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SPEAKERS CHOSEN FOR GRADUATION

Plans for commencement and baccalaureate have not been fully completed as yet. However, the speakers and those who will furnish the music have been decided upon. Reverend Johnson of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church is to be the speaker at the baccalaureate services to be held May 24. The speak er for commencement, May 29, is to be Dean Frank O. Holt of the University Extension Division. The Men's Glee Club will sing for baccalaureate and the Women's Glee Club for commencement. The orchestra will provide music for both occasions. One of the interesting features of the commencement pro-gram will be a piano solo by Mr. Edward Plank.

POINTER APPLICATIONS

Mr. Rightsell announces that applications are now being accepted for the positions of Editor and Business Manager of the POINTER for next year. All those desiring to apply for the jobs are requested to have their letters of application in to him as early as possible. Only written applications will be considered.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Jimmy Kulidas, Vice President of the Student Council announced that the Junior Class is now leading in the purchasing of defense stamps. Presiding over the student council meeting last Monday night in the absence of Floyd Nixon, who is away teaching school at Adams-Friendship, Kulidas stated that the highlight of the evening was the mapping out of a campaign to stimulate more interest in the buying of war stamps. The Student Council urges the students to get behind their classes and purchase stamps.

Jean Doolittle, who represented Central State at a conclave at Madison, gave a report on the meeting. The conclave was a "War Council" consisting of representatives of student councils from colleges throughout the state. Present and post war courses were discussed. Conservation, nutrition, home nursing, navigation, astronomy, naval reserve, map making, C.P.T.C., war and government, and industrial management are some of the courses offered by various colleges and the delegates were encouraged to start such courses in their respective colleges if such does not exist. Purchasing of defense stamps, collecting of tin foil and books were also stressed. A Federation of student councils was discussed by the delegates.

Bill Nikolai has finished his study on the Iris and a complete report of the Iris expenditures will be presented to the student body.

South American Theme In Art Department

News does travel at a top rate of speed. We were not the only ones on the way to the Art Department this afternoon to watch the art students unpack a Latin-American Exhibit. Out came books and pamphlets dealing with Latin-America, recordings of Latin-American songs and dances, handicraft articles, flags, maps, and pictorial materials. The display was so attractive and the Art Room looked so thoroughly Latin-Americanized that we began to wonder what was detaining Carmen Miranda. Even if you can't speak Spanish we advise you to go in to see the Exhibit-especially you students who are teaching History, Geography, or Social Studies.

Financial Report On "Outward Bound"

In order that students and faculty might know the amount spent for the production of "Outward Bound", College Theater has pre-pared an itemized account of the expenditures:

Books	\$17.50
Royalty	45.00
Tickets and programs	9.50
Set and properties	19.55
Janitor	2.00
Postage	.75
Total	\$94.30

MEN'S GLEE CLUB TO TAKE PART IN STATE SING AT GREEN BAY

The seventh annual State Sing of the Wisconsin association of Male choruses will be held on Sunday, May 3, at the



Washington Jun-ior High school in Green Bay. Eight choruses, including the Central State Men's Glee club, will take part. Each chorus will sing a selection besides numbers

by a massed chorus of nearly 350 voices.

The college Glee club is the only student organization in the State as-sociation. The entire club will make the trip to Green Bay.

The annual spring concerts last Wednesday and Thursday were a grand success. Of special note was the effective lighting of the flag during the singing of The Star Spangled Banner, In Flanders Fields, and Taps.

After the Wednesday concert, the fellows and their dates enjoyed dancing and refreshments in the college gym.

Billy Hughes' Band To Furnish Music For Patriotic Theme

Prom King Louis Posluszny and his queen, Miss Virginia Strope, will reign at the annual Junior Prom on Saturday, May 2. Miss Strope is a former student of CSTC and is now employed at the Hardware Mutual Insurance company. Following Posluszny and Miss Strope in the grand march will be Jack Gear and Neva Jane Burroughs. Gear is general chairman of this year's Prom, succeeding Bill Carnahan. Due to unforeseen circumstances, Carnahan will be unable to carry on the duties and has turned the position over to Gear.

The Junior Prom of 1942 is dedicated to all former Central State men who are in the armed forces of their country. In accordance with the dedication, the theme of the entire affair will be patriotic. By May 2, the Training school gymnasium will be transform-American flag will be displayed in such a way as to disguise the walls of the gym. The ceiling and the stage will be camouflaged by streamers of red, white, and blue which will also furnish a background for the orchestra.

It was recently announced that music for the event will be furnished by Billy Hughes and his "Band of Tomorrow.

The Prom will get under way at 9:00 p.m., and guests will be received by Posluszny and Miss Strope, Gear and Miss Burroughs, President and Mrs. Hansen, Dean and Mrs. and Mrs. Hansen, Dean and Mrs. Steiner, Prof. and Mrs. T. A. Rogers, and Prof. and Mrs. F. J. Schmeekle. Wilson S. Delzell, regent, and Mrs. Delzell will be unable to attend.

Prom-goers are urged to come early in order to receive one of the novel General MacArthur buttons which are to be given to the first

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New Courses Offered In Summer Session

at Central State. The session will end July 24. It is the popular opinion that the enrollment for this year will be one of the largest ever, due to the ever more pressing desire on the part of many of the students to time possible.

Enrollment and registration for the summer session will take place Monday, June 15, beginning at 8:00 a. m. All students are urged to enroll at this time, and consequently avoid paying the penalty of one dollar that late registration demands.

Classes will be held over a period of six weeks. All classes, with a few exceptions, are scheduled to meet in the forenoon-the first beginning at 7:15 a.m., and the last one ending at 11:45 a.m. Most of the general assemblies will be held in the forenoon also, as a part of the college program.

In addition to the regular course, three new classes are being offered. special Refresher Course. The Re- elected.

Monday, June 15, marks the be- fresher Course has been organized as ginning of the 1942 Summer School an aid to former rural teachers. The purpose of the course, as the name implies, is to refresh the teacher on some of the techniques, materials, standards, and activities in the rural school. As far as possible, this course will be conducted on the workshop acquire their degrees in the shortest basis, giving each member some choice of the areas in which he prefers to do most extensive work.

The Training School will be open during the summer and it will be possible for a limited number of students to do student teaching to meet the requirements for a degree or diploma.

Anyone interested in acquiring further information concerning this years' summer session may do so by seeing Dr. Lyness in the registrar's office. Bulletins, giving detailed accounts of courses offered, are now ready for distribution, and may be secured by calling at that

GAMMA DELTA

Members of Gamma Delta will They include: Practical Present meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock Day Chemistry, History of Amerial St. Paul's Lutheran Church. The can Diplomacy Since 1881, and a officers for the coming year will be

SIGMA ZETANS TO ATTEND NATIONAL CONCLAVE

Professors Rogers and Faust will head a group of ten members of the Stevens Point chapter of Sigma Zeta to the national conclave of the organization at Turkey Run State park, near Marshall, Ind., on May 15 and 16. Rogers is grand recorder-treasurer and Faust is grand editor of the national organization.

Sigma Zetans from the Stevens Point (Zeta) chapter who will make the trip are Floyd Nixon, Jim Unger, Roy Otto, Ray Skatrude, Harold Schmidt, Wilma Anderson, Vincent Brunner and Emmert Lange. They will leave in autos on Thursday, May 14.

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ON STAGE

by Hannah Kaufman

The Committee that has been "in conference" for two months discussing strategic methods for tackling one of the biggest shows ever produced here, sent the following telegram to the Pointer:

ALL-COLLEGE VARIETY SHOW WILL BE PRESENTED HERE TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY EVE-NINGS MAY 5 AND 6 STOP RESERVE YOUR TICKET IMME-DIATELY DIATELY AFTER THURSDAY ASSEMBLY STOP HELP US TURN IN CARLOADS OF QUARTERS TO THE RED CROSS.

THE COMMITTEE

This reporter has now developed a bad case of Curious-itis. We have so few facts. Now if you don't mind accepting a rumor we can tell you' that someone who knows told a very dear friend of a friend of ours that -"It's a Wow!" Our friend was positive that his friend's friend was referring to the college Variety show. We also heard from one of the residents of the city who heard
—"Oh! not that again"—that the aforementioned rumor will be a confirmed report when the curtain comes down next week. Included in the retinue are two faculty "mystery" numbers which have not been revealed as yet. Maybe if we can manage to grow considerably in a few days we will be able to see over the transom of the Committee's office—and then before this paper sees print again—Well, don't tell

that war savings stamps be given instead of corsages this year.

Committees appointed by Posluszny have been working hard on plans and decorations. Credit should be given to Neva Jane Burroughs, Virginia Lundgren, Patty Markee and Catherine Dineen. "Doc" Kulidas has also served well in the capacity of adviser.

Dope From Pils!

"Don't sit under the Apple tree,"
"Jersey Bounce," "Somebody else is
taking my place", (first Joe Negard
comes up for the Phi Sig Formal, then
there's those daily 2:30 meetings between Charlotte Wiese and Al Olingy,
and then to LaX for another formal,
this is really a perfect theme for Arnie
Bocher-some men lead awful lives, don't
they?) and "Tangerine"—These are just
a few of the songs the annual prom
goers will be getting hep to this Saturday night in the Training School gym
with a red, white, and blue background. The decorations committee said
one wouldn't know the place now and
they've just started. Sounds good, doesn't
it? sit under the Apple tree, Bounce," "Somebody else i

ob yes the prom, well, we already can guess some of the people who will be there and with whom and why. It's great to have that old stand-by, isn't it? Mickey, Brooks, Owens (incidentally where did Brenner spend the last weekend?) Larson and all the rest. There will be the usual surprises. Harvin Abrahamson, Len's brother, is scheduled to appear, but with whom?

We could help Poggie out on the ad

We could help Poggie out on the ad situation this week by the following; Wanted, one prom date. Need not be good looking. Must have at least \$1.75, ten cents for cokes. Must be able to dance a little. Call Nelson Hall for further details. Or we might add; Wanted \$1.65 to pay my class dues. A Junior.

Ginger Nelson has the diamond and Ginger Nelson has the diamond and all that's lacking is the wedding bell but not for long. Saturday Ginger will journey to Milwaukee to take the sacred yows with Joe Palmer. Don't say that we didn't tell you.

Walker just stormed in with a special socion for the description of the same of the

waker just stormed in with a special notice for the dormites for Saturday night. If you want a place to pause before the 2 a.m. deadline, ask Brenner and Owens for reservations. Speaking of dancing, don't forget the Tau Gam Swing in the college gym Friday after-

the transom of the Committee's office—and then before this paper
sees print again—Well, don't tell
anyone that we told you!

Posluszny, Strope To Lead Prom

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one-hundred couples arriving. Members of the Junior class suggest also
that war savings stamps be given inbers of the Junior class suggest also
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NOTICE

The Emcee of the College Variety Show will give a preview of the show—with the aid of some of the members of the cast -in the assembly at 10:40 on Thursday - Immediately following the Forum meeting-

TUDENT PARRING

TO THE EDITOR:

TO THE EDITOR:

It was highly amusing to read the column "From The Locker Room" in the last issue of the Pointer. It's aroma; it's humor still lingers, though it has become an old, old story. I refer especially to the forecast of the coming Phi Sig-Chi Delt softball series. The columnist, notably partisan, presented a bright, very bright picture of Phi Sig-chances in the Coming thes all the while bemoaning the many difficulties with which the Chi Delts are faced in getting any semblance of former champ teams

which the Chi Delts are faced in getting any semblance of former champ teams together. He can't lose!

If the Phi Sigs do cop the jug, he will have predicted it—if not, then the Chi Delts look that much better for having overcome such "great odds" to emerge victorious! I quote a statement from the article—'So there you have it—The Phi Sigs with their team ready to go and the Chi Delts with worries on their minds.'—

Let's look at the actual prospects and

worries on their minds."—
Let's look at the actual prospects and reason intelligently as to which way the tourney will go. The infield worries that beset Mgr. Doc Kulidas can be disposed of quickly. Louie Posluszny's leg has not decreased his ability on the hot corner one iota—I know, I saw! "Newcomer"
Jay Swett is no rookie—plays first well — and Handsome Harry Radke holds down second as it should be covered—to mention a few.

The Phi Sigs have lost more key men through enlistments, graduation, etc.,

The Phi Sigs have lost more key men through enlistments, graduation, etc., than have the Chi Delts—What batting power (main weakness of the Phi Sigs) can they muster to match the formidable averages of Louie P. and several other Chi Delt regulars?

Is Sherm Sword suddenly going to lose the pitching arm that has carried the brunt of the attack for the Chi Delts in years gone by?

The Phi Sigs are going to fight to dispose of the Chi Delts—the games will be close enough to warrant the presence of all at CSTC. But, please, Doc, don't insult our intelligence by telling us that the Phi Sigs are the favorites to cop the title. It may well be that the Phi Sigs will win, but the logical forecast cannot help favoring the Chi Delts. Say so next time, and if they lose, don't cover up under a clever, but erroneous forecast made at the beginning of the season!

-Sports Fan

How "Playday" Began

In the merry month of May, 1931, Miss Eva Seen, then director physical education for women at CSTC, set aside one day and called it "a day of friendly competition." On this day, sports-minded girls from twelve neighboring high schools were entertained by the WAA. This nucleus of enthusiasts participated in spring sports "for the fun of it, not for honors."

A precedent had been set. Each year a day was set aside; each year a new theme was adopted, and this annual affair became known as "Playday." In 1936 Miss Richardson took over Miss Seen's duties, and "Playday" still reigned.

This years marks the 11th annual 'Playday". Up to date 12 schools have designated a desire to invade this territory and participate in a varied spring program to a musical theme.

MEN'S GLEE CLUB

At 11 o'clock this morning, 33 members of the Men's Glee club left in the college bus to present two more concerts in their long series of appearances before central Wisconsin audiences. At one o'clock they are presenting a concert at Clintonville and will then travel immediately to Marion for an appearance at three o'clock.

TRIPLE TIE FOR SOFTBALL LEAD

A triple tie exists for the intra-mural softball league leadership. The Hurricanes, Independents and the Yankees, who were victorious in their first two starts, are the teams involved in the deadlock.

In the opening game a week ago last Tuesday the Yankees trounced the Linoleum Rugs 14-6. Marvin Hansman limited the Rugs to seven blows and had control of the situation throughout. Numerous errors on the part the Rugs encouraged the Yankees to pound three hurlers for 15 safeties.

The Fumblers forfeited to the Independents. The Hurricanes defeated the Phi Sigs 6-3. Bob Schunk limited the fraternity boys to three blows while striking out ten. Posluszny led the winners with a homerun and a triple. In a freefielding game, the Independents handed the Linoleum Rugs their second straight defeat 9-6. Kulidas gave up seven hits and struck out

Last Wednesday the Hurricanes came from behind to defeat the Fumblers 10-8. Losing, the Fumblers came to bat in their half of the last inning and shoved six runs across the plate to go ahead 8-7. The Hurricanes came right back, however, to win the game on a home run by Sword with one man on. The Phi Sigs forfeited to the Yankees.

All of the games were postponed last Monday.

Standings		
Hurricanes	2	0
Independents	2	0
Yankees	2	0
Fumblers	0	2
Linoleum Rugs	0	2
Phi Sigs	0	2

RURAL LIFE

The Tenth Annual Wisconsin Rural Life Conference will be held Friday and Saturday of this week at the Whitewater State Teachers College. Thirty-one members of the Rural Life club of C.S.T.C. will attend. Helen Firkus has been asked to be a member of a panel discussion group, the chairman of which will be Professor Paul H. Sheats of the University of Wisconsin faculty. Charles Papke, likewise a member of the local club, will act as leader of a discussion group which will be in session following the program on Saturday morning.

The general purpose of this year's conference is to prepare the delegates for a more united war effort and post-war reconstruction. The conference is one of a series of state conferences which helps to prepare for the national meeting of the American Rural Youth association, to be held at Carbondale, Illinois in

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GYM ANTICS

Strike one, strike two, strike three, you're out. The WAA softball team was rained out Monday but are still going to play that return game with the training school girls. WAA defeated these girls in the first game of the series but it was close, and they are out for revenge. Here is the schedule for spring sports. Baseball—Monday, Wednesday-

Archery-Tuesday, Thursday-

4 to 6 your free time, but be sure to play them off.

The first WAA banquet is going May 20. The price has been set at awards will be given on this occas-

The drapes, which we have been contemplating for a long time, are now a reality. They are up for inspection and discussion in the game

The first big attempt on the part of WAA members was "Club Sahara". The second big issue is "Playday" and it must "go off" just as well as and even better than "Club Sahara". On Wednesday Evening, May 6 at 7, in the game room there will be a special meeting of all WAA members to make final plans for "Play day". The meeting will not be very long, and thus will enable you to attend other meetings.

All committee chairmen must contact Miss Greiling or Madge La-Brot tomorrow or Friday as to the progress and need for materials on the part on which you are working.

All girls planning to attend the "Playday" luncheon are to sign up on the bulletin board by Monday. This information is very necessary and important to the banquet offi-cials at Nelson hall. The price of the

Uncheon is forty-five cents.

On this Friday's "Purple and Gold" hour, to be heard over WLBL at 3:15. Miss Greiling and President La Brot will present a discussion centering about the history and values of "Playday". Turn on your radios and listen and learn. "Keep 'em flying and keep 'em playing.'
"Playday" is May 9.

Hotel Whiting

FRATERNITY SOFTBALL SERIES BEGINS NEXT TUESDAY

hold an eight to two edge in the series to date, which was begun in 1932.

This year, Myron Sharkey, fleet Phi Sig star, will captain the Phi Sigma Epsilon team. Sharkey has given a tentative lineup, with several Play off your tennis matches in players in doubt because of work our free time, but be sure to play which will hinder their playing. Sharkey plans to start Bill Carnahan with Sam Barton to catch his slants. to be held at the Belmont Hotel on In the infield will be Hebert at first, Lewison at second, Buck at short sixty-five cents but may be changed, and Capt. Sharkey to cover "the hot corner". Patroling the outer garden will be Bob Becker, long distance reservations with Lois Bauerenfeind and her committee. All honors and long wishlinski, and John Ziehlke, another rookie of this year's team.

COLLEGE Y

On Friday evening, the College Y will meet in the recreation room of Nelson hall. Prof. A. E. Harris will room. Take it from me, they are be the principal speaker and direct the discussion which will follow. The attendance has been steadily increasing at recent meetings and another large turnout is expected at

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The eleventh annual Chi Delta Rho and Phi Sigma Epsilon intra-bly start Sherm Sword, star hurler, fraternity softball series will get on the mound with Al Kingston under way next Tuesday, May 5th, giving the signs. The inner defense The scene of action will be at will be made up of Jay Swett, Lou Schmeekle Field, and the game time will be 4 P.M. The series as in previous years, will be the best three out of five games. The Chi Delts field the veteran Joe Goodrich, Bob Shrank, Ted Fritsch, Eldred Judd, Grant Thayer and several others, will see action.

LOST

During the band festival recently, Mr. Harold S. Dyer of Ripon, one of the judges, lost a fountain pen, a large, green Sheaffer. His name is on the pen, but it is slightly difficult to read.

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Fritsch To Play With Green Bay Bluejays

Ted Fritsch, who recently signed his Green Bay Packer contract has successfully passed a trial to play baseball with the Green Bay Bluejays in the Wisconsin State League, and will join the Jays immediately after school disbands.

Teddy has played baseball with various local teams for the past few summers and has impressed many a baseball follower with his performances. Although he has passed the trial as a catcher, Ted plays in the infield equally well. His power at the plate was often feared by opposing pitchers and his hustle afield have made him an outstanding figure on the diamond.

We sincerely hope that Teddy will compile many records while playing baseball and football in Green Bay. He is sure to catch on with the fans and his abilities should provide the rest.

COLLEGE FORUM

Superintendent Harley Powell, Clintonville, a former student at CSTC will address students attending the forum meeting Thursday at 10 a.m. in the auditorium. Since this is the last meeting of the high school division, all members in this department are expected to attend.

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ing to an officer's commission:

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2. Those who qualify in the classification test and do not volunteer for Aviation will be



selected for training to be Deck or Engineering Officers. In that case, you will continue your college program until you receive your bachelor's degree, provided you maintain the established university standards.

Those whose grades are not high enough to qualify them for Deck or Engineering Officer training will be permitted to finish their second calendar year of college. After this, they will be ordered to duty as Apprentice Seamen, but because of their college training they will have a better chance for rapid advancement. At any time, if a student should fail in his college courses, he may be ordered to active duty as an Apprentice Seaman.

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