

C.S.T.C. MOURNS DEATH OF SMITH

Teachers Convened At Wausau Friday; No Classes Held

The twenty-eight annual convention of the Central Wisconsin Teachers association will be held Friday of this week at Wausau. W. P. Boyle, Superintendent of Tomahawk schools and Chairman of the convention, announces that the theme this year will be: "Democracy, Education, Americanism."

Noted Speakers on Program

Dean Frank O. Holt of the University of Wisconsin will lecture on "Education, Democracy, and the World Scene" Friday morning in the Central School auditorium. In the evening Judge Florence Allen of the United States Court of Appeals will speak on the subject: "The Constitution, An Instrument of Freedom," and Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr., Journalist, lecturer and author, will treat with: "The Twelve Most Interesting People I Have Ever Interviewed."

Informal Discussions

Round table discussions on the arts, business education, foreign languages, instrumental music, library work, industrial arts, mathematics, science, physical education for girls, English and speech, social studies, vocal music, and home economics will be carried on throughout the day in special rooms.

Entertainment

Featured on the evening program will be the Wausau High School orchestra under the direction of Karl Griel, and the combined High School chorus conducted by Peter D. Tkach. The annual Teachers' Dance at the Elks Club will be held immediately following the program in the auditorium.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

October 2 thru October 5

WEDNESDAY: October 2, 1940

4:00 P. M. Pan Hellenic Council Meeting. Auditorium.

4:00 P. M. Photo Club Meeting Room 103

THURSDAY: October 3, 1940

11:15 A. M. College Jamboree, WLBL

11:00 A. M. Smith Memorial Service, Auditorium

8:15 P. M. Informal dancing, Training school gym. Admission, Activity Ticket and Five Cents.

FRIDAY: October 4, 1940

Wausau Teachers Convention. No school

SATURDAY: October 5, 1940

2:00 P. M. Football Game with Platteville State Teachers, Schmeckle Field



A TRIBUTE TO A GREAT TEACHER

The work of Ernest T. Smith as a teacher at C. S. T. C. will long be remembered not only by those who knew him and worked with him, but also by those who heard of him and read his books. His service as an educator has gone far beyond the confines of the college whose growth from a small Normal school to one of the ranking teachers colleges of the state was a part of his life.

The enthusiasm shown by students and faculty in the past toward Mr. Smith was perhaps climaxed at the time he was made President of the college. His appointment was in full accord with the wishes of the student body and the faculty who a year previous had petitioned him for that office.

We had in Mr. Smith a sincere instructor and an able administrator whose business it was to do something for others... He loved his school and the subjects he taught. He had no false ambitions. He chose to do those things he enjoyed the most. We lose a true friend in your passing, Mr. Smith!

College Theater Offers Course In Dramatics

College Theater wishes to announce to all students interested in the various aspects of stage production that a class will be offered in stage and dramatic fundamentals. This class will be offered from three to five P. M. Tuesdays and Thursdays, and will be under the direction of College Theater's faculty advisors, Mr. Burroughs and Mr. Jenkins. The first class will begin Thursday, October 3, in Mr. Burroughs' room.

The purpose of this class is to

prepare students for dramatic work. The course will be particularly valuable to those students planning to teach dramatics. Credit will be given only for participation in College Theater productions. To become a participant one must try out and win a place in the production. A one-half extra-curricular credit will be given for each semester.

The College Theater office will be open to all Theater members, and other students interested in Theater, daily from three to five.

COLLEGE CLOSSES DOORS MONDAY AS GESTURE OF RESPECT TO PRESIDENT

Memorial Services Thursday Morning

Students, faculty members, alumni, and townspeople mourn this week the passing of President E. T. Smith. Monday's classes did not meet, and social events for the week were cancelled. Death came to Mr. Smith after an illness of two weeks duration. He had been suffering from bronchial trouble and had not been able to remain at the college for very long periods the past week. Saturday evening, after his condition had grown serious, he was rushed to St. Michael's hospital and died a few minutes after treatment was begun.

Long Faculty Service

Mr. Smith came to Stevens Point in 1909 as a history instructor at the old Normal school. In 1920 he became director of the high school department, and in 1930 he was made chairman of two committees, the advanced standing committee and the administrative committee. He carried on these combined duties along with his teaching until he became President, succeeding Dr. Philip Falk.

Wrote Several Books

A number of history text books were written by Mr. Smith, and several pamphlets were published during his teaching years. He was

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Spirited Elections Held Thursday

The election of class officers was held Thursday morning, September 26, at 11 o'clock. The seniors chose as their President the well known Gerald Torkelson of Merrill. Gerald is enrolled in the High School department and is now an active member in the Chi Delta Rho Fraternity and Lutheran Students' Ass'n. He is known for his outstanding participation in the Men's Glee Club and the mixed chorus. As president of the senior class, Gerald will reign as king over the senior ball.

Rollie McManners of Black River Falls who is enrolled in the Junior High Department and who is active in the college band was elected vice-president.

Doris Soderberg of Thorp, who was elected as secretary, is enrolled in the Primary Department. She is an active member of the Tau Gamma Beta sorority, Newman Club Girls' Glee Club, mixed chorus and a former member of the Pointner staff.

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PLAN NOW FOR HOMECOMING

The Editorial staff wishes to solicit your support in doing your part to make this year's homecoming the greatest yet. It's a lot of fun to come back and meet old friends, and it's a lot of fun to know someone is coming back. Let's get behind the wheel right now and get those floats made—it isn't very expensive, and the show they display more than merits the time spent making them. Remember the bonfire? Freshmen, it's your job to collect the fuel, so dig up those old boxes and haul them out on the field next Friday. And most important of all—the game with the Titans! Let's ear 'em up October 12! What do you say?

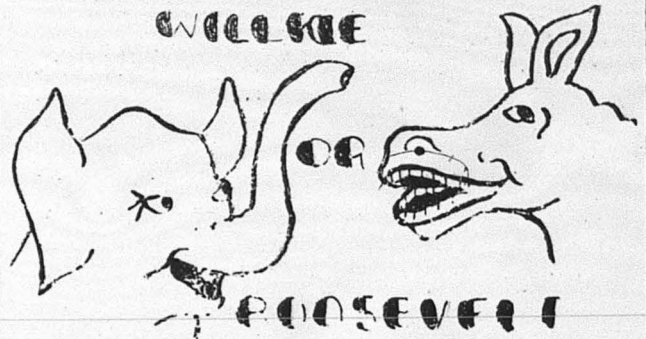
TIME TO USE OUR HEADS

"If we would be guided by the light of reason, let our minds be bold".

The German-Italian-Japanese pact signed last Friday puts the United States directly "behind the eight-ball." In words plain enough for a moron to comprehend the totalitarian "brothers in blood" have issued us a sinister warning against further participation in the European conflict. They have planned the division of spoils of a contemplated military victory, and have formulated a plan for a Nazi world economy to be set into operation as soon as the war ceases.

The dictators have finally told us where we stand; the meddling acts of the state department have not been in vain. Mr. Roosevelt's destroyer deal was a direct slap in the face of the Axis powers, and at the time went on unheeded. Friday the world was informed that such participation might bring drastic results for the perpetrator, and a very "gentle" statement was made regarding American influence in the Asiatic waters. The new coalition has taken up one of our popular slogans and put it to use to fit their own needs—"Europe for the Fascists", and "Asia for the Japanese" is the new phraseology in the new Fascist primer.

What are we to do now? What is the real meaning of this combined threat? The facts are clear enough; there can be no mistake about that. We are on the spot. We must concede victory to the dictators. We can no longer lead with our left when our guard is down. A knockout would be inevitable. Let's profit by the warnings issued Friday, and concentrate on making A DEFENSE SO STRONG THAT NO FOREIGN POWER OR COMBINATION OF FOREIGN POWERS WOULD DARE ATTACK US!



Who do you want to win in November? Are you a Democrat or a Republican? Send us your reasons why you favor one or the other and we will print them. How about it, students and faculty members? Let's show a little of that old campaign fight!

STUDENT SPARRING

(Ed. Note: This department is conducted for the purpose of stimulating the expression of opinions advanced by students and faculty members of the college. The right of editing and rejecting contributions is reserved.)

Dear Mr. Editor,

I wish to use the Students' Sparring column to put in a "kick" on the way the time for class elections was announced. And why am I doing this? Because I am a member of one of the political cliques into which this student body has degenerated. But that does not mean that election time should be thrown at the student body like a bomb. No, even with political cliques, that is not the fair and sensible way of carrying on elections.

Why? Because in an institution of this size a secret is hard to keep. In the recent class elections one of the cliques within the student body showed a surprising amount of strength because its members knew of the time of the elections the day before. This gave them time to decide on a slate of officers and also to make necessary personal contacts. The other political cliques had no time in which to get their machinery into high gear. I ask again is such a procedure fair and democratic?

—A. Student

Round 'n About

An English playwright attended a first night performance of an American show. It was pretty bad and in the second act he said to the woman ahead of him, "Do you mind putting on your hat, -I can see the stage."

Last year in a survey made here of radio programs, the Ford Sunday Evening Hour "was found to be a favorite among the students". The program came back on the air for the season last Sunday with Lily Pons and her husband, Andre Kostelanetz as guest artists. If you missed the program last week listen

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NOTICE!!

L.S.A. meeting to be held on Thursday evening will be postponed. Watch for any further announcements.

EXCHANGE BITS

There are subversive activities going on in the college locker room. Recent doing among the rat and mouse population of these localities has come under observation. Lunching in the locker room by inconsiderate students is at the bottom of it all, so the college deans request that students lunch in the regular lunchroom to help remedy the situation.

ECHO WEEKLY—
Milwaukee State Teachers

Singing fortifies health, widens culture, refines the intelligence, enriches the imagination, makes for happiness and endows life with added zest. Singing as a means of self-expression is a medium of release for pent-up emotions. Singing is healthful; it develops the lungs and purifies the blood by emptying more completely the lungs of used air and filling them deeply with fresh air.

STOUTONIA—
Stout Institute, Menomonie

1940-41 enrollment of River Falls State Teachers College is a representative group of four states Canada and Alaska. Wisconsin tops the list with students from 129 high schools. Minnesota contributes students from 15 high schools, Illinois three, Alaska one, and Canada one. STUDENT VOICE—River Falls

There are 21,000,000 youth in America between the ages of 16 and 24. Girls outnumber boys by 200,000; 29 per cent of the fragile gender are married. 8,500,000 are steadily employed; 3,800,000 in school; and 6,000,000 jobless. Forty-four per cent of this group of young blood attend church regularly; 60 per cent believe war is needless and preventable; 16 per cent would refuse to go to war.

ROYAL PURPLE—Whitewater

POINTERS LOSE DULL GAME TO RIVER FALLS 13-6

Fumbles And Poor Blocking Cost Game

Minus the services of their all-conference half-back. Louis Posluszny, and having only the part time playing of Jim Hanig and Co-captain Roy Otto, the C.S.T.C. Pointers lost to the River Falls teachers 13 to 6, Saturday at Schmeckle Field.

The Falcons scored in the opening quarter after a bad punt went out of bounds on Point's 21-yard line. Trecker made a first down to the 9-yard line and Deiss brought it to the 3-yard line. Boettcher, the fullback, then went over for the score and tackle Dubbe kicked the extra point.

The Red and White gridders scored their second and decisive touchdown in the third quarter on four plays. They recovered a fumble on Point's 13-yard line and Boettcher scored from the 3-yard line, but Dubbe failed to convert the extra point.

The Kotal men scored their only touchdown in the first quarter. A 40 yard pass from W. Peterson to Carnahan gave Point the ball on the Falls 30-yard line. Koehn picked up 3 yards at center, then on the next play broke clear on a cutback to score on a 27 yard run. Fritch missed a place kick for the extra point.

Missing signals when on the verge of scoring, poor blocking and costly fumbles brought the downfall of the Purple and Gold gridders.

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

All men students interested in participating in six-man football should signify their intention by signing up on coach's bulletin board. The games will be played strictly according to regulations. That means that there will be regular tackling and blocking and not simply "touch football". The games will be played on Schmeckle Field and some equipment will be furnished by the Athletic Department. Students should keep in mind the fact that six-man football is rapidly increasing in popularity. When seeking teaching positions would-be teachers are often asked what outside activities they are capable of handling. Those having played the six-man game will be able to use this as an extra-curricular activity and will have a practical working knowledge of it. Teams should be made up by Friday.

Also, if there are any who have not yet signed up for soft-ball they should do so at once.

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PLATTEVILLE PEDS HERE SATURDAY

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

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| Oct. 5 | Platteville (here) |
| Oct. 12 | Oshkosh (here-homecoming) |
| Oct. 19 | at Eau Claire |
| Oct. 26 | St. Cloud (here-Dad's Day) |
| Nov. 2 | at Milwaukee |
| Nov. 9 | at Whitewater |
| Sept. 21 | Stevens Point 20—Stout 0 |
| Sept. 28 | Stevens Point 6—River Falls 13 |

FROM THE LOCKER ROOM

by Jimmy Kulidas & Jimmy Hanig

Frankie Koehn's 27 yard run for a touchdown Saturday was one of the finest ever seen on Schmeckle field. The Little Chute flash seemed to be stopped on three occasions, but he managed to spin away each time. Practically every man on the River Falls team had his hands on him. Frank's powerful leg drive and shifty hips make him a hard man to bring down. Coach E. L. Kotal lost to Sam Kingston for the Whiting Country Club golf championship this summer. Assistant Coach Ted Menzel received his greatest thrill in the Illinois Wesleyan football game in 1934. On that day coach pushed Tony Blazine, Wesleyan's giant tackle all over the field. Tony was picked by all the major sport writers on the Little All-American Team and also elected to the College All-Star Team. He was outstanding for the All-Stars against the Chicago Bears and the Chicago Cardinals signed him. Tony is now regarded as one of the best line-men in the National Professional League. Joe Goodrich received his greatest thrill the night he returned a kickoff 97 yards for the winning touchdown against Wausau High. Joe playing for Lincoln High of Wisconsin Rapids, received the kickoff on the three yard line and ran the length of the field zig-zagging his way through the Wausau team for the winning tally. Incidentally, Joe almost broke away for a long touchdown jaunt Saturday on a play from scrimmage. He was brought down by the safety man after a 20 yard sprint. The football team went in for a dip in Stout's very fine swimming pool after the game at Menominee. The following is taken from the "The Stoutonia" which is the official publication of Stout Institute. "Stevens Point should have a nice boxing team this year. That is, if part of their football team goes out for that sport. They were certainly clever at finding noses under those pile ups—and every time it was a Stout schnozzle that happened to be in the way." Eurie Deiss, sports editor for the River Falls Teachers College Student Voice picked C.S.T.C. to defeat River Falls 13 to 6. He also says: that news from enemy camps predict Stevens Point and Milwaukee to be this year's big guns in the southern conference. All of the schools of the southern conference except Oshkosh were beaten Saturday. Whitewater, Milwaukee and Platteville travelled to Illinois to be defeated. Whitewater was beaten 7-6 by DeKalb Teachers, Milwaukee was downed 3-0 by a tough Lake Forest College outfit and Platteville was given a 27-0 trouncing by Illinois Normal. Oshkosh defeated Marquette Teachers of Northern Michigan 6-0. Milwaukee Teachers' new football field was named after Carol R. Pearse, the fourth president of the college. It was during his administration, 1913 to 1922, that the land, comprising the present site of the field, was acquired. The Pointers might travel to Kentucky to close the season if Eau Claire doesn't agree to meet us on October 19th. Notre Dame will be defeated at least twice this year. Ohio

State, Michigan, Minnesota and Indiana will fight it out for the title. Don't be surprised if the Hoosiers finish on top. Bo McMillien might pull a fast one with his fast senior team. Oregon State and Washington will break the Trojan domination of the Pacific Coast conference. Duke will be the team in the South and Cornell and Princeton in the East. Lookout for Texas and Baylor in the South West. Nebraska and Missouri are the Big Six guns. Milwaukee at present seems to be the team to win in our conference but don't be too surprised if you find the Pointers on top when the smoke is cleared. Doctor Marrs was an outstanding football player during his undergraduate days at Eastern Illinois Teachers at Charleston, Illinois. How about a little more organized cheering at the games. After all we have an enrollment of 760 and their should be more pep in the stands than what was shown Saturday. Here are our predictions for this week. Last week we picked eight right, four wrong and one tie.

Big Ten

Illinois 19 Bradley 0
Indiana 17 Texas 14
Iowa 32 South Dakota 0
Northwestern 20 Syracuse 7
Michigan 21 Michigan State 14
Minnesota 14 Nebraska 6
Ohio State 14 Purdue 6
Wisconsin 16 Marquette (Tossup—Marquette might win by a touchdown)

Middle West

Notre Dame 20 Pacific 7
Butler 19 Ohio 7
Drake 14 Grinnell 6
Missouri 14 Pittsburgh 13
Michigan Tech 20 Northland 0
Oklahoma 27 Oklahoma Aggie 0
Milwaukee 20 La Crosse 7
Whitewater 12 Oshkosh 7

East

Dartmouth 38 Franklin & Marshall 6
Army 20 Williams 7
Cornell 21 Colgate 7
Fordham 28 W. Virginia 0
Penn 32 Maryland 10
Harvard 40 Amherst 0
Boston U. 21 Upsala 3
Brown 31 Rhode Island 0
Bowdoin 19 Wesleyan 7
Columbia 32 Maine 0
Yale 19 Virginia 13
Princeton 20 Vanderbilt 9

South

Duke 14 Tennessee 0
Georgia Tech 40 Howard 0
Alabama 30 Mercer 0
Miami 40 Stetson 0
Georgia 30 South Carolina 7
Clemson 20 N. C. State 6

West

Washington State 19 Montana 7
U.C.L.A. 12 Santa Clara 7
Stanford 7 Oregon 6
Oregon State 10 Southern California 7
Washington 20 Idaho 0
St. Marys 17 California 7

POINT EYES SOUTH DIVISION TITLE

Seek To Avenge Last Year's Loss

A somewhat defeated and disgruntled squad of Pointers is licking its wounds; wounds incurred during the football session with the Falcons of River Falls. Needless to say, the squad is looking forward with a vengeance to the coming battle with Coach "Butch" Leitl's gridders from Platteville State Teachers. The squad realizes that they put on anything but a pleasing exhibition against River Falls and they are out to redeem themselves in the eyes of both the public and the student body.

Although the Platteville squad lost six regulars, including "Butch" Perkins, they will, as usual, present a formidable "eleven" and will be dangerous from beginning to end. Last year our Pointers were snowed under by the overwhelming margin of twenty-six points. That thorough whitewashing was painful. Now another year has passed and once more our gridders are meeting the winners of that last contest, this time with the definite intent of reversing the tables.

The possible line-ups (subject to change) will be as follows:

Pointers: Van Dyke and Co-captain Dorsha on the ends; Co-captain Otto and Menzel at tackle; Rades and Reading at guard; Parr at center. In the backfield: Posluszny and Goodrich at halves; Fink at full, and Carnahan at quarter-back.

Pioneers: Culver and Retzburg on the ends; Brostrom and Gajewski at tackle; Davison and Niemer at guard; Huttenberg at center. In the backfield: Forrie Perkins at fullback; Moran at quarterback; Sheehan at right half; and Hake at left half.

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DOWNWIND'S DODO TALK

Well, here we are back again for a little more "bunk flying" this week. Since we took off last some new progress has been made over at the Tri-City Airport. Four of our fall "Dodos" have flapped their wings and taken a flight via the "lonesome" route. Good luck to you men—yes, we're going to name you—Norm Halla, Myron Sharkey, Dennis Brunner, and Gus Binnebosc. Reckon in a week or so the rest of the cloud chasers will have soloed, too.

The fall class does not have its full quota yet; there is still a chance for two more men, according to Mr. Rightsell. C.S.T.C.'s quota may take in 20 flyers—to date eighteen are enrolled. Both ground school and actual flying have begun. Drop in on the boys over at Rapids one of these days—you know, when a student pilot solos he treats the hanger crowd to a coke. Some of the sky birds have been hit pretty hard, we hear. Let's see now, five cents times fifteen makes—well, plenty, anyway.

Red Smith, Tony Werner, and some other boys from Milwaukee were up last week. I went with Red on a hedgehopping tour to Wausau where he wanted to make a personal inspection of his sugar crop—pears to me that Red is getting himself one of them there entangling alliances. Only competition the gal has got is her fond pappy's air talk. Seems that she's the 'gal he left behind' when the "bunk flying" starts—even "birdogging" won't snap Red out of the hangar talk.

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Nineteen Pointers On Nat. Guard Roster For La. Maneuvers

When the National Guards leave for Louisiana for maneuvers, Central State will be well represented on the Stevens Point Roster. Names familiar to most students here are:

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| George Cashin | Sergeant |
| Leonard Koehl | " |
| Ray Urbans | " |
| Bill Winkler | Corporal |
| Bill Badten | First Class |
| Ray Benke | Private |
| Doug Fonstad | " |
| Don Larson | " |
| Bill Siebert | " |
| Bob Tiderman | " |
| Don Abrahamson | " |
| Bob Bishop | " |
| George Brooks | " |
| Jack Davis | " |
| Jim Dehlinger | " |
| Jim Huckle | " |
| Neal O'Brien | " |
| Paul Swenson | " |
| Quentin Merrill | " |

Although no official information is available, tentative plans call for a Mobilization period beginning October 15. This period will probably last ten days. The group will leave by train on or about October 25.

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ORGANIZATIONS

NEWMAN CLUB

Last Thursday evening, September 26, the Newman Club held its first meeting of the year. Officers elected are as follows:

President James Bagnell
Vice President John Kelley
Treasurer Katherine Metcalf
Secretary John Zielke
Father Geimer, assistant of St. Stephen's Church, is the new chaplain for the Catholic Club. He was introduced to the members by Miss Roach, faculty advisor, who gave a short resumé of the Newman Club history and urged every Catholic to be an active member of the club.

"The Newman Club should be an important part of the school life of every Catholic student. Make sure that you are a member of the Newman Club," Miss Roach said.

* * * OMEGA TEA

The Home Economics Parlors with their decorations of garden flowers were the scene of the Omega's annual fall tea, Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock. The college girls, faculty members and faculty wives were the guests for the occasion. In the receiving line were Cora Mae Anderson, Ruth Rathke, Dorothy Larson, Janette Rogers and Ruth Stelter. The tea table had a centerpiece of lavender asters and yellow chrysanthemums and tall yellow tapers, carrying out the colors of the sorority. Tiny sandwiches, cakes iced in lavender and yellow, and mints in the same color added to the attractiveness of the table. Mrs. Charles H. Cashin, patroness, and Mrs. Harold M. Tolo, honorary member, poured. A printed list of the sorority members was given each guest as a favor.

* * * SIGMA ZETA MEETING

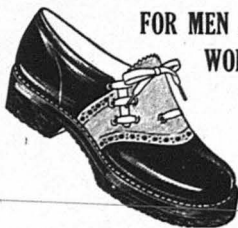
Sigma Zeta, honorary science fraternity, held its first regular meeting on Wednesday, September 23. Committees for the work of the year were appointed by the Master Scientist, Bob Burkman. The possibility of a homecoming luncheon for the alumni was discussed. Faculty members present were: Miss Bessie May Allen, Mr. T. A. Rogers, and Mr. Gilbert Faust.

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PHOTO CLUB

The Photo Club held its second meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon, September 25, in Mr. Roger's room.

Many members have been admitted this year to fill the vacancies left by the graduates.

The new constitution which was drawn up last spring was read by Mr. Faust, the faculty advisor, and duly approved.

The following officers were elected for the first semester:

Directors.....Wallace Bartosz
Robert Abb
Donald Becker

Secretary
and Treasurer Fay Wendorf
The directors will select a chairman from their group to preside at the meetings.

Plans were discussed for a school dance to be held, October 26.

* * * SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB

The first meeting of the Social Science Club was held last Wednesday, September 26. The members decided on doing research this year in the field of foreign relations, as they especially affect four domestic problems and policies. The first topic will be the recent Havana Conference to be discussed at the next meeting to be held on Wednesday, October 9, at which time new members will have their records scanned. The requirements for membership are a social science minor and a 2.1 grade point average in this minor. The club is limited to a membership of twelve.

The present members are; Edward Wacholz, President
Donald Aucutt, Vice-President
Phillip Anderson, Secretary-Treasurer
Earle Siebert
Norman Fronck
Charles Miller
Dr. N. O. Reppen, Faculty adviser

* * * Y.W.C.A.

Thursday night a large group of interested girls assembled for the first meeting of the Y.W.C.A., room of Nelson Hall. It was at this which was held in the recreation meeting that the President Viola Gericke, gave the meaning of the organization to the new comers. An invitation, to become a Y-Dub, was extended to all girls in the college regardless of race or creed. Numerous plans were made for the forthcoming year.

The meeting was then turned over to Glendy Chapin who introduced Miss Susan Colman, the speaker of the evening. Miss Colman gave the girls valuable hints on "Personality", the element within us.

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COLLABORATION CORNER

As we write this we are thinking of President Smith. It is hard to realize he is gone. Something we read once comes to us and we like to think of it that way. "Death is only a part of the thing called life."

In our travels this week we noticed this sign in the Eat Shop: "If you don't like our form of government, there are still boats running to Europe."

Harold Jawort worked so hard focusing the microscope for Jeanette Ehlers in lab the other day—and then she still wouldn't go to the show with him..... We can't resist aiming a few nasty cracks at the crowd that attended the game Saturday. The subs on the River Falls bench made more noise than our entire student body. Then when the game began to sag a little everyone started walking out on the team. We showed up as a bunch of pretty poor losers..... It is said that a burned child dreads fire and a newly married man certainly avoids his old flames.

Evelyn Hales slipped in the bathtub over at the dorm Sunday nite and almost flooded second floor..... Paul Swenson is the latest to stand in line over at Nelson Hall. He waits for Florence Theisen..... Anita Madsen and Betty Fitzke were back for the game Saturday..... Frankie Pliner spent ten minutes on the telephone last week trying to talk Alice Wickman into going out with him, but he didn't get to first base. It's the usual story—a boy back home..... Joe Treder and Evelyn Tetzler are always together..... Someone stuffed the Sophomore ballot box again this year. Heil got four votes too.....

Seeing it's football season..... A freshman took his sweetheart to see an important football game. The girl was a film fan and not being interested in football, was soon bored by the game. As the team came out for the second half she nudged her companion, "Let's go now," she said, "This is where we came in."

We wonder who's been on Chiz's mind the last few days—she spent ten minutes trying to open her kitchen lock box with a can opener before she realized she wasn't using a key.

My mind was set upon one thing,
While trying to do another.
'Twas awful—true—to try to bring
Success—with a can opener!

Is the Forum going to awaken from its lethargy for another year? Some students see no sense in such an organization—one such person gave this reason—"The Forum is merely an organization comprised of students who don't belong to anything else." What do you think?

A bug-man who visited the dorm again the other day on the trail of cockroaches had this to say, "I'm an exterminator on the last roundup on a roach ranch!"

There is no more valuable subordinate than the man to whom you can give a piece of work and then forget it, in the confident expectation that the next time it is brought to your attention it will come in the form of a report that the thing has been done. The man to whom an executive is most grateful, the man whom he will value most, is the man who accepts responsibility and goes ahead and does his task in an efficient, self-reliant manner."—Gifford Pinchot.

Here's a last minute bit of what this writer calls "stuff of most intense interest"—on Oct. 7 Freddie Nimz takes "for better or for worse" Miss Ruth Youngworth "to love, cherish, etc." The wedding will be held in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church at Oshkosh. Best wishes Fred and Ruth!

Think this one over before you go to sleep tonight: "There is nothing good or bad but thinking makes it so."

C.S.T.C. MOURNS DEATH OF SMITH

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the author of "A New Approach To Early European History," and "A New Approach To Modern History." Bulletins written by him included "Training Teachers for Small Schools" and "The Graduates of a Department of Secondary Education." Recognition for his work as an educator has been accorded in "Who's Who in American Education," and in "Leaders in Education."

Memorial Service Thursday
Last rites will be paid to the late President tomorrow morning at 11:00 o'clock at a short service in the College Auditorium. Mr. Smith's body was taken to Milwaukee Monday for cremation, so the memorial service will take the place of funeral rites.

SPIRITED ELECTIONS HELD THURSDAY

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Evelyn Hillert of Greenwood, enrolled in the High School department, is a member of Sigma Tau Delta, Alpha Psi Omega, Omega Mu Chi, Y.W.C.A. and a member of the Iris staff. She will act as treasurer.

Juniors Pick Menzel
Bud Menzel, a former Park Falls all-star athlete, was elected by his classmates to the most socially important office on the campus. Bud, who is affiliated with the Phi Sigs,

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will lead the junior class as president.

Charles Dodge, a talented musician from Rib Lake, will serve in the capacity of vice-president of the junior class. Chuck is also a member of Phi Sigma Epsilon.

Secretary of the junior class is Lucille Weiher, a member of Tau Gamma Beta.

Katie Piehl, one of Central States' most popular students was unanimously elected by the juniors to the office of treasurer. Katie, who is prominent in Omega Mu Chi, is from Rhinelander, Wis.

Halla Leads Sophs

Sophomores elected as their leader, Norm Halla of Mosinee. Norm was one of the college's foremost boxers; he is also well known on the gridiron.

Bob Shorey, a former Pointer, was elected to the office of vice-president. Bob, a member of Phi Sigma Epsilon, is remembered for his prominence in the Stevens Point High School "Dope Club."

Florence Theisen of Loyal, one of the most promising girl athletes of the sophomore class, is now the secretary of the sophomore class.

The only Ruralite who was elected to a class office was Rosella Berg, Gillett. She is also a member of the Newman Club.

Frosh Choose Smith

As yet we know very little about the executive ability of the Freshman officers but they will undoubtedly prove themselves worthy of their positions. However we have been able to find out something. James Smith, president of the class, plays in an orchestra over the week-ends.

For their vice-president the Freshmen chose Esther Moreau of Stevens Point. Esther, who is enrolled in the High School department, was active in Forensics and dramatic work in the high school. She was a member of the Drama club and the Girls' Glee Club.

Antigo is well represented among the freshmen officers. Winifred Lykom of Antigo who is enrolled in the Home Economics Department was elected Secretary. She graduated from high school in 1939 and was active there as drum major, a member of the Drama Club, Girls' Glee Club, mixed chorus, and Girls' Athletic Association.

Dan Durkee, the class treasurer, is also from Antigo. During his high school days he was active in the musical organizations.

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ROUND 'N ABOUT

(Continued from page 2, col. 3)

in next Sunday at 8:00 P. M. over C.B.S. It will be worth while.

This past season was a hard one on summer play houses, but Edna Ferber gave vent to her desire to be a Bernhardt and kept the theater at Maplewood, New Jersey out of the "deep red" when she played Fanny Cavendish in *The Royal Family* which she and George Kauffman wrote in 1927.

The Howards of Virginia, will be here soon. It's a well done picture. Remember Martha Scott, who played Emily in *Our Town*—she has a nice part.

The little man who wasn't there eats ghost posties with evaporated milk ... now where did he come in?

I'm sure some of you will see the logic in this:

Monday Morning
It's seven-fifteen

By the clock on the table,

My watch says six-thirty.

The hall clock strikes eight,

It's six forty-five

By the wall clock; I'm able

To sleep five more minutes,

Without being late.

—June Kapp—

DRAFT CENSUS

There are 387,000 men of draft age for Wisconsin. This number is not based on the completed 1940 census figures, but on the preliminary total tabulations for each state and upon the 1930 census.

Within the 21-35 year age limit, New York leads the states with 1,835,000 men; Pennsylvania, 1,190,000; Illinois, 1,048,000; California, 946,000; Ohio, 859,000; and Michigan, 724,000.

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Lange Concert Well Received

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A capacity crowd filled the auditorium, Monday night, September 30, to hear the Hans Lange Little Symphony. This is the first opportunity music-lovers of Central State and the vicinity of Stevens Point have had to hear this symphony orchestra composed of sixteen men from the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

As a special courtesy to the audience, Hans Lange conducted the "Air on G-String" by Johann Sebastian Bach, in memoriam to our departed president, Mr. E. T. Smith, who passed away Saturday evening September 28.

Mr. Lange, on a short tour which ends in a few weeks when the Chicago Symphony Orchestra will again continue their concerts in Chicago, came here with the concert orchestra from Oshkosh and played at Winona, Minnesota, on Tuesday, October 1.

This is one of the finest concerts that has been given in this auditorium, and the first in the series of lyceum programs to be offered to Central Staters this season.

NOTICE!!

Mr. Evans, Chairman of the Homecoming on October 12, has this announcement: "Make all your floats to withstand rain or shine weather, as the parade will be held regardless of climatic conditions."

A Cub's Eye View Of Game Broadcast

Dear old Gus—

Gee, kid, am I getting up in the world now! I finally got on the Pointer staff; I'm only a cub reporter yet, but maybe when I'm through this year, they'll make me news-editor.

But that isn't all I was going to tell you. Last Saturday I got my first assignment. The boss, (he's really the editor, but I call him "the Boss") told me I should go to the game and watch it from the broadcasting booth so I could tell all the people who read the Pointer how they broadcast a football game from here. That was kinda hard for me to do, "cause all the while I was in the booth I stood behind the announcer and so I had to be perfectly quiet. Can you imagine keeping still while you watch a game, but it was really very interesting. There are two parts to the booth. In one part there are four men. The man who takes care of controls sits on one end. He has an outfit in front of him that looks sorta like a radio with all kinds of knobs on it. He wears a mouthpiece and earphones like a telephone operator. Thru the mouthpiece he can talk to Mr. Colby, in the studio at the college. Mr. Colby's the man who listens to the broadcast in the studio control room to check on the volume of the amplifier and tell whether the announcer's voice is loud enough, or clear enough and other things like that. When he has anything to report he talks thru a regular telephone which is connected to one of the controlman's earphones. Thru the other earphones he listens to the broadcast thru a radio in the booth.

Next to the control man sits the announcer. All he does is sit at the long bench-like table at the mike

and tells what he sees at the game in front of him.

The man next to the announcer helps him a lot. He's called the "spotter". On the bench they have a board with little nails in it that correspond to the positions of the players on the field. Before the game starts the spotter has the line-up from the coaches and writes the name and number of each player on little round tags, with holes in them, that slip over the nails. Next to that board there's another one with nails on, too, where they keep the tags with all the other players' names and numbers. Then when a substitution is made, the man in charge of the second board gives the right tag to the spotter who changes it on the line-up board. This way the announcer always knows who's in the game. The spotter has to be fast because as each play is made and the ball goes from one player to another he has to point to that player's tag on the line-up board so the announcer knows who has the ball all the time.

Then in this first section of the booth there's another fellow, on the other end, who is "relief" man. He relieves the announcer—he talks before the game, about the weather and such things and then introduces the announcer. Last Saturday between halves he interviewed Mr. Mansfield who was refereeing the game. He's a big-shot, I guess, from the "U"—has charge of the varsity baseball team.

In the other half of the booth the newspapermen sit to take notes on the game.

Afterwards Mr. Colby asked me if I wanted to hear the recordings played back that he made from

NOTICE!

Each new student entering the college is required to have a physical examination. Health Center office hours are 10:00-12:00, daily. Come during office hours if possible, if not call at the Health Center for an appointment.

Miss Neuberger, R. N.

each quarter. Then he showed me how they were made, too. It's awfully complicated. To me, the machine didn't look much different from a big phonograph with an extra-sized record on it. Sometime when you come to Central State I'll take you down to the college radio studios and you can see it for yourself. I know Mr. Colby would be glad to show it to you.

Well 'bye now, I have to go to Pointer meeting again. Write soon, to

A Cub Reporter from C.S.T.C.

The height of indifference is shown by the guy who sees a black speck in his pudding and doesn't care whether it's a fly or a raisin.

* * *

She (playfully): Let me chew your gum.

He (more playfully): Which one, upper or lower?

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