

POINTER BECOMES INDEPENDENT

An Editorial—Independent Pointer Will Save Student Money

Pointer Staff Resigns; Will Go Independent

A majority of The Pointer staff resigned Wednesday afternoon and has indicated that the group will publish an independent paper without the use of student activity fees.

The move to independent status came after the Student Senate finance committee took measures which The Pointer staff felt would hinder the quality of the newspaper. One member of the committee seemingly reflected the attitude of the finance committee when he remarked to a Pointer staff member, "who needs a school paper anyway."

At meetings early in the week, members of the Pointer editorial board and staff worked out plans to sever ties with the Student Senate and activity fees.

The plan also includes moving the physical plant of the paper out of the University Center. The staff wishes to emphasize that The Pointer will still be a student newspaper reporting student news, features and opinions. It will be published entirely by students in the present format. However, each copy will now cost 10 cents.

The staff decided the new publication will be called The Independent Pointer with its office located temporarily at 1900 Main Street. The phone number is 341-2140.

News may still be handed in at the mailbox in the University Center where it will be picked up at the deadline time of 8 p.m. on Sundays. All articles must be in by that time to guarantee publication.

Next week Wisconsin State University-Stevens Point will officially celebrate its 75th anniversary.

The Pointer will celebrate by becoming the first state university newspaper to become completely independent.

This extraordinary move by The Pointer staff means that the paper will be published off-campus without campus affiliations.

The paper will cost students 10 cents an issue for the rest of this year and next year will either cost the students 10 cent an issue or \$2.50 for year's subscription.

However, this cost will be a savings of approximately \$2 per year per student. The cost of The Pointer has always been included in the activity fees paid each semester by students. This year that cost was about \$4.50 per student.

In going independent, The Pointer demands the Student Senate Finance committee drop the \$4.50 charge on students. The students will now have the choice — which should always have existed — of buying the paper at their own choosing (at \$2.50) or not buying it.

WHY INDEPENDENT?

The move to go independent has been long brewing among The Pointer staff. However, it should be made clear from the outset that the paper has not been forced into this move because of any imposition of censorship.

The Pointer has been completely free to print whatever its editors felt would be appropriate.

Yet, there is a concept of freedom that only The Independent Pointer can bring to the students of WSU-SP. Our format will be similar to the present Pointer.

We will be a weekly student newspaper of news, features and opinion. We will be published entirely by students and will be receptive to all student opinion.

The Pointer as an independent paper will be totally self-sufficient. The money from advertising will pay for printing costs. The money from advertising will pay for printing costs. The money from sales and subscriptions will pay for materials such as paper and photography supplies.

WHY NOW?

The Pointer staff has chosen this particular time to go independent for a number of reasons. The first of these is to protest the slashing of most of the money for student salaries next year on most organizations including The Pointer.

The Student Senate finance committee has arbitrarily cut substantial salary increases for staff members. By going independent, The Pointer will not only save the students money (because the staff will do most of the work formerly done by the printer), but will also gradually build up a sufficient income to pay a decent salary to staff members who put in long hours.

This, we hope, will encourage more students to work on the paper.

By going independent for the last three issues of this year, The Pointer hopes to have the problems of this transition worked out so that, with added work through this summer, The Independent Pointer next year will be a smooth running organization.

WHY NOT?

Let us reemphasize that The Pointer will not be basically changed by going independent. It will still function primarily in a news function for the student body of WSU-SP.

But it will now function with no strings attached to the Student Senate, the administration, The Pointer even its physical set-up in the University Center. These strings have never been tightened, but they could be.

The Pointer proposes to go independent now while it can. We feel the time is right. We hope that the student body will support us by buying next week's special 75th anniversary issue and, if interested, by joining our staff.

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Senate Elections Scheduled Today

Elections for positions on the student senate are being held today with voting places located in the tunnel of the University Center, DeBot Center and Allen Center.

Mark Cates, Dr. Frank Crow, Dr. Jimmie L. Franklin and Robert Seales. They were nominated from a field of about 85 nominees submitted by each department's faculty and by a special committee of the student senate.

Thomas McCaig Wins Teaching Award

Dr. Thomas McCaig, associate professor of education, was presented a \$500 excellence in teaching award Thursday night during the school's monthly faculty meeting.

In making the announcement, President Lee S. Dreyfus said he hoped the award would be an incentive for Dr. McCaig to continue providing the best possible instruction for Stevens Point students.

Four other finalists were Mark Cates, Dr. Frank Crow, Dr. Jimmie L. Franklin and Robert Seales. They were nominated from a field of about 85 nominees submitted by each department's faculty and by a special committee of the student senate.

"Making the selections were the former recipients of the award, all nominees, the deans, vice president for academic affairs, university president and twelve students."

The cash prize was sponsored by the Johnson Foundation of Racine, a firm which supports recognition for distinguished teachers at all nine Wisconsin State Universities every other year.

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Ev George, Kathy Rhode and Larry Krause are running for sophomore class senator.

For students to vote in the elections, they must show their student identification cards which will be marked by numbers of Alpha Phi Omega Fraternity. They, in turn, will give the student a ballot on which he will mark his choices.

Alpha Phi Omega will conduct the balloting and the counting of the ballots. Results will be announced Thursday evening. (Pictures and platforms of the candidates are on page 5.)

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SPEAKING IN FAVOR OF STUDENTS SPEAKING AT FACULTY MEETINGS was James Missety, member of the English department. His motion was defeated by the faculty by a vote of 118 to 25. (Photo by Jim Pannier)

Student Speaking Motion Defeated By Faculty

By Paul Jasty

A motion which would have allowed students to speak at faculty meetings was defeated by an overwhelming margin of 118 to 25. The action came at the faculty meeting held last Thursday evening.

The motion was introduced by James Missety of the English Department. He gave as his reasons for allowing them to speak, "that students should be able to determine the policies which affect their lives and that some students have valuable things to say."

He cited articles of students participating in the operations of University of Pennsylvania and at Harvard University.

Joseph Woodka, chairman of the political science department, spoke out against saying faculty meetings are not general meetings of the public and that students are not permanent members of the University.

Elwin Sigmund said the attorney general has found faculty meetings to be public meetings. He said further that the faculty is a public body and students are not part of this

public body. Sigmund expressed the fear that "students might be used by faculty members for faculty ends."

Al Croft noted that the faculty "should explore areas where we come in contact other than the classroom."

In his report to the faculty, President Dreyfus noted there have been major cuts in the area (continued on page 6)

Episcopalian Chaplain, Rev. I Harris Hall, Dies

The Rev. Harris T. Hall, 64, Episcopalian chaplain here, died Thursday night following a heart attack. He had not been ill.

A funeral mass was held Monday at 9:30 in the Church of the Intercession at Stevens Point followed by burial in the crypt of St. Paul's Cathedral in Fond du Lac.

A native of Washington, D. C., Father Hall had been in the priesthood for 40 years. He was a graduate of Princeton University and the General Theological Seminary. He came to Stevens Point in

1965 after serving a decade as rector of St. Peter's Church and college chaplain at Ripon. Before that he taught English, logic, Greek, religion, and aerodynamics at Missouri Valley College in Marshall Mo.

During World War II he was an army chaplain overseas in navigating airplanes and in counseling young men about military service. His counseling paved the way for a Stevens Point Draft Counseling Center.

He is survived by his wife, eight children and 23 grandchildren.

RHC Week Brings Many Activities

The Residence Hall Council will present a week of entertainment for the campus and city—the second annual RHC Week beginning Sunday, April 27. This year a huge circus tent will be constructed between the Science Building and the Classroom center to house most of the events during the week.

The tent will be put up next Tuesday morning and will measure 185 feet long.

The week will kick off on Sunday with the Trivia Bowl in the afternoon at 3 in the hall basement. The inter-hall competition of useless information will cover movies, television, radio, assorted world and campus trivia. Each team of triviaists will compete in a single elimination tournament.

That evening at 7 the Quarter finals of the Academic Bowl Competition playoffs will feature hall scholars trying to answer more serious questions. Both events are free to the

public and the place where they will be held will be posted over campus.

On Monday, April 28, the semi-final matches will be held for both the trivia bowl and A.B.C.'s in the Wisconsin Room of the University Center and the Blue Dining Room in DeBot Center. The Trivia Bowl matches will begin at 6:30 p.m. and will be followed by the Academic Bowl Competition matches at 7:30 p.m.

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The Film Festival will be shown at the same time and place on Wednesday night and will be preceded by the A.B.C. (continued on page 4)

President Explains About Counterpoint

By Paul Jasty

President Lee Dreyfus explained his position concerning the Counterpoint issue at the faculty meeting last Thursday evening.

Dreyfus said his main point was responsibility and accountability for the editorially involved in the publication of Counterpoint.

The Counterpoint issue started with the Feb. 25 issue of Counterpoint in which appeared a headline of an offensive character.

Dreyfus then wrote a letter to RAPTIS (Recruitment, Appointment, Promotion, Tenure and Salary) committee, chaired by Richard Face, in which he asked their opinion as to whether or not a faculty member's involvement in the publication of Counterpoint be considered relevant in a faculty member's promotion, rank and salary.

RAPTIS committee ruled that involvement in Counterpoint should not be considered relevant to a faculty member's promotion, rank and salary.

His stand was endorsed by the faculty at its March Meeting.

Dreyfus, in his remarks, said he explained the reasons given by the RAPTIS committee. He noted, however, the RAPTIS response "treated the Counterpoint matter as a simple matter and he regarded the matter as involving many issues."

Dreyfus said he was aware of the many letters which had appeared in the Stevens Point Daily Journal but that he considered that an inappropriate forum to discuss the matter. He said he was well aware of the matter moving into the public forum of the paper.

Commenting in the Stevens Point Journal, Dreyfus said there was none.

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the Counterpoint and involved in the faculty member's personal life is a copy of the Counterpoint issue in question.

Dreyfus continued by saying the issue of Counterpoint was withdrawn at the request of the faculty member involved.

Dreyfus said he was not requesting a position from RAPTIS committee so as "to separate the faculty position from my position."

A committee, appointed by Richard Face, RAPTIS chairman, has been charged with studying the issue further, Dreyfus said.

The president noted that some teachers and students required mandatory purchase of a subscription to Counterpoint. He raised the question of academic freedom for students.

He cited the fact of Counterpoint sales in the local high school but he objected to the attempts to move the publication into the junior high school as he has as his reason the age levels involved.

Dreyfus said there should be "examples of excellence emanating from the faculty before the students on this campus," Dreyfus asked, "Is this the kind of example you want, in reference to Counterpoint?"

"What we need," said Dreyfus, "is a return to self-censorship based on professional pressured and standards."

He noted that Charles Kempf, a member of the Episcopalian last year and Counterpoint editor, will be back to teach next year.

In closing, Dreyfus said, "Let us defend something a little less ignoble."

While President Dreyfus was speaking, two faculty members walked out of the meeting attended by some 140 faculty members. Dreyfus was applauded at the end of his speech.



DR. THOMAS MCCAIG, professor in the education department, was awarded the Excellence in Teaching Award at the faculty meeting last Thursday evening. The award is sponsored by the Johnson Wax Co. of Racine.

Textbook Sale

Last call for 1970 Grads to make appointments for senior portraits. Sign up at information desk at the University Center.

Last Call

A sale of all textbooks will be held on Friday, May 16, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the Paul Bunyan Room at the University Center. No purchases will be allowed after this date.

Anniversary Issue

The first edition next week of The Independent Pointer will include a special Anniversary Supplement commemorating the 75th anniversary of Wisconsin State University-Stevens Point.

The supplement will be in addition to the regular issue of the paper.

'Body' Offer A Concert Of Contemporary Dance

By J. Cera
BODY, a concert of contemporary dance to be performed Thursday and Friday evenings, will offer to the audience a new experience... most profoundly, a fresh insight into the reality of humankind.

As dancers we give to you the gift of our bodies so that you can enjoy the beauty of them and experience the essence and beauty of your own. This is the dance.

The art of a choreographer presents a new attitude toward life every time he chooses to execute a dance. The body of dancers enter a new world of movement where they experience themselves as they never have before.

The audience is only requested to 'groove' with the performers, to become involved with what their senses perceive happening inside them as well as in front of them (or behind, wherever the performers or they are).

The forms of dance throughout history have progressed to the point where one can no longer adequately describe its meaning. This inability to verbally express what it's all about only points to the profundity of the art. For, 'true creativity often starts where language ends.'

Its meaning lies in the degree and kind of involvement of the

dancers both on the stage and in the audience - for everyone is a dancer. Through the exciting and unfolding process of the performance, the members of the audience become aware of themselves as dancers with the performers.

In BODY, two basic dance forms will be represented, classical and avant garde. The success of the classical dance rests on precision and projection of style. Every movement, whether the size of a leap or the angle of an elbow, is set by the choreographer.

The dancers are to display their technical prowess, to show off in other words, and to master difficult sequences together so that the dance has an air of unity and strength.

The focus will vary in different dances or phases of any one dance, some aiming to be slow and sensuous, some strong and energetic, or some pretty and graceful. The meaning is, as in all dances, what you find yourself to be the meaning.

The program will progress to an avant garde form in which the emphasis is not so much on technical skill, for the movements are natural movements of daily life. Part will be choreographed and will be a result of group practice; the importance being not only on form but movement, energy, and the "spirit" or "feel" of the

dance. It demands a physical preparation of the dancer. The last dance, a type of happening, demands a special psychological discipline of the dancer: the ability to relate authentically and spontaneously to the environment.

For this there is no rehearsal and at this writing, the participants have no idea of what environment will be presented for them, only that artist Gary Hagen will be employing some exciting color film projections as part of this environment.

The length of the entire performance is not arbitrarily set. It may go on and on, and I must resist the temptation to tell you too much, for I do not want to precondition your attitude about BODY. Come and see for yourself.

The performance is scheduled for 8:00 p.m., Apr. 24 and 25 in the Old Main Auditorium. The WSU Orchestral group, under the direction of Frank and Linda Hatch, has been actively preparing for this since October.

They can be vividly remembered from many successful past performances including 'The Great Pumpkin' and 'Boxes' of last year and 'The Son of the Great Pumpkin' performed last fall on the front lawn of the Union.

It is hoped that you will take this opportunity to experience this dedicated and energetic group of dancers as they present this gift to you: BODY.

Dancers are Clarence Schutte, Sue Whipp, Colleen Houhban, Fran Waldenberger, Pat Summich, Greg & Bob Ramlow, Joan Cera, Jan Greenwald, Nancy O'Keefe, Pat Shacton, Claudia Hall, Bonnie Sachs, Shawn Granger, Sharon Rogers, Sandy Ulrich, Karen Prekural, Cookie Klesmith, Pam Dziedzic, Frank and Linda Hatch, Dirk and Lana.



"BODY": A CONTEMPORARY DANCE CONCERT, will be presented by members of the Orchestral dance group tonight and tomorrow night in the auditorium at 8. Admission is to be student ID or \$1. Frank and Linda Hatch are directing the concert.

Senate Calls For Pass-Fail In Required Phy Ed Courses

By Jim Hofer

At the Apr. 17 meeting, the Student Senate passed a resolution calling for the grading of all required physical education courses on a pass-fail basis.

The resolution applies only to students who are not majoring in physical education.

Paul Braun, chairman of the University-community relations committee, reported to the Senate concerning his committee.

The committee is composed of students and leading community members including the mayor and the editor of the Stevens Point Daily Journal.

Among topics of discussion by the committee are included the possible distribution of the Journal in residence halls, the construction of bill boards and city entrances that list events of interest in the community and on the campus and possible annual meetings of community service groups on campus.

Braun, a senior nearing the end of his service on the Senate, made an appeal for the work of his committee to be continued into the term of the new senate to be chosen today in campuswide elections.

The present session of the Senate held its final scheduled meeting on Apr. 23. The following is a list of candidates for election to the Senate: Senate president Vern Rebelein, Wally Thiel;

vice-president, Mark Dahl; secretary, Audrey Johnson; treasurer, Len Sippel; senior senator, Darryl Germain; Ray Martens, Lee Schoen; junior senators, Eric Johnson, Virginia Nendza, sophomore senator, Bev George, Larry Krause and Kathleen Rohde.

Senate president Paul Schilling announced a special meeting of the United Council to be held at Fond du Lac on Apr. 24 to consider a new constitution of U.C.

At least three students will represent WSU/SP at that meeting.

Three resolutions were introduced into the Senate. One urges giving students several options concerning purchase of meals from the University food service and a second asks for a change in University policy concerning alcohol in off-campus housing.

The third asks members of Senate ad hoc committee on re-organization to include representatives from each residence hall, proportionate numbers of off-campus students, and members of "each Student Senate coordinating group."

Ace Purchases Hot Fish Shop

Ace Foods, Inc., parent company of the one which operates university residence halls' food service here, wasn't idle during the spring recess. It purchased The Hot Fish Shop, popular restaurant in Stevens Point which specializes in butter fried shrimp and pike.

According to Donald S. Kennedy, president of Ace Foods, the restaurant will remain the same to its customers. "It will continue to provide the kind of food and service which built its reputation," he said.

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Committee Examines Wisconsin Education

By Paul Janty

An informal committee was on campus Friday, asking for support in its attempt to examine all aspects of education in Wisconsin.

Speaking in favor of such a committee was Governor Warren Knowles, who in a prepared speech said "The people of our state have recognized education's importance and traditionally invested very heavily in education."

The governor said in the current biennium 65 cents out of every tax dollar is spent on education.

The governor noted today the demands for education have grown to where the resources of the state can no longer meet the demands.

Knowles told the group that he has established a special committee on education headed by William Kellett, retired Neenah industrialist, which would study every facet of education in the state of Wisconsin.

Knowles said he realizes this is the biggest challenge facing Wisconsin, but he expressed optimism that the task could be done.

After Governor Knowles

'Point To Future' Selected As Theme For Homecoming

"Point to the Future" is the theme for the 1969 Homecoming scheduled for Oct. 12-18. The theme, sponsored by Delta Zeta sorority, was chosen by the 1969 Homecoming committee.

The committee said there were many good themes. "Point to the Future" will be the overall Homecoming theme with floats being judged on how well they relate to the theme.

Also discussed by the steering committee was the matter of selection of queen candidates.

The committee decided that the criteria will be based on the following areas: beauty and appearance, 25 percent; personality and charm, 25 percent; activities and grades, 10 percent; poise before a group, 15 percent and ability to communicate effectively, 25 percent.

The committee decided that the panel will be six adult judges and six student judges. The panel will select five finalists. These five finalists will be voted upon by the student body with the results being announced on Wednesday evening.

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WILLIAM KELLETT (left) and Governor Warren Knowles were on campus last Friday soliciting help for their committee to study all aspects of Wisconsin Education. (Photo by Jim Pierson)

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In Classroom Center

African Sculptures Will Be Exhibited

A circulating exhibit of AFRICAN SCULPTURES will open on Monday, Apr. 28, in the lobby of the Classroom Center. It will run through May 16. The exhibit will feature 33 pieces collected by Ladislav Segy, director of the Segy Gallery in New York City. Included in the exhibit are several masks used in religious and societal ceremonies among various African tribes. One of them, No. 798, is a mask from the Poro society of Liberia. This mask was used in the Poro secret society when the adolescent boy was admitted into the male, adult society. This particular mask has monkey hair which covers the mouth, and was worn by the officer in the society whose role was to take care of the boys who had poisoning.

Such a mask was attached to a raffia or cloth costume which covered the whole body of the wearer, so that his identity should not be revealed. If one person who had a special role in the society died, another person took up to wear the same mask, so that a continuity of the role was thus assured.

Generally, the mask is used by the adolescents themselves, prior to initiation to the various societies. Each mask represents a particular role played by the officer of the society. The various masks were used to exorcise malevolent spirits, in ancestor cult, and in agricultural festivities.

Also included in the exhibit are various statues. Some of these are said to have magical

powers to drive away sickness and misfortune, others were used to insure fertility in women, and some are statues honoring ancestors.

All pieces are offered for sale. If anyone is interested in purchasing one of the figures, contact Jeri Huemphreys, UAB Cultural Committee, University Center before May 16.



THIS IS ONE OF THE AFRICAN SCULPTURES that will be on display in the Classroom Center through May 16.

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AWSUF Delegate Assembly To Meet Here On Saturday

The delegate assembly of the Association of Wisconsin State University Faculties will convene Saturday in Stevens Point to discuss professional ethics, collective bargaining for salaries and professors' roles in campus governance.

About 50 persons will represent AWSUF chapters at Eau Claire, Menomonie, River Falls, Platteville, Oshkosh, Whitewater, LaCrosse and Stevens Point. Total membership of the 54-year-old group is the WSU system is nearly 2,000.

Credit Load Will Determine Vet Benefits

Students claiming benefits under the Federal Vocational Rehabilitation Act, the War Orphans Act, or the G. I. Bill will receive benefits according to the number of credits carried.

The summer session credit loads which determine the amount of payment by the Veterans Administration to an undergraduate student are as follows:

- 6 cr. or more - fulltime
- 5 cr. - 3/4 time
- 4 cr. - 1/2 time
- 3 cr. - more than 1/4 time but less than 1/2 time
- 1 cr. - 1/4 time or less

The credit loads which determine the amount of payment by the Veterans Administration to a graduate student during the summer session are as follows:

- 5 cr. or more - fulltime
- 4 cr. - 3/4 time
- 3 cr. - 1/2 time
- 2 cr. - more than 1/4 time but less than 1/2 time
- 1 cr. - 1/4 time or less

Students claiming benefits under one of the above programs must report to the Registration Office, Room 209, Main Building, the first week of summer session and fill out the Veterans Registration card. The card must be filled out and submitted to the VA.

Perret Authors Two Articles In Journal

Dr. Maurice E. Perret, Professor of Geography at WSU, is the author of two articles on the Swiss Alps recently appeared in *Swiss Journal*.

"Development Decline des Chemins de fer dans le Wisconsin (Development and Decline of Railroads in Wisconsin)" appeared in *Geographica Helvetica*, Vol. 3, 1968. It traces the expansion of passenger travel in the state from the first advent of the railroad in 1851 to a peak around 1920, and the subsequent decline to the meager passenger train network of 1965. The article is illustrated by four maps which trace the rise and fall of services. *Les Sports d'Hiver dans le Wisconsin* (Winter Sports in Wisconsin) appeared in *Actes de la Société Helvétique des Sciences Naturelles* in 1968. This brief article mentions the winter sports conditions in topographic, which did winter sports in the state. Skiing is especially noted as a profitable winter sport of the state, but additional mention is also made of snowmobiling and ice skating.

Students Show Why To Be Learner Home

The desire to be nearer to home is the major reason why more than one-fourth of 620 students who were admitted to Stevens Point last fall showed up for the first day of classes.

That is the finding of a survey prepared by Dr. William H. Clements, director of Institutional Research and Studies on the campus.

"Why Don't Students Show in September?" answered by 620 of the 999 students who were admitted but didn't enroll.

The survey was conducted after Dr. John Larsen, Director of Admissions, reported that his office needed to know some of the reasons why students didn't show up. As a result questionnaire was drawn up by Clements, Larsen and others.

"We had a remarkable 62 percent return," noted Dr. Clements. "And their comments were very candid and helpful." Although proximity was the major drawback to enrolling 158 of the group, financial problems were foremost in the minds of 130.

The survey still found that "a surprising number would permit them to attend WSU-SP next year."

Stevens Point was the first choice school of 219 of the questioned, yet for one reason



MR. DELORES MEYER, a Westfield housewife who travels 50 miles each way daily to come to school, poses with the Award of Merit she received. On her left is James Hill of the business department. (Jim Pierson Photo)

Westfield Housewife As Career 50 Miles Away

What's a 100-mile round trip to school every day if you're bent on earning a college degree?

"Not so bad-I got used to it," says Delores Meyer, a Westfield housewife and mother of two. "The only problem was trying to merge all of my roles."

She commuted from her Marquette County home to WSU-Stevens Point and completed her academic requirements within a four-year period, which is becoming more the exception than the rule for full-time students living on or near the campus.

Mrs. Meyer attained nearly a straight A average in her major field of study, business education, and was listed on the Phi Beta Lambda honorary fraternity honor list.

If that wasn't enough, since her graduation from Stevens Point State last January, she has been continuing her daily trips to serve as a faculty assistant in the business education department.

A recent award and an invitation to be a full-fledged member of the Stevens Point Faculty next year has prompted Mrs. Meyer to keep her light schedule indefinitely.

Dr. Sandhu Will Speak On Gandhi

An address by Dr. Michael C. Meyer of the University of Nebraska entitled "U.S.-Latin American Relations in the War Period: An Overview" will be the main event following the history institute program of the WSU history department.

The address by Dr. Meyer is scheduled for May 3 at 10:15 a.m. in the Classroom Center, Room 125.

The talk is part of the spring workshop for history and social science teachers and is open to the public without charge.

His seminar will be tonight at 7:30 in the Nicollet Marquette Room of the University Center.

Dr. Sandhu received three degrees from Punjab University in India, and an M.A. and Ph.D. from Wayne State University in Detroit. He taught there and at Lethbridge Junior College in Alberta, Canada, before coming to Stevens Point in 1966.

Last fall he assumed duties as chairman of the sociology department at Moorhead State College in Minnesota.

Dr. Sandhu has concentrated his research and professional writing on the history of juvenile delinquency and gangs both in this country and in India.

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RHC WEEK... (continued from page 1)

Finals at 6:30.

Thursday night the Council is presenting an international attraction in the world of music, the Dave Brubeck Trio featuring Gerry Mulligan. This night of the Jazz will begin at 8 in the fieldhouse; tickets are on sale at the University Center Information Desk until Friday, RHC Week is more or less a day of rest for the Council and the students as well. The only event scheduled is the Exciting Casino Tip at Iverson Park 4 p.m.

The object of this game is to knock an opponent from the board using the punnels of the canoe while the two other players are maneuvering for position. Long punning poles are used by the combatants. On Friday night it's out to the barn.

Saturday will feature the popular games. At 9:30 a.m. the games will start with men and women competing in the Volkswagen Push. This will be followed at 10:30 by the girls' bicycle race as large women try to maneuver small tricycles over a bumpy course. Wipe outs add to the hilarity.

The afternoon games will start with the Molasses Drop at 11. The object of this game is for a blindfolded player to empty a cup of molasses into another cup which is being held in the mouth of his partner who is lying at his feet.

As an added hazard, the person pouring will be standing on chairs. At 1:45 teams will participate in the Egg Toss to see how far a raw egg can be thrown and caught.

The games continue with a Bubble Gum Blowing contest at 2:15 and a team Pie Eating Contest at 2:45. The messiest blueberry pie available will be used.

The feature attraction of the games will take place at 3:30 in the fieldhouse. It will be the Mud Bowl. It is a long pit of deep mud that has a telephone pole sticking out of it. Players will walk out over the mud on the pole and try to knock their opponent into the mud with pillows.

The second event at the mud bowl is a rope pull which will follow the pole game. Players will be holding a Hustle Dance in the tent from 8:30 to 11. The dance is to determine which men's and which women's hall is the hustling and most hustled respectively. The dance will feature the "Grass".

On Sunday Night at 6:30 in the tent the Residence Hall President's Council will put on a Variety Show that will feature Residence Hall talent. A quarter admission charge will be asked for the whole show will be non-competitive.

Mid way in the festivities, the trophies for the whole week will be awarded to the halls that have won events during the week. An overall trophy will be presented to the whole hall and the women's hall that has compiled the most points during the week.

Following the Variety show "The Grass" will return at 9 for the second night of Hustle Dance. Prices for the dance has not been determined.

Throughout the week and next, the Residence Hall Council will be selling RHC Week buttons for 25 cents each. These buttons will be the price of admission for the Saturday games and will be sold at all events.

The week is the work of the Council and over 200 volunteers. The tent is weather proof, but will be lighted and a heater will be installed although the Council does not have an assurance of warm sunny weather.

Schedule For RHC Week Sixth Annual Film Festival

The Residence Hall Council will present the 6th International Film Festival under the direction of Larry Kibben, Room 29 and 30.

The Festival consists of award-winning short subjects from around the world, the best in student film in drama and experimental films.

Some of the films that will be shown are:

- "Dream of the Wild Horses," a vivid experimental film which shows horses in slation that they live through a fire.
- "Poppycock," an outrageous comedy that deals with the tricks any man will go through to win back a lost girl. This film won both the Venice and Cannes Film Festival.
- "The Attic" by Don Tennant of Bloomington, Illinois deals with the drama of a returning G.I. and his war in an attic. One of the PSA 10 best.
- "A Chair Lady," a modern fairytale about a king of simple ballet between a man and a common kitchen chair that refuses to be sat upon, becomes a story for mastery, and then, understanding, this Canadian film by Norman McLaren was nominated for an Academy Award.
- "The Hungry Kook Goes Banzoo" by Ed Watts, a cartoon of a human roadrunner cartoon that

The highlight of the Festival is the return of the most popular film that we have ever shown, the Academy Award Winner: "Skaterdater." It is a beautiful film that depicts boys coming of age and ends with a battle for the leadership of the local gang in a contest on a large hill. It has been called the best short subject ever made.

The admission for the Film Festival will be 50 cents and it will start at 8 on both nights. It will be located this year in the circus tent that will be erected between the Classroom Center and the Science Building.

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Placement Opportunities

Tuesday, Apr. 29-10 a.m. to 4 p.m., The Veterans Administration Hospital Tomah, Wisconsin, will speak with all graduates concerning hospital careers in the Federal government.

Tuesday, Apr. 29, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Roadway Express, Milwaukee will interview all majors concerning career opportunities with one of the nation's leading haulers of freight.

Tuesday, Apr. 29, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., The Railroad Retirement Board, Chicago, will administer the Federal Civil Service Exam at the Student Center. The exam may be scored on the spot and one can immediately establish eligibility for all federal government positions by taking the test at this time. (There would be a six to eight weeks delay if the exam were taken at the post office).

Wednesday, Apr. 30-9 a.m. to 4 p.m., The Railroad Retirement Board, Chicago will interview all graduates who passed the exam and others interested in this federal government agency.

Wednesday, Apr. 30, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Pfizer Labs will speak with all majors concerning sales positions in pharmaceuticals.

Wednesday, Apr. 30, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., The Y.M.C.A. will speak with all majors concerning career opportunities for male and female graduates in executive full time positions in Wisconsin and around the country.

Thursday, May 1, 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., The L. M. Berry Company of Milwaukee will speak with all majors concerning career opportunities. L. M. Berry sells advertising space for the yellow pages in Wisconsin and needs many graduates for administrative and managerial positions and some mature experienced graduates and alumni for sales positions averaging \$12,000 to \$15,000 per year.

Monday, May 5, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., The Holiday Magic Co., Inc., will interview all students for full and part time sales positions marketing a full line of cosmetics and home products. Freshmen through graduates are invited to interview.

Wednesday, May 7, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Wausau will speak with all majors about sales opportunities with one of the nation's largest insurance companies.

Wednesday, May 7, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., The Federal Social Security Administration, Wisconsin, will interview all majors concerning federal employment. The Civil Service Exam may be taken via arrangements here.

Tuesday, May 13, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., The Boy Scouts of America will speak with all graduates concerning full time executive career positions in scouting.

SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

Apr. 24 - Superior Public Schools - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. mathematics, chemistry/physics; speech therapy; girl's guidance counselor; school psychologist; kindergarten; grades 1 through 5; general science; English; English/social studies.

Apr. 25 - Hamilton School District, Sunaw, Wis. - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. French; home ec.; girl's phys. ed.; Spanish; vocal music; German; upper elementary; business ed.; lower elementary; guidance counselor; guidance director.

Apr. 25 - Johnsonburg Public Schools, McHenry, Ill. - 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. grade 1; grade 2; grade 3; high language arts.

Apr. 29 - Kenosha Public Schools - 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. elementary; chemistry; earth science; general science; library science; mathematics; girl's phys. ed.; physics; speech correction.

May 1 - Racine Public Schools - 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. elementary; general science; special education.

May 2 - Bureau of Indian Affairs, Albuquerque, New Mexico - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. elementary physical education; art; Other interested majors.

May 2 - St. Mary's School, Amherst, Wis. - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. grade 5 & 6 combination.

May 8 - Community School District No. 202, Lena, Ill. - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

May 12 - Joliet Township High Schools, Joliet, Ill. - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. mathematics; girl's phys. ed.; German; French; English; business education; earth science; art; remedial reading; school psychologist; drivers education.

May 14 - Cary Elementary School, Cary, Ill. - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. kindergarten through grade 5; grade 6 language arts; grade 6 language arts/reading; grade 7/8 large arts/social studies; grade 7/8 math/science; grade 8/jr. high home economics; jr. high science.

NOTICE - School of Education Juniors and January Seniors

An important meeting of all School of Education juniors and those seniors scheduled to graduate in January, 1970, will be held in the Frank Lloyd Wright lounge on Tuesday, May 6, at 6:30 p.m. This meeting will provide detailed explanation concerning placement procedures and procedures of vital interest to those planning to utilize the various placement services. All are urged to attend.

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CANDIDATES FOR STUDENT SENATE

Vice Pres.

MARK DAHL

The only candidate for senate vice president who filed papers was Mark Dahl, a sophomore, political science major from Janesville.

Presently a sophomore senator, he is also chairman of Senate Public Relations and a member Senate Academic Affairs and Senate Finance Committees.

"This year I have had the opportunity to participate in what I feel is the turning point for student government on this campus. The Senate is becoming what it should be: a truly representative force for the students to the administration and faculty," he said.

"As Senator I initiated and conducted the phy ed hearing, co-authoring with Senator Thiel two bills as a result, the first calling for pass-fail phy ed, the second suggesting two instead of four required phy ed credits.

"Thiel and I also co-authored the Senate reorganization bill, asking for representatives from each residence hall, off-campus students, and such groups as IFC and AWS.

"I wrote and presented to the department chairmen the bill placing students on academic departments as advisors. Much more can be done by the Senate and I ask for the opportunity to continue the work I've begun."

Treasurer

LEN SIPPEL

Len Sippel is running unopposed for the position of treasurer of Student Senate.

"Being unopposed for treasurer I would like to discuss some of the issues before this election.

Lights for the tennis courts is a good idea except that this matter was handled by the 1967-68 Senate and at that time was stated that they were being put into the plans for the future. This means we will have lights no matter what the Senate does anyway.

Lights are capital equipment and because of the governor's freeze on capital equipment we will not be able to get them at this time."

"Lowering the rates for food delivery (Red Lantern, Bills, etc.) is ridiculous because all it will do is raise the food prices for all."

These businesses are established to make money and not to serve at the discretion of the students. If we are to excess profits could be effective.

"So you can see that before you jump into an issue you have to look at all sides. I think that Wally Thiel, Mark Dahl and myself do this, so vote for us today."

Sophomore Senator



BEVERLY A. GEORGE

Seeking the office of sophomore senator is Beverly A. George, an 18-year-old Rice Lake resident majoring in mathematics.

"I have been a Senator representing my class since October. Since that time I have served on committees for the investigation of our text-book system, recognition of organizations on campus, public relations, the committee on committees, and the United Council delegation to the LaCrosse meeting."

Other organizations I have participated in this past year are co-editor of the Roach Hall paper, WRA, ABC team, and the Pride Organization collection.

"In high school I participated in debate, forensics, the newspaper, Spanish club, choir and AFS committee. I graduated fifth in my class of 211."

"My purpose in running for a second term as the Student Senator to represent class of 1972 is that I have found my past six months in Senate to be a profitable learning experience and I feel that I have been able to represent my constituents' wishes."

"While I had a vague understanding of the services performed by various members of the administration, my experience in Senate has given me a much clearer idea of their rights and responsibilities. Yet, as is true of any learning experience, the more I learn the more I am made aware of what I haven't learned."

"To conclude, I feel that my experience has given me insight that an inexperienced individual doesn't have."

"Because I have been and plan to continue to be active in other organizations, I will be able to contact my constituents and, hopefully, represent their views in Senate."



LARRY KRAUS

Larry Kraus, political science major from Presque Isle, is a candidate for sophomore Senator.

"It's high time that the Student Senate finally takes progressive action on the numerous ills around campus. This university has all too long procrastinated in its attempt at liberalization," he stated.

"We, the students need a stronger influential Student Senate with a more progressive outlook. If I am elected, I will push for and encourage a revamping of housing policies, optional Phy. Ed. courses, more student activities, elimination of sophomore women hours, and review of the local beer laws."

"I have a strong belief that these and other plausible ideas brought to my attention can be carried out."



Senate President

VERN REBELEN

Vern Rebelen, a senior, is running for the office of student body president. Majoring in political science and economics, Vern is from Cuba City, Wisconsin.

He has participated in various activities which include a former officer of Smith Hall, chairman of the Student Senate welfare committee, chairman of a special committee to review textbook distribution system and has participated in Senate activities for the past two years.

Rebelen feels there should be no salaries from student activity funds. He said 10,000 dollars have been requested in salaries for positions on Student Senate, POINTER, Iris and UAB officers.

He feels this money could be better spent by installing lights around the tennis courts, keeping the fieldhouse open longer, bringing groups like Sinon and Garfunkle to campus and paving of student parking lots.

Rebelen would like to see the abolition of women's hours for sophomores and hours for freshmen modified. Under his plan, first semester freshmen would have the same hours as presently held, but whether or not freshman women would be on probation would determine their second semester hours.

Rebelen said he would like to see student discount services used at the downtown stores. Under his arrangement, the various stores and theaters would give students discounts doing business with them.

Rebelen said this plan has been implemented at other schools and saves students money.

Another thing Rebelen would like to see is a re-assessment of the physical education requirements. He said he would like to see PE 1, 2, 3 and 4 abolished and PE 11 and 12 put on a pass-fail basis.

Rebelen added the bookstore should be a bookstore and not what it is presently.



Secretary

AUDREY JOHNSON

Audrey Johnson is the lone announced candidate for secretary. A junior, business education major, she hails from Poyette.

She has served as Senator for the Residence Halls, former secretary of Residence Hall Council, member of United Council, program committee chairman for the Great Lakes Association of Colleges and Universities Residence Halls Summer Conference (GLACURH) and a member of Roach Hall Council.

"Having served on Student Senate for the past year as one of the representatives for the residence halls, I feel one of the most important aspects of next year's Student Senate will be to strive for more liberal policies for students in their academic and social lives," she reported.

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WALLY THIEL

Wally Thiel, currently a junior class senator and United Council director, is running for student body president. Thiel is from Sheboygan and is a social science major.

"On our Student Senate I have authored or co-authored resolutions dealing with such issues as pass-fail phy ed, waiving the phy ed requirement, expanding vacation service, revising the archaic student activities chaperone policy, clarifying the phy ed exemption policy and recognizing a long list of student organizations who have been awaiting recognition since last year."

"I have supported other key resolutions such as the ones dealing with students serving as advisors to the academic departments, clarifications of mandatory attendance and final exam policies."

"Such issues as these embody a trend of progress I wish to continue and enhance. An improved method of academic advising, an alternate residence hall meal program, elimination of sophomore women's hours, constant improvement of university facilities and, of course, continued improvement of communication between the students and university officials are some of the ideas I wish to pursue as your president."

"It is ideas such as these which provide for the ever necessary element of good government and progress."

Junior Senator

VIRGINIA NENDZA

Virginia Nendza, a 19-year-old sophomore, is a candidate for junior senator.

Active in government through Young Dems for four years and treasurer of Schmiedke Hall, she is from Wisconsin Rapids and is majoring in political science.

"I have been involved in government for the past four years through working with the Young Democrats and I now want to become involved in a different phase of government—that of Student Senate," she remarked.

"I believe there are many problems on this campus which merit investigation. There has been a call for the abolition of sophomore women's hours and I feel I could work with AWS in looking into this matter."

"I would like to see a revision of representation to Student Senate so that the residence halls would have a voice in the senate. There has been work in the area of teacher evaluation and I would like to see this expanded upon."

"I want to work for the students on these problems through Student Senate. I will work if elected Junior Senator," she concluded.

"The 'Liberal' candidates in this election, Wally Thiel, Mark Dahl, and Len Sippel, have shown their concern in this phase of student government. Their backing of pass-fail physical education, improved method of academic advising, elimination of sophomore women's hours, and non-mandatory class attendance receives my full support."

"In addition, if elected, I would like to see an improved method of representation on the Student Senate. Senate can be effective if, and only if, students are well aware of matters and policies concerning them and are fairly represented. I will make every effort to investigate the various forms of students' governments on campuses across the nation in an effort to modernize and improve our present structure."



Senior Senator

DARRYL GERMAIN

Running for the senior class senator is Darryl Germain, a junior majoring in political science from Somerset, Wisconsin.

His activities include a newscasting position with the campus radio station, WSUS-FM and a weekly columnist for The Pointer.

Germain said his main qualification was his deep concern "about the problems facing this campus and his willingness to at least attempt to solve them."

Germain said he would like to see women's hours abolished because women are "capable of deciding things for themselves."

In regards to black studies, he said the program should be implemented as soon as possible.



LEE SCHOEN

Senior senator candidate Lee Schoen is a junior majoring in political science from Chilton. A member of Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity, he has been a student assistant for the past year at Hansen Hall.

He has served on the Winter Carnival committee for two years and plans to go on to law school upon graduation from Stevens Point.

Schoen feels his work in residence halls and Winter Carnival programming has given him the necessary background for serving the senior class.

He has expressed interest in the following specific reforms of the university:

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By Ed Marks and Mike Eve

Who are the Niemsiks? How did they originate and are there any left on campus? Just curious.

T. C., a student who knew several Niemsiks but was not one himself said that the Niemsiks were a local, sagal group, not a fraternity, who got together for parties and other occasions.

They organized in the fall of 1965 and hit their peak in 1966 with approximately 15 members. The Niemsiks had a pledge period for their neophytes. Niemsik members were generally noted for their affinity to Point Beer.

For Winter Carnival of 1966, the Niemsiks entered a pile of ice chips as their ice sculpture. A cyclist dragging a Point Beer can was their entry in the 1966 Homecoming parade.

Who pays for the food and nurses when the Bloodmobile comes to Stevens Point?

Mrs. Victor Bukolt, vice-chairman of volunteer services for the Red Cross blood program, said that the local chapter of the Red Cross in Portage county pays the food bill; the bill is approximately \$80 for the two days the bloodmobile is on campus.

The local chapter receives funds from the United Fund, of which the Red Cross is part of, and a Portage County Red Cross drive in the spring.

Mrs. Bukolt stated that the local helpers and nurses were volunteers and unpaid. The Madison nurses and blood delivery truck are paid for by the national and state Red Cross.

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Outdoors

By Dave Crehore

Have you ever heard a prairie chicken boom? It's an experience that I won't soon forget.

At this time of year, the remnant population of prairie chickens in central Wisconsin goes through its annual courtship and mating ritual. Just before sunrise, the cock birds arrive at small areas in open country which they have selected as their "booming grounds."

For a period of three hours or so, they display the brilliant orange sacs on their necks, drum their feet on the ground, strut about, fight with each other and generally demonstrate their excellence as male prairie chickens.

Along with all this, they "boom." Peterson's "A Field Guide to the Birds" describes this sound as "a hollow, three-syllabled oo-oo-woo, suggesting the sound made by blowing across the opening of a Coca-Cola bottle."

I suppose that conveys the idea, but to really appreciate the booming you have to sit in a drafty canvas blind and hear it in the cold, grey light of false dawn. It's a mournful, haunting sound that is impressive in its very strangeness. No cock pheasant, mourning dove, barnyard rooster, drumming grouse or owl ever made a sound like that.

And what's it all for? To attract female prairie chickens, of course. Some time after the booming has begun, the hens drift in and slowly walk about in the booming ground, examining each chick in the territory he has established. If a hen is smitten with a particular male bird, romance ensues.

If none of the cocks impresses her as a desirable mate, she turns a cold, brown and white shoulder on all the burgeoning male egos and melts into the grass on the edge of the booming ground.

So who cares about prairie chickens? There aren't many of them left in Wisconsin, you can't hunt them and most people will never be able to see them. Just the same, a number of dedicated individuals have done a huge amount of work in order to study the prairie chicken and keep it alive.

Why? I can't speak for them, but in the short time that I have

known the prairie chicken, I have developed a strong affection for it.

It's a comfort to me to know that these proud, innocent little birds are alive, and it's satisfying to see that in the midst of a world that seems bent on poisoning, frightening, and confusing itself to death with the utmost in computerized efficiency, these few survivors can go on with their ancient rituals as though the human turmoil around them did not exist.

At the entrance to Iverson Park, there stands a little sign. It says, "No Dogs Allowed - Police Orders." Presumably, then, you can't let your dog run loose, or even walk it on a leash, within the confines of the park. Now I'll concede that some dogs can be unwelcome visitors to a public park. But how about motorcycles?

During the last few weeks, I have been using the pool in Iverson Park—for fly-fishing and practicing. On several occasions I've seen college-age juveniles roaring and snorting their motorcycles about on the foot paths and over the bridges while young children, old men, and even a few stray dogs were present in the park.

Now I ask you - which is more hazardous, more unsightly, and more unsettling to the very nature of a park: a dog or two, or a couple of mindless idiots hot-rodding their motorcycles around on the foot paths?

You may well ask in return, "What has all this got to do with the outdoors?" I'll attempt to answer. Man seeks quiet, shady places in which to escape the streets, the back yards, and the press of other people. That's why parks, large and small, are established and maintained.

Quiet, and even diluted forms of wilderness, are precious resources. The non-existent mufflers, squealing tires, yowling radios, and empty, drunken bellows of an infantile minority have no right to disturb the peace that others need, in parks, in their homes, or anywhere.

Noise pollution is as big a factor in the deterioration of the human environment as is air pollution. It must be eliminated.

Powder Buffs Spend Easter Break Skiing

During the Easter Break, while hundreds of WSU students headed south, 27 die-hard skiers spent their time in the snowy mountains of Utah, where the sun beats down. The trip, sponsored by the WSU Ski Club, included six days of skiing in the Wasatch Mountains.

Members participating in the ski party included Mary Ann Farnsworth, Jane Chaffin, Lynn Stanley, Bob Klitsnick, Tim Mertens, Fred Luck, Mary Ann Farnsworth, Jane Chaffin, Hans Pearson, Charlie Schultz, Gene Swiontek and Diane Peters. Also in the party were Ellen Goodard, John Wyslasing, Don Benzell, Louis Miller, Sue

Peckie, Ray Hosmer, Storm Grumbach, Rick Cook, Dave Cahoy, Cathy Lotzpeich, Doug Peterson, Jim Norbert, Sam Wilcox, and Newman Edwards. Our chaperone was Butch Potterville, a WSU alum.

The group left Point on Apr. 4 by Greyhound bus. What had been expected to be a miserable ride turned into the 30 hour party on wheels. They arrived in Salt Lake City on Saturday afternoon where they were greeted by host, Mr. Jim Carr of the Prospector's Hotel.

The remainder of the day was spent touring the old mining



THESE STEVENS POINT BOYS climbed onto the roof of the WSU-FM broadcast booth to get a view of the baseball double-header Saturday against Whitewater at Bukolt Park. (Mike Dominowski Photo)

Golfers Post Win Cindermen Trounce In Home Opener

By Don Warren

Coach Bill Burns' WSU-Stevens Point golf team opened its 1969 season on a very successful note last Friday by defeating Oshkosh and Whiteside in a conference triangular meet held at the Stevens Point Country Club.

The Pointer five man team won with 390 strokes to 396 for Oshkosh and 413 for Whiteside. The Titans are three time defending champions in the conference and the Warhawks finished second last year. It was the opening conference action for all three teams.

Senior Don Warren, a Greendale native and one of three returning lettermen on this year's squad, was the medalist in the meet with an even par 72.

A promising freshman, Tom Tracy, finished second low for Stevens Point with a 76, Clarence Wichowski, who also started in football for the Pointers last fall, and letterman Jerry DeNuccio each finished in 79.

Junior letterman Mike Peterson had an 84. Freshman Jim Jensen added an 85, but he was not able to make the top five scores count in competition.

Jed Phillips and Al Ellison of Oshkosh had the lowest rounds, each posting a 35 on the back nine.

Individual scores were as follows:

STEVENS POINT (390) - Don Warren, 36-36-72, Tom Tracy, 37-39-76, Clarence Wichowski, 38-41-79, Jerry DeNuccio, 41-38-79, Mike Peterson, 42-42-84.

A brisk wind and a 41 degree temperature hindered both running and field performances but didn't stop the Pointer track team which, behind Paul Haus' three victories, defeated St. Norberts, 97-48.

Haus, a six foot two freshman from South Milwaukee, won all three long distance races, the 880 yard run and the 1- and 3-mile runs to place the Pointer victory which they claimed 10 first places in the 17 events.

George Check was another big scorer for the Pointers, placing in four events. He won the triple jump, was second in the high jump and finished third in the 120 yard high hurdles.

Other Pointer victories were turned in by the 440 yard relay team of Tom McKay, Ron Whitt, Tom Luebner and Piering.

Greg Becker in the pole vault, Whitt in the 100 yard dash; Luebner in the 220 yard dash; and Mike Eschenbach in the long jump.

Netters Drop Two Meets In Action

By Dave Burton

WSU-Stevens Point's tennis team opened its season last weekend by defeating Lakeland Friday and by bowing to conference foes Eau Claire and Oshkosh on Saturday.

Couch Lynn Blair's netmen traveled to Sheboygan on Friday and defeated Lakeland College, 6-3. Victorious in singles against the Muskies were Mike Dowling, Tom Walschlaeger, Ed Terzynski, and Jim Vandenhoeft. The teams of Wayne and Terzynski and Walschlaeger and Vandenhoeft also won in doubles.

Saturday, the Pointers competed in a double dual meet at Oshkosh, losing to the host Titans, 8-1, and to Eau Claire, 5-4.

Against defending conference champion Oshkosh, the only Pointer to win was sixth singles man Jim Vandenhoeft, who won in three sets, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2. Walschlaeger and Terzynski defeated their Eau Claire opponents in singles but the Pointers trailed, 4-2, going into the doubles. The first two teams in doubles, Tom Cattanch and Dowling and Wayne and Terzynski won to tie the match at four-all, but Walschlaeger and Vandenhoeft were defeated, 6-2 and 10-8 in third doubles to give the win to the Blugolds.

The Pointers, who finished fourth in the WSUC last year, have seven lettermen back from last year's squad, and hope to get back on the winning track this Friday at La Crosse. They'll return home Saturday to host Platteville.

Pointers In Action

BASEBALL - Friday: AT La Crosse (2), 1:00, Saturday: AT Platteville, (2) 1:00 p.m. Tuesday: Oshkosh, HERE, 1:00. TRACK - Saturday: at Lawrence Quadrangular, Wednesday, Marquette, HERE, 2:30. GOLF - Friday: Triangular at La Crosse, (La Crosse and Stout), Tuesday: UWM, HERE. TENNIS - Friday: AT La Crosse, 3:00, Saturday: AT Platteville, 11:00.

SUMMARY
440 Relay - 1st SP (McKay, Witt, Luebner, Piering)
Mile Run - 1st Haus (SP), 2nd Dahnke (SP), 3rd Tondur (SN), 4:35
120 yd. high - 1st Piering (SP), 2nd Frederick (SN), 3rd Check (SP), 1:51
Pole Vault - 1st Becker (SP), 2nd Hirschfeld (SP), 3rd Walschlaeger (SP), 12:4
Javelin - 1st Reindl (SP), 2nd Urban (SP), 3rd Murphy (SP), 161:4
440 Dash - 1st Dember (SN), 2nd Haus (SP), 3rd Beaver (SN), 53:2
100 yd. dash - 1st White (SP), 2nd Luebner (SP), 3rd Bannan (SN), 10:9
880 run - 1st Haus (SP), 2nd Hostad (SP), 3rd Bannan (SN), 2:20
440 IM hurdles - 1st Frederick (SP), 2nd Luebner (SP), 3rd Piering (SP), 1:50
High Jump - 1st Gabeler (SP), 2nd 220 dash - 1st Luebner (SP), 2nd Piering (SP), 1st Hanter (SN), 22:1
Discus - 1st Jochman (SP), 2nd Houston (SN), 3rd Urban (SP), 138:7
Shot Put - 1st Schmitz (SN), 2nd Urban (SN), 3rd Boomer (SP), 44:7
Long Jump - 1st Eschenbach (SP), 2nd Check (SP), 3rd Gabeler (SN), 20:9
Triple Jump - 1st Haus (SP), 2nd 16:02:8
Triple Jump - 1st Check (SP), 2nd Wundrock (SP), 3rd Eschenbach (SP), 42:6
Mile Relay - St. Norberts (Dember, Beaver, Bannan and Frederick), 3:47

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POINTER STATISTICS

	H	A	B	R	Avg.	2B	3B	HR	TB	RBI
Walker	12	39	5	13	.333	1	0	1	17	7
Harris	12	42	7	13	.310	2	0	1	16	3
Hunting	12	36	6	10	.278	2	0	0	12	4
Bentley	10	27	5	7	.259	0	0	1	10	2
Garuso	11	37	9	24	.243	2	0	0	11	4
Mand	10	10	4	2	.200	0	0	2	5	2
Peterson	12	37	7	2	.189	2	1	1	16	7
Anderson	8	21	1	3	.143	0	0	0	3	1
Jack	12	35	4	4	.114	2	0	1	9	4
Bohm	10	19	1	2	.105	0	0	0	2	0
Groeschel	7	12	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Fuchs	4	5	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Kozlowski	1	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	12	336	51	70	.208	11	2	7	101	36

	G	C	W	F	P	H	R	E	B	B	W	P	B	K	O	R
Grundsen	5	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	15	5	4	3	10	10	2	0
Johnson	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	1	1	3	0	0	1
Keyes	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	2	2	3	1	0	0
Baier	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	11	9	5	11	7	0	0	0
Ritzenthaler	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	10	8	6	7	11	0	0	0
Mattison	3	0	1	1	5	0	0	0	11	12	11	7	3	6	0	1
Setzer	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	13	12	14	13	2	5	0	0
Bohm	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	18	14	11	1	3	0	0	0
Beckhahn	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	18	12	11	5	3	0	2	0
Menz	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	4	0	1	0	0
Totals	12	1	4	8	.333	87	96	75	60	57	59	5	10	0	0	0

	SP	0	Minnesota	9	SP	5	Eau Claire	7
	SP	0	Minnesota	6	SP	10	St. Norbert	4
	SP	11	Lawrence	3	SP	6	St. Norbert	4
	SP	3	Winona	4	SP	8	Lewis	5
	SP	0	Winona	7	SP	0	Lewis	6
	SP	7	Eau Claire	8	SP	1	Lewis	11

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April 29 - UWM and UW - Wausau extension
May 1 - AT Lawsonia CC (Ripon and Beloit)
May 2 - AT River Falls with Platteville
May 3 - Lakeland Invitational at Sheboygan
May 9 - AT Northland
May 10 - AT Superior with Eau Claire
May 16-17 - Conference Meet at Cherokee CC (Madison)
All Meets start at noon.

Point Cagers Will Compete At North Park

WSU-Stevens Point's basketball team, which recently completed a 19-5 season, will have a chance to avenge one of their losses as they will be competing in the first annual North Park Tournament at Chicago Dec. 29-30. Other teams besides the Pointers and the host Vikings will be Clarion College and Central College of Iowa. North Park wound up with a 21-5 record last year and went on to take consolation honors in the NCAA Great Lakes Regional College Division Tournament.

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Pointers Sweep Pair From Warhawks

Walkner Wins Nightcap With HR

By Tim Lasch

WSU-Stevens Point's baseball team got off to a fast start in its first conference action by sweeping a doubleheader from WSU-Whitewater, 5-2 and 3-0, at Bukolt Park last Saturday. The second contest went eight innings.

The Pointers combined strong pitching with timely hitting and good defense in sweeping the pair from the highly regarded Warhawks.

Stevens Point is now 2-0 in the WSUC and 6-8 overall, while Whitewater dropped to 0-2 and 2-4 marks.

Veteran left-hander Jim Setzer, a junior from Brown Deer, set down the visitors on just two hits in the six innings he worked in the first game. Ron Grundren relieved in the seventh and was touched for a home run before getting the final out.

The Pointers gave Setzer all the support he needed with a four run outburst in the second inning.

After one out, sophomore Gene Jack belted a long home run over the center field fence. Bob Henning was safe on an error and came around on Sam Bentley's triple. Marv Anderson drove in Bentley with another hit and came around to score moments later on a single by John Harris.

Dave Peterson opened the Pointers third with a walk. Jack singled, advancing Peterson to third, and Bob Henning drove him in with a single to left field.

Stevens Point loaded the bases again in the fourth on a pair of walks and a hit, but Jack grounded out to end the threat.

Setzer, meanwhile, did not give up a hit until the fifth inning. He worked his way out of a jam in the fourth with only one run scoring. After two outs, Warhawk catcher Harvey Stowe was safe on an error. Setzer then had a wild streak and walked three straight batters to force in a run, but he struck out Greg Poole to end the inning.

The other Whitewater run came in the seventh when Paul Palesse picked on Ron Grundren (fastball) and drove it over the center field fence for a home run.

Setzer took the win and Dick Stephens was the losing pitcher.

The second game developed into a fine pitchers duel between Tom Ritzenthaler of the Pointers and Bill Frost of the Warhawks. Both hurlers gave up just four hits and struck out five opposing batters.

Ritzenthaler, a sophomore from Baraboo who just completed a great basketball season, as a Pointer did not allow a man to reach third base in posting his shutout, and never allowed the Warhawks more than one base runner in any inning.

A break for Ritzenthaler and the Pointers occurred in the seventh inning. Billet led off with a walk for Whitewater but was out trying to steal second on a perfect throw from catcher Marv Anderson to Dave Caruso.

Weber followed with a long double that would have scored Billet, but Ritzenthaler got Wojnicz on a ground ball to end that threat.

Ritzenthaler put down a final threat in the eighth. Greg Poole opened with a single and was sacrificed to by Frost, but the Pointer southpaw got

the dangerous Palesse and Ted Van Thullenar on ground balls to end the inning.

The Pointers, meanwhile, could do little better with the offerings of Frost. He got out of two jams with double plays and worked his way out of another tight spot in the seventh. After one out, Gene Jack singled and Bob Henning walked, but Gene Mand lined hard to left for the second out and Marv Anderson flew out to deep center field to send the game into extra innings.

Ritzenthaler opened the Pointers eighth with a walk and advanced to second as Harris also walked. After Caruso fanned, Pointer Co-Captain Tom Walkner drove a 1-2 pitch over the left field fence to break up the game.

Next action for Coach Jim Clark's squad will be this weekend as they travel to La Crosse and Platteville on Friday and Saturday, respectively, for a pair of WSUC doubleheaders.

FIRST GAME				
Pointers	AB	R	H	ER
Harris, ss	2	0	0	0
Caruso, 2b	2	0	0	0
Walkner, rf	4	0	1	0
Peterson, 1b	3	1	2	1
Jack, cf	3	1	1	1
Henning, cf	3	1	1	1
Bentley, 3b	3	1	1	1
Anderson, c	2	2	1	1
Setzer, p	1	0	1	0
Mand, 2b	1	0	1	0
Groeschel, pr	0	0	0	0
Grundren, p	0	0	0	0
	21	5	5	1

Warhawks	AB	R	H	ER
Palesse, ss	4	1	1	0
VanThullen, 1b	4	0	0	0
Landisch, cf	4	1	1	0
Stowe, c	3	0	0	0
Billet, 2b	3	0	0	0
Weber, if	2	0	1	0
Wojnicz, 2b	2	0	0	0
Poole, rf	2	0	0	0
Stephens, p	1	0	0	0
Eckstrom, p	1	0	0	0
	28	2	4	1

Whitewater	AB	R	H	ER
Stevens Point	041	000	3-5	
E-Bentley, 1b	3	0	0	0
Wojnicz, 2b	3	0	0	0
Stevens Point 8	3	0	0	0
VP-Setzer, 2b	3	0	0	0
By Eckstrom (Caruso), by Setzer (Wojnicz), 5-Harris				
Stephens (L)	2	5	5	4
Eckstrom	2	5	5	4
Setzer (W)	6	2	1	0
Grundren	1	2	1	0

SECOND GAME				
Pointers	AB	R	H	ER
Harris, ss	2	0	0	0
Caruso, 2b	2	0	0	0
Walkner, rf	3	0	0	0
Peterson, 1b	3	0	0	0
Jack, cf	3	0	0	0
Henning, cf	3	0	0	0
Mand, 2b	3	0	0	0
Anderson, c	2	0	0	0
Ritzenthaler, p	2	0	0	0
	22	3	1	0

Warhawks	AB	R	H	ER
Palesse, ss	3	0	0	0
VanThullen, 1b	3	0	0	0
Landisch, cf	3	0	0	0
Stowe, c	3	0	0	0
Billet, 2b	3	0	0	0
Weber, if	3	0	1	0
Wojnicz, 2b	3	0	0	0
Poole, rf	3	0	0	0
Frost, p	2	0	0	0
	25	0	4	0

Whitewater	AB	R	H	ER
Stevens Point	000	000	00-0	
E-Stowe, 2b	3	0	0	0
DP-Whitewater 2	3	0	0	0
Stevens Point 5	3	0	0	0
SB-Poole, 3-Caruso, Billet, & Frost				
Frost (L)	7	4	2	3
Ritzenthaler (W)	4	0	0	2



GENE JACK, one of the hitting stars in the Pointers doubleheader sweep over Whitewater last Saturday at Bukolt Park, is retired on a ground ball at Warhawk first baseman Ted Van Thullenar in the fourth inning of the first game. Jack a transfer from Rollins College in Florida, had a home run and a single in the opener and added another single in the nightcap. (Photo by Mik Dominowski)



PLAYERS LINED THE DUGOUT ROOF to see the action during Saturday's games against Whitewater. The Pointers won the first game and then battled the Warhawks through seven scoreless innings before Tom Walkner gave the Pointers a 3-0 victory with a three-run homer in the bottom of the eighth. (Mike Dominowski photo)

Trackmen Drop Dual To Oshkosh

By Craig Johansen

The WSU Trackmen opened their outdoor season last Saturday by losing a dual to Oshkosh 81 to 64. Despite losing the Pointers set two school records, breaking the 440-yard relay and 220-yard dash marks.

Jerry Piering broke the old 220 mark of 22.15 held by John Clark with a time of 22.0 and also ran on the relay team which set a new record of 43.9. Tom McKay, Ron Whitt and Tom Leubner were the other runners. The old relay mark was 44.2 set last year by Whitt, Tom Rasmussen, Craig Johansen and Clark.

Oshkosh, which picked up 11 first places to the Pointers six, was led by Rolfe Johns who won the mile and three mile runs.

Piering led the Pointers by adding another first in the 120 high hurdles along with the 220 and relay. Whitt won the 100-yard dash in the time of 9.9, just .05 off the record.

George Check turned in another good performance by winning the triple jump, tying for first in the high jump, adding a second in the high hurdles and a third in the long jump. Kurt Urban picked up the remaining first for Point by taking the discus, and added a second in the javelin and a third in the shot.

The Pointers slammed the triple jump while Oshkosh did the same in the mile and 440-yard dash.

SUMMARY

440 yard - 1. Stevens Point McKay, Whitt, Leubner, Piering, 43.9
mile run - 1. Johns-O, 2. Brooks-O, 3. Brown-O, 4. 28.6
120 yd. H. - 1. Hur - 1. Piering-SP, 2. Check-SP, 3. Sigurdson-O, 15.45
440 yards - 1. Potter-O, 2. Pretty-O, 3. Theriault-O, 52.2
100 yd. dash - 1. Whitt-SP, 2. Leubner-SP, 3. Knip-O, 9.9
880 yds. - 1. Hostelt-O, 2. Gibbs-O, Notstad-SP, 1:59.0

440 Int. hur - 1. Gibson-O, 2. Wilson-O, 3. Brate-SP 50.5
220 yd. dash - 1. Piering-SP, 2. Knip-O, 3. Leubner-SP 22.0
3 mile run - 1. Johns-O, 2. Alm-SP, 3. Brown-O 15:21.7
Mile relay - 1. Oshkosh 3:28.4
Shot - 1. Imming-O, 2. Gabrielson-O, 3. Urban-SP 45'6-3/4"
Discus - 1. Urban-SP, 2. Schraufnagel-SP, 3. Imming-O 130'1 1/2"
Long Jump - 1. Dyteson-O, 2. Eschenbach-SP, 3. Check-SP 21'5"

Triple Jump - 1. Check-SP, 2. Wundrock-SP, 3. Becker-SP 47'8 1/2"
Pole Vault - 1. Townsley-O, 2. Ellis-O, 3. Becker-SP 13'1 1/2"
Javelin - 1. Buchner-O, 2. Urban-SP, 3. Schraufnagel-SP 157'6"
High Jump - 1. (tie) Check-SP 157'6"
Frick-O and Fridrick-O, 3rd-Wundrock-SP 6'0"

Lasch's Sports Flashes

By TIM LASCH

Congratulations to the Pointer baseball squad on their sweep over Whitewater last weekend. They looked better defensively than they have in years and the pitching couldn't have been much better.

This weekend's action may go a long way toward determining the championship as the Pointers will play four games in two days. If the depth of the pitching staff holds up, the Pointers will be in good shape.

Next Tuesday the Pointers will make up a doubleheader with Oshkosh that was rained out on Apr. 15. This pair of games will be crucial for both teams. The Titans beat the Pointers, 1-0, and 2-0 last week and I'm sure the Pointers haven't forgotten. If you want to see baseball at its finest, get out and support the Pointers. Gametime is 1 p.m.

The Pointer golf squad also got off to an excellent start by whipping Oshkosh and Whitewater, who finished 1-2 in the conference last year.

Sports Illustrated carried an interesting story last week about how the length of the playoffs in pro basketball is killing the sport. I strongly agree - why not just have the winning team in each division meet for the championship? The way it is set up now, a team with the eighth worst record in the league can conceivably emerge as the champion.

The New York Mets of the ABA sue put up a hard fight - even after Lew Alcindor had signed with the Bucks, they still picked him as their first round choice. This leads me to believe that the ABA will hold their draft a month ago. I don't think any ABA team should be signing its players to more than one year contracts, because there won't be an ABA if the next season is as bad as this one was.

Now that Marquette has landed Jim Chones, I think, the next thing they should do is to toughen up their schedule. They were good enough to be rated in the top twenty all last season, but playing such patsies as Eastern Michigan and UWM hurt their ratings all year.

I hope Al McGuire, Jr., decides on Marquette also - he is one of the most underrated players in the state.

The Chicago Cubs certainly have one advantage this season - they are off to a good start, something which doesn't happen too often for any professional team in the Windy City. Now if they can hold their two game lead for the next 145 games, they will win the pennant.

Atlanta may be the surprise team of the league this year. Old Henry Aaron is currently hitting .512 and hit his 512th career home run last week. The Braves have several outstanding young ball players and one of the most powerful attacks in the majors.

According to a survey in Sports Illustrated, the average player in the NFL makes about \$24,000 a season. Quarterbacks are the highest paid, hauling in a paltry \$32,658 on the average. The St. Louis Cardinals were the highest paying team in 1967, with a \$29,560 average, while the poor Packers could shell out only \$28,753. Considering most of the players have lucrative off season jobs, it's not a bad living.

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Soccer Club Opens Its Season Sunday

The first official practice of the spring season for the WSU Soccer Club was held last Saturday afternoon behind Hyer Hall. Coach George Portesi ran his players through a brisk two hour workout, putting his players through several series of drills and plays, mainly stressing ball handling and control.

The first game of the season is Sunday, Apr. 27, against St. Norbert College at West DePere. The Pointers will have only this week to get into condition and be ready to play, so Coach Portesi will be holding heavy workouts everyday this week to get his team ready.

Portesi will probably be stressing physical conditioning, ball handling, and play control. With many experienced players returning, the team should be fairly well balanced both offensively and defensively, but additional players are

needed. Anyone, regardless of experience and interested in playing soccer, should contact Peter Blain, extension 604.

All positions on the team are still open. All persons will have the opportunity to try out for any position. Equipment will be furnished for the games, except soccer shoes, which are required for the players to secure.

Tentative games are being planned with Ripon College, LaCrosse State University, and a return match with St. Norberts. The club is attempting to set up one or two home games, which will be played at Bukolt Park. The Soccer Club posted its 2-1 record last fall in intercollegiate play.

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