The ceiling off the room is almost hidden from sight, choked as it is in a pale blue cloud of stale cigarette smoke. A shout penetrates the conversational din that fills the American Legion Hall meeting room: “Hey, are we baptizin’ anyone tonight?”

A group of five or six vets, all wearing their distinctive red sweatshirts, hustle tonight’s initiate to the front of the hall. About 40 vets look up from their alcoholic revelry to observe the ritual. Slowly they gather mugs and pitchers full of beer and gather around the guest of honor.

One of the older club members, a navy combat veteran, produces a lit cigarette and applies it to the initiate’s sweatshirt as two other members rip the sleeves off. The cigarette burns a tiny hole in the red fabric of the garment and the combat vet jumps back and yells.

“Fire!!!”

Suddenly beer is launched from every container in the room. An alcoholic flood rolls over the initiate, extinguishing the imaginary fire. The new member is left dripping wet as the older vets return to their drinking.

The initiation is complete. The tiny burn hole will remain in the sweatshirt long after the logo and color have been lost to washings, beer stains and general wear.

The scene took place last year. It has occurred several times since then. It will appear less frequently in the future.

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SA’s FY9-13
Recent resolution needs rechecking

Student Government’s latest venture into the constitutional quagmire has produced a potentially dangerous resolution that may open the door to censorship.

Meeting on Sunday evening, SGA voted to accept resolution FY9-13, a piece of legislation that grants the SGA Rules Committee the power to review all resolutions prior to presenting them to the Student Senate. This review is needed, according to the resolution’s author Levai Gregory, because “currently, Senators and Executive Board members tend not to do a sufficient amount of research before presenting resolutions to the Senate.”

With the resolution voted in, the Rules Committee will now have the power to send the author of any piece of legislation back to the books if it feels improper or incomplete research has been done. Theoretically, this will save the Senate precious debate time.

Time, however, seems to be the one thing the Senate has an abundance of this year. At this writing only 16 resolutions have passed before the assembled body of SGA. Of these, four were authored by the Executive Board, two were submitted by SPBAC, two were proposed by the Rules Committee, and only eight came from the Senate itself. Nine or the 16 resolutions have been proposed in the last two months, four of these since the beginning of April. Only seven resolutions came before the Senate during the entire first semester.

Considering the overall absence of legislation, it seems ill-advised to further limit the number or resolutions presented. Poorly researched resolutions are hardly admirable but they are potential legislation nonetheless.

A more serious effect of FY9-13 is the increased capacity for censorship granted to the Rules Committee. While we do not question the integrity of the people involved, it should be pointed out that SGA has struggled to keep three people on the committee. To grant the power to block introduction of resolutions to two or three individuals seriously limits the representative government of student affairs.

Prior to the passing of FY9-13, Rules Committee merely checked resolutions for wording and constitutionality and was not empowered to determine the validity of the research involved. The Pointer feels this was ultimately a more equitable arrangement and urges SGA to reconsider its decision.

Symposium on Survival II
A palatable but unbalanced diet

Freedom of expression is not based on objectivity or equal time. No law states that both sides of an issue have to be given during any presentation.

Education, however, is based on clear and objective information. So is critical thought. In this light, it is a little disconcerting to see the roles played by the History Department and the Students for the Advancement of Critical Thought in last week’s “Symposium on Survival II.”

While most of the speakers appearing in the week-long program were excellent, a decided slant was apparent in the selection. Of the five featured lecturers, only one Dale R. Tahinnen — was not a strong proponent of disarmament.

The Pointer does not contend that all presentations should provide equal time for opposing viewpoints. Obviously, many such enterprises are enacted for the expressed purpose of carrying across a specific point of view. Still, it is both annoying and ironic when a student organization purports to “advance critical thought” by spoon-feeding the audience a pre-digested diet of ideas. Critical thought hinges on the availability of objective and accurate information.

We commend the various organizations involved for their efforts in bringing us “Symposium on Survival II.” We congratulate these groups on programming a fine series of speakers. We do, however, hope that next year’s intellectual menu will be as balanced as it is palatable.
To the Pointer,

Alright! I've read enough quotes from the Bible concerning "sin" and I feel it's time a certain point is brought up. All who you use the Holy Book for your ultimate reference other than a love of life morally seem to think it is an obvious and undeniable fact that the Bible is the word of God. Bull! The Bible was written by men, not deities. The Book is simply a collection of interpretations of God's word and felt through men's minds.

No one has proof that they have met God and heard his word, yet some actually want everyone to orient their lives to some people's statements of how they feel about God. I believe that when a person starts justifying or condemning actions on the basis of God and religion, this is only one expression of how they feel about these actions. Then they turn around and say that those feelings are God's feelings. Of course, many Christians will deny this, and I cannot claim my belief is an absolute truth.

Just for the interests of debate, I have some reflections on this "loving" God. I've read so much about lately who has pasado judgments on us "sinner." For instance, how can God condemn to hell anyone who violates his rules and regulations and still be called "loving?" Heck, I love my own brother more than the Christian God does because I am still free from God's "condemn to hell" even if I hate and didn't accept him. But if he hates and denies God, he will be in agony in Purgatory. Now, I don't like to think of this childish, regarded God in this political way.

Further, I believe that the Christian belief that God punishes "sinners" is a philosophical cop-out. Unable to justify basic beliefs concerning right and wrong, some simply say that God justifies their moral words and thoughts. A psychological need to be universally "right" and "morally" is filled when one accepts the popular religious doctrines of Christianity. Personally, I feel confident and "moral" with the way that I live, and I do not need or care for the Christian belief that God justifies or condemns me because I think of myself as a "sinner." Unable to show how they feel about a certain subject, they are for or against a certain group of people. Unable to show how they feel about an issue, they are for or against a certain way of life. Unable to show how they feel about a certain person, they are for or against a certain policy. I do not know how I feel about God, and I do not have any idea of how he feels about me. I refuse to believe that God takes sides for or against any group of people.

To the Pointer,

I am writing this letter to explain my opposition to Senator Berger's amendment to the proposed 1979-81 state budget. The amendment was drafted in response to the actions of the "Pail and Shovel" party on the UW-Madison campus. Although I understand Senator Berger's reasoning, I believe that the amendment is not the solution.

Section 2 Amendment would alter Section 36.06 (12) of the State Statutes which gives students control over the student food services. The amendment states that a separate segregated fees. Senator Berger's amendment would require the approval of the chancellor for any expenditure in excess of $500.

I intend to oppose the measure because I believe it is unfair to students. The amendment would negatively affect the morale and effective budgeting procedures. The "Pail and Shovel" party's clownish antics deserve criticism. Unfortunately, in an attempt to curtail this foolishness, the amendment disregards the hard work of many students. Senator Berger's response should, however, serve as a warning to anyone who would support or emulate such behavior.

Thank you for the opportunity to discuss my position on this amendment.

William A. Bablitch
Senior Major Leader
24th District

Photo by Mark McQueen

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Coupon books are considered as an alternate Plan and as such are not subject to state tax. Sale of the book or buying of the book knowingly violates tax laws. All books are marked non-transferable.

Sales of coupon books at less than face value have a detrimental effect on Food Service business. We, as a student organization are aware of all the reasons books are sold and of the arguments in favor of continued sales. There are, however, open lines of communications to the contracting parties and a student committee on coupon revision. We strongly urge you to participate in these committees.

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Students would be getting good entertainment when concerts have corresponding popular groups. If UAB would get on the ball by finding the most popular taste, some may respond manpower to concerts ticket. 76 percent of the students would be willing to pay a slightly higher concert ticket fee in order to see better groups perform. In many big cities it would cost between $6-10 to see a group like Ferrari perform. So again, why are there so few major concerts at UWS? Some may respond manpower to put on more big productions. Again our survey holds a problem in deciding what concerts should be featured to attract the students. Many students surveyed were even willing to go as far as becoming full members of UAB. When students were asked to check off a list the things they felt UAB was responsible for, 71 percent had no idea, or were uncertain. Our group thinks that if UAB would get on the ball by campaigning for membership, letting people know what UAB is responsible for, for asking for volunteers to help with concerts and contracting popular groups, everyone would be happier. UAB would be making money, and the students would be getting good entertainment. Communications 181, Sec. 7 Group No. 1

To the Pointer,

Did you figure out the weight of the earth?

The correct figure is zero.

The weight of any object is defined as the force of gravity on it. In case of an object close to the earth, that force pulls it toward the center of the earth. In case the earth itself, the force acting on it would be the gravitational attraction of the sun. If the earth were standing still, its weight would be 6.6 sextillion tons. (Actually, it would be quite a bit more than that, since the sun is much bigger than the earth and has correspondingly greater gravitational attraction.) But if the earth were standing still, it would immediately plummet down into the sun.

But the earth is not standing still. It is rotating in orbit. And in that orbit, the centrifugal force pulling it outward is exactly equal to the force of gravity pulling him inward ("down"). Net force: zero. His weight: zero.

Last week's statement would have been correct if we had said the mass of the earth is 6.6 sextillion tons.

Young, Casmer Sikorski
River Pines

To the Pointer,

This Thursday, at Mable Murphy's the Sigma Tau Gamma Happy Hour will take on a new format. The First Dry Happy Hour. Instead of all the beer you can bear, we will be featuring all the soda you can slurp, in honor of campus Dry Thursday (more correctly "Thirsty" Thursday to the hard-core's). To encourage participation, Lucky's is opening their pool tables giving 3 hours of free beer. Also Bob's Musical Isle is donating albums to be given away randomly throughout the night.

If you have never been to a Happy Hour - stop in. If you enjoy Happy Hours, come in for a drink - but forget the drunk.

Brothers of Sigma Tau Gamma

To the Pointer,

Two years ago last February, a group appeared in the UC Coffeehouse circuit and we could no longer afford him for three nights. However, the UAB Concerts Committee is pleased to bring him back to UWS for one evening. He is the very best entertainment. This Sunday (April 29) at 8 p.m. the Fenton Robinson Banes Band will be appearing in the UC-Program Banquet Room as a part of CLUB 1015 - UAB Concert's nightclub style miniconcert series.

Getting his start while in his twenties, Fenton played in the Southern blues scene with such greats as B.B. and Albert King. In 1960, he moved to the blues capital of the world - Chicago. This was the territory of the legendary Muddy Waters, but Fenton's harmonica and inventive style won him a place in the hearts of Chicago's blues fans. Nineteen years later, he is still going strong with several records to his credit and recently was nominated for a Grammy Award.

For this special one night show, tickets are two dollars and are on sale at the Information Center. (If there are any tickets left, they will be sold at the door.) Seating is limited, so get your tickets early. That's this Sunday at 8 p.m. and for only two dollars this probably will be the best show to hit Stevens Point in a long time.

Jeff Krating
UAB Concerts

To the Pointer,

The men of the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity are eager and willing. Sigma Tau Gamma will be attending the Sigma Tau Gamma Happy Hour. Your presence is very much appreciated. If you would like to express our sincere thanks to everyone who made Brat Fest '78 a success. As can be expected when you have over 1,000 people at a party, there were a few hassles, but with the
News

UW System President visits campus

By Al Peters

Soon to retire UW System President, Edwin Young, was on the UWSP campus with his wife Tuesday to discuss student and university related issues with campus leaders and staff.

Meeting in the Blue Room of the University Center, the group discussed topics ranging from Center System building programs, to student rights.

In the area of student rights, a bill that would require chancellor approval for any student governed expense over $500 was touched on during the course of the discussion. Commenting on the bill, Chancellor Young said that if "you want to get around it, just spend two $250 bills instead."

Young said that the major issue of the UW System as he saw it was the quality of education, while keeping access to the various Center campuses at a maximum. Young said that some students wouldn't have the opportunity for a college level education if they didn't have a Center campus in their vicinity.

Young went on to say that if closing a campus for a reason like declining enrollment was necessary, then the campus would have to be closed.

President Young's resignation goes into effect next January 31.

After he resigns, Young, 62, will stay on at the UW-Madison as an instructor of economics and public administration.

In a previous interview with The Pointer, Young stated he felt it was unwise to wait until he was 65 to get into teaching. He feels that he needs "a few years to make it pay off for the investment of the preparations and getting into the stride of things," adding that waiting until age 65 to teach would not be "fair to the department or to the students."

Controversy rises over Alda House

By Al Peters

Last Monday evening, April 16, the Stevens Point Common Council voted by an 8-5 margin to ask the County Board to reconsider the use of a house at 1917 Cypress St. as a site for the Alda House, an eight-bed halfway house for male alcoholics and drug abusers.

Alda House moved into the Cypress St. location in early March, and it seems that the residents of the 10th Ward neighborhood, where Alda House is located, are unhappy with the location.

Eleventh Ward Alderman, Nick Jelich, went so far as to say that the Alda House residents were "unstable individuals."

At the Council meeting, a majority of the aldermen present sympathized with the 10th Ward residents, indicating that the county Human Services Department mishandled the move to the Cypress St. location.

Recently elected Mayor, and 1st Ward alderman, Mike Haberman, said during a phone conversation that the city of Stevens Point has no power to regulate the location of the rehabilitation center as it is a county function.

Haberman went on to say that after the halfway house has occupied its home at Cypress for a period of one year, then the residents of the neighborhood could appeal the location to the Common Council if they provide sufficient reason.

Previously, Alda House was located in the superintendent's apartment on the second floor of the Portage County Home. But because the building, built in 1932, could not comply with existing fire separation regulations, Alda House had to move.

The purchase of the Cypress St. facility had to be concluded quickly, Human Services Director Richard Porubcansky said. Porubcansky continued by saying that because of the rapidity with which the purchase had to be concluded, the Human Services Dept. was unable to conduct a neighborhood survey to ascertain the desirability of the location.

Another house had been considered as a site for the Alda House but it had to be abandoned because of a law which states that no halfway house type of facility could be within 2500 feet of another such existing facility, without Council approval. The site being considered was located within 2500 feet of the Portage House, the county's halfway house for criminal offenders. As the Common Council did not approve this site, Alda House was forced to move into the Cypress St. location, when it became available.

At April 16th's Common Council meeting, Mr. Porubcansky presented petitions signed by 52 10th Ward residents who did not object to Alda House's Cypress St. location. Among those who signed the petitions were two of Alda House's closest neighbors.

However, 10th Ward Alderman, Robert Fulton, said that he could produce 10 other close neighbors who did object to Alda House's 10th Ward location. Fulton went on to say that the issue is not whether Alda House is a valuable institution or not, but whether or not the move to Cypress St. was handled correctly.

During an interview Porubcansky said that the residents of Alda House were not undesirable individuals, but respected citizens of the community, who had made a lifelong commitment to give up using alcohol and drugs.

Bill McCollough, Alda House administrator, said that he felt the residents in the neighborhood should have been consulted before the move, but that as far as he knew, Alda House could move into any area zoned for 1 or 2 Family dwellings that had an available residence for sale.

Alda House began operation in April of 1976, under the Portage County Human Services Department. Its funding is renewed by the Human Services Dept. on a yearly basis.

Ellery, Lewis discuss Tenure Bill

By Jeanne Pehnki

Recently a bill that would abolish tenure was introduced to the state legislature. If passed, the bill would abolish unlimited term appointments for faculty, establishing individual contracts for each faculty member for a period not to exceed seven academic years.

The bill's three sponsors, Coggs, Ward and Tesmer, were unavailable to comment on why and how they feel that abolition of tenure would benefit the academic community. However, Acting Chancellor Ellery and Leon Lewis, chairperson of the Academic Affairs Committee, were willing to discuss the tenure matter.

Both Ellery and Lewis feel that the object of tenure is to assure an atmosphere of academic freedom. With tenure, it's possible to create an academic environment where professors are free to express their opinions, no matter how controversial they are, without fear of losing their jobs. Lewis gave the Vietnam War as an example. Professors can also teach and conduct research without feeling that their jobs continued page 7
Summer registration set

The Summer Session Time Table is available in the Registration Office. The first opportunity to register for the summer session will be Friday, April 27 and Saturday, April 28, in the Program-Banquet Room of the University Center. Registration will take place according to the first initial of last name.

Friday, April 27: 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., L-R; 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., G-R; 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, S-Z; 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., A-F.

Saturday, April 28: 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., A-S; 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., L-Z.

Writing elective offered

For Summer Session students planning to register for Sociology 240, Marriage and the Family (June 11-July 6-10:30-12:00-G. Skelton): A new one credit writing elective (English 256WX) is being offered by the English Department in conjunction with the Sociology Department.

This elective is designed to provide specific writing techniques, forms, models and methods needed for Sociology 240. The English instructor will assist students with the written work required by the Sociology instructor. This elective, offered for pass-fail credit, is optional for all students registering for Sociology 240. Sections 1 or 2. Students may register for the one credit English elective (English 256WX) when registering for Sociology 240.

For further information, call Donald Patton, Freshman English Office, 346-4758.

Jewish lesbian workshop

On Sunday May 6 the Wisconsin chapter of the National Lesbian Feminist Organization will be sponsoring an all-day workshop on Jewish lesbians and anti-semitism for all lesbians and woman-identified-women, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the downtown Madison YWCA, 101 East Mifflin, Madison.

The workshop will present information on the cultural experiences of Jewish lesbians, explore the topic of anti-semitism and build support networks for Jewish lesbians. Childcare will be provided by reservation by calling (608) 257-9655 by May 3.

Mini courses offered

The Mini Course offerings that will be available during the interim period between 2nd Semester and Summer Session are as follows:

- **Biology 140: Edible and Poisonous Plants** - 2 credits - May 22-June 9 from 10:00 to 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday thru Friday.

Classes will meet in Room 421 of the College of Natural Resources Building.

**COMMUNICATION 101: Fundamentals of Oral Communication** - 2 credits — May 21-June 1 from 9:00-11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday. Classes will meet in Room 201 of the Communication Building.

**PHILOSOPHY 221: Elementary Logic** - 3 credits — May 21-June 8 from 9:00-12:00 noon Monday thru Friday. Classes will meet in Room 107 of the Collins Classroom Center.

**POLITICAL SCIENCE 220-240X: Politics and Life in Britain, A workshop on British Heritage, Institutions, Customs, Habits, Traditions and Political Culture** — EXPERIMENTAL COURSE — 3 credits — May 21-June 8 from 9:00-12:00 noon Monday thru Friday. Classes will meet in Room 108 of the Collins Classroom Center.

**SOCIOL OGY 100X: Small City and Regional Community** — EXPERIMENTAL COURSE — 1 credit — (Pass-Fail based on attendance only) May 21-May 25 from 9:00-11:30 a.m. Monday thru Friday. Classes will meet in Room 325 of the Collins Classroom Center.

**SOCI OLOGY 315: Group Dynamics** — 3 credits — May 21-June 8 from 9:00-12:00 noon Monday thru Friday. Classes will meet in Room 104 of the Collins Classroom Center.

Registration will be done in the Office of Extended Services, Room 315 Delzell Hall through May 11, 1979. The course cost for a Wisconsin Resident will be $36.90-credit and a Non-Resident $103.50-credit payable on or before May 11, 1979.
Do You Wear GLASSES?

Here's an effective new eye-exercise program that can produce astonishing results in a very short time...

The Bettervision Eye Clinic is now offering a program of eye-exercises that can safely correct most cases of poor eyesight—so that glasses or contact lenses are no longer needed. Originally developed by Dr. William H. Bates of the New York Eye Hospital, this method has been widely used by the Armed Forces, schools, clinics, and thousands of private individuals, for the treatment of:

- nearsightedness
- farsightedness
- astigmatism
- middle-age sight

For many years it was thought that poor eyesight was just bad luck, or something you inherit from your parents. Scientists now know that most eyesight problems are caused by accumulated stress and tension—which decrease the eyeball out of shape, and affect the muscles that do the focusing. The result is the eye cannot form an image on the retina, and the world appears to be blurry. In people over 40, the natural aging process is also an important factor.

No matter what your eye problem, the Bates Method can help you. This is a health care program, designed for the individual to exercise at home. It requires no equipment, and is simple enough for everyone who follows it—children, adults, and seniors.

It is important to understand that glasses do not cure a visual problem. They are simply a compensating device—like crutches. In fact, glasses usually make the condition worse. Because they make the eyes weak and lazy, a minor problem often develops into a lifetime of wearing glasses.

The Bates Method corrects poor eyesight by strengthening the eye-muscles and relaxing the eyeball. You do simple eye-exercises that decrease your focusing power, eliminate eyestrain, and help your eyesight become permanent.

Because the Bates Method deals with the basic cause of your eyesight problem, you can expect to see a definite improvement in as little as 1 or 2 weeks. Even if you have worn glasses all your life—things will become clearer and better, and you will have flashes of 20/20 vision as you go through the program, these flashes become longer and more frequent, gradually blending into permanent better sight—at which point the exercises are no longer necessary.

We usually find that people whose eyesight is not too bad can return to 20/20 vision in about a month. Even if your eyesight is really poor, within 2 to 3 months you should be able to put away your glasses, once and for all. Read these case histories:

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—The Boston Phoenix

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Special Return Appearance At UWSP
The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) is doing a headstand — and it's not practicing yoga. Another federal law, which has turned this key environmental law on its head, is the PSC, a federal program designed to fund projects for wildlife restoration.

The committee for Humane Legislation, Inc. and the Frontier Wildlife Unit filed suit in March against the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) for refusing to provide funding for projects carried out under the Pittman-Robertson Act. The FWS, formally known as the Federal Aid in Wildlife Restoration, or P-R for short, created a special fund within the U.S. Treasury derived solely from 17 percent federal excise tax paid on firearms, shells, cartridges, and archery equipment.

The money is apportioned among the states on the basis of a formula which includes such factors as the size of a state and the number of paid hunt licenses. Eligible states are entitled to receive up to 75 percent funding for an approved state wildlife restoration project if judged "substantial in character and design" by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. In 1978 alone, $68 million was apportioned to states throughout the nation.

Last March the humane groups asked U.S. District Judge Charles Richley in Washington, D.C. to stop further funding for projects until FWS prepared environmental impact statements for the overall P-R program and for each specific state program or project which has a significant effect on the environment.

Citing burning, clear-cutting and flooding of marshes as examples of federal funding projects which have created an artificial "deer explosion" and have had adverse effects on animal species that inhabit the areas. They also sought to stop states from spending any P-R money on federal land and to prohibit states from counting the services of volunteers as part of the 25 percent matching share they are required to provide. It is Pittman-Robertson funds which were being spent illegally for law enforcement and public relations activities. (The suit does not affect the Dingell-Johnson Conservation Act, which deals with fisheries.)

The FWS responded to the suit in its intention to follow a strategy for meeting NEPA requirements, which is outlined in a final environmental impact statement. The FWS has rejected the Pittman-Robertson program. Expenditures of P-R funds on federal lands are allowed, as is inclusion of volunteer services toward meeting the 25 percent share, said agency attorneys. The FWS denied that P-R funds are being used for law enforcement or public relations by the states.

The suit, originally settled by court agreement last April, was refiled November when the plaintiffs found that the U.S. Department of the Interior had prepared environmental assessments on only about 50 of the more than 400 projects now funded under P-R. The misunderstanding about the proposed funding for P-R was supplied by FWS to a second court agreement, signed December 5 by both sides. For 90 days, from December 5 until March 7, FWS agreed not to renew funding for any current wildlife restoration projects which so angered Pittman-Robertson proponents.

During the first two months of this "freeze," FWS prepared fact sheets which contained 12 specific items of information on each of the 400 projects funded under P-R for which no environmental assessment had been prepared. The fact sheets include a description of each project, a statement of whether it is expected to result in any significant air, water or land pollution and whether birds and mammals are affected.

In exchange for this information, the groups temporarily agreed not to pursue an injunction against the program. The group reviewing the fact sheets submitted by FWS, both parties must agree whether or not a full environmental impact statement shall be prepared for projects from December 5 to March 7. The agreement not to fund projects for that period, according to several federal officials. But the FWS could be curtailed funding could be bad news, since many projects will come up for renewal on July first. The Pittman-Robertson Act begins most states fiscal years.

According to Jerry Blackard, federal aid coordinator in the FWS office in Denver, some states could lose a lot of money. If a state was forced to bid obligate its share of money within a certain time, the money goes back to the U.S. Treasury. Although the percentage varies, in some cases P-R funds provide nearly half of a state fish and wildlife agency's budget. Most state wildlife agencies are supported entirely by federal aid monies and the revenue from sales of hunting and fishing licenses.

What worries state officials most is that the FWS will demand that if projects and personnel layoffs are not made, New Mexico's snow study could be halted. The Stuart, said, "We're just beginning to see things" after completing the third year of a deer and elk study. "If we had to stop to do an EIS which could take two years all this previous work would be wasted. We'd have to start over," he said.

One of the humane groups' major criticisms of the P-R program is that it is conducted for game species at the expense of nongame wildlife — is rebutted by New Mexico which is using P-R funds for a basic nongame study. The New Mexico study can only be cutback in P-R funds would be reduced, according to Stuart.

Montana, with more than one million dollars of P-R money distributed in 1978, provides another example of what a cutback in P-R funds would mean. With its third of P-R money in Montana range has been acquired. This range is managed in its natural state — "we just let the grass grow, and all the songbirds that nest, the shrubs and the flowers, everything's there," said one official. He added that about half of all the dollars used on the state's wildlife areas is nonhunting recreation.

Growing out of an effort to stop the proposed Haven nuclear power plant near Sheboygan and to organize anti-nuclear power groups in the eastern part of Wisconsin, the Rainbow Alliance has been formed. According to spokesperson Nancy Simenz.

Presently the newly formed alliance is in its "formative stage," said Simenz, and is meeting once a month. Membership consists of about 20 environmental groups from around the state, she claimed. "Member groups of the Rainbow Alliance should be more than just anti-nuclear in their scope of activities," Simenz explained, "they must also actively support alternative energy development."

The only major action of the Alliance thus far has been organizing a statewide "Day of Accountability" during which demonstrations were held simultaneously outside WPSC offices in Milwaukee, Madison, Green Bay, Sheboygan, and Stevens Point. The group is now planning activities for an international day of protest against nuclear power and in support of alternate energy development, tentatively scheduled for June 2.
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The status of a vanishing era

There are simply fewer and fewer vets attending the unversity each year, said Tom Pesanka, Veterans Administration representative at UWSP. "The number has dropped 40 percent in four years and it is dropping still," Pesanka said. "There were almost 700 vets on campus when he came into his office in August 1976. Currently there are about 330 full-time students who are classified as "Vietnam Era Veterans" (having served in Vietnam between August 5, 1964 and July 1, 1975). By 1983, Pesanka said, there will only be about 165. Pesanka feels that vets on campus are generally understandable, in that less veterans going to school now are less alcohol oriented and more financially secure. Pesanka feels that vets on campus are generally content with the performance of the Veterans Administration (VA). "They understand the problems encountered in any government bureaucracy," he noted, understanding that late checks and difficulty in processing financial aids are the biggest problems.

A few veterans have been critical of the VA, Pesanka admitted, citing medical care as the main complaint. While most vets feel the free medical care is a welcome benefit, and any of the VA hospitals are not designed to meet the needs of the Vietnam Era veteran, options are still limited compared to Vietnam II vets.

Critical do persist, however, on state and federal veteran programs. George Guenther, former Legislative and Liaison Officer for the UWSP Veterans 550, stated in a letter that "the state of Wisconsin has been grossly neglecting providing benefits to veterans." Guenther cited the attempt to raise Economic Assistance loan interest from three to five percent and the temporary firing of Secretary of Veterans Affairs John Moses as indications of this negligence. Other critics maintain that the B311 group given to Vietnam Era veterans under the GI Bill is not enough to continue education. They cite the fact that WW II vets received tuition and book costs plus a living allowance. The GI Bill under federal law 550, the club's namesake, and taking at least one credit.

The average age of a 550, according to Coffey, is 22. Sixty veterans lived in veteran dormitories. Five or six years ago, most 550's were also Sefi's. At that time, the drinking adventures of campus veterans were almost legendary. With the advent of the tragic death of Sefi Lampy Hoffman, however, the Sefi's vanished and the alcoholic escapades of the 550's lessened in attention and intensity. An offspring of the 550's in the early 70's was the conscientiousness of America by US Vietnam veteran. The individual writings were anthropologized by a number of campus combat vets, among them James A Jenkins, former editor of The Pointer; Lyle Updike, former UWSP Student Government President; and Bob Shaver, former SGA Budget Director and currently executive assistant in the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs.

In an introduction to the work, Jenkins described the effects of war after US troop withdrawal: "If this truth is obscured by America's belief that her

Pesanka noted that the club is now less alcohol oriented and more service inclined. "They were always people interested in community service and worthwhile projects. They sort of got shouted down by the others." Economic factors are primarily responsible for the downward trend in vet enrollment. Veterans not enlisted on or before December 31, 1976 do not qualify for GI Bill benefits. In light of such, fewer and fewer veterans will be returning to school after service. Plans do exist to subsidize education for these vets but only a small number are expected to take advantage of the programs, according to Larry Sipiorski of the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs. Sipiorski noted that more women are taking advantage of GI Bill benefits now than in the past. This, however, is not enough to counter the downward trend in vet enrollment.

Adding to the situation are the economic pressures currently felt by veterans assistance programs. The Wisvet Outreach service, designed to "assist veterans with the educational, vocational, social, psychological, and economic problems of adjustment," is currently facing the axe. Parent organizations of the Outreach program may soon be dissolved and it is not certain whether or not other groups will pick up the service.

At present, however, one thing remains certain; after moving over 5,000 Vietnam Era veterans through the halls of academia, UWSP is finally facing the end of a unique period. Veterans enrolling in the next few years will be technically and spiritually separated from the Vietnam experience. And things will never be the same.
Brat Fest '79

Last Saturday, April 21st, over one thousand UWSP students, faculty and Stevens Point residents got out to enjoy some beer, brats, good music and sunshine at the 3rd annual Brat Fest held at Papa Joe's.

The event put on by Sigma Tau Gamma, featured some fine music by the group Entropy, not to mention about 70 half barrels of beer and 850 pounds of brats. The weather conditions couldn't have been better, and the enthusiastic crowd thoroughly enjoyed the outdoor festivities.

The members of Sigma Tau Gamma should be congratulated for all the hard work they put into the Fest, and it is hoped that next year we will be able to see the 4th annual Brat Fest barring any city legislative restrictions.

UCPB APPROVES CONVERSION OF DEPOT ROOM TO MASSAGE PARLOR!

Beginning May 1, 1979 the Depot room at Allen Center will become a massage parlor. This change in facility use was approved by the University Centers' Policy Board in a special session last week.

Rose Perrizo, UCPB Chairman said “we try to respond to student requests, and, although we are breaking new ground with this decision, the demand is there so we thought we would try this as an experiment. If this is a success we hope to work on a new form of ‘Escort Service’ for fall.” Patrons must have a current validated University I.D. Coupons will be accepted.

Applications should be directed to Bob Ham, c/o the Pointer. The Chancellor's Office had 'no comment'.

UCPB plans to operate the “Parlor” through final exams, at which time it will decide if the change should be permanent.

Is this story for real? No.

But it could be if you want it to be! The University Center's Policy Board is responsible for formulation and review of the University Centers' policies and programs. It seeks to promote the University Centers' role in co-curricular activities and services.

We are now accepting applications for new members for next year. Pick up a form today at the U.C. Information Desk.

Ten board members will be elected on Registration Day, May 7.

* This is an advertisement for UCPB.
This week, April 22-28, has been national volunteer week. National volunteer week is something like national secretary week, only instead of taking a secretary to lunch, you volunteer to be national secretary week, only been national volunteer week. There are over 300 students who have been involved so far this year with volunteer services.

We on this campus should especially take note of this week. There are over 300 students who have been involved so far this year with volunteer services. Coordinated by Georgia Duerst, there is a volunteer organization called the Association for Community Development. And that's exactly what they do: community development. Here some of the students help teach disabled persons skills that can help them get jobs. All of these programs are designed to help these persons become integrated into society again.

There are many other programs such as adopting grandparents, being a pal to a child with only one parent, and establishing Boy and Girl Scout programs for epileptic brain-damaged children. While the focus of the programs is helping others, being a volunteer also helps the people involved.

The main thing they do here is provide the individual attention the residents need that they cannot get in the group setting they are in. Another large program is with the New Concepts Foundation. Here students help disabled persons with physical activities such as basketball and volleyball.

A more specialized program is at Community Industries. Here some of the students help teach disabled persons skills that can help them get jobs. All of these programs are designed to help these persons become integrated into society again.

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According to Duerst, people become volunteers for many reasons. Some join purely for the personal satisfaction of helping others; it helps their feelings of self-worth if someone needs them. Others join for vocational experience so that when they go out to look for a job they will have had some experience in their field. Some join just to be members of a group and to be able to identify with that group.

Volunteers on this campus come from all walks of the university. While most come from the psychology, sociology and education departments, there are people from natural resources, communication and history. Duerst claims to be able to find something for everyone to do. People are assigned programs according to their skills and interests.

And what do these people gain from this involvement? They gain self-confidence; they gain an awareness of the community and the community gains an awareness of the university. Many become more empathetic to problems of those less fortunate than themselves and gain an awareness of other's needs.

It also provides good experience outside the classroom and gives students a chance to practice classroom theories and apply what they've learned. Many learn to become good listeners.

If you think that maybe volunteer services has what you need, feel free to call Georgia Duerst at extension 4343 or stop in at the Student Activities office located in the lower level of the University Center.

Today Is The Last Day To Buy Tickets For TROJAN WOMEN Opening Night Performance FRIDAY MAY 4 Formal Dinner Theatre

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Poets In The Gallery
McKeown and Oldknow,
May 3rd

By Karl Garson
Sharing the billing next Thursday night in the Edna Carlsten Gallery, poets Tom McKeown and Antony Oldknow promise a lively evening.

Both writers are faculty members at UWSP and each boast an impressive list of publications and accomplishments.

McKeown was born in Evanston, Illinois. His formal education was gained at the University of Michigan. Less formal, more important, was an education gained in travel to North Africa, Mexico, Corsica, Oshkosh, Peoria and Plover.

Before joining the English Department faculty here, he taught at Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri, and preceded that with faculty positions at colleges in Wisconsin and Michigan.

Listing The New Yorker, The Atlantic Monthly, Harper’s Magazine, Saturday Review, The Nation, North American Review, and the Yale Review among publications in which his poems appear, McKeown also reports a manuscript The Strength or Illusions as being considered by a publisher.

Upon publication this book will join 10 others in the list he has had published since 1967.

Recipient of an Avery Hopwood Award in Poetry from the University of Michigan and more recently honored on April 2nd of this year by the performance of his eleven poem cycle Circle or the Eye; set to music for piano and voice; at New York’s Carnegie Hall, Tom McKeown promises refreshing glimpses of his considerable talent in the Fine Arts Building gallery next Thursday at 8 p.m.

Equally talented, Antony Oldknow holds down the other half of the bill.

Born in Peterborough, England, Oldknow received his higher education at the University of Leeds.

His teaching experience includes Cowdenbeath College, England, Universite Laval, Quebec, North Dakota State University and UWSP.

Editor and publisher of the Scopcraeft Press, which includes the magazine Mainstreeter, he has published nearly 100 books under its banner.


Antony Oldknow’s most recent success has included poems in The Nation and a short story in The Wisconsin Review as well as a BBC-TV performance of his poem Lament For England.

A fine craftsman in the writing of his poems and superb in their performance, Antony Oldknow should spark up the gallery next Thursday.

The University Writers Announce Meeting

The University Writers will elect officers for the 79-80 academic year at their meeting tonight. Anyone interested in working as a member of the Writers is urged to attend at 6:30 in the Red Room of the University Center.
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Men's track team 4th in WSUC relays

In what coach Rick Witt called a "flat" performance, the UWSP men's track team tied for fourth place in the Wisconsin State University Conference Relays, held at UW-Oshkosh Stadium.

"We just didn't run with much intensity," noted Witt. "Everybody went through the motions and did their job, but as a whole the team wasn't up for the meet."

Witt felt that the Pointers were looking ahead to the Drake Relays and WSUC conference outdoor meet in the next two weeks.

UW-Whitewater, inspired to take the title after finishing second in the conference indoor meet, blew out UW-La Crosse for top honors by a 124-86 margin. Oshkosh was right behind UW-L with 84 points, the Pointers tallied 79.

Eau Claire 52, Stout 39, River Falls 26, and Platteville 15. Stevens Point was 6th out of 8 teams.

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--New Games Festival to be held Sunday

Loose Naturals introduce New Games

By Leo Pieri

A unique and interesting recreational event will take place this Sunday, April 29th, beginning at 12 noon, as the first annual New Games Festival will be held at Mead Park.

The festival is open to all inhabitants of Stevens Point and surrounding communities, and it is for all ages.

The idea behind the festival is to get the whole town involved. That's including everyone from grade school, to high school and college students, all the way up to senior citizens. The games are for all age levels and the people running the festival encourage everyone to come out and participate, or just watch.

The games will be sponsored by the Central Wisconsin Loose Naturalists organization, and Eichler recorded a 54.1

Mile walker Dave Bachman, 52:16.

Placing third for UWSP were the 440 relay squad of Sapa, Hunter, Lukitus, Bork, 1:02.4; the 880 relay of John Rolefson, Dave Gentz, Jay Huneik, 3:26.7; and the mile relay team of Johnson, Rolefson, Eichler, Buntman, 4:26.7.

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Coach Witt singled out Sapa, Eichler, and Buntman for their performances. Buntman was clocked in 1:33.1 for 880 yards in the sprint medley relay.

This weekend a small group of Pointers will travel to the prestigious Drake Relays in Des Moines, Iowa.

The Pointers also placed second eight times and third six times.

The shuttle hurdle unit of Sapa, Chris Seeger, Lammers and Eichler was blocked in 1:02.9. Also placing second for UWSP were the sprint medley relay of Dan Bodette, Scott Brewer, Jim Wegener, Dan Buntman, 3:31.9; the 880 relay of Bodette, Don Hunter, Dave Lukitus, Mark Bork, 1:30.5; and the mile relay team of Mark Johnson, Bodette, Joel Coer, Buntman, and 10,000 meter walker Dave Bachman, 52:16.

The shuttle hurdle relay, and Eichler ran strong races in both relays. Sapa was also pleased with all of our shuttle hurdle units.

"The idea is to get people together to have fun, and a good time," said Buechler. "It's a non-competitive, non-athletic, for everyone to play."

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The Loose Naturals are a UWSP funded organization, and with the festival they are bringing in some new and intriguing games. Among the games are the Earth Ball game. The Earth Ball is a giant ball 6 feet in diameter with the earth painted on it. Talk about a fun thing to push around...

All of the games promise to be fun, interesting and far-out. There are some really active games and some really mellow ones. Among the games will be the Sock Toss, Schmerlitz, Tug-A-War, Husker Hawser, Knots (a game with a group of people tying knots with their hands), Bug Tag, and Snake in the Grass.

Refreshments and food will be served at the festival, and the Naturals are looking for anyone available to help out with the event, including people who would like to umpire events.

The rain date for the festival is the following weekend. Anyone with questions concerning the event should contact Lori Buechler at 346-3738 room 420.

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Lady trackers dominate Colman Invitational

The UWSP women's track team dominated the Stevens Point Invitational held at UWSP Colman Field Saturday.

The Lady Pointers gathered 164 points by winning first place in 13 of the 22 events held. UW-Platteville and UW-Whitewater tied for second with 101 points each.

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Pam Houle led the Pointers with a pair of blue ribbon finishes and a second. The firsts came in the high jump with a leap of 5'3" and in the 440 yard dash with a time of 1:00.4. The second place was in the 220 dash clocked at 25.2.

Shawn Krekel won the 110 hurdles with a clocking of 16.9 and teammate Ginnie Ross broke the tape in the 440 hurdles in 1:31.1.

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Summer canoe expedition scheduled

The Lansing Community College Physical Education Department announced a four-week Northern Ontario Canoe Expedition this summer from July 13 to August 10. The program is designed to teach outdoor camping, canoeing, and expedition skills while canoeing 350 miles through remote Canadian wilderness. Enrollment is limited to 13 students, who will meet with two instructors for five days of intensive preparation at the Pine River Camp on Neebish Island, near Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, where they will learn and practice the skills they will need for the trip. The students will also pack food and equipment necessary for their expedition.

The group will then take the Algoma Central Railroad 150 miles north from Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario and will begin its canoeing at the town of Oba. The canoeists will travel north down the Kabinakagami and Keno-gamii rivers, camping at night on the banks of the rivers, at abandoned trappers' cabins or logging camps. They will encounter white water which they will run or portage, and they will see mile after mile of unspoiled wilderness country.

Finally, after two weeks' canoeing, the group will enter the Albany River and continue northeast to the community of Fort Albany on James Bay, the southern part of Hudson Bay. A plane will take them from Fort Albany to Moosonee, from there by rail to Cochrane, Ontario, and by van back to Pine River Camp.

A day is planned at the Pine River Camp to check in equipment and to evaluate the expedition before the program ends. Interested adults should write: Lansing Community College Physical Education Department or call 517 373-7130 for enrollment information.

S. E. A. Presents:
"The Sunshine Singers"
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Saturday, April 28
Noon until 10 p.m.
Iverson Park
Sponsored by UWSP Vets 550
Pointers stop Whitewater, fall to UW-O

By Tom Tryon

The UWSP baseball team established itself as a team to reckon with in the WSUC this past weekend.

After dropping a pair of close decisions to perennial Big Ten power Minnesota the Pointers rebounded to hand UW-Whitewater a 4-1 loss in the top half of a scheduled twinbill. The second game was postponed due to rain.

"The Pointers returned home to Look-out Park on Saturday to host WSUC. Southern division defending champ UW-Oshkosh swept the Pointers in both ends of the doubleheader 11-8, 12-11.

Junior hurler Jeff Seeger limited Whitewater hitters to three hits, three walks, one earned run while fanning eight Warhawks. Seeger leads the active pitching staff with a 1.56 ERA and 22 strike outs.

"I think we proved that we can play with anyone in this conference."

— Ken Kulick —

The Pointers scored all four runs in the second inning when Dan Wilcox laced a one out double then scored on two wild pitches. The Pointers loaded the bases with three walks to set up a three-run double that rightfielder Randy Schmitgen drove to the opposite field.

"It is very satisfying to win the conference opener," said coach Ken Kulick. "Jeff Seeger pitched a great game and received outstanding defensive support. Also, Schmitgen's hit was a big one and made the difference."

The Pointers were not as fortunate against Oshkosh as they relinquished respective leads of 7-1 and 6-0 to Oshkosh in marathon single games. The Stevens Point nine scored eight runs on nine hits in the opener and 11 runs on 12 hits in the nightcap but were unable to control the timely hitting of the Titans.

Leading the Pointers at bat were Schmitgen and Scott Fisher with a pair of two-baggers and three hits on the day, while Al Drake collected four and Rod Larson had three in the second game.

Catcher Duane Balthazor drilled his second home run of the season in the third inning of the opener. Wilcox aided the cause by knocking in three runs in each contest.

A grand-slam homer in each game was enough to thwart the efforts of the Pointers and make the difference between chalkin up two important wins.

However, head mentor Ken Kulick was not too disappointed with the outcome. "I think we proved that we can play with anybody in this conference," he said.

The Pointers are now 1-2 in loop play and 7-11 overall. They will play a pair of doubleheaders against UW-Platteville at home and a rematch with Oshkosh Saturday on the road.

Women's track cont'd

Ann Maras and Cyndee Kreitlow each finished with a second and third place to their credit. Maras placed second in the shot put with a toss of 39'4 1/2" and third in the discus with a throw of 123'1 1/4". Kreitlow finished second in the 110 low hurdles with a 17.0 clocking and third in the 440 hurdles in 1:26.6.

Other runner-up finishers for the Pointers were Beth Mayek, mile run, 5:42.9; Deb Schmale, 100 yard dash, 11.7; Renee Besmer, three mile run, 19:08.2; Jeanne Lasee, 880 run, 2:32.5; and Diane Johanning, two mile run, 12:31.8.

Third place finishers were Teri Martens, long jump, 16'9 1/4"; Darcy Newman, mile run, 5:51.8; Betsy Bowen, 220 dash, 27.8; and Kelly Wester, two mile run, 12:43.5.

— Drop doubleheader to Oshkosh 11-8, 12-11 —
Supertramp

Breakfast in America
A&M SP-3708
Reviewed by Fred Brennan

There are many ways to achieve success as a performing group or individual. Overnight success happens occasionally. Groups like Foreigner and Boston caught on quickly and have had major exposure and record sales ever since.

Other performers have been successful but not quite so blatantly pushed through the media. You know, the ones that always seem to be lingering on the charts with some album of theirs. Kenny Loggins, Neil Young, Pink Floyd (Dark Side of the Moon has been in the top 200 selling albums over 10 years), Led Zeppelin, and The Marshall Tucker Band never seem to destroy and not well received throughout. Even in impressions found in our country. "Gone Hollywood" shows one's struggle to become a prominent man in "the land of opportunity": I'm in this dumb motel, Near the 'Taco Bell' Without a hope in hell, I can't believe that I'm still around... ...And now the words sound familiar, as they slam the door

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The album illustrates their move to the U.S. from tax-ridden England, and the various stereotypical impressions found in our country. "Gone Hollywood" shows one's struggle to become a prominent man in "the land of opportunity": I'm in this dumb motel, Near the 'Taco Bell' Without a hope in hell, I can't believe that I'm still around... ...And now the words sound familiar, as they slam the door

"You're not what we're looking for." "The Logical Song" (complete with fourth down blips from a Mattel computer football game) shows the attitudes taken on in maturity. Growing up from the individual child to the conformist adult who is so busy trying to live like everyone else that he loses track of who he is himself:

Could we have kippers for breakfast? Mummy dear, Mummy dear
They got to have 'em in Texas Cos everyone's a millionaire

Right now "The Logical Song" is doing well on the airwaves. But another song, entitled "Lord is it Mine," looks like the real prospect for a money-maker. The song is probably the best attempt on the album and one of the most notable in a long time.

One thing that is amazing about this five-man group is that they always manage to keep a full and rich sound, liberal, fanatical, criminal. Won't you sign up your name, we'd like to feel you're acceptable, respectable, presentable, a vegetable!

And everyone's favorite misconception of the rich American is shown up in "Breakfast in America":

The 8 p.m. performance is sponsored by Arts and Lectures as a replacement for the Orchestra of Mexico, which was forced to cancel its appearance several weeks ago.

The 13-member band, conducted by Dave Fulmer, is a nostalgic resurrection of the old Jack Daniel's Original Silver Cornet Band formed in Lynchberg, Tenn., in 1892. According to Fulmer, there were over 10,000 small town bands in American around 1890.

He says that almost every town had a band. They all had a small bandstand and the musicians were townspeople like the banker, the hardware clerk, the feed merchant, and the harness maker, who practiced their trades by day and played with the bands on the side.

Fulmer describes the band's sound as an echo from another era—a simpler, quieter time—slower paced, and more meaningful by today's standards. It is the happy, naive sound of the final decade of the last century when the bandstand was the cultural hub of thousands of rural communities. The group's leader spent more than three years researching the old bands and obtaining special instruments, arrangements and the musicians to play them. He formerly was a free-lance musician, writer and producer who made films for the Jack Daniels Co. when he became interested in recreating this segment of America's musical past.

The musicians perform in authentic costumes under a white gazebo, with Fulmer narrating the proceedings from a wicker rocking chair. After each number, he chats with the audience, ending on an anecdotal note. The band's repertoire ranges from patriotic numbers to hymns, popular songs from different eras.

Tickets for the performance are on sale at the Arts and Lectures Box Office, open Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

The sounds of a small town turn of the century band will be recreated for the Stevens Point community when the Jack Daniel's Silver Cornet Band appears in concert at the Sentry Theatre, Wednesday, May 2.

The Jack Daniels Band to play here
Cooperation of everyone the problems were quickly resolved. There are many people to whom we owe thanks. Papa Joe's, Environ, Jay's Distributing, WSWS, to name a few. Most though, we owe thanks to you, our patrons, who made Brant feel like a time. We hope everyone had as much fun as we did. Thanks again. Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity

To the Pointer
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Used scuba diving equipment. Steel tank, regulators, gauges, very good condition. Call Marshfield 384-3277.


Football Tournament Table. Brand new butcher type with solid rods and hand-picked men with rounded weighted feet. Contact John F. in Room 221, 341-2533 or leave a message.

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Students are feeling lonely and alone? Are you having difficulty handling your fears? We can help you. Call Dial-Help, 341-4060 or leave a message.

One Grad student to share apartment with 2 others in CDM's Village for summer and/or fall. Contact Jean for more information, 344-7903

Persons to share two bedroom duplex, May 17-30, 1979 after 5 p.m.

Graduation tickets to buy. I will pay cash for 6 tickets. Please call 341-2693 after 3 p.m., ask for Mark.

2 females needed to sublet a 3 bedroom house one block from campus. Available May 15-August 15. Call 341-1430.

A senior female is in desperate need of a place to live for the upcoming school year. Looking for a single room or apartment near campus. Will live with non-smokers, non-drinkers. Call Linda at 341-5859.

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George Knudsen, Chair Public Relations Committee, will present a talk and slide presentation tonight at 7 p.m. in the UC. He will be giving a non-interpretive program. Knudsen has been an environmentalist for the state since 1963.

The presentation is being sponsored by the Natural Resources, Recreation and Agriculture and everyone is welcome to attend.

Nominations are now being taken for officers of the Association of Communicators. Officers are: President, Vice President, Secretary-Treasurer, three student reps to faculty meetings. Voting will be May 3, during the communication Pre­registration in room 1025 of Communication Building.

Attention CNR students and faculty: "Keep America Beautiful Day" is Saturday, April 28. Do your part and help to clean up Schmeecke Reserve and the arboretum. Those interested in helping may meet in parking lot J at 1 p.m. Beverage for workers after clean up. Come rain or shine.

Family Planning is moving from 5 to 9 p.m. to the basement of the Portage County Home, 700 W. Gilkey Human Resources Center. The Human Resources Center is located one block north and one block west to the Portage County Home. FPFS is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing healthy, reliable, affordable, confidential, drug-free, non-promotional, educational, and professional services. Your goal is to help individuals space and plan their families in a loving and healthy manner. We will give birth to a healthy child.

Come to the first Homecoming 79 organization meeting on Tuesday, June 1 at 7 p.m. in the Green Room of the UC. Bring your ideas and help make Homecoming '79 the best ever. Any questions call Sharon at 337-2408. Refreshments will be served.

Rides to New Games at Mead Park will be in front of UC at 1:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., and 4:30 p.m.

CNR picnic, May 6, 1 p.m., Bukolt Park, tickets are on sale today. First floor CNR, I-society softball game in the afternoon, lots of beer, brains, and burgers.

Student Chapter of the SAF will hold a meeting Monday, April 30 at 7 p.m. in the Wisconsin Room of the UC. Guest speaker this day will be Mr. Larry Frye on the topic of wood veneer. He's from the Fine Hardwoods American Walnut Association of Indiana. Everyone is welcome, refreshments will be served.

LRC Exam Week Hours: Saturday May 12 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday May 13, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.; Monday May 14 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Tuesday May 15 9 a.m.-6 p.m.; Wednesday May 16, 7:45 a.m.-6 p.m., 7:45 a.m.-10 p.m.; Thursday May 17, 7:45 a.m.-10 p.m.; Friday May 18, 7:45 a.m.-3:45 a.m.; Saturday May 19, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

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