Famous Magician Appears Here; First Assembly Of Semester

Loring Campbell, a recognized magician, ventriloquist and entertainer will present an excellent assembly program at 10:00 A.M. Thursday, February 15. For twenty years Mr. Campbell has been a magician and has been personally acquainted with many magicians including the late Harry Houdini. Mr. Campbell's repertoire consists of a baffling group of tricks as well as an explanation of several of his performances. The following are some of the things you will see: "Cables floating, spirits writing on slates, messages received from the dead; and a spiritual seance in full light.

Placement Data Released By Sec. Of Normal Regents

Mr. E. G. Doubma, Secretary of the Normal School Regents, has released the following data concerning placements from February 1, 1939 to January 1, 1940, including the graduates of second semester 1939 and summer school 1939.

In the Elementary Division, in grades one to eight, there were twenty-four graduates; twenty-two were placed in teaching positions. One student has continued in graduate work at the University. In the Rural Department seventy graduates were all placed. In the Primary Department there were eighteen graduates and seventeen placed. One person in the Primary department and one in grades 1-8 were married.

In the Secondary Division, the five graduates from the Junior High School Department were placed. In the Senior High School Department thirty-five of the sixty-seven graduates were given positions. Eight were employed in industrial or business positions. One returned for additional work and one is doing graduate work at the University. Seven of the sixty-seven were Home Economics majors; six of these were placed. Altogether in all departments there were 185 graduates; 149 were placed; 8 have industrial or business positions; I has returned for further study; 2 are doing graduate work at the university. The placement percentage this year was 78%.

Win Seven Out of Twelve; Point Tourney Next Week

Two Central State debate teams composed of Eleanor Ruchti and Virginia Johnson, and Don Krider and Frank Spletke, won seven out of twelve debates at the Red River Valley Tournament at Fargo, North Dakota on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday last week. Thirty-five mid-west colleges were represented at the meet, these schools coming from six different states.

Competitors against the Central State teams included combinations from the following college: Minot, Augustavia, Shadrunk, Jamestown, North Dakota Agricultural College, Gustavus Adolphus and Nebraska Wesleyan.

Point Tourney Next Week

The Wisconsin Valley Tournament, organized by Mr. Burroughs and the Forensic Society, will be held at the college next Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. As stated last week, twenty-two colleges in the mid-west have officially announced their acceptances to participate. Approximately fifty teams will be represented.

1938 Summary of Reports From All State Colleges

Average of all schools and courses

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Special Courses

| Agriculture (Demand far exceeds supply) | 100% |
| Commercial | 95% |
| Exceptional Children | 94% |
| Home Economics | 87% |
| Industrial Arts | 100% |
| Music | 78% |
| Physical Education | 85% |

The average for all schools and all courses in 1938 was 89%. The average for Stevens Point in all courses was 89%.

Of the former graduates from C.S.T.C., five were placed who were inexperienced from preceding years and twenty-eight experienced teachers had new positions. These placements were due to the students' own parts, the training school, and the teachers' agencies.

As soon as the 1939 report from all the state colleges is received, it shall be printed in the Pointer.
Did you ever in your life see so many lads and lasses with grades of B or better? It makes us feel a little bit silly when we compare our grades with some of those we have seen around. Of course there are a few who have received "Ds" for the remainder of slumber in the various classes. Perhaps those "Ds" and "Cs" were the results of too, too many cuts. It seems there is some sort of ruling on some forgotten archives that permit a lad only as many cuts per course as he has credit hours in said class. We, personally, know several of a great big bang on that sort. They actually brag about it. They will sit and tell us how many times they have cut and how they still rate a "B" in the course of their neglect. That is higher education, our good friends. That's what we learn in college. In high school we had to go to school for a good reason why not, but here in college we pay our tuition and things and we'll be doggoned if any rusty prof is going to tell us what to do. This, of course, is the proper attitude. Do not let a man who's only been teaching 20 or 30 years tell you how to spend your days. They and their antediluvian ideas.

This above, strange as it may seem, is really the attitude of a good many of our students. They are the type who can't understand the low grades they get. They are the kind who hate to show Dad those grade slips. They are the kind who will do all their teaching showing new employees the best way to handle a shovel or how to raise a box into position.

It's started again. That period of each semester known as rushing. This is the time that fraternities and sororities spend a good many hours deciding who to go after and how they are going to keep the prospects from forsaking their portals for the rival fortress. This is the time that freshmen are trying to decide whether or not it is a desirable aspect of college life to belong to a frat or sorority.

Our number of social Greek organizations is four. However, there is a new one hereabout that has all the earmarks and workings of a fraternity which groups, ironically, they run into the ground because this new club is not known as a frat or sorority. Those prospective members much harder than the regular Greeks. Anyone desiring information regarding this outfit can have same by standing under our window and screeching us nightly for seven weeks.

One LaRue Smith seems to have taken quite a shine to a new and good-looking gal about school. Mildred Steinberg is the name in case you're slipping out the door and forgetting to write her name down on her. P. S. To quote the LaRue, "She's plenty nice." Joyce Larson and Adrian LaBrot have been hopelessly in love with coke dogs or whatever of the real honest-to-goodness ones too. More power to some one because we thought they were both immune for one reason or another. Of course they're just good friends! Well, bless your heart! Thank heaven for self-sufficient women. We know some who are temporarily on the shelf that entertain themselves by piling bridge. Fun and cheap too. . Earle and Maddy Davel celebrated Barbara Gerdies birthday last evening by going to bogganning. Maddy is still flashing the results, but we doubt if she show you. It seems that Dick Duna favors not the women smokers. So good thing that Lorraine's total abstainer... It's a fine thing when a woman with the best intentions in the world can't go church. But you can't help it if the urge won't start when you, Ev?.. Recently a dormite created quite a furor by sticking herself into a dead faint. Taking the hard way, we say. Greg Dorsla lost his side-kick for a few days when Fisher went to the hospital. Dockey is now back amongst 'em which means a lotsleepless nights for some people... Some of the CSTC alums from Madison came home to take over where they left off Christmas vacation. Such actions left a few of the local boys stranded for the mid-semester vacation. Brother, can you spare a dime?... A rumor has it that our old friend, Raisedon, was working at a shoe store. He was old enough by having his application picture taken sans shirt... Flash!!!... (He again leads the score... It is true that by Raisedon had nineteen dates in as many consecutive nights, which means that she is in there solid, no?)

The College Band played a thirty minute concert for the Farmers Institute held in the P. J. Jacobs High School Monday evening. The music consisted of marches and novelty numbers. After the program each band member was rewarded with ice cream refreshments.

Mr. Michelsen will travel to Loyal this Wednesday to direct the Loyal High School Band.

Tuesday morning at 10:00 o'clock the band will leave for Colby and Greenwood, the first two concerts of this season. The recent appearance of such events is not the usual one-week tour several daily trips will be made with no over-night stays. This program will eliminate make-up work on the part of the students due to so many class absences.

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Club and Society

Newman Election
The Newman Club elected the following officers at a meeting held last Thursday night:
President .................... James Bagnell
First Vice-President .......... Florian Sybelton
Second Vice-President ........ Katherine Metcalf
Secretary ..................... Mona Reichert
Treasurer .................... Peter Terynski

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Omega Mu Chi
The alumnae of Omega Mu Chi entertained the actives with a sleigh ride party last Thursday evening, February 8. The girls were accommodated in two snow filled sleds, and sang merrily as they rode over Stevens Point's by-roads. Upon their return the guests were ushered to the Belmont Hotel where a hot lunch was served. Those who dared not brave the cold arrived early at the hotel and played bridge until the sleigh ride was over.

Mrs. H. M. Tolo, Mrs. E. A. Schwan, Mrs. Palmer Taylor and Mrs. C. H. Cashin, patrones of the sorority, and Miss Susan Coleman of the faculty all attended.

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Grammar Round Table
At the business meeting of the Grammar Round Table which was held Monday evening, February 12, a new program committee was appointed which consists of Eleanor Breeden, Chairman, Elmer Bathke, and Rita Novitsky.

The important feature of the meeting was a speech presented by President E. T. Smith to the members of the Intermediate Division and their guests. Mr. Smith discussed some of the parallel conditions of the ancient world and the modern world. We have to draw on today when we formulate our policies. After the meeting was adjourned, departmental pictures were taken for the Iris.

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Departmental Notes
The following departments met Monday evening for their regular meeting:
The Home Economics Club which spent the greater part of the evening studying a movie on china dishes and how they are made.

The Primary Council which discussed topics of interest to the group. The Tau Gamma Beta trio, consisting of Doris Soderberg, La Rue Winch, and Eileen Rose, sang several numbers as did Charlotte Reichel.

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Annual Band Clinic
To Be Held Friday

The Band Clinic, for the benefit of the bandmasters of this territory, will be held in the college Friday afternoon and evening of this week. A number of the directors will be here for the 3:00 o'clock rehearsal which will last over an hour. In the evening the band will present its request concert in the college auditorium. The band directors in attendance will receive much helpful information as to the correct balance and interpretation of this year's tournament numbers.

A banquet for the visiting bandmasters and members of the College Band will be held at the Belmont Hotel. Fifty reservations have been received to date and a hundred plates are expected to be served Friday evening.

When Walter and Pearl Pridy of Vancouver, Wash., sought a divorce, they discovered they never were legally married, and decided to be married instead of divorced.

When Richard Buchner of Syraca, N.Y., found his stolen automobile, the following card was fastened to the steering wheel: "Hereafter leave the tire key in the car so I can change flat tires.

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enabling you to see what happens behind the scenes."

His wife, Kathryne Campbell, assists Mr. Campbell in some of these magic stunts. In one act Mrs. Campbell is safely locked in a pillory which is sixty inches high and yet she escapes. Loring Campbell will also perform some mysterious escapades from handcuffs, straight jackets and chains.

Then for you Charley McCarthy fans Mr. Campbell has his dummy, Jerry Dolan. Jerry's fantastic antics add to the humor of this hilarious program of mystery.

This promises to be one of the best and most amusing entertainments of the school year.
**LAST NIGHT’S GAME**

The college squad lost a rugged, sloppy game to a fast-breaking St. Norberts five 47-39. It was one of those games that we hate to talk about. Point was behind from the start and they stayed there. Terzinski and Warner led the attack for the Pointers, but they were outclassed by Schumacher Manard and Schwartz of the Green Knights. It was one of the best teams we have seen this year and they were plenty tough on defense. Schwartz played a brilliant defensive game at guard and is the first man of the year to stop Terzinski.

Beuhler scored 32 points, but that isn’t hard to believe if they were given to him. Pete got 20 points himself and that isn’t unusual. Maybe we weren’t meant to be lucky this year. The first half was anybody’s ball game, but the second half the fates blinded the vision of one of our men and we lost. It’s really too bad, but we can’t win them all. The next best thing to winning is being a good loser. Sometimes it isn’t much fun losing to a team coached by a poor winner. It makes things miserable for the whole team and the coach too.

Play Concordia.

The boys redeemed themselves Saturday night by easily trouncing Concordia. Pete again led the attack with 14 points and “Snooky” Van Dyke rolled up seven points so fast it wasn’t funny. Everybody played and most everyone broke into the scoring column. Though the boys should have felt better about the victory it didn’t bring much relief to the sorrowful lots of Friday night. Well, gang, we were betting on you all year and next year there will still be lots of time for championship.

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**Chi Delts | 8 | 1 | .888**

**Phi Sigs | 5 | 1 | .833**

**Pointer | 4 | 5 | .444**

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