?"

Agnes: "But isn't he rather fast?"

Ruth: "Yes, but I don't think he will get away."

"Then you consider Seniors more intelligent than Sophomores?"

"Decidedly. Why, Sophomores haven't even intelligence enough to realize their own inferiority."

A home loving girl is one who invites you into her home after the folks have gone to bed.

THE FOUR BEST SLEEPERS.

1. English Comp. (2 votes)
2. History of the Renaissance (3 votes)
3. Assembly hour (347 votes)
4. Shakespeare class (1 vote.)

Oscar: "I was put out by his remarks."

Frank: "Whose?"

Oscar: "The president's."

HANDS OFF.

Last: "I call my girl third rail."

Quarter: "What for?"

Last: "If you touch her, she'll knock you cold."

Two negatives make a positive except when you're saying good-night to a girl. Then the ratio is a little higher.

Mrs. Baldwin: "Robert, you are growing handsomer every day."

Mr. Baldwin: "Yes, it's a way I have just before your birthday."

IN FLANDERS FIELD

Mr. Rellahan: "Every time you fail to recite I put a cross after your name."

Pussy Fors: "Gee, my name must look like a grave yard."

HELPFUL HERBIE

"Herbie, don't you know you shouldn't smoke on the campus?"

"Sure, I'm not smoking, I'm just holding this for a fellow."

ALL ALONE

Irene: "That tune has been running in my head a long time."

Loretta: "Poor lonesome little thing."

"Gee, the old school is certainly going to the dogs!"

"Yeh, I've been out a couple of years too."

WE MODERNS.

Omar Khayam: "A jug of wine, a loaf of bread and thou."

Any Collegian: "A cuppa coffee, a san'wich an' you-hooooo."

Mrs. Jones: "We are keeping William from returning to college this fall. He is so young, you know."

Mrs. Brown: "Yes, my son flunked out, too."

C'MON CALORIES!

Brad Willet says he likes 'em plump, — well, not exactly plump, but well rounded.

Jerry: "I'm going to marry a pretty girl and a good cook."

Oscar: "You can't, that's bigamy."

Russian dancing, as far as we are able to judge from vodvil, consists of folding one's arms in front of one, and running while sitting down.

Homer: "Doesn't my new hat fit good?"

Bill B. "Yes, but supposing your ears get tired."

HERE IS ONE FOR THE ENGLISH

Gentlemen prefer blondes... but the brunettes don't need to worry. There are still a lot of us who eat with our knives.

Crystal: "I wouldn't marry you if you were the last man on earth."

Harold: "I know it, you'd get killed in the rush."

Hank supposes he'd rather have two girls of sixteen than one of thirty-two.

"We have a new kitten over at our house."

"What are you going to call it?"

"Peary."

"Oh, I see, it's a polecat."

Bernice: "Is it true that John proposed to you and you rejected him?"

Elsie: "He proposed, but I didn't exactly reject him. I told him that any time I wanted to make a fool of myself, I'd let him know."

SOCIETY



Junior High School Has Hike And Picnic

The Junior High School is not to be outdone by the College when it comes to hikes and picnics.

Last Tuesday evening they gave a marshmallow roast at Red Bridge. A large bonfire was built and marshmallows were roasted. They also had a small victrola with them and put the roast over in great style.

The hike was under the direction of Mr. Pierce and the Student Teachers were invited to go along. Some were not able to attend because of a conflict with the Senior Class Meeting, but, nevertheless, there was a fine crowd and a rollicking good time was had by all.

Y. W. C. A. Party Well Received Fri.

The first Matinee Dance at College was given last Friday afternoon from 4 to 6, sponsored by the Y. W. C. A.

In spite of the fact that the football fellows were out of town, the crowd was large enough so that everyone had a good time. The fellows really do not know what they missed.

The only admission charged was one ticket from our entertainment booklet. Ray Jacob's Merry Music Makers furnished the music, and all reported as having had a very joyous time.

LOYOLA SOCIAL MEETING

The Loyola held a social meeting last Tuesday evening at 7:30 P. M. in the rural Assembly.

At the time the Pointer goes to press it was not definitely known that Father Casey would speak, however it was sincerely hoped that he would.

S. P. T. C. Proves Musical Some Times

It has even come to a question of who can have the best music with which to entertain his classes now-a-days. The training school piano sends out relays of Kindergarten songs. Down in the basement, our best jazz players vie with each other. On the second floor the budding Paderewskis hold forth. But the third floor, being on top is supreme.

Mr. Rightsell, professor of physics, is the instigator of this music. Every noon the radio in the physics' lecture room is turned on and the orthophonic concerts from W. L. B. L. are received. The question is yet to be answered whether Mr Rightsell holds these concerts to entertain his students or to attract new students to the course.

At any rate, everyone seems to greatly appreciate the music.

FACULTY LADIES CAMP

Six of the faculty ladies spent the week end at Lake Emily. The adventurous sextette neglected to mention any especially thrilling events.

Mr. Mrs. Rogers and Mr. Mrs. Watson visited the campers Sunday afternoon. Fried chicken was on the bill-of-fare for the gentlemen while the visiting ladies feasted upon chocolates.

Miss Pauline Buhlman left last Friday night for Minneapolis, going there to attend the Homecoming Game of the Minnesota University.

Mrs. Eggebrecht went to Minneapolis to attend the Minnesota Game. She intended to spend the entire week among friends in Minneapolis.

Primaries Hold First Meeting

The Primary Council has also started meetings; holding the first one last week on Monday, at seven-thirty.

The meeting was called mainly to spread the news of a party and initiation of the Juniors by the Seniors. The plans have been made and a good time is assured them.

A short program ensued: Miss Laura Dick sang a solo, Miss Harriet Nelson gave a reading, Miss Eunice Rielly played several popular selections, and the program was concluded by a group of songs sung by Miss Mildred Steinke.

As officers were elected last spring there was no need of a bigger business meeting.

Arrangements Made For Jr. High Party

The Junior High School is becoming more and more active as time progresses. They are going to have a big Halloween party Saturday October 29th for the Student Teachers and the pupils of the Junior High School. It is under the direction of Mr. Burton Pierce of the Junior High School Department.

The party is to be held in the evening. Tentative plans have been made by the committees in charge for groups of games to be played. Halloween stunts will feature the games. The evening will close with the serving of refreshments and the singing of group songs.

The plans have not been completed as yet, but the tentative arrangements lead one to believe that a very enjoyable time will be had.

Weatherman Permits G. A. A. Girls To Hike

At last! The Weather Man was kind enough to permit the Girls' Athletic Association to have their hike. The girls, being thirty in all, left Nelson Hall at four-thirty. They followed the Paper Mill Road out to Echo Dells, arriving there just at dusk.

A large bonfire was built and wieners were roasted. By the light of the moon, the girls all circled around the campfire, Helen Lohr, the President of the Association, read the Constitution, and it was followed by a general discussion. The party broke up and the girls came home by the way of McDill, reaching here about eight-thirty.

The main purpose of this hike was to acquaint the old and new members, to arouse interest in Girls' Athletics, and introduce the Athletic Point System.

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REGISTRAR ASKS FOR COOPERATION CONCERNING HONOR POINT SYSTEM

To avoid difficulties at the end of the semester in regard to credits and Honor Points, the Registrar, Mr. E. F. Roberts is issuing the following statement. The information is to be found in the College Catalogues as well.

HONOR POINT SYSTEM

1. Scholarship grades and grade points.
A. 100—94 3 points for each credit.
B. 93—88 2 points for each credit.
C. 87—81 1 point for each credit.
D. 80—75 No points
E. 74—Failure, 1 point deducted for each hour failed.

2. Under the grade point system in order to qualify for the diploma of the school a student must make as many grade points as he has earned units of credit, that is, he must attain an average of C in all work taken in the school.

3. A student who fails to make as many grade points as units of credit in any semester is debarred from further enrollment in the professional course of the school. However, he may enroll as a special student, and on making a satisfactory record he may be reinstated in a professional department.

4. Students transferring from other institutions and presenting passing grades shall be received without any attempt to estimate grade points and allowed to proceed for a semester. If the transferred student makes the required number of grade points during the first semester of residence he may proceed as other students in the department in which he enrolls.

5. Believing that it is a great injustice to all concerned to permit a student with serious academic deficiencies to practice in the training school, we require a student to have as many grade points as he has hours of credit earned in this institution before he may begin student teaching.

6. No student may carry for credit more than the standard load of 16 hours, unless his scholastic record gives him standing among the upper 5% of all students carrying a normal load, during the previous semester. **IN NO CASE WILL A STUDENT RECEIVE MORE THAN 18 HOURS CREDIT FOR THE SEMESTER'S WORK.**

7. Any student failing to earn passing grades in at least 67% of the hours for which he is scheduled during any semester thereby eliminates himself from the institution.

8. Withdrawals not authorized by the President or Director of the Department shall be considered as failures. Credits which come in at end of semester must be the same as those called for on the student's official program card otherwise they will not be honored.

9. In cases of legitimate absence (sickness or otherwise) which result in a grade below 75, a student will be given a "Condition" with the understanding that it must be removed the following semester otherwise it reverts to a failure.

10. In all cases where a student received grade E, which means a failure in that particular subject, one honor point shall be deducted for each credit.

11. One honor point shall be deducted for each unexcused assembly absence.

NO POINTER NEXT WEEK

There will be no issue of the Pointer next week because of the closing of school for the Teachers' Convention. Weekly circulation will be resumed November 10th.

Award Sweaters For 1100 Honor Points

Many girls inquired into the complex matter of G. A. A. points for awards. To clear up the situation we print the following extract from the G. A. A. constitution:

- I Hiking
 - A. Fall & Spring
 1. A person must hike 100 miles in 12 hikes to secure 100 points
 2. A person must hike at least 50 miles in 5 hikes to receive 25 points.
 3. For less than 50 miles in one season no points will be given.
 - B. Winter.
 1. A person must hike 50 miles in 10 hikes to receive 50 points.
 2. A person hiking only 25 miles in five hikes will receive 10 points.
 3. At least 3 people from the same department or 5 people from any departments must hike in order to receive credit.
- II Roller Skating — 2 points an hour
- III Tennis " " " "
- IV Ice Skating " " " "
- V Coasting " " " "
- VI Classic Dancing " " " "
- A. Combination of hours in one season must come to 25 points.
- B. No girls shall receive points for sports participated in during vacations.
- VII Basket Ball
 - A. 100 points a season.
 - B. A girl must not miss any more than 3 practices.
 - C. 15 points extra shall be awarded to girls making the tournament team.
- VIII Volley Ball.
 - A. 5 points will be given for each practice.
 - B. Anyone missing more than 3 practices receives no points.
- IX Captain Ball—Same as volley ball.
- X Baseball " " " "
- XI Track & Field " " " "
- XII Hockey or Soccer — 5 points for each practice providing three practices a week are attended.

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Arrangements Made For All-School Frolic To Be Given November 18th

The calendar is to be increased with another big affair. This time, the All School Frolic. The Frolic is a faculty brain child and is destined to appear before the student body about the last of November. Every one remembers Mardi Gras and the good time had. The Frolic is very much the same. It is to be a sort of Hard Time party and everyone is supposed to dress accordingly.

Being Hoboes for the evening, the food must be that type also. From 5:30 on, two stands will do business on the first floor. At one pop, ice cream, candy, cracker jack, etc., will be sold. At the other hot-dogs, hamburgers, coffee and the like will occupy the foreground.

At 7:00 on the second floor five stunts will be opened to the public. The following people will have charge. Walter Allen — Music; Pauline Buhlman — Speech; Helen Lohr — G. A. A.; Harold Paukert — Boys' Athletics; Frank Joswick — Margaret Ashmun Club. These five stunts will be in separate rooms and will be somewhat like a side-show.

At 8:00 there will be a performance in the assembly. The faculty will have complete charge of these stunts. There will be three acts. The first will star the men of the faculty, the second, the faculty ladies, and the third the wives of the faculty. Each of these will take about twenty-five minutes.

At the end of this time everyone is, invited to go to the gym and dance until the close of the evening.

Red Cross Sponsors Social Service Rally

The Portage County chapter of the American Red Cross is sponsoring a Social Service Rally to be held this afternoon and evening.

The Rally will open at a luncheon at the Hotel Whiting at 12:30. Harry D. Baker, St. Croix Falls, will talk on "The Children's Code of Wisconsin" and Mrs. Katherine Sullivan of St. Louis, field representative of the American Red Cross, will outline briefly the aim of the Rally.

The program will be resumed at 2:00 at the Public Library. The following speakers will address the company: Miss Elizabeth Yerxa, director of the Juvenile department of the State Board of Control; Mrs. I. P. Witter, Wisconsin Rapids, a member of the Executive Committee of Wisconsin Conference of Social Work; Dr. J. H. Holb, University of Wisconsin, authority on Community Problems.

In the evening a dinner will be served at the Presbyterian church. This will be followed by a splendid program of music and addresses. Among the speakers are: Aubrey Williams, Executive Secretary Wisconsin Conference of Social Work; Mrs. Katherine Vilas, director of Women's Bureau of Wisconsin Manufacturing Association; H. D. Baker, will give a talk on "A Definite Program of County-wide Social Work", and Mrs. Katherine Sullivan will tell "How Other Countries Have Solved the Problem."

The State Convention was held recently in Eau Claire. The convention being held here is a sectional one.

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Officers Are Elected At Glee Club Meeting

The Girls' Glee Club held a meeting last Thursday at three o'clock. Officers were elected and other business transacted.

The people chosen for officers were: Beatrice Polley, President; Ruth Pierce, Vice President; Ruth Johnson, Secretary and Treasurer; Lorraine Gunderson, Librarian.

Arlene Carlsten, the President of the Girls' Glee Club last year, read the constitution, and it was then decided to have the Glee Club Meetings regularly every Thursday from 3:05 to 4:10. Last year they were held on Thursday at 4:15.

The remainder of the period was given to singing.

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HOW TO GET A SUMMER JOB (Cont'd from last issue)

If this doesn't wake him, it will at least drive everybody else away. If he is still asleep, take a nap yourself, your snoring will make him think he is in a tornado. Wake up and offer to save his life. He will be grateful and offer you the bank. Don't accept, it's probably about to go broke, anyhow, but tell him you'll take his job if he'll throw in two cars and a couple of pretty stenographers. He'll object at first, but stand on your head and pedal a bicycle. This performance will stun him into agreeing to anything. Pull out a golf ball and show it to him. He will grab it and head for the nearest golf links. Then curl up in his morris chair and sleep the rest of the summer away.

HOW IS THIS FOR CONCEN- TRATION?

Evidently, Mr. Burroughs does not agree with Washington Irving. For when Wouter-Van-Twiller-like, Bill Richardson concentrated so strongly on the account being given of Shakespeare's "Merry Wives of Windsor," that his eyes went shut, and his breathing became audible, etc. — Mr. Burroughs sent him from class to get some much needed rest.

WHAT ABOUT IDENTIFICA- TION?

Marg. Larson, in an address to the Senior class. "Have all the pictures taken at one place so that they will look the same."

We knew that this is a teacher-factory, and that it is the aim to fit each individual into the mould of a "perfect teacher", but we didn't know that we were even supposed to look alike!

POOR FRANK!

Dedicated to Frank Joswick, President of the Grammar Round Table, President of the Margaret Ashmun Club, and President of the Senior Class. (Also refused the honor of being President of the Loyola Club).

1. Some people are born famous.
2. Some folks achieve fame.
3. And others have it thrust upon them.

It's heck to be in class 3, especially when you're naturally very modest, retiring, and unassuming, such as Frank is.

A THING OF BEAUTY IS A JOY FOREVER

At the Senior class meeting Miss Roach suggested that for vice-president we be sure and pick out some one who is good looking. Walter Wasrud and Mildred Patchin were nominated.

John: "Homer, how many studies are you carrying?"

Homer, "Carrying one, and dragging four."

WELDON ELECTED!

The election of a president for the Catch-as-Catch-Can kolum came to an end at 4-o'clock Mon. During the last two hours the balloting was fast and furious, and it was with a great deal of difficulty that those in charge of the election returns squirmed their way through the dense crowd to get to the ballot box. Hundreds of students missed the last car home, standing around eagerly awaiting the report of the election returns. They had a long wait, too, — and then they did not get any satisfaction.

This is absolutely the first announcement of the result of the election, — up until now it has been kept a deep and dark secret. In order that the election officials would not divulge the secret, they were locked in the Pointer office over night and had just been released at the time this issue was distributed to the student body.

The competition was very keen, and the election returns were gone over seventeen times in order to be sure that there was no mistake in the counting; for in a position of such vast import as that of the President of the Catch-as-Catch-Can, accuracy is very vital.

Not to keep you in suspense any longer we will give you the results of the election:

Asel Weldon	220
Lyman Johnson	55
Alma Hougum	55
Elton Davis	4
Walter Allen	3
Chesrown	1
Mr. Burroughs	7

We are pleased to announce that Asel G. Weldon, who is well known among the student body is president. He had no real opposition worth mentioning, as you will notice by the election results. Asel gained distinction last year, and was brought before the eyes of the student body as the darkhorse candidate for Handsomest Man.

Lyman Johnson — brilliant English Student, composer of poems and also extemporaneous speaker, — and Miss Alma Hougum, — noted amateur artist and musician, — tied for second place.

According to the election we are gratified to know that our school is made up of a beauty-loving student body. Seven eighths of all votes cast for Asel were cast on the basis of his manly charms, — and the remaining one-eighth on his wit. All the votes cast for Mr. Burroughs were cast because of his beauty. Chesrown was really the only candidate, all of whose votes were cast on the basis of his wit, — and his wit must be of a very keen quality to over-shadow his obvious manly beauty.

A Smart Boy Gives Opinion On Dancing

The bright lad who writes for the Racquet over at the La Crosse Normal has condescended to write his views on dancing. We pass it on to you.

"Dancing is a matter of confidence. Go up to the best dancer, and ask her for a dance. Be confident. After she has refused, keep on asking until you get a dance. When the music starts advance with the right arm around the young lady in the vicinity of the waist. With the other clinch her right hand. Shove off. Keep confident. Pilot her in a circular route around the hall. When you bump any one, glare. He will apologize. When you step on her feet be courteous. Pardon her and blame it on the floor. Remain confident. Show her you have trial ability. Find fault with the orchestra. Say the floor is not smooth enough or too slippery. Carry on a conversation to ease her along. When you stumble, tell her you are trying a new step. Even offer to teach it to her. When the music stops applaud loudly, and support her to her seat. Be bold, dancing is a matter of confidence."

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Former Students To Talk Here Saturday

The members of the Portage County Teachers' Association will meet here October 29th, 1927. Many of the speakers on the program are graduates or members of the Faculty of Stevens Point College.

Saturday morning Prof. E. T. Smith will give a talk in the Auditorium here. In the afternoon Eleanor Booth will speak on "Results Gained Through Use of the Unit Plan"; Thelma Beir, "The Challenge of the One Room School"; Louise K. Appel, "The Supervisor and the Teacher"; Marion E. Bannach, "The Teacher's Meeting as an Instrument of Supervision Is a County Unit System."

Solomon Levitan, the State Treasurer of Wisconsin will be the main speaker at the luncheon at 1:00 P. M.

Art Class Tours The Down Town Districts

Miss Edna Carlsten and Miss Borg-hild Odegard have been conducting foraging expeditions of late. The foragers, however, who were after knowledge are the eighth grade boys.

They were taken down town recently to study architecture. The Post office, Masonic Temple, Citizen's Bank, and the Insurance Building came under scrutiny.

One young lad ventured to ask if, since Greek architecture was the subject under discussion, would it be proper to go to Pappas.

The expedition then proceeded to St. Stephen's church where Father Weix gave a very interesting talk on Gothic architecture.

Cavemen Sought By The Faculty Women

Every student, at one time or another, wonders if his teachers are human. The teachers at Stevens Point College, or at least some of them, are decidedly human and exceedingly feminine.

Recently a party of teachers journeyed to Friendship in search of a cave and the included cavemen. Among those present were the Misses, Carlsten, Swallow, Diehl, Rolfson, Pfeiffer, Stroud, Pritchard, Ivey, Tobias, Brown, Seen, and Miss Diehl's sister from Chicago.

After arriving at their destination, the ladies searched for the cave entrance. They did not state whether or not their search included the cavemen, but at any rate no unusual characters have been seen in classes.

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