ANNUAL MARDI GRAS TUESDAY

PLANS GOING FORWARD FOR SOCIAL EVENT

Classes Present Candidates For Royalty, Stevens Music Mysterio

Between now and next Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, the students of Central State Teachers College, and the citizens of Stevens Point, will choose a king and queen to reign at the annual Mardi Gras, succeeding the retiring royalties, His Majesty Wm. Sribner, and Her Highness Bernice Edick.

Since the last issue of the Pointer the several classes have selected the following students as possibilities for the honor of leading the "Tuesday Feast".

Freshmen; Fern Van Vuren and Arla Hayney.
Sophomore; Gwendolyn Colburne and Frances Bremmer.
Junior; Thyrza Iverson and Nolan Gregory.
Seniors; Marjorie Pearson and Harvey Polzin.

Costume Dance

In order to make this dance a success in a proper manner it is hoped by the sponsors that a majority of the attendants will appear in costume. As an incentive for the realization of this hope, prizes are being offered for the best costumed couple, and the most appropriately dressed young lady and young man.

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Omega Mu Chi Sorority Dance Saturday Night

Coeds and their escorts are promised real dance music in the new gymnasium Saturday evening, February 10, when Omega Mu Chi sorority will sponsor its annual informal dance.

Gil Gregory and his Royal Arcadians, a novel eight-piece, popular orchestra from Wausau will entertain.

Admission prices will be gents forty cents and ladies twenty-five. The affair, however, is strictly couple. Dancing will start at 8:30 o'clock, and continue until midnight. Alumae, Prep students and townsmen are invited.

New Negative Team Shines At Illinois

Four college debaters, Cletus Collins, Celestine Nuesse, Michael Zylka, and Donald Mills left with their coach, Prof. L. M. Burroughs, and bright prospects for Normal, Illinois, to attend and participate in a practice tournament held there under the auspices of the Illinois State Normal University.

These same lads returned after a few days with wide grins and several large, but invisible, tears in their caps, and incendently, in the cap of the school. The negative team, composed of Collins and Zylka, won six out of seven debates, losing only to the winners of the tourney. The affirmative team, comprising Nuesse and Mills, won five out of eight encounters.

In fact, this is particularly nice in view of the fact that the record of Collins and Zylka is much more impressive at the meet than that of our 1933 state championship team of Nuesse and Mills.

Men's Glee Club Plan Smoker Number Two

Next Thursday evening, February 15th at 7:30 o'clock, the men's Glee Club will have a general "get-together at the Gim- hams Tea Room. "Bill" Ringnass, who is in charge of the program for that evening, promises all Glee Club Members an evening well spent if they attend.

Bloc Honorarys Elect Engebretson 2 Semester Prexy

At the last regular meeting of Bloc honorary, Wilfred E. Engebretson of Stevens Point was elected president of that group for the second semester of the school year. Mr. Engebretson is a Junior in the High School Department. He will succeed John M. Wied as head of the organization.

Bloc is an honorary group which meets on alternate Thursday evenings at the homes of the members to discuss political and economic problems of the day. The organization was founded last year.

At present the group is composed of eight members. They are: Wilfred Engebretson, John Wied, Celestine Nuesse, George Maurer, Norman E. Knutzen, Robert Emery, Arba Sherrey, and Edward Leuthold.

Giovannini Accepts Position At Appleton

Peter Giovannini, former assistant in the history department, as co-operaor with Mr. Steiner, has assumed new duties in the public schools of Appleton, Wis., as a city supervisor of art instruction.

Mr. Giovannini has been a member of the local college faculty for the past two and one half years. During his first year, he was director of art work, and since then he has taught English and History.

Junior Class Elects Heads for '35 "IRIS"

Robert Emory of Plainfield, Editor; Wilson Schwahn, Business Manager

At a recent meeting of the Junior Class, Robert Emery, Plainfield, Wis., was chosen Editor-in-chief, and Wilson Schwahn, Stevens Point, was elected Business Manager of the 1935 Iris, college annual.

For the second time in as many years, after having eight consecutive annuals edited by coeds, the male students have carried off the honors.

Active Men

Robert Emery is a member of Chi Delta Rho fraternity, Bloc honorary-society, and several other school organizations. Wilson Schwahn is also affiliated with Chi Delta Rho, and is active in extra-curricular work.

By virtue of their elections to these positions the '35 heads automatically become assistants to the men they will succeed.

Good Book

Celestine J. Nuesse, Sturgeon Bay, member of Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity, and other school organizations too numerous to mention, is editor of this year's book. Edward Leuthold, Shawano, a member of Chi Delta Rho fraternity, and one who likewise is interested in many activities is the present business manager.

Much of the planning on the '34 Iris has been done, and according to advance reports students may look forward to receiving one of the best annuals this year that this school has ever produced.

Gladys Boursier At Local Hospital

Miss Gladys Boursier, of Arnott, Wis., a sophomore in the high school department, suffered the misfortune of falling and injuring herself quite seriously last Wednesday evening. Miss Boursier broke a bone in her knee, and at the same time punctured the knee cap. She will undergo an operation on the injured part within the next few days. Miss Boursier is now confined to St. Michaels hospital. Her message to the student body is: "Come up and see me sometime".

MARDI GRAS TUESDAY, OMEGA DANCE SAT.

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After spending a day of doing nothing but standing in line with so many other ‘tired feet’, we feel that we’d like to comment on the system of enrollment used here. No doubt many of the entire student body to enroll in one day, there is no way in which the formation of ‘lines’ could be avoided. However, we believe that these ‘big city bread lines’ could be shortened to a tax collector’s window, after about two weeks before the dead line. This could be accomplished by dividing the numbers into their respective groups, either in regards to classes or departments, and having each group enroll between certain hours of the day or the week. The people in each line would be divided into a group of any one Department would not be as long as the one formed when there are several students from each department waiting. We feel sure that the students would get the responsibility of keeping their programs made out in the form of a report for the enrollment office at a certain hour, rather than to come up here and fall in line, not having any idea as to when they will finally finish the necessary steps.

Perhaps the better idea would be to schedule the groups according to departments, thereby making it considerably easier for those people working in the library to distribute the desired books in less time.

**THE JUNIOR POINTER**

With a copy of a recent issue of the Junior Pointer at hand, it brings to our attention how few of the college students get to see this excellent piece of work. The paper is edited and published by the pupils of the Mary D. Bradford Junior High School. It is published monthly and is ready for distribution at the beginning of each month. Several interesting and appropriate articles, as well as some artistic sketches appear in its pages. The pupils making up the staff of this interesting new booklet are to be highly complimented on the effort.

We suggest that a few of our college students step over to the training school building one of these days and secure a copy. The price is only five cents.

**ALUMNI NEWS**

**Edited by Frank N. Spindler**

Frank Puechner, class of 1929, now principal of the high school at Nelas, has been elected to the Phi Beta Kappa honorary society, a privilege the University of Iowa for excellent work done while in the university. In 1929, he graduated from University of Oregon, where he earned a well known and prominent citizen. He was a member of the firm of Maxell and Sherill, and he lived at 341 Water Street in Stevens Point, until they moved to Portland.

**Rural Life Elects Tronson President**

Rural Life Club, at its last regular meeting in the Rural Assembly, February 5, elected Curtis Tronson president of that group for the coming year. Mr. Tronson is a Junior from Forestville.

Other officers elected at the same meeting were; vice-president, Ivy Rasmussen; secretary, Elmer Dearth; and treasurer, Raymond Gronieiek.

Dear Editor:

I believe that we should be grateful to the State of Wisconsin for opportunities which it offers in these buildings, but—'

Do not believe myself of this is why: We are building kept so hot all the time! I think money is being wasted burning that extra coal. Too much the heat makes one so drowsy that good and thorough study is hard to carry on. Also the air is so stifling to dryness and bad ventilation that study is carried on only under pressure.

I am sure that if fresher air and lower temperatures of the school building work would be done by all concerned.

**JOHNNY Q. PUBLIC**

**Send in your opinion**

**MUSIC OF THE MONTH**

**S E N D I N G S**

**Send us your music manuscripts !**
The Pointers evened the score with Whitewater by handing the Quakers a 33 to 27 beating here last Friday night. When the Kotal cagers journeyed to Whitewater three weeks ago, they were sent home with a 29 to 20 loss. The locals' performance last Friday showed improvement and cool, alert ball handling. The boys make up in speed what they lack in height.

Donald Unferth, aggressive sophomore forward, proved that a short man can go places on a college team. Not only was he high-scoring with eleven points but his defensive play was very good by average. For Whitewater, Stevenson, the blonde guard, starred. He tossed the ball through the hoop every time the referee handed it to him at the free-throw line, besides earning two long shots from far back-court.

Point Takes Lead

The Pointers took the lead quickly, running the score to 12 and 5. Coach Kotal sent in substitutes and they saw their lead dwindle to 14 and 13 at the half.

To open the second half the varsity boys tossed the score to 23 and 17. Again the substitutes proved a bit inferior to the indefatigable Quaker five and permitted the Amherst boys to take the lead again to 29 and 20. The loss of Lambie through four fouls crippled Whitewater. Schults who replaced him was tall and rangy but inexperienced.

Final Spark

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Music Fills Air on Purple And Gold Hour

Featured on yesterday’s, February 7, radio hour was the college girls’ glee club in fifteen minutes of mixed musical numbers under the direction of Professor Peter J. Michelsen.

In addition to the co-ed vocalists, James Parshall entertained the appreciative audience for about 10 minutes by playing several numbers on the piano accompaniment.

Mish Handles News

Ignotius Mish handled the college news briefs, and Jack Burroughs did the announcing.

Ward Fonstad, who is in charge of the arrangements of the musical parts of the programs, has informed the Pointer that the following programs will appear on the air on the following dates:

February 14, Donald Halvorson, fifteen minutes piano solo.
February 21, Helen O’Neill, piano solo; Robert Emery, vocal solo.
February 26, Men’s Glee Club, 15 minutes, directed by Professor Normand.

March 7, College Symphony Orchestra, 15 minutes, directed by Professor Peter J. Michelsen.

Nuesse-Mills In Tilt With U of W Debaters Tonight

Celestine Nuesse and Donald Mills, representatives of the University of Wisconsin at Madison, in a debate tonight, Prof Leland M. Burroughs is accompanying them on the trip.

The debate will be held in the Memorial Union building this evening. Disagreement between the two teams will center about the question, ‘Should the powers of the president be substantially increased as a settled policy?’ Names of the members of the affirmative team were not mentioned.

busy week

Yesterday afternoon, Nuesse and Mills staged a debate before the high school at Antigo. A similar debate was given before the Kiwanis Club of this city on Tuesday.

In the debates held here yesterday with the teams from St. Thomas, Cetus Collins and Michael Zyka upheld the negative, and Gerald Porter and Willard Hanson advanced the affirmative case. Unfortunately results of the meet came to this office too late to be published.

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Mardi Gras Tuesday Nite

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For the low admission charge of 40¢, per person, students will have an opportunity to dance in the new college gymnasium to the music of Harold Stevens and his dance orchestra.

Main Show In Auditorium

Prior to the dance, the main show of the celebration will be held in the auditorium of the college. George Maurer and his local talent troupe will furnish the entertainment. A charge of 25¢ per single admission will be made.

Buy Votes With Tickets

With each dance ticket goes the privilege of casting 400 votes for both king and queen. An admission to the show gives one an opportunity to cast 250 ballots for candidates for both positions. In order to be asked to point out that one may gain 100 markers for one’s candidates by purchasing a joint ticket from the same price as the singles would cost 65¢, which will admit the buyer to the show and dance.

The usual spirit of the Mardi Gras will prevail throughout the evening. The gymnasium will be decorated to suit the occasion. The dancers will wear colored paper caps, their clothing, and the floor of the hall will be covered with confetti thrown by members of the party.

The proceeds of this dance, the last before the Lenten season, will be used to help finance the Iris.

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Novel Party
The Omega Mu Chi sorority entertained the Tau Gamma Beta sorority at a novel party — an "earthquake" bridge — Tuesday evening at Miss Rowe's. Prizes were awarded to Florence Knope and Bunice Riley.

New Officers
Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity held their semi-annual election of officers last Tuesday evening. The following members of the organization were chosen: Cletus Collins, president; Pete Peterson, vice president; Arba Shorey, recording secretary; Celestine Nuese, corresponding secretary; Asher Shorey, treasurer; Milton Anderson, guard; George Mauer, greek council representative.

Chi Delta Rho fraternity elected the following new officers at a recent meeting of the organization: Donald Blood, president; Frank Klement, vice president; Sam Kington, secretary; Vaughn Wycherley, treasurer; Donald Murray, guard; Robert Emery, greek council representative.

W. A. A.
Basketball
The yearly basketball tournament begins next week. The schedule for the games is as follows:
- Feb. 14 Freshmen vs Sophomores
- Feb. 15 Jr.-Senior vs Freshmen
- Feb. 21 Sophomores vs Freshmen
- Feb. 22 Jr.-Senior vs Sophomores
- Mar. 1 Freshmen vs Jr.-Senior
- Mar. 2 Sophomores vs Jr.-Senior
- A group of beginners who have not played this sport are playing a tournament which will consist of the winners of two out of three games. These teams are:
  - Purple Jackets
    - F. E. Bortz
    - F. A. Weih
    - T. R. McWilliams
    - G. A. Jones
    - R. Roethel
    - G. Diver
    - G. C. Gauthier
  - White Jackets
    - D. Pfiffner
    - R. Yerke
    - L. Rodger
    - M. Mackenzie
    - M. Hormeng
    - B. Brewer

The captains of these teams are to be elected today and will appear in next week's Pointer.

Membership
Any girl in the school interested in becoming a member of the Women's Athletic Association may, at this time, hand in her name to any member. Her eligibility will be considered at the next meeting of the board on Thursday, Feb. 22 at 7:30 in the Women's Lounge. Names must be in by Feb. 20.

Tobogganing
The first tobogganing of the season was enjoyed last Saturday afternoon when Alice Sorenson, Evelyn Stephenson, Mamie Forno, Thyrza Iverson, Irene Miller, Kate Wiggins, Alice Paulson, and Miss Seen toured out to Plover hills with skis and a toboggan. They decided the descent was far nicer than the ascent but it was the latter that caused the consumption of all the bacon eggs, buns, bananas, coffee and gingerbread. The only mishap was the spilling of the silver (the Tin, we think) into the snow and hunting the pesky things by match light.

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DRINK
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It’s Better
They tell me that Otis Michelsen is quite a musician. He can pick up most any instrument and play it. I'd like to see him fiddle that grand piano and play a tune.

While the debaters were down at Normal Illinois, Clete Collins evidently got lost—or something. Anyway there was a supplementary girls' tournament held there at the same time our fellows were supposed to be in action. Draw your own conclusions—you know him too.

And there is at least one thing nice about final examinations. Of least so says Mr. Knutzen. Oftentimes the instructor learns some very startling things about the subject he has pretended to teach for several years. Recently Mr. Knutzen learned that Polonius was a rooster that lived way back in the middle ages. When you realize that Knute had figured Polonius as a character from one of Shakespeare's plays, you will understand how many people have gone out of his classes sadly misinformed on that very vital question.

Personally I think both of them were wrong. I always thought that Polonius was a town about ten miles north east of Stevens Point.

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