Classes Will Be Suspended for Milwaukee Teachers Convention

Greeks Will Hold Dinners and Pan-Hell Dance Saturday Night

The Greek fraternity and sororities will conduct initiation ceremonies and a formal Pan-Hell dance this Saturday night. The dance will be held in the Training School gymnasium.

Omega Mu Chi sorority will have a steak dinner at the Sunshine Cafe starting at 6:30. A formal initiation ceremony will be held after the dinner. Miss Susan Colman and Miss Harriet Wright will be special guests.

Members of Tau Gamma Beta sorority are eagerly awaiting a chicken dinner at the Cortland Hotel, which will also start at 6:30. Guests at the dinner will include Mrs. Edgar F. Pierson, Mrs. Marjorie Kent and Miss Gladys Van Andel. The initiation ceremony will be held at 6 o'clock in the dorm recreation room.

The Phi Sigma Epsilon dinner will be held at the hotel at 7:30. This will be preceded by an initiation ceremony held in the fraternity's living room, which will include Fred A. Krempe, Dr. Edgar F. Pierson and Dean Herbert N. Steere.

The Chi Delta Rho banquet will be held at the Training School gymnasium immediately following the initiation, which will begin at 6:30. Faculty advisors who have been invited are Dr. Harold M. Tolo, James R. Hicks, Gilbert E. Gotman, John S. Raymond and Raymond M. Rightnour. Other guests will include Dean E. E. Goetham, Burdeut Eger and Kenneth W. Boylan.

Following these respective dinners and initiations the Greeks and their guests will go to the Training School gymnasium to dance to the music of Cliff Hjort and his orchestra. Admission for the dance will be Dr. and Mrs. Goetham and Dr. and Mrs. Pierson. The dance is open to fraternity and sorority members and their guests.

No Pointer Next Week

Because there will be no school on Thursday and Friday, November 2 and 3, the next Pointer will be published on Thursday, November 9.


**SCHOOL & LIFE**

**Such Is LIFE — — —**

To the editor of LIFE; Attention, Mr. Sperry:

It is our opinion that the editors of an unbiased and open-minded publication like LIFE has profession to be, should strive to present fairly both sides of controversial issues. The anonymously aimed slam at teachers' colleges, which appeared in your June 16 issue, "U. S. Schools," has shown us that this is not always the case.

In all probability many of the unsatisfactory conditions existing in teacher training colleges are due to absorptions by "Johnny Sperry," as true may it have been, the purpose of the author to arouse the ire and indignation of the readers, that in the end something is done to remedy the existing conditions. We feel, though, that the average reader will be left with only one impression in reading the article. What other conclusion can the reader make when he is told in many specific ways of the evils and shortcomings of these institutions and only sparingly informed that there are not nearly as complete a story?

It would be interesting to know just how many of the approximately 150 teachers' colleges the author actually visited before condemning our profession. And who are these "scored and neglected colleges—"

We feel that in all fairness the readers of LIFE should be given an opportunity to decide for themselves and to draw their own conclusions. For this reason we extend an invitation to "Mr. Sperry" and the editors of special state College, for that matter, since this is the only case, to any of our state teachers' colleges. We invite you to examine our facilities, talk with our students and attend a class. We submit that you will not be able to tell your readers that there is some hope for tomorrow's children.

The author of "Who Teaches the Teachers?" neglected to sign his real name: to his desk at the teaching profession, giving as a reason "other editorial purposes." We, who hope to make teaching our life's work and who are constantly engaged in educational projects, have no such qualms.

Fred H. LaLeke
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**STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

Omego Mu Chi

The pledges of Omego Mu Chi sorority entertained their advisors, honorary members and patronesses of Mono Lake Sunday in the home economics parlor. The pink and blue pledging theme was carried out in mums for the center piece of the serving table, and as favors for the guests. After a social hour of visiting and getting acquainted, coffee and cookies were served.

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**Postponed**

The band concert scheduled for this afternoon has been postponed because of the Music Clinic on Friday.

**Letter to the Editor**

Editor, THE POINTER:

We have enjoyed the Pointer here at Marshfield High School immensely! (Especially me?) Our exchange of letters will be supplying you with future copies of our Tiger Tales with hopes that it can supply you with some information about some of the brothers and sisters of students and to add some light to what the teaching alums here at Marshfield think of the high school.

If you have any suggestions or criticisms, we would be more than happy to take them. Just a card filled with sweetened venom is not what we are looking to show to the staff that they do have some areas in which improvement could be made. You will notice that there are many such areas.

Cheers on the Homecoming edition. It was a honey!

Jean Walker, Adviser
Marshfield High School

**ATTENTION, TRIGON**

There will be no meeting Thursday night, October 26. The next meeting will be November 9 and it will be a Thanksgiving Party.

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SOLDIERS & SAILORS MEMORIAL DAY. — A meeting of the Soldiers & Sailors Memorial Day, was held in the auditorium of the high school on Saturday evening, October 28, 1950. Those present were:

Louis J. Crotty, Chairman

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Wesley Foundation

Approximately 125 students from community colleges which met at St. Paul's Methodist church, Stevens Point. "Wesley" is a part of Student Jefferson and the state Methodist Student Movement. The students will be held October 20 and 21. The conference, whose theme was "Students in God's Workshops," was sponsored by the Wesley Foundation of CSTC. The different schisms represented by the rally were: The University of Wisconsin, Marquette University, Milwaukee, Waukesha College of Engineering, Staut Institute, Lawrence college, Beloit college, and the state teachers colleges.

Ralph R. Hunt of Nashville, Ten., the former director of the department of the Methodist church, was the major speaker. He addressed the group on the subject of the church and the community, pointing out the importance of both. The work of the deacon was discussed and the question of what the church was in the community was debated.

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**TALK**

Tall bespectacled Lloyd Arthur Peterson is a very familiar figure on the CSTC campus. Wherever you find Lloyd there is a friendly, jovial atmosphere. Very few students have ever seen "Pete," as many friends call him.

"Pete" was born in Wausau, July 21, 1926. He received his primary and intermediate schooling in Schofield and attended the Waupau High School. He is a Senior here in the secondary division and will graduate next spring with a mathematics major and physics and history minors. He has a B.S. in education and has been teaching mathematics in the school. He is a Senior here in the secondary division and will graduate next spring with a mathematics major and physics and history minors. He has a B.S. in education and has been teaching mathematics in the school.

Upon graduation he hopes to receive a placement on the mathematics staff of some high school, but his future depends on Uncle Sam. You, see, Pete is either going to serve in Vietnam or the Philippines.

"Pete" is married to the love of his life. He and his wife live in Stevens Point, Wisconsin. Pete's interests are varied. He plays all sports, has no favorite hobby, and is quite popular with the ladies.

If you want to find him on weekends just go to the Snack-Shack in Schofield where he is employed.

By the way, girls — Pete's not single...
Pointers Will Battle Oshkosh
Saturday at St. Norbert College

The luckless Pointers will have to wait another week to forget this, coming off a loss in the final home game last Saturday, and move on to the homecoming game this Saturday. The Titans are 5-2 and are coming off a big victory over the University of Wisconsin, the "Beer City" teams represent the city of the Conference, Catholic College, and Conference, and "Beer City" teams represent the Conference, Catholic College, and Conference.

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Campus Cafe Klegers
Move up to Tie Don's
Coney Island for Lead

STANDINGS
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Don's Coney Island
Brewski
Phi Beta Kappa
LaBouche's Market
Phillips
 dislikes 5
Chi Delta 4

Campus Cafe leads by sweeping their three games with Don's Coney Island, the Campus Cafe team moved into a first place tie with the league leaders. In winning three games the Campus Cafe team also set a season's high for three game series by spelling 2022 pins. In other games Belke's Lumber and Keg's led the rest of the field. Phi Beta Kappa and Chi Delta broke their losing streak and had good games. It's time to get started.

Dick Bye, speedy halfback for Whitewater, is leading individual scoring in T. C. Conference. Not including last Saturday's battle, Bye had 24 pointwise hits. "Nubb" Miller, freshman halfback for Hale Quandt, has 21 points on 5 T.D.'s and three extra points.

A few weeks ago this department received a letter from Tom Harmon, former Michigan great. Harmon re quired information for his weekly radio and T. V. show which comes from Los Angeles. — See we've not so small at all!!

Although he plays only on defense, he is a fine blocker. Red Entress of Whitewater is among the top scorers in the conference. Red has boosted his field goals and six extra points for an 18 point total.

Just About That Time — It won't be long before basketball season swings into full gear. St. Norbert College has released a 27 game schedule. Incidentally, the Knights have the same squad as they had last year, Kozar and Johnson, etc. Over at our sister institute, Eau Claire, eight let terners answered Coach Bill Zora's full to colors. The Blugolds even have an All-American high school center in Carl Glocce. However, the fall season won't be eligible till next semester.

It's Been A Long, Long Time — Superior State has not lost a home-coming game in 17 years but has had

FIFTH QUARTER

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settle for a tie three times, in each case with River Falls. You're Telling Me — Only five boys on the 60 man squad of the Milwaukee Greenbriers come from outside Milwaukee. The "Beer City" boys represent schools from the City Conference, Catholic Conference, and Conference and "Beer City."

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Rural Children's Parents Attend School Conference

Parents of rural children who are attending school at the Thompson Training School and Rural Demonstration School attended a conference last night in the Training School music room. Purpose of this meeting was to acquaint the parents with the new facilities the college has for the rural child and to give them a chance to meet student teachers and supervisors.

This type of parent-teacher meeting enables parents to understand the methods of teaching and the facilities available to their children, as well as giving them an insight to a child's background. Dr. Raymond E. Gothum was in charge of the meeting, assisted by Mrs. Marjorie Kerl and Mrs. Evelyn Pipher.

Dr. Gothum will attend a conference of the Directors of Training in Milwaukee on Wednesday, November 1. The following day Dr. Gothum will attend a meeting of the Directors of Placement, which will meet at St. Mary Mount college there.

Also on Wednesday, November 3, Cadette Egan of the Training School staff will speak to a Milwaukee graduate college group. Mr. Egan, who is the sixth grade supervisor, has been invited by a former teacher to appear before this group of student teachers at Milwaukee.

Bernard Alberge, CSTC graduate of the University of Wisconsin, teaching mathematics and science in the Shawano High school. He is taking the place of Vincent Bruner, also a CSTC alumn.

GLEE CLUB
(Concluded from page 1)
there will be an informal dance in St. Peter's auditorium. The music will be played by Larry Woodbury's orchestra on Sunday, at 2 p.m. concert by the men's Glee Club and alumni will be presented in the college auditorium. The group will sing, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," "The Purple and the Gold," "I heard a forest praying," "Stout Hearted Men," and "The Prayer of Thanksgiving." At 8 p.m., Monday, November 15, a concert will be given for the student body.

Wearing clothing is being provided for all returning alumni. The general chairman of cloths is Ken Van Vleet, Antigo. Other chairmen are as follows: Finance committee: Norm Olson, Tigerton; decorations: Charles Hanke, Wausau; orchestra: Lloyd Petersen, Buffalo; publicity: Frank DeGuire, Stevens Point; program: Mr. Plank and Robert Ellington.

ATTENTION
Students planning to graduate at the mid-season should file application in the Record Office immediately.

Gilbert W. Faust
Acting Registrar

Conservation Classes

Students from the Conservation 107 classes attended a demonstration of tractors, plowing and terrace building conducted at a farm near Marshfield on Tuesday, October 24. The demonstration began with the tractors plowing on level terrain. The students then changed their work to two-wheel combinations, to show that these could still be effective on rough terrain and could be used for construction work.

The opportunity to show the construction of the terrace, beginning with the laying off of the contour lines and ending with the tractors and plows actually building the terrace.