Noted Writer To Be Convocation Speaker

August Derleth, Sauk City poet, biographer and novelist, will speak in the CSTC auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Friday afternoon of this week when a midwinter convocation of Portage and Wood county teachers is held.

Mr. Derleth, a native of Portage, at the age of 13. Well known among his books are "Wind Over Wisconsin", "Village Year" and "The Wisconsin" (Rivers of America Series). Claiming he has no time for newspapers, Mr. Derleth reads a book a day and 400 magazines a year.

The convocation, which is sponsored by the Wisconsin Education association, will open at 9 A.M. with selections played by the P.J. Jacobs High school band. The morning speakers will include Dr. Theodore Brameld, Professor of Education and Philosophy at the University of Minnesota, whose address will be "The Atomic Age—The Supreme Challenge to Education", and Dr. M. M. Bober of the School of Education at Lawrence college, whose topic is "The International Scene". Community singing will be directed by Peter J. Michelsen, with Rosemary Nelson at the piano.

The CSTC Glee club under the direction of Mr. Michelsen, will open the afternoon program, singing "Steal Away", a Negro spiritual, and "Green Sleeves", an English lute melody. Following this, Derleth will speak on the subject, "How An Author Creates His Characters". The meeting will close with the move, "Assignment Tomorrow".

Name Supervisor

Chester Rinka, Stevens Point, former captain in the Marines and now on terminal leave, will be the social science representative following this. Derleth will speak on the subject, "How An Author Creates His Characters". The meeting will close with the move, "Assignment Tomorrow".

Two Retired Faculty Members Honored

Alfred J. Herrick and Charles F. Watson will be honored at a faculty dinner to be given today, February 6, at Nelson Hall. Both Mr. Herrick and Mr. Watson have left the college faculty during the current year. He is taking the place of Robert S. Lewis, who succeeded Charles F. Watson as geography teacher.

Student Council to Sponsor Formal

Dormites' New Social Calendar Announced

The "post-office" at Nelson Hall will be doing a rushing business this week, as Nelson Hall "boys" and "girls" will send their "lady friends" through the medium of letters, valentines or corsages. Dormites have been divided into two groups of boys and girls for a week of courtship before Valentine's day. The climax of the courtship will be a "Honeymoon" on Thursday, February ?? to which each Nelson Hall "boy" will escort his lady-love.

Betty Ruth Crawford is chairman of the decorations for the dinner. She will be assisted by Kathryn Peterson, Beatrice Abraham and Mildred Wroldstad.

The social calendar for the Dormites' second semester promises to be an interesting one. Plans are already underway for a formal spring dinner on March 21.

Some day in April will find the waitresses, cooks and receptionists of the Dorm being served a dinner by their fellow Dormites.

The girls of Nelson Hall will entertain their mothers with a maternal mother-daughter banquet in May. Saturday, May 4, has been chosen as the date for the banquet.

St. Norberts Beats Point 52-46

In a hard fought game played at West De Pere Monday night St. Norberts defeated the CSTC cagers on only 10 free throws out of 30.

The game was CSTC's first entering the field goals and an important one. Plans are already underway for a formal spring dinner on March 21.

A number of the veterans, former members of the basketball team, were on hand to cheer on their old mates. Among the principal alums in attendance were: Pete Haase, Ed Battaglia, Dan Schubert, John Stukenberg, and Pete Wessling.

King and Queen Will Be Chosen

A Valentine garden and the theme song, "Two Hearts", played in waltz time will create atmosphere for the Winter Formal ball since February, 1944.

Next Saturday night, February 9, the Training school gym, decorated as a "Tootsie Roll" garden, will be the scene of this college formal which it is hoped will revive formal dances and other pageantry of long ago.

Cliff Hoene's nine piece orchestra will provide the music for dancing. Climaxing the evening's gaieties will be the crowning of King and Queen of Hearts, who will be selected in the following manner: As each college student arrives with his or her partner they will deposit his ticket with his name and the name of his partner or escort written on it. At the end of the fourth dance the names bearing the names of the King of Hearts and Queen of Hearts will be drawn by Dr. Harold M. Telo, Acting Dean of Men. Thus, if a college student's partner or escort is not a college student he or she has an equal chance to be king or queen.

Crown King and Queen

The king and queen will then be crowned as a toot by little Peggy Het, daughter of Coach George R. Berg, and General Butler, who designed the crown.

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New and Familiar Faces Again Are Seen

Enrollment of CSTC is getting back to normal this semester with full time and part time students.

Of the 141 new students, 114 are seniors, including six women, Ruth Phillips, Grace Cauley, Dorothy Flood, and Lois Carpenter, former Wacs, and Patricia Emmons Felker and Gladys Wroe, former alphas. A number of the veterans, former members of the basketball team, were on hand to cheer on their old mates. Among the principal alums in attendance were: Pete Haase, Ed Battaglia, Dan Schubert, John Stukenberg, and Pete Wessling.

Ability to connect on free throws resulted in the Pointers' defeat. Flu-gaur, while taking scoring honors in the game, missed 15 points on 7 field goals and 5 free throws, missed 10 out of 15 gift tos. The Pointers connected on only 10 free throws out of 30.

The Pointers were 4th first encounter of the year with St. Norberts. The two teams will meet again on Thursday, February 14, at the Training school gym.

Sigma Tau Initiates

Ruth Ruff, Janice Milton, Joyce Rathke, and Ross Jones were honored by admission to membership in Sigma Tau Delta, honorary English fraternity, at a meeting of that organization in Studio A on January 30. Eulah Walter, president of the fraternity, conducted the initiation ceremonies, assisted by Ellen Gorn, Marion Heegemoen and Jane Miller. The president presented each of the new members with an American beauty rose, the fraternity flower.

Following the initiation, Euticia Goeder read selected poetry and prose. The evening was climaxed by the new members as a part of their pledge service. After the program and short business meeting, refreshments were served.

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First off, we offer you, as retribution, the newly opened corner's handcart. It's a beauty. It was already beaten path in that direction (we've trod it too) there's no doubt that Klink's is coming moteled. Anyway it was occupied one night last week by a party of hungry alightreengers.

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Former Staff Member Appreciates Pointer

Lt. Don Walker, associate editor of the Pointer in 1942-43, has ex­pressed his appreciation of copies of the Pointer which he has received, Lt. Walker, who serves in the Supply Company Service Battalion of the Marines, is stationed in China. Following are excerpts from let­ters written by Lt. Walker in No­vember and December and received recently by Miss Gladys Van Ars­dale:

"Day before yesterday November mail call was brightened considerably by two letters from you containing the latest issues of the Pointer. As you knew I would, I've had a whale of a time reading them and wallowing in not a little nostalgia! Of course a lot of the names are new to me, but the setting is the same and I simply substituted the old familiar faces and went all through the old Pointer days once again. What times those men were when men ran the paper and the women did the typing!! The guys all left the office without clock and then five of us would sit up until three and four in the morning eating hamburgers bought at the Eat Shop, Leroy, and Pepsi Cola, also bought at the Eat Shop, and long since grown warm!

In December he wrote:

"As you expected, the issues of this year's Pointer are of particular interest because they carry so many names we've not seen on the campus and that I knew before I left. Seems funny to think of guys like Bill Ritchay and the rest being in the Army. As I sit here, I've had the armory in mind and suppose pretty soon the whole crowd will be back and then it will really be like old times again. At least I hope so, for their sakes and for the college too."
The Pointers face a heavy schedule this weekend when they meet Platteville on Friday and Whitewater on Saturday. Point holds victories over both of these opponents and will attempt to make it two straight. Next week on Tuesday CSTC will also engage Eau Claire. All of these games will be played away from home.

Last Saturday, the Point cagers dropped a closely fought contest 48-46 to Stout Institute at the Training school gym despite the brilliant performance of their star guard, George Flugaur. The new Pointers displayed sides his precision shooting, Flugaur floor work and defensive play. Bob Olk, who is coaching during the height, though, and from there on it was steady victories.

District Debate

Tourism Held

Antigo, Medford and Merrill high school debating teams were winners in a district high school debating tournament held in the College auditorium Saturday. Other schools that took part in the three rounds of debate were Waupaca, Marshfield, Almond, Wisconsin Rapids, Rhinelander, Redgranite, Port Edwards and Neenah.

Leland M. Burroughs and his freshman speech classes acted as hosts for the visitors and 33 members of the speech classes were time-keepers for the debate.

Doris Ockelander will represent CSTC in a Red River Valley debate tournament at Concordia College, Moorhead, Minnesota on February 7, 8 and 9. Doris will give her original oration entitled "Conservation, Our National Heritage."

Summary: Free throws missed. Central scored 21 of 29, (Goodrich) 7, (Hartman) 1, (Sullivan) 3, (Capacasa) 3, (Carnahan) 1, (Grundstad) 2, (Emmerich) 2, (Lee) 2, (Stevens) 2, (Adams) 2, (Du sổld) 2, (Goodier) 2, (Loberg) 2, (Wuitti) 2, (Stevens) 2, (Emmerich) 2.

Score at half: Central State 18, Stout Institute 8.

Totals: 39, (Goodrich) 11, (Hartman) 2, (Sullivan) 3, (Capacasa) 3, (Carnahan) 1, (Grundstad) 4, (Emmerich) 2, (Lee) 2, (Stevens) 2, (Adams) 2, (Du sổld) 2, (Goodier) 2, (Loberg) 2, (Wuitti) 2, (Stevens) 2, (Emmerich) 2.

Notice.

Because of the meeting of Wood-Por
tage county teachers at CSTC on Friday, February 8, all college classes will be suspended at 9:45 for the balance of the day. The 8:15 and 9:10 classes will meet as usual.
Student Organizations

Named President
Betty Haberkorn was elected president of the Home Economics club at the regular meeting held on January 7. To serve with her are Bess Jones, vice-president; Frances Kuchenrieter, secretary, and Ruth Osterhaus, press representative.

A special meeting was called on January 27 to select a club member to represent the group at the Seventh Province Workshop meeting to be held in Chicago on February 21, 22, and 23. Betty June Maki was chosen from among the members, and she, with the club advisers, will represent the organization at the workshop meeting.

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Wesleyans Meet
Dorothy Below was the winner of a current-affairs contest held at a Wesley Foundation meeting at St. Paul's Methodist church last Thursday evening. Dorothy also led the devotional service at the meeting. A lunch of cookies and coffee was served by Martha Randorf and Jean Smith.

During the business meeting, plans were made for a Sunday evening service to be held at the church on February 24. Marjorie Beawer is general chairman.

On Thursday night Wesleyans will enjoy a bowling party. Members are to meet at the Southside Bowling alleys at 7:30 p.m.

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Pan-Hell Meets
Nelda Dopp was elected president of the Pan-Hellenic council at the last meeting on January 16. Lucille Vaughan was chosen as secretary of the council.

Tentative dates for the rushing and pledging periods were decided. Pan-Hell was set for March 30.

Programs Planned
A tentative program for the second semester was planned by Gamma Delta at a meeting held on Thursday, January 17, in the Nelson Hall Rec room. This program includes several discussions, a bowling party, a Valentine party, a breakfast and a picnic. More fun will be planned throughout the semester.

On Thursday, January 31, members participated in a bowling party, in which competition proved very exciting. Although no one hit the "300" mark, everyone had a good time.

The next meeting will be held on February 7 at eight o'clock at St. Paul's Lutheran church. There will be a discussion of the topic "Shall I Join?"