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## CAGERS BATTLE U. OF W. WEDNESDAY

### JAHN & OLLIER GET CONTRACT FOR ENGRAVING

**Kennedy's Official Portrait Photographers; Several Bids For Printing**

Plans for the 1934 Iris are nearing completion. The engraving contract has been let to the Jahn & Ollier Co. of Chicago. Mr. Hunting, a former local high school teacher, at present the head of the photography department of the above company, has paid Celestine Nuesse, Editor of this year's book, several visits as a representative of his concern. D. T. Sutte, district agent, is here today making final arrangements for the work to be done.

#### Low Price

Several bids have been received on the printing contract, but as yet the job has not been let out. A contract has been given to the Kennedy Studio, 439 1/2 Main St., making them official portrait photographers. An unusually low price has been obtained this year. Graduates will receive their Iris pictures and one dozen application pictures for the small sum of two dollars.

All students who are graduating at the end of the first semester are requested to have five application pictures in Mr. Herriek's office by Jan. 1, '34. Those completing their courses in June must have theirs in by Feb. 15.

#### Davy Takes Groups

All group pictures will be taken by Mr. J. M. Davidson, of the Training School, in the studios on the third floor of the college building. Notices will soon be appearing on the bulletin boards specifying the time for the various group pictures to be taken.

Those who failed to fill out the blanks handed out at the meeting of the graduating class last Thursday, should see either Miss Ethelwyn Baerwaldt or the editor and fill out a blank immediately.

Due to the overwhelming vote of 319 to 46 in favor of the new Iris plan, taken last year, the cost of the book has been reduced from three to two dollars per copy. The new plan made it compulsory for all old students enrolling to pay an additional dollar per semester thereby automatically subscribing to the yearbook. New students who desire a copy and have not subscribed to it as yet can do so by paying the entire sum of two dollars before, or at the beginning of next semester.

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### RECORD CROWD EXPECTED AT WIS. RAPIDS

**Second Game Against Big Ten Team Tougher This Year**

Next Wednesday evening, the Purple and Gold cagers take a little trip to Wisconsin Rapids where they will engage Doc Meanwell's University of Wisconsin boys in a game of basketball. Mr. Schmeckle reports that tickets are still available for those who want to see our team in action against a Big Ten five.

#### No Cinch

The "little doctor" has a real squad this season including the same five boys who played most of the game against us last year. Talented sophomores have added height and scoring power which makes the University a strong contender in the Big Ten. They have gone through their practice games without trouble and don't mean to be tripped as we dropped them last year.

#### Few Seats Left

The reason that seats are still available is that, although a great number have been sold, still there is plenty of room. The tremendous seating capacity of the Lincoln field house was needed last year when Captain Art Thompson led his men to a 28 and 24 triumph over the Madison boys. Seats are so arranged that a good view can be had from anywhere including the balcony.

### TEN O'CLOCK PROGRAM

- Orchestra**
- March — "Pomp and Chivalry" — C. J. Roberts
  - Chant — "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen" — C. C. White
  - Nergo Dance "Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child" — C. C. White
- Violin Solo**
- "Gypsy Dance" — Nachez — Mr. Wenzel Albrecht, pianist, Miss Margaret Miller
- Orchestra**
- Spanish Serenade — "La Bella Zingara" — Carlos Roberto
  - Selection "Babes in Taxland" — Victor Herbert
  - "Berceuse" — Armos Jarnefelt
- Glee Club**
- Bless This House — Maz Brake
  - Go Down, Moses — H. T. Burleigh
  - Oh Dear! What Can the Matter Be" — G. A. Grant — Schaefer
- Orchestra**
- Combra Dance — L. Van Beethoven
  - Mennuette — Franz Schubert
  - German Dance — Karl D. Von Dittersdorf

### Shorey, Leuthold Elected To Bloc Honorary Group

Bloc held a regular meeting at the home of Wilfred Engebretson on Thursday, Dec. 7. The evening was spent in informal discussion of local political and economic problems. No guest speaker was present. Membership and questions of organization policy were also considered.

#### Both Are Active

Arba Shorey, Stevens Point, and Edward Leuthold, Shawano, were elected to membership in the organization. Shorey, a Sophomore, was the highest ranking male student of the college for 1932-3. He is a member of Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity and News Editor of the Pointer.

Leuthold, a Senior, is also a high ranking student. He is Business Manager of the 1933-4 Iris, a member of the Sigma Zeta society, and of Chi Delta Rho fraternity.

#### Stress Individualism

Bloc is an organization entirely withdrawn from the College and is voluntary as far as participants are concerned. Membership is maintained through the selection of students with records in forensics, scholarship, journalism, or other activities that would indicate the type of individualism demanded by the organization.

Meetings are held in private homes on alternate Thursdays.

### Krakowski-Massmann Presented By College In Concert Tonight

Two Chicago artists, Miss Mary Krakowski, soprano, and Miss Magdalen Massmann, pianist, will give a recital in the auditorium tonight, Thursday, December 14. This is another of the entertainments brought to the college by townspeople. Any student who wishes to attend this program must secure a ticket from the main office sometime today.

Miss Mary Krakowski, who is still in her early twenties, is thought by some to have the best soprano voice in the city of Chicago. When she was fifteen years old, Miss Krakowski was a clerk in a large factory and little realized that she was destined to be a singer of prominence. A friend prevailed upon her to study music, and continue with her work at the same time. Her labors were rewarded for she is now recognized as one of the outstanding young singers of the country, having recently won the Atwater-Kent contest for Chicago.

#### Pianist Highly Praised

The accompanist, Miss Magdalen, has been favored with many fine compliments regarding her work. As a student she studied under Chicago's finest teachers, and has won two diamond medals for playing and a gold award for composition. As a reward for winning these contests she was

given an opportunity to appear as a soloist with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra in Orchestra Hall.

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### SEATS GOING FAST

We have it that several of the students believe there isn't going to be a large crowd at the Wisconsin-Point game at Wisconsin Rapids Wednesday night, and think they'll be able to get good seats the last minute, but they're liable to find themselves in a sort of 'forgotten place' that night. In a statement to the Pointer today, Mr. F. J. Schmeekle reports that in comparison with the number of tickets sold for this contest last year, more tickets have been sold to-date than were at that time. And those who attended the game last year will assure you there was no room for the latecomers.

A section, probably on the balcony this year, will again be reserved for the students. Tickets can be purchased for 40 cents which will assure the holder of a good seat in this section. Get your ticket from Mr. Schmeekle.

### THESE 'CROSS-CUTTERS'

Have you noticed the dog path across the campus at the east entrance to the building? We're hoping someone will accept Mr. Evans' job of catching stray dogs on the campus, and probably snare a few of these.

Old students will recall a similar situation last year, but luckily there was enough snow on the ground at the time not to effect the grass very much. And they will also remember that last spring it was necessary to 'decorate' one of the most beautiful campuses in the state with a lot of stinky looking boards reading, "Please Keep Off The Grass". Somehow or other these signs disappeared one by one, and at the rate they seem to be crossing our 'front yard', now, it looks as though we'll have to put up a fence something like the one we have around our new football field, or probably even have to lay more sidewalk next spring to cover up the 'sore spots'.

We suggest that the next time any of these trespassers go that way they be a little bit observant and notice the perfectly good concrete sidewalk which leads around that way, by which means they can get just as far without losing a half-minute.

### BESSIE MAY ALLEN

Miss Allen was born on a farm in northeastern Iowa and received her early education in the rural and village schools. After attending high school in Dubuque, she entered the Iowa State Normal School and completed the Three Year Latin course in 1903. Her general teaching experience included one year in rural schools, one year as assistant principal of the high school at New Hartford, Iowa, and three years as principal of the village school at Castalia, Iowa.

She resigned from this position to enter Columbia University to study household arts, a subject which at that time was just beginning to find a place in the public schools. The next three years were spent in teaching domestic science in the Ontario Ladies College, a select private school for girls located at Whitby, Ontario, Canada. When she had completed one more year of study, she received the degree of Bachelor of Science from Teachers College, Columbia University in 1912.

The year 1912-13 she held the position of teacher of domestic science in the Illinois State Normal University at Normal, Illinois. The following year she came to the Stevens Point Normal as Director of Domestic Science and Domestic Art. The department at that time was located in two rooms in the central part of the building and the course was two years in length. Later the department was moved into the East Wing and the John Francis Sims Practice Cottage was built. The course was lengthened to three years and finally to four years. The first degrees granted by the Stevens Point Teachers College were conferred upon Genevieve and Mayme Cartmill of the Home Economics Department.

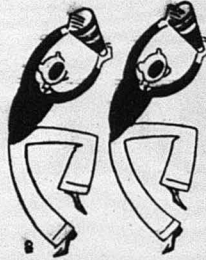
Miss Allen received the Master of Arts degree from Columbia in 1920 and she has studied both at Columbia and at Chicago since that time. She is a member of the National, State and Sectional Teachers Associations and Home Economics Associations. She was the chairman of the committee which wrote the constitution for the Wisconsin Home Economics Association, she was president of the association for three years and she has been a member of the state council since its organization.

Miss Allen is a member of the Stevens Point Women's Club, the Business and Professional Women's Club, the Sigma Zeta Society and the PEO Sister-



Bessie May Allen

## STUDENT



## BROADCAST

Dear Editor:

Allow me to apologize to the musicians of this school for the insinuating letter I wrote last week.

The band was out in full force, regular musician style, at the basketball game Saturday night, helping to earn student and town support for the new uniforms.

I feel that I am speaking for the entire student body in saying that we appreciate the fine school spirit displayed at that time.

Yours,

SCOTTY.

Dear Editor:

Last Wednesday night I attended the St. Paul-Luther vs. Central State basketball game in the new gym. After witnessing the contest for several minutes I began to wonder whether or not I was in the right place. Judging by the feeble applause that greeted each Point basket, the game might as well have been played in a morgue.

Being only a freshman I had always thought that spirit in a college was greater than in a high school. However, I finally concluded that probably this institution was an exception to that rule.

A typical example of the enthusiasm in this college was shown last fall during the football season. Not knowing C. S. T. C.'s record prior to this year I thought that football championships were an annual event.

This year's basketball team, which doesn't seem any too strong, needs all the moral and vocal support that the student body can give. Why not come out and give the boys a real hand?

A FROSH.

Dear Editor:

Speaking of the band getting caught, I'm thinking that the greatest danger lies in their getting caught out in the rain in those nice new uniforms. They'll surely look nice and won't be the band be proud of them?

Listen Scotty, there's another way of looking at this thing. They say a lot depends upon frame of mind. If a person thinks a thing hard enough and long enough he'll believe it himself whether or not it is based on fact. Conditions now are very 'unrosy', but can you conceive of the majority of people being imbued with a pessimistic feeling of doubt and fear as constituting one of the greatest single barriers to recovery? I can. Such fear, whether it is grounded or groundless, will have the same effect of making recovery highly difficult even though it were otherwise easily possible. And can you prove that it is grounded? There are as many or more who are sure that our currency is in no danger

## ALUMNI NEWS

by  
FRANK N. SPINDLER

Madison, Wis.

Dec. 9, 1933

Dear Mr. Spindler:

Just received the Pointer this A.M., and wish to tell you how much I enjoy hearing from Stevens Point College. As I read it memories of many enjoyable hours spent there come back to me.

I owe my success to the fine training I received while there. Still have charge of the dramatic work in the Emerson Jr. High School, Madison, Wis.

My husband also enjoys getting the Pointer; he thinks it a fine little paper.

Here's wishing more and more success to you all in your work there.

EVA M. NOERZ

Mrs. Noerz is a teacher of dramatics in the Madison schools. She has made dramatics her speciality. She was a member of the class of 1915.

The sympathy of Central State Teachers College, faculty and student body, is extended to Miss Gladys Quisla, rural freshman from Rosholt, Wis., whose mother passed away last week.

of being mishandled and that it is being managed in the best manner possible in view of the situation and in the interest of Americans.

Rome fell during a period of four hundred years, so gradually that no one generation could detect what was going on. Whether or not we're entering such a decline I don't know, nor do you. But I hope we're not, and I believe in attacking the problem with intelligent action rather than side-tracking and waiting doubtfully for it to heal by itself.

Why pursue a policy of waiting? Don't forget that during the while we're either progressing or digressing but not standing still. Providing the money can be raised I think the purchase should be made now. I don't believe that present conditions are such as to involve any risk. In fact, it would probably be a wise maneuver. Fortunes have been founded upon the principle of saving dollars when they are plentiful and investing when they are scarce.

Of course I realize what an important thing is custom and tradition in our thinking. (What was good enough for me when I was a boy will be good enough for you). Remember that although the uniforms require an output of \$1500, that amount isn't being 'consumed' at once. Those uniforms will last a number of years. They will still be in service when you and I and the present band members have graduated.

Do you know how much the college spends a year on athletics? Well — quite a little, and deservedly so — don't you think? What do you think of the championship teams we've had? All right — all we need is the uniforms for a championship band.

Sincerely,

"Uncle Dudley Judge Whipple".

hood. She has been president of all of these organizations and she is a member of the state board of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs. She has also acted as a chairman of the committee on home economics for the State Federation of Women's Clubs and the State Parent Teacher Association.

A summer was spent at Morristown, New Jersey where she supervised one of the early experiments in the feeding of children of pre-school age with Mary Swartz Rose of the nutrition department of Teachers College, Columbia University, as advisor. There has been considerable demand by home economics departments and commercial gas and electric companies for copies of her Master's thesis, the "Cost of Fuel in Cooking".

One of her outside interests is travel. In addition to various trips in the United States and Canada, she has enjoyed one visit to Alaska and a summer in Europe.



# POINT TROUNCES LUTHER 34-11

## GREGORY-MARSH SHOW METTLE IN RAGGED GAME

**Veteran Guards Steal Show As Kotal Trys Out Many New Combinations**

In a loosely played game last Saturday Luther College of St. Paul fell to the tune of 34 and 11. The veteran guards, Gregory and Marsh, carried off the honors both on offense and defense. Co-captain Gregory was high scorer of the game with five baskets and two free tosses. Marsh played nicely on defense besides bagging himself a couple of neat buckets. The other positions were changed so frequently by substitutions that it was hard to say who will fill them. None of the candidates were impressive but they may develop into a team by and by.

### Foster Best

Foster, center of Luther, was not tied down as closely as he should have been and consequently he slipped through to get four baskets. Although the score was one-sided we can't say much yet, because the St. Paul boys didn't offer as much competition as was expected, probably because they had played a tough tilt the night before as they lost to Eau Claire.

### 'B's Play

Coach Art Thompson's B squad divided up as the two teams put on a preliminary performance. 16 and 12 was the score. Since we don't know the name of the winning team, we just have to mention the score.

### Box Score:

Stevens Point (34)—			
	FG	FT	PF
Hansen, f	0	0	0
Gordon, f	1	0	1
Klement, f	1	0	0
Unferth, f	1	0	0
Anderson, f	1	1	1
Tardiff, e	2	0	0
Abel, e	0	0	1
Winn, e	1	0	1
Collins, e	1	0	0
Gregory, g	5	2	1
Marsh, g	2	1	1
Becker, g	0	0	0
Totals	15	4	6

### St. Paul (11) —

	FG	FT	PF
Peterson, f	0	0	0
Albue, f	0	0	2
Rundle, f	0	0	0
Luetkins, f	0	0	2
Foster, e	4	0	0
Lau, g	0	0	1
Halverson, g	0	0	0
Johnson, g	1	1	0
Anderson, g	0	0	0
Keister, g	0	0	0
Totals	5	1	5

Free throws missed: Anderson, Gregory, Albue, Bundle, Luetkins 3, Johnson 2.

Officials: Carl Klandrud, referee (Wisconsin Rapids); Harry Ringdahl, umpire (Stevens Point); Ignatius Mish, scorer; Joseph M. Davidson, timer.

### TEACHERS COLLEGE SCORES

Oshkosh Teachers 37	Michigan Tech 19
Marquette University 44	Oshkosh Teachers 19
Carrol College 23	Milwaukee Teachers 17

## BILL'S BULL

The main item of interest in the column seems to be the tough luck that hit Co-captain Guy Krumm. He threw his knee out of joint as he pivoted in practice last week. It sure is a tough break for the team as well as for Guy. The squad is none too strong, and Coach Kotal counted strongly on Krumm's scoring ability. We think that if Guy isn't able to play before the middle of the season, he had better wait till next year to complete his third season on the hardcourt.

Sports Editor:  
Bill's Bull  
The Pointer  
Dear Sir:

Allow me to say in opening that I believe your column is well named. In last Thursday's column you cast insinuating reflections on the manliness of the players of the new indoor pastime "Ping Pong".

Perhaps the worthy editor would consider it a reflection on his "masculine prowess" to indulge in an activity which takes a high degree of proficiency, and an unusual amount of coordination between eye, brain, and muscle in order to excel at..... a game that is indulged in by many of the most notable people around school. A long and impres-

sive list could easily be gotten together but lack of space prohibits. Coach Kotal and Morris Skinner are examples.

In closing allow me to challenge the worthy "Ed" of this column to a few brief contests of this "sissy game". After which I am sure he would sing a different tune.

Ping

The husky, dark-skinned athlete seems to have utilized the power of the press to make nasty remarks. I can't say that I could come up to his prowess with the egg-shells since he was been working-out strenuously, including ten miles of roadwork every night. However, if he brings his needle along sometime, I'll challenge him to a nice friendly game of sewing.

Said athlete remarks that it takes high degree of proficiency, and unusual amount of coordination between eye, brain, and muscle in order to excel at table tennis. With such a standard, named by himself, we can't see how he expects to play at all.

The game with St. Norberts has been changed from Saturday to Friday. The boys are playing their first out-of-town game but it is a non-conference tilt. The De Pere boys have a good squad, we hear, but the question is, have we a good team? That's all there is about this game. There "ain't" no more.

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## Cold Weather Brings Ice To Hockey Rink

The recent cold wave that swept the city gave the hockey rink a good coat of ice. In a few more days it will be in first class condition. With this in view, Don Blood, the college puckster, has been trying to get an appropriation from the athletic department to cover transportation costs for the hockey team.

The boys say that they don't need uniforms but they must have money to travel. Tentative arrangements have been made for games with Marshfield, Wisconsin Rapids, Waupaca, and Stevens Point city teams. The return of many veterans and the coming of promising recruits gives the coming hockey season a bright aspect.

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Side by side, President and Mrs. Hyer, Regent and Mrs. Atwell, Professor and Mrs. Rogers, Miss Meston and the President of the Class with Miss Fern Van Vuren will compose the reception line, which will welcome the guests of the Senior Class.

### Promenade At 9:30

The Grand Promenade will begin directly at 9:30. The march will be led by the King and Queen, followed by Celestine Nuesse, last year's Prom. royalty. Following them in order will be the Vice President, Miss Elinor Eubanks, and her escort; Miss Jean Boyington, Secretary, and her escort and Donald Blood, Chairman of the Ball, and his lady. This year's Prom chairman will not march.

### Forest Scene

After the march dancing will continue under a false ceiling of evergreens. More than four hundred small colored lights with sparkling stars as reflectors attached to "flicker" sockets will alternately light the scene for the evening. Programs will be presented at the box office, to insure each guest of one of these delightful accessories to a perfect evening. Dance numbers will not be included on the programs but Howard Kraemer and his violinists will add several mellow waltzes to his selection of popular numbers.

### Got Your Date?

Folks, it still isn't too late to get your tickets either at the counter, from Lois Richards, Gil Busch, or Don Blood. You certainly will enjoy this evening of superb entertainment.

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## I HAD A DREAM

by JOHN THE JANITOR

The night that the eighteenth amendment was repealed I had the most remarkable dream. It was so remarkable that I wrote it up into an epic story. If you'll watch this column every week you'll soon begin to agree with me that this dream was truly a rare one.

The characters were:  
 Bismarck "the iron chancellor"  
 Dean Steiner  
 Greta Garbo Miss Davis  
 "The great stone face" E. T. Smith  
 Frankie President Hyer  
 Sweet Sue Miss Colman  
 Andy Volstead Dr. Collins  
 Piccolo Pete Peter Michelsen  
 A wild irish rose May Roach  
 Wildfire F. N. Spindler  
 The great reformer Miss Jones  
 The juggler Joseph Mott  
 Boots, Boots, Boots L. M. Burroughs  
 Boecaccio Peter Giovanni  
 Babe Dedrikson Miss Seen  
 A brick layer Miss Mason  
 Old Hickory Mr. Watson  
 Sil Cal Mr. Rightsell  
 Dynamite Eddie Kota  
 Miss Modesty Miss Mansur

And others to be introduced from time to time.

The unusual thing about the whole story is that President Hyer, to please the student body, had changed the schedule around. Classes were called in the evening and quit at 4 in the morning. This worked well, for not a person pulled in late to their eight o'clocks. Very rarely was there an absence from classes unless the student missing was ill.

(To Be Continued)

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# SOCIETY NEWS

**SIGMA ZETA TO INITIATE**  
Sigma Zeta, national honorary science society, will hold its meeting Tuesday, December 19, instead of Wednesday, December 20. This arrangement has been made to afford those who are members of the organization an opportunity to attend the Wisconsin game at Wisconsin Rapids. The group will convene in Mr. Rightsell's lecture room at 7:30 P. M., at which time new members will be initiated.

**WAUSAU MUSIC CLUB HERE**  
Last Sunday afternoon The Twilight Music Club of Stevens Point presented The Musical Arts Club of Wausau in a program of Christmas music in the college auditorium. Miss Irene Hite Thompson, pianist, of Stevens Point, assisted the "Conveyors of Good Cheer" at the piano. Miss Mary Harger, of Wausau is director of the Musical Arts Club. Miss Colman who was in charge of the program stated that there was a fine attendance.

**PREXY BACK AT DESK**  
President Hyer returned to his desk last Tuesday after being confined to his home for one week with a severe cold.

**O. W. NEALE NOMINATED**  
Mr. O. W. Neale, Director of Education of this college, has been invited to serve on the Committee on Rural Education of the National Education Association for the ensuing year. Dr. Willis A. Sutton, of Atlanta, Georgia, is chairman of the committee.

In a letter from Jessie Jones, president of The National Education Association of the United States, Mr. Neale is warned that "the rural schools are the very backbone of our educational system and steps must be taken to give the rural child the advantages enjoyed by those in urban areas."

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## Primary Department Plans Annual Party For Small Children

On next Monday evening, December the 18th, the Primary Department will have its annual Christmas Party. The women of the department are featuring an offering for the Red Cross by having each individual contribute a gift which will be turned over to that organization as a contribution for unfortunate children at Christmas time.

In connection with this affair, the Primary children of the Training School are quite enthusiastic in regard to their little project of making stuffed things. Silk dolls, calico cats, and gingham dogs are to be presented as gifts to their mothers at Christmas time. Miss Susan Coleman, Head of the Primary Department, is in charge of this project.

## Literary Society Publishes Poems By F. Rogers Constance

Central State's "poet laureate", Mr. F. Rogers Constance, of Waupaca, Wis., has been honored by the American Literary Association. In its recent anthology of contemporary American poets and sketch writers may be found four poems written by Mr. Constance. A copy of "The Lotus", which is the name of the book, has been ordered for the local library and will be available for students in the near future. The names of Mr. Constance's contributions are: "Silence", "The Voice of the Ages", "Painted Sunset", and "Rebirth".

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**Tapdancing**  
The tap dancers gave the first program of the year Tuesday evening when six of them danced for the Lady Foresters at St. Stephen's school. There is a large and interested group of 15 to 20 women out for tapping. The class is now working together on one dance but at its completion the group will be divided, each working out a different dance. Variety in the types of dances, such as rhythm buck and soft shoe routines, aids in forming a nicely balanced program.

**Skating**  
Winter is here with a bang, so get your skates. Two points toward W. A. A. credit is given for each hour of skating. These points should be recorded on blanks obtainable in room 150.

**Tobogganing and Skiing**  
W. A. A. owns a toboggan and pair of skis that are available for use by the women in the school. The only stipulations are 1. application for use at least two days beforehand. 2. their return immediately after use.

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by the crew

I think a better idea than to trade offices with Dean Steiner, would be to circulate a petition (such as the band is doing) to secure appropriations for installing a two-way elevator in the open space of the west stairways running from the first to the third floor.

Eddie Jarvis is angry cuz when he asked for a dance last Saturday night every girl had 5 ahead. Would some one help him out next time. He might give you a reward.

Fellows, don't worry about your date for the Senior Ball, the basketball team will be out of town.

That reminds me that we do have quite a bunch of "chiselers" in this school. No hard feelings, because really it is legitimate.

Now I wonder if the fellow who wrote the two preceding "cracks" was trying to get personal? What basketball player is "cutting in" on a member of The Pointer staff?

And from Sam's Sport Shorts (Sam Bluthe, Sports Editor, 1932, 33) we take the following:

"So Oshkosh got Superior and felt pretty Stout. He called 'Eau Claire', but she was Milwaukee where the 'River Falls'. 'What Whitewater', she said and left him Platteville, which was a dirty double La Crosse. Do you get the 'Point'?"

Bill Ringness isn't to be out done. How do you like this one? Read it twice.

They were sitting in the Arba. When she dropped her Ring near the Shor-ey rushed to retrieve it, cause it was worth a lot of Jack. Pol-zin it in the river but his Clete slipped on a Wied and the Busch gave way with a Will. "Eunice-ty, man, you Mished it", she cried as he Riley-ed up the water. There's no more names except Ignatius and you can Sargent that awhile. Thyz-a paragraph for the column.

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