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## World Affairs Speaker At Today's Assembly

Miss Luciana Ribet from Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, Massachusetts, will speak at an assembly in the college auditorium this morning at 10 o'clock on the subject of World Affairs.

Miss Ribet is familiar with the needs of students throughout Europe since she participated in the underground distribution of anti-Fascist literature and in the organization and distribution of relief to families of political prisoners. She is sponsored by the World Student Service Fund, which is sponsored by the United Student Service of America and the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation.

The WSSF distributes its aid through World Student Relief, an international, non-governmental organization with headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland.

## "An Evening of Dance" Will Be Presented by U. W. Dance Group

Orchis, dance group from the University of Wisconsin, will offer the first opportunity most CSTC students have had to observe modern interpretive dancing when they present "An Evening of Dance" on Friday evening, April 11, at 8 o'clock in the college auditorium.

The American Association of University Women has made a practice of presenting a worthwhile program to the community each year and the group this year is sponsoring the Orchis dancers. Mrs. Elizabeth Pfiffner and Mrs. Mildred Williams, AAUW members, are co-chairmen of the committee which is arranging this appearance.

Orchis consists of 24 or 25 coeds from the University of Wisconsin, among whom is Miss Marion Lawrence, a former CSTC student, who is president of the organization. Since great expense is entailed in obtaining so large a group, additional sponsors have been added. They are the Business and Professional Women's club, the Twilight Music club, the Entertainment committee of the college, the Women's Athletic association and Omega Mu Chi sorority, with which Miss Lawrence was affiliated when she attended CSTC.

Members of the sorority have been asked to serve as ushers, since Miss Lawrence was a former member of their group.

At Wisconsin, as at many other Universities and Teachers Colleges, dancing has become an important part of the educational program. Always experimental in nature, Orchis is made up mainly of dance

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## Nelson Hall to Hold Annual Easter Dinner

There's an aura of mystery surrounding plans for the annual formal Easter dinner at Nelson Hall. It has been disclosed that invitations to the six o'clock dinner were in the shape of miniature hat boxes, tied with gay ribbons and bearing the name DorMelle. Miss Myrtle Henriksen's verse made this request: "If you've bought a new spring bonnet

Do not think you have to don it Just because you are a guest at Nelson Hall.

Come for dinner, wear your formal Do your best—or just act normal And a good time will be had by one and all."

Dormites and their guests must remain in suspense about the significance of the invitations until next Tuesday, April 1, the date set for this

## More Seniors Hired For Teaching Jobs

The Training school reports that, as a result of visits from principals and superintendents of schools throughout Wisconsin, many of this spring's graduates have already received placements in the teaching field.

Last Friday, Principal E. B. Wickstrom of Webster interviewed Home Economics candidates. Also interviewing candidates were Superintendent R. F. Lewis of Waukesha and Superintendent R. E. Clausen of Weyauwega. The latter is considering candidates for a position as coach and social science or science teacher.

### Will Go To Marinette

Marcella Krzoska has signed a contract to teach fifth and sixth grades in a rural school at Marinette. Carl Torkelson has been appointed to a position in the mathematics department of the Racine Public schools. He will teach in the Washington Park High school.

A number of CSTC alumni who are now teaching in various schools of the state and who have had two or more years of successful teaching are returning for assistance in securing positions which offer promotions from their present positions. Dr. Raymond E. Gotham reports. Any alumni who have had at least two years of successful teaching experience who are considering possibilities of promotion are invited to make use of the services of the CSTC placement office.

### Gotham Now At Meeting

Dr. Gotham is attending a meeting of the State Health and Safety Curriculum committee, of which he is a member, at Milwaukee today. He will also attend the meeting of the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development of the N.E.A. which will be held in Chicago.

### Speech Transcription Heard

At their regular staff meeting on Wednesday, the faculty of the Training school had the opportunity of listening to the transcription of a speech by Superintendent McFarland of Topeka, Kansas, who delivered the main address at the Southern Wisconsin Teachers' association meeting in February. President William C. Hansen and Quincy Doudna were guests at this meeting.

Transcriptions of this address were made by Radio Station WHA and loaned to the Training school for educational purposes. This transcription of Superintendent McFarland's address will be presented at a general staff meeting of all practice teachers of the Training school in the near future. Any visitors are welcome. The exact date may be determined by calling at the Training school.

dinner.

The guest list for this first large social affair of the new season at CSTC includes Misses Gertrude Hanson, Helen Weston, Pauline Isaacson, Patricia Doherty and Mary Pfiffner, and Mesdames Elizabeth Pfiffner, Mildred Williams and William C. Hansen.

Whatever surprise is held by the undisclosed theme of the affair, it is sure to be a delightful one. Under the capable leadership of Mary Chenoweth, general chairman of the dinner, Kathleen Berg has charge of decorations and Elaine Becker of invitations. Miss Leona Bovee and Mrs. Laura Gehrke are devoting much time and effort to arrangements. Other persons who have worked on committees must remain anonymous at the present.

## MELLIN, FELKER TO LEAD PROM AT HIGH SCHOOL GYM APRIL 12

### Band and Alumni Will Present Concert

Members of the Central State Teachers college band and alumni, under the direction of Peter J. Michelson, will present a band concert on Sunday, April 13, at 3 o'clock in the college auditorium.

This concert is sponsored by the businessmen of the city and tickets may be obtained from 70 business places down town. A list of sponsors of the concert will be found on the bulletin boards.

### Mixed Program Planned

The program will consist of a mixture of standard overtures and popular music. One of the outstanding numbers will be a piano solo by Ula Mae Knutson, an alumna, who will play the first movement of "Piano Concerto in E Minor," by Grieg, with band accompaniment. The outstanding number of the band will be the "Euryanthe Overture," by Don Weber.

To satisfy all listeners Mr. Michelson has added to his program "Etude in Boogie," H. L. Walters, also a selection of Cole Porter songs, and "American Patrol" styled by Glenn Miller.

The returning alumni will register at 10 o'clock on Saturday, April 12. Band rehearsal will start immediately after. The band will rehearse until 12 o'clock, after which lunch will be served in the band room to the entire group of approximately 70 members.

Band rehearsal will resume in the afternoon on Saturday from 1:30 until 4, and at 6 o'clock, the group and their wives will be served a banquet.

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## More Instructors To Have Summer Off

President William C. Hansen has announced that four more names have been added to the list recently published in the Pointer of faculty members who will have the summer off from teaching. They include Miss May M. Roach, Gilbert W. Faust, Edgar F. Pierson, and Miss Miriam Moser. Miss Moser will do graduate work during the summer.

## Tuberculosis Tests Will Be Given Soon

Everyone at Central State Teachers college should be willing to present satisfactory proof that he or she is free from tuberculosis. This proof may be obtained by submitting to a tuberculin test which will be given at the Student Health Service center from 10 to 11 o'clock on April 8 and 9. The test will not be given at any other time.

The test consists of injecting a small amount of tuberculin between the layers of the skin to determine a positive or negative reaction. An X-Ray picture of the lungs will be required of all positive reactors.

Any student who desires to have an X-Ray taken may do so by registering with Miss Mary Neuberger, R.N., that same week.

Transportation will be furnished to and from River Pines Sanatorium where the X-Rays will be given. The X-Rays, which will include a written report of the diagnosis, will cost \$3 each.

All students are urged to take advantage of this opportunity by signing up either at the Student Health Service office or on the bulletin board outside the door as soon as possible.

## Juniors Begin Planning For Key Social Event

Soft lights playing on a decorative spring background and the music of Johnny Nagent's orchestra will furnish atmosphere and entertainment for an evening of dancing at the



Junior Prom to be held in the P. J. Jacobs High school gym on Saturday, April 12, from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Leading the Grand March will be Bill Mellin, president of the Junior class, and his Prom queen, Barbara Felker. Second in line will be Harvin Abrahamson, vice-president of the class, and his wife, Mary Ann Barten Abrahamson.

## Amvets Propose Budget Increase Bill

The following story regarding an increase in the budgets of state teacher colleges is reprinted from the Milwaukee Journal in the interest of students and faculty:

"Resolutions calling upon the Wisconsin legislature to increase the budgets for state teachers colleges and to comply fully with veterans' administration requirements concerning aids for GI students were forwarded to the legislature Saturday by the George Patton post of the Amvets.

"The veterans' administration last week announced that aids to the Milwaukee State Teachers college for the purchase of textbooks for GI students would be cut off because the school has furnished less than half of the required books.

"The Amvet resolution stated that federal funds intended for the use of GI students have been appropriated to the state's general reserve.

"In requesting increases in the budgets of the state teachers colleges, the Amvet resolution stated that more funds must be allowed so as to improve the quantity and quality of trained teachers."

## Radio Conference Scheduled in April

The "Better Listening Radio Conference," mentioned in last week's Pointer will be held at the Emerson school auditorium on the morning of Saturday, April 26, commencing at 10 o'clock.

This meeting is for the public and is open to all students, teachers, parents, preachers, laymen, and every person in the community who listens to the radio and is interested in promoting its welfare.

One feature of the conference will be a film entitled "Naturally—It's F. M." Harold Engel, assistant director of WHA (Madison), will be the main speaker of the day.

The College Radio Workshop reminds students to keep the date open and to plan now to attend the meeting!

The dance is being held in the P. J. Jacobs gym for the first time this year because of the increased enrollment at the college. The high school gym, being larger than either one of the college gyms, will accommodate a much larger crowd.

Follows H. S. Prom

The Junior class is working hard in co-operation with the High school to make the Prom a success. As the High school Junior Prom will be given on Friday, April 11, and the College Prom on Saturday, April 12, decorations to be used for both dances will be worked out by joint committees of high school and college students.

Several college committees have been set up in order to do this. Betty Maki is chairman of the invitation committee, and Bill Mellin of the program and ticket committee. Esther Davidson is chairman of the decoration committee and helping her are Byron Crowns, Dolores Jelinek, Frances Kutchner, Lorraine Peters, Kathleen Berg, Edward

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## Training School Hires New Supervisor for Social Studies in '47

Miss Mary Ullman, who is now teaching in the Public schools of Janesville, has been added to the Training school staff for September, 1947. She will be social studies supervisor in the Junior High school replacing Miss Hazel Benton, who held that position previous to her joining the Red Cross organization, and Mrs. Raymond Rightsell, who is filling the position temporarily at the present time.

Miss Ullman will spend the summer at Columbia University in New York where she will begin work on her doctorate. She received her Master's Degree from the University of Wisconsin. Miss Ullman was formerly head of the social science department at P. J. Jacobs High school and was on the summer session staff at Central State in 1946.

## Sigma Zeta Hosts to Science Meeting Here

On Saturday, March 20, schools belonging to the Junior Academy of Science will meet here at Central State Teachers college under the sponsorship of Sigma Zeta, honorary science fraternity. This is the meeting for the Northern District of the organization and schools from as far north as Superior, Wisconsin, will be in attendance.

Edmund Kowalski, president of the local Zeta chapter, will preside at the meeting. A brief address of welcome will be given by Professor L. E. Noland, president of the Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters.

The visiting students will be conducted on a tour of the college and grounds at 11 o'clock on Saturday morning. At 1:30 p. m. students from high schools at Superior, Reedsburg, Wisconsin Rapids, La Crosse, Madison, Stevens Point, Appleton and Wausau will present 10 and 15 minute papers and demonstrations.

Students presenting the best demonstrations and papers at the district meetings will be invited to attend a state meeting of the Junior Academy of Science with the Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters. There are two district meetings being held, one at Stevens Point and another at Madison.

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## Students and Faculty Are Interviewed On Question of Purchasing Textbooks

An important topic of discussion which has arisen recently at CSTC and other state teachers colleges, especially among veterans and upper classmen, is the free text-book system now in effect here.

A majority of students—and they are backed up by a good many teachers—seem to feel that the present plan which has been in effect since the school was founded, deprives them of a library for future reference which they would have if they bought their books. Future teachers especially are aware of this. With the free-textbook system, books must be returned at the end of the course and many believe they do not get the full benefit of the subject this way. They contend that it is necessary to continue study even after the course is completed.

Byron Crows, a Junior, holds this conviction and says: "The free-textbook system reflects an assumption that education in a given subject is marked with regular class periods and definite semester hours and that such education ends for the student with the final bell of the last semester hour."

"This is folly! Education is lifetime proposition. The essence of education is information. One source of information is the textbook. It should be more than a mere transitory reader; it should be a permanent possession of the student. It should be, for him, an annotated record, a notebook and a ready source of reference."

"It appears, therefore, that temporary possession of a textbook is not enough. The free-textbook offers only temporary possession. It is therefore, I believe, insufficient."

Steve Speidel, a Senior, concurs with the above statement. He says, "If textbooks were purchased by students they would have the opportunity to keep these materials for future reference. Textbooks contain a wealth of information that cannot be absorbed during the course of study. Veterans realize this fact and most of them advocate the student-purchase-textbook plan."

President William C. Hansen, when questioned about the textbook problem said, "Under ordinary conditions, our present system is all right. The argument that a library can be built up under the student purchase system is good within limits, but some books may be kept which will never be used—unless the books may be sold back."

"I have no strong feelings either way, but the veterans would like to buy their books. It might be a hardship to non-vets, unless the \$20 incidental fee were reduced to about \$10."

"Our worst book situation is in Modern European History. We could have ordered those books last August if money had been available. If the students were paying cash for their books we might have ordered them."

Nelis R. Kampenga, college librarian, is strongly opposed to the present system. "Librarians have always been in favor of the purchase system," he stated. "I believe a student loses in not owning his own books. The upper-classmen and teachers in the field need them. I don't know if there is any immediate possibility of the system being changed, but it might be if people get behind it."

"From the librarian's standpoint, if books were sold it would not take so much time from more important work."

Three freshmen were interviewed and although they favored buying their books, they were not anxious to have their names published.

The first of the anonymous trio, a girl, believed that "if students could sell back the books they don't want it would be all right."

Next came a male student, who stated, "I can't build up a library under the present set-up."

The third freshman, a vet, declared, "We ought to buy our books." He also added, without prompting, "We also ought to pay cash at student activities. All we should pay should be a \$2 health fee, because you lose money on an activity ticket."

Michael Fortune, a Sophomore, made this statement: "This system would benefit both veteran and non-veteran. While the veteran doesn't have to pay for his books, the non-veteran may sell them back to the bookstore at the end of the semester for the same price that he paid, therefore incurring no expense on his part. If the books were slightly worn, he may sell them at a slight discount to a student who would be taking the same course the following semester; this would be advantageous to all parties concerned."

"Of course, those who wish to keep the books would be able to annotate in them, which would facilitate study."

Warren Ruesch, also a Sophomore, says:

"Education to me should reach beyond the bounds of formal schooling. For this reason I believe it would be advantageous for any student to be able to purchase textbooks so that they may be used after graduation as a source of knowledge."

"In an institution such as a teachers college, the purchase of textbooks should be optional. Where it may be financially impossible for students to own their books, they would be allowed to rent them as they do now under the existing set-up. Veterans would receive their books under the expenses included in the G.I. Bill of Rights—the same set-up as in larger schools."

"It is safe to assume that not all veterans, through varied experiences and sentiments, may choose to keep their textbooks, thereby making available to non-veterans a source of cheaper books."

## First Graders' Parents Are Guests of Class

Parents of the first grade students in the Training school were invited last Friday to attend a demonstration of the results of first graders' extensive study of jungle animals.

The study unit and entertainment plans were directed by Mary Ann Abrahamson and Dorothy Flood, student teachers under the supervision of Mrs. Mary Samter, and con-

sisted of a play, "A Day in the Jungle," which was interpreted by music of the children's own choosing, and of stories and songs.

The room was appropriately decorated with pictures of jungle animals, booklets of their lives and a small model of a jungle hut, all of which were made either entirely or partly by the children.

## The Seeing Eye

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Back again after a vacation and we find that spring has finally come. That's what the calendar says, anyhow. More proof can be garnered from the fact that the school bus is beginning to take fairly regular trips. Both Glee clubs have made several and now the band will take off for Beaver Dam tomorrow and Colby next Tuesday. More trips are being planned, so, all in all, it adds up to the fact that spring is really here. In the meantime we imagine the campus, when finally cleared of its winter coat, will become the resting place for many students during their free periods. The halls will present many a picture of undying devotion and lasting love. Oh, yes, it's spring all right; you can take our word for it. Pardon us while we take our sulphur and molasses. We'll be right back.

Back again with an observation. Only a little over a week until Easter and then it's strictly all down hill.



the rest of the way. Most of the seniors are contemplating prospective jobs and comparing the salaries offered and the circumstances. With all the agitation on teachers' salaries the past year, this should prove to be a good year to break into the profession, but a warning is in order here. From the news we gathered and the people we've talked to who are "in the know," the salaries will be neither fabulous nor the jobs all gay. No superintendents will get down on their knees and beg for teachers. In other words, the warning we would like to pass on to those who intend to teach is don't wait too long for the gray train to stop at your door. If you have a good offer, take it; the first two years are the hardest, both for money and experience. Nuff said.

## Chamber of Commerce Compiles a History Of Stevens Point

A bit of long awaited information about this community is here at last! Because of the many requests for material regarding the "City of Wonderful Water"—the Chamber of Commerce has compiled a summary of the story of Stevens Point.

Although this summary is not yet available to the general public, there is a copy of it placed in the CSTC library for student use.

The summary is divided into twenty main headings and the material contained therein is condensed so as to give the reader the key items. It was printed for the purpose of furnishing persons with all of the essential facts they often want to know about the city.

Some of the topics included are "The Early History of Stevens Point,"—its size, location, climate, industry, people, geography, finance, agriculture, education, business prospects and many more equally important items. The summary is written in an informal manner which combines fact with semi-humor, thus proving interesting to all readers.

Since all of the information on this city cannot be included in this edition, the Chamber of Commerce has suggested that those seeking further material should contact members of their organization—the Jaycees or the personnel at the Court House and City Hall.

This will be the last issue before Easter so we'll take this opportunity to wish all of you a very Happy Easter and a pleasant vacation. Now we can take all our winter equipment home so we can run into a big April snow-storm about a week after we get back. That's the way it usually works. We're going to do all our work for the rest of the year during the vacation because it's going to be very difficult sitting in a class room and looking out into the beautiful big spring world and at the same time trying to concentrate on the business at hand. So if your eyes begin to wander to the great out-of-doors, try hard to keep at least one on the Seeing Eye and we'll be seeing you.

Happy Easter.

## NOTICE

"In the spring a student's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of—Easter Vacation!" The office has announced that the Easter recess will begin on Wednesday noon, April 2, and will continue through Monday, April 7. Classes will resume as usual on Tuesday morning, April 8. Because of this vacation, the next issue of the Pointer will not be published until April 17.

## Student Organizations

## Conservation Club

George Sappenfield was elected president at the initial meeting of the newly formed CSTC Conservation club which was held last Wednesday evening in Fred J. Schmeckle's room. Other officers elected are Ernie Link, vice-president, Jim Stoltenberg, secretary-treasurer and Bill Mellin, press representative.

Charles Stimm was appointed head of the committee to draw up a constitution and Tony Isherwood elected chairman of the entertainment committee. Mr. Schmeckle was unanimously elected faculty adviser.

The 24 members who attended decided to meet every second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. In the discussion that followed the business meeting, Mr. Schmeckle said there would be approximately 37 men eligible for membership in the club. As yet, no name for the club has been decided upon but each member has been asked to submit a suggestion.

## Girls' Glee Club

The Girls' Glee club under the direction of Peter J. Michelson will give a concert at the Oshkosh State Teachers college this morning at 10 o'clock.

The girls left on the college bus at 7:30 a.m. and will present the same program for the Oshkosh college students that was presented in Port Edwards. Soloists for this concert are Esther Davidson, soprano; Marjorie Kohler, flutist and Rosemary Nelson, pianist.

This concert is one of a series of out-of-town concerts being given by the Girls' Glee club. The girls have already sung at Adams-Friendship and Port Edwards.

The Oshkosh Teachers college choir will appear in an exchange program here on Thursday, April 10, at 10 a.m.

## Gamma Delta

Gamma Delta will hold its social meeting this evening at St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran church at 7:30 p.m. and all Lutheran students are invited to attend. All members and guests are asked to come dressed to represent some song. The most clever and original idea will win a prize.

The lunch that will be served later in the evening will also be attended by members of the Senior Walther League who will have a bowling party earlier in the evening. This event will give all a splendid opportunity to become better acquainted and have a good time doing it.

## H. S. Forensic Contest Will Be Held Here

On Wednesday, April 2, approximately 120 high school students representing ten different leagues will participate in a district forensic contest at CSTC. Leland M. Burroughs will act as host to the students, coaches and superintendents.

Judges for the contest will be Nevin James, and Miss Maysel Evans, both of Oshkosh, and members of the CSTC college faculty. Supt. N. P. Cuperly, Medford, is district chairman.

## It Could Happen Here!

("The following statement is reprinted from the editorial page of the Milwaukee Journal")

"A young friend attending one of our overcrowded state universities, writes, in uncomplaining notes: 'On a clear day, we can see the teacher.'"

## NOTICE

According to recent reports from the record office, the summer school catalog should be ready for distribution sometime during the early part of April.

Attempts are now being made to have the catalogs printed by a local printer. If this is done, they will be available sooner than in the past.

## Radio Workshop

A program which should prove interesting to all radio listeners because of current events will be the "Music Album" program broadcast this Friday, March 28. The theme of the program will be "Music from Russia."

More of CSTC's local talent will be displayed on "Our College" program on Monday, March 31. Mary Stewart and LaVerne Hawkins will sing a duet and John Kowalski, announcer, will broadcast the campus news.

Books to be reviewed over the "Books and Authors" program on Tuesday, April 1, are "Lake Pontchartrain," by W. Adolphe Roberts; "The Iron Chain," by Edward Newhouse, and a continuation of the review of "Yes and No Stories" by George and Helen Papashvily.

Then, on Wednesday, Margaret Guth will be in charge of the production of the weekly drama for the "Radio Workshop Players" broadcast.

The Thursday's program of "Our College Roundtable" will continue its discussion of "Labor and Management."

## Men's Glee Club

Members of the Men's Glee club, under the direction of Norman E. Knutzen, traveled to Merrill on Sunday afternoon, March 25, where they sang an evening concert at St. Stephen's Evangelical church. This concert was sponsored by the Men's Club of the church. A lunch was served to the fellows before the concert was presented.

Mrs. Carl Strassburg and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Speidel were guest performers with the Glee club. A newly formed quartet composed of Cliff Worden, Carl Strassburg, Charles Bart and Carl Torkelson presented several numbers during the concert.

Today the Men's Glee club is travelling to Wausau, where they will sing two afternoon concerts at the Senior and Junior High schools during assembly periods.

These performances will terminate the concert schedule until after Easter vacation.

## Sigma Zeta

At the monthly meeting of Sigma Zeta, held last Wednesday evening in Room 103, Bess Jones presented plans for the Wisconsin Junior Academy of Science meeting to be sponsored by the group here at CSTC on this coming Saturday, March 29.

Percy Voight was selected as delegate and Lorraine Peters as alternate to represent Zeta Chapter at the

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## Schmeeckle Reports On Science Meeting

Fred J. Schmeeckle, instructor in conservation and chemistry, returned last Sunday evening from a regional meeting of the National Council of Elementary Science held at Hotel Sherman in Chicago on March 22. Mr. Schmeeckle reports that the theme of the convention was "The Purposes of Science Education in the Light of the Nature of the Child."

Led by Dr. Wilbur L. Beauchamp of the University of Chicago, this theme was the basis for the opening discussion of the morning. Glenn O. Blough of the United States Office of Education was the presiding official at the meeting.

### Methods of Teaching Given

Dr. Gerald S. Craig of the Teachers College at Columbia university gave the following points as some of the most effective methods of teaching science: 1) Direct experience (by far the best), 2) Contrived experiences, 3) Demonstrations, 4) Visual-Aids and, 5) Verbal expressions. Direct experience was considered the best, while verbal teaching was considered to be the poorest method.

Dr. Craig also brought out the following points in teaching science to children: 1) Children should be prepared to live in the present day world, 2) Their needs and interests should be satisfied, 3) Their curiosity should be satisfied, 4) Interest in science should be aroused in them and, 5) Science should be used in guidance work, since the science teacher holds the key to the classroom.

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## Dean Steiner Gets Letter from Legion

Dean Herbert R. Steiner received the following letter from Howard Dessert of Mosinee, chairman of the Education of Orphans of Veterans committee of the American Legion:

"The American Legion program of help for orphans of veterans is coming up again and especially because April is Child Welfare month in the American Legion. There are several scholarships which are given out each year by the National Department of the Legion to worthy orphans and our area will be permitted to submit two applications for the year 1947. If you have any eligible men in your school who need such help, please let me know how many applications you would like to have and I will send them to you. However, we would like to have any applications in within the next 30 days.

"In addition to the National Commander Scholarships there will probably be available financial help from the State of Wisconsin fund which has been set up for assistance to veterans and their families so that in case any of our candidates were unqualified enough to fail to secure a National Commander Scholarship, then I am sure we can get other help. This would probably be a monthly grant for a period of four years, in other words 36 monthly checks which should make it possible for many orphans to complete their education which they would not be able to do without this help.

"The Legion and our Committee in particular is very anxious to give all orphans of veterans the opportunity to fit themselves for the future and we want to be sure that every such orphan is afforded an opportunity to apply for either a scholarship or for specific aid in pursuing advancement education."

If there is anyone interested in these scholarships, please see Dean Steiner and make application to him as soon as possible.

## DUTCH'S MEN'S SHOP

Clothes and Gifts for Men

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## The Fifth Quarter

Dayton Sowle, football and basketball player at CSTC, is confined to the Mayo Brothers Hospital at Rochester, Minnesota, for an eye operation. We extend a sincere wish for his speedy recovery.

Foul weather put a damper on track activities for the past week except for indoor work-outs. The triangle meet scheduled to be held at Eau Claire has been changed to a five college meet and will be held on Saturday, May 17.

Joe Haidvogel was elected honorary captain of the basketball team for the '46-'47 season at a meeting of the squad held last Monday. Congratulations, Joe! A more deserved man just ain't.

Superior State Teacher's Mittmen are looking to the Universities for scrappier boxing matches. Last week they exchanged leather with the University of Minnesota's Gophers, and had not the Gophers landed a TKO and a decision in the last two bouts it would have been a triumph for Superior State by a wide margin. This week the Northerners really appear to be looking for trouble (what some people may call sticking their necks out) when they tangle with the University of Wisconsin's powerful B squad.

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## Price County Takes Purple and Gold Title

Ernie Link's Price County team defeated the Rural Life's, 30-21, in the championship play-off of the Purple and Gold League.

The league, which was conducted by the city recreation department, was composed entirely of college students and grew out of a popular demand for more intra-scholastic basketball participation.

In the consolation bracket the Vets nosed out the Morgan Manors, 26-25.

According to the City recreational leader, James Masik, each man on the Price County team will receive a medal designating him as a member of the 1946-47 championship team.

The following players comprise the Price County team: Ernest Link, John Vuchetich, John Isham, Alan Malm, Melvin Carlson, Dan Mathias, Marvin Storm, Harold "Bud" Odu, John Studinger and Allen Williamson.

## Gizmos Hard to Stop In Vets' Bowling

	W	L
Gizmos	16	5
Boozers	9	9
Spartans	9	9
Schlitz	8	10
Papermakers	8	10
Ants	1	2

The pace setting Gizmos continued to build up a comfortable margin in the Veterans' Bowling league as they extended their lead to seven games. The Ants, new entry in the loop, turned out to be the latest victim as the Gizmos toppled them two out of three games.

The Boozers fought their way into a second place tie by sweeping the Spartans for three straight games. The Papermakers meanwhile climbed up the roster into a third place tie by winning two out of three from the Schlitz team.

### Grassl Paces Loop

Grassl took scoring honors for the evening with a high single game of 211 and a high series of 501. Duchac followed with a 187 single game and a high series of 490.

## Poor House Wins Three To Hold Kegling Lead

	W	L
Poor House Pros	20	7
Continental Clothiers	14	13
Phi Sigma Epsilon	14	13
Chi Delta Rho	13	14
Moxon House	13	14
Faculty	12	15
Pitt's	11	16
Umbragos	11	16

The Poor House Pros won three games in a row from Pitt's to further strengthen their lead in the CSTC bowling loop. At this writing, it appears unlikely that any of the other teams will be able to prevent this prize-winning aggregation from taking the league championship. Members of the team are Kesy, Hlava, Kazmierczak, Zych and Robbins.

### Phi Sigs, Continentals Tied

The Continentals and the Phi Sigs are tied for second place as a result of their victories over the Umbragos and Moxon House respectively. Both of these games were decided by a two out of three margin.

In the fourth series of the evening, the Faculty won two out of three from the Chi Deltas.

Moxon House hit an 811 game for high team single honors, followed by the Phi Sigs' 796 and the Continentals' 785. The Continentals' 2297 and the Phi Sigs' 2284 were high for team series.

### Knope Gets High Single

Jack Knope rolled 215 to lead the individual scores. Other high games were Torkelson-189, 181; Lewis-189; Negard-188; Cory-187; Sengstock-186.

High series went to Joe Negard with a 529 total, followed by C. Larsen-521; Sturm-504; Torkelson-494; Thayer-488; Lewis, Knope and Sengstock-486.

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## No Easter Concert For Girls' Glee Club

With the many activities which are presenting themselves before the Easter recess, Peter J. Michelsen, director of music, has announced that the Annual Spring Easter Concert sponsored by the Girls' Glee club will not be given this year. Instead, the extensive concert tour scheduled by both glee clubs will be completed.

The entire Music department is planning a concert to be given on Tuesday, May 13, in which the Band and Men's and Girls' Glee clubs will participate.

## CONCERT

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quet in the Presbyterian church, at which about 110 people are expected.

### Many Alumni Expected

Some of the alumni who will play in the concert are Fred Parfrey, Beaver Dam; Ralph Abrahamson, Wisconsin Dells; Arnold Jendrick, Sparta; Margaret Miller, Menasha; Ula Mae Knutson, Marshfield; Evelyn Schwingel Lewis, Madison; Gerald Eyer, Port Edwards; Gordon Sayner, Sparta; John Hanson, Colby; Raymond Rozelle, Wausau; Rachael Eide, Black River Falls; Marjorie Loberg, Wonnecon; Dorothy Richards Swazee, Milwaukee; Sam Winch, Weyauwega; Phil Daken, Milwaukee.

Florence Theisen, Antigo; Roland McManners, Minneapolis; Harvard Erdman, Wautoma; George Cartmill, Detroit; Olive Grawford, New London; Rodger McCallum, New Lisbon; William Theisen, Loyal; LaVerne Olingy, Park Falls; Clarence Speidel, Hixton; Melvin Winch, Valders; Don Abrahamson, Sparta; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bentz, LaCrosse; Norman Kuhl, Appleton; Ward Fonstad, Waupaca; Ethel Ann Lawrence, Stevens Point and Otis Mickelson, Stevens Point. Ten or fifteen more are expected.

This concert is open to townspeople as well as to faculty and students. Tickets are free, so Mr. Michelsen urges students to call for them soon.

A list of the sponsors of the concert from whom tickets are available will be found on several bulletin boards in the college building.

## ORGANIZATIONS

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National Conclave to be held at Westerville, Ohio, on April 19.

Following the business meeting, Miss Helen Meston proved that ice cream can be baked without melting in an interesting demonstration of "Baked Alaska and Meringue."

## An Apology - - -

The Pointer wishes to apologize for the misspelling of Mr. Schmeckle's name in last week's issue. For once the error was not the fault of the Pointer staff and we assure Mr. Schmeckle that we DO know how to spell his name.

## Fouth Grade Starts A New Publication

The fourth grade of the Training school has embarked upon a literary endeavor with its first publication, "Bits of News."

Bits of gossip about the pupils and short profiles on the student teachers are the main features. Activities included in the publication are divided into two parts, those occurring in school and those out of school. Miss Leah Diehl, fourth grade supervisor, is the faculty adviser for the publication.

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## Eau Claire Group Pleases Audience

The three-act comedy, "January Thaw," presented by students from Eau Claire State Teachers college last Thursday evening, March 20, in the college auditorium, was exceedingly well given and proved most interesting to a large audience. The play was directed by Earl S. Kjer, a former student of CSTC, who is now head of the speech department of Eau Claire State.

The cast of Eau Claire students who took part in the play consisted of: Virginia Oldenburg, John Mills, Lois Lancette, Rene Bretag, Georgia Willette, Alice Berkeley, Don Boetcher, Rex Hornback, Joane Cronk, Curtis Crain, Galen McGinnis, Tom Ritzinger, Frank Brown and Tom Knoble.

### Party After Play

Leland M. Burroughs and College Theater were hosts to the Eau Claire group at a party in the Student Lounge following the play.

CSTC's College Theater will present the play "Hay-Fever" by Noel Coward in the college auditorium on Wednesday, April 30, and Thursday, May 1. Later, it will be given as an exchange performance at Eau Claire.

Try-outs are now being made for the play in Room 207. Notices for time of try-outs may be found on the bulletin boards.

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## U. W. GROUP

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majors. Under supervision of instructors, the dancers create and develop the ideas for each number.

This is expected to be an extremely interesting assembly and should be well attended. Students and faculty members will be admitted on their activity tickets.

Through the co-operation of Miss Leona Bovee, director of Nelson Hall, the Orchestris group will be housed at the dormitory and will be served meals there while they remain in Stevens Point.

## PROM

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Korzilius, Leonard Rohde, Max Kopchinski, Jim Buelow, Fern Horn, Virginia Schwartz, Robert Hoffman, Rene LaMaide and Verna Genrich.

### Help Will Be Needed

It is understood that these committees are not sufficiently large to handle all the work in connection with the dance and all Juniors will be called upon to give their services when they are needed. Notices will be posted on Thursday and Friday of this week in regard to help with the decorations. Esther Davidson urges all Juniors to give any free time to helping with the work.

Tickets for the Prom will go on sale shortly after the Easter Vacation.

Chaperones for the dance will be Mr. and Mrs. Arol C. Epple, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar F. Pierson, and Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Doudna.

Faculty advisers for the Junior class are Miss Bertha Glennon and George R. Berg. In addition to the chaperones and advisers, special guests invited to the dance are Regent and Mrs. Wilson S. Delzell, President and Mrs. William C. Hansen, Dean Elizabeth Pfiffner and Dean and Mrs. Herbert R. Steiner.

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## Handbook Committee Gets "Go Ahead" Signal

The student committee in charge of the prospective student handbook, headed by Art Swenson, Esther Davidson and Naomi Barthels, announced this week that plans are being formulated for publication of the booklet. Tentative financial arrangements have been completed and have been approved by President William C. Hansen.

The allocation committee will be asked to appropriate the money from the miscellaneous fund and from the summer session activity ticket fund. Approximately 2,500 books will be printed and distributed to all present students, all summer session students and to all freshmen next fall.

Editorial advisers, Miss Pauline Isaacson and Norman E. Knutzen, will supervise the layout of the book. The text will be handled by Dean Elizabeth Pfiffner, Dean Herbert R. Steiner and Freshmen Chairman Warren G. Jenkins.

All student organizations will be requested to submit copy to the committee and will be urged to give their full cooperation to this worthy undertaking.

## Phy Ed Instructors to Attend Convention

Miss Myrtle Spande, Miss Miriam Moser and George R. Berg, physical education instructors at CSTC, are planning to attend the Mid-West Health, Physical Education and Recreation convention to be held at Hotel Schroeder in Milwaukee on April 2, 3, 4 and 5.

Miss Helen Manley, president of Mid-West association, will address the group on the morning of April 3, and Dr. J. B. Nash, director of the Department of Physical Education at the University of New York will speak that evening.

The Orchestris, dance group from the University of Wisconsin, will present a program during the convention.

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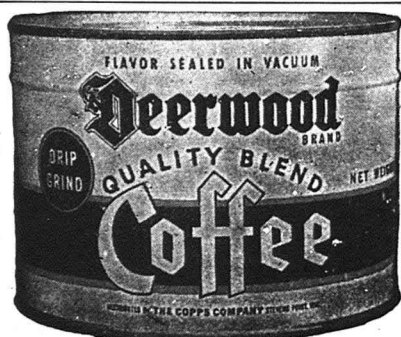
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