RUNNING OUT OF TIME
We're sorry, we were wrong....

Last fall, Pointer Magazine strongly urged students to support a UWSP Council vote in the campus referendum. We claimed that a vote in favor of continued affiliation with the Madison based UW System was a vote for student advocacy. By a 1 to 1 margin, you agreed—or at least took our word for it.

Perhaps we should have.

It was our hope at the time of Pointer Mag's editorial endorsements that a renewed financial commitment on our part would guarantee strong legislative representation for UWSP students in the state legislature. In the Legislative Affairs Committee, Director Cart Pawlisch, former Academic Affairs Director Michael Hein and Executive Director Jane Shattuck approached their jobs with the necessary vigor and integrity to justify such optimism. Had all six members of UC's executive staff been this effective, UW system students would have indeed been in good hands. Unfortunately, it has become increasingly evident in light of recent disclosures that this was not the case.

Investigative articles which have appeared in Madison's Daily Cardinal, Milwaukee's Post, Oshkosh's Advance-Titan, and Pointer Magazine have uncovered a definite pattern of financial impropriety or neglect on the parts of UC President Scott Bentley and Women's Affairs Director Barbara PolDler. In addition, there have been serious questions raised regarding the on-the-job accountability of the two and on Minority Affairs Director Bert Simpson's UC contributions as well.

Despite the recent slew of criticisms, Bentley announced last week that he and Simpson would be only two staff members retained for next fall. Former UWSP student Michael Hein was dismissed by his university shortly after he filed an unsuccessful grievance against Bentley (PM, April 21, 1985). Ms. Shattuck received word of her non-renewal last Thursday. Bentley insists this action was taken on the recommendation of the entire staff. Hein and Pawlisch counter that this isn't true.

Pawlisch himself, who many UC veterans contend was a primary reason for the organization's return to respectability, sees very little chance for his renewal. At last month's Executive Board meeting in Superior, Pawlisch released a list of eight suggestions for improving UC, which indirectly implicated Bentley, Starrett, and Simpson in some suspicious shenanigans. Relations between President Bentley and his chief lobbyist Pawlisch have steadily deteriorated as a result.

Bentley's campaign techniques during his successful 1984 run have also been the source of public scrutiny lately. Student newspaper editors have rightly questioned the manner in which Pawlisch himself maneuvered from the race. Bentley's power play in this instance—threatening Pawlisch's job security unless he publicly endorse the incumbent—was frighteningly reminiscent of politicking under the Nixon regime.

So what's the bottom line for UWSP students? Why has Pointer Magazine run the risk of being perceived as self-serving, vengeance seekers? After all, their editor in chief did run for the presidency himself. Why should campus students care what's brewing miles away in Madison? Quite simply, because UW system students, including our own, are subject to the fiscal whims and responsibilities of Bentley and Co.

It is Pointer Magazine's belief that personal expenses like the plethora of parking ticket fees accumulated by Bentley should not be dealt with as a UC concern. Money should not be drawn from the UC checkbook to cover exorbitant and unnecessary travel costs (e.g., slab at Bentley trip to Fond du Lac). None of the financial irregularities which have recently surfaced should be paid for with UC monies, because these are in effect really being paid by state students. We are the ones who foot the bill at the yearly rate of a dollar per student for whatever activities take place in United Council—constructive or nefarious.

Pointer Magazine is upset that the only three staff members with a proven on-the-job track record have been released or not renewed. We are even more upset that Bentley et al. will continue to receive annual salaries of $9,600 or more whether they represent our interests or simply their own. Surely their entire activity is completely unacceptable and should not be tolerated.

Therefore, we ask that President Bentley resign with great expedition and let a new era of financial integrity commence. If this failure to do so should invoke the initiation of immediate impeachment procedures on the grounds of misconduct in office. If you, the students who are paying for UC's fiscal hijinks, feel the same way, encourage you may call your SGA reps and voice your disapproval. They DO care about preserving their constituents' best-interests—if they know what you perceive those interests to be.

Furthermore, if the UC rank and file don't see fit to remove their ideological ally from office, and start the impeachment proceedings necessary for a new campus referendum in the fall. This would establish whether or not our students are allowed to continue contributing money to an organization with UC's current style of leadership.

Don't read us wrong. Pointer Magazine still has high hopes, perhaps too high, for what United Council could do for students, given a dedicated and morally motivated UC staff. Last year, UC had three staff members who clearly demonstrated such characteristics. Perhaps, once all the chaos has settled, they will not be out hiking for students' rights, along with three new, capable, hard working student advocates.

Pointer Magazine sincerely hopes so. But if this isn't to be, stay warned—we're not about to be duped by corrupt, and ambitious student politicians anymore.

Pointer Mag News Staff

Three days in May

...What if you knew her, and found her dead on the ground?

How can you run when you know?

—Neil Young

In tribute to the efforts of students to bring about a better world, let us reflect on the following anniversary dates of significant events in U.S. history:

May 4, 1970: Thirty students were shot, four killed, in a National Guard massacre at Kent State University in Ohio. Students had demonstrated against the Vietnam War since April 30 when President Nixon announced movement of U.S. troops from Vietnam into Cambodia,

...breaking his promise to never take the war outside of Vietnam. Sixty-one rounds were fired, ending the lives of four students, none of whom had participated in any of the weekend demonstrations.

May 5, 1961: Freedom Riders, including college students from the northern and eastern U.S., took two buses from Washington, D.C., to the Deep South to protest segregation laws. One of the two buses was burned outside of Anniston, Alabama. Wherever the buses stopped the Riders were viciously beaten. University of
Musical acts, a special commemorative beer, a baseball tournament, and a Polish festival are among the scores of area businesses and non-profit groups that have given Stevens Point its 125th birthday.

Many organizations are sponsoring an event during the city's birthday celebration, to be held at the riverfront June 23 through July 4. These include water-ski shows sponsored by the Stevens Point Softball Association, hot air balloon rides sponsored by the "125" correspondent in Happy Joe's Pizza and Ice Cream Parlor, and a community sing and beer and ice cream contest, sponsored by the Barbershoppers and Sweet Adelines.

Special programs will be provided for senior citizens and children, with contributions from the Portage County Commission on Aging and the Coppis Corp., respectively. In addition, the local music association will provide a band for the Senior Citizens' Day, and McDonald's Restaurant is planning "a special surprise" for the children.

For the sports enthusiasts, there will be a 12.5 mile canoe race sponsored by the Portage County Democratic Party, a baseball tournament sponsored by the American Legion, a 1.25 kilometer fun run, along with a 12.5 kilometer race coordinated by the local YMCA. The Kids from Wisconsin will perform for area residents, courtesy of Sentry Insurance, as will the 56-piece U.S. Air Force Band, whose appearance is being sponsored by the Allied Veterans Council. The Hockey Moms are sponsoring an evening of music from the 1950s and 1960s, and the Stevens Point Jaycees are planning sponsoring of four musical acts during the festivities. The Jaycees are also sponsoring a carnival and midway at Bukolt Park, the Central Wisconsin Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a Polish festival, and the Wisconsin River Lion's Club is sponsoring the "125" queen pageant and a bang out at the riverfront.

A first aid station will be provided by the American Heart Association July 1-4. Bushman Electrical Inc. is providing the labor for the electrical hookups necessary for the booth area in the park, and the Stevens Point division of the Wisconsin Public Service Corp. is facilitating other electrical needs, including lighting along the riverfront.

The local National Guard will help with security during the celebration, and the Allied Veterans Council is providing assistance in the development of the parade. The Point Brewery is developing and distributing a special commemorative beer, and Consolidated Papers, Inc. is donating the layout, design and packaging of the Point 125 commemorative product.

UWSP's University Relations Division, the University Centers and Student Government Association are funding a commemorative historical newspaper and schedule of events which the Stevens Point Journal has agreed to print for half the regular price.

The local Kiwanis Club has given a "significant" cash contribution and Midstate Airlines donated two "substantial" prizes, according to committee planners. In addition, radio stations WSPTX-WXQY have "provided valuable technical and promotional expertise.

According to committee planners, Stevens Point spent approximately $20,000 to have a professional team plan the centennial celebration in 1958. That work is being done for the 125th celebration solely on a volunteer basis.

Many area businesses have donated money as part of a retail promotional bingo game to be held during the celebration.

A business or non-profit organization wishing to become involved with the city's birthday celebration in any way should contact the Stevens Point Parks and Recreation Department.

Drugs and drink forum here

A workshop for school educators and administrators who assist students with alcohol and other drug problems will be offered this summer for the first time at UWSP. It will be held Monday through Thursday, July 25-28 in Debout Center. Continuing education credits and UWSP credits will be available for participation.

The workshop will be Don Heitzinger, MA, MSSW, MS, executive director of his own education and consulting firm. He has more than 10 years experience working with families, youth and school systems as a therapist, assistance program architect and administrator.

A student assistance workshop is designed to assist school systems in meeting the state mandate to provide education and referral to students on the topic of alcohol and other drugs. Its purpose is to aid participants in gaining knowledge of chemical use, abuse, and dependency, prevention and intervention skills, and tools to implement an assistance program within school systems.

Systems with new or existing student assistance programs may also benefit from additional education and training for personal and committee members, according to Heitzinger.

Participants will learn about the effects of alcohol and other drugs; the continuum of use; assessment techniques; intervention skills; SAP program components; family issues; alternatives; information and resources for students and staff; and the continuum of care and integration.

Registration by July 11 and further information are available through the Office of Continuing Education and Outreach, 103 Old Main, UWSP.

Optional room and board for four days are available on campus for an additional fee.

Funding may be applied for through an Office of Continuing Education and Outreach, 103 Old Main, UWSP.

Registration by July 11 is encouraged for the first 100 participants, and further information are available through the Office of Continuing Education and Outreach.

UWSP Senate backs sex bill

The student senate at UWSP has passed three resolutions dealing with birth control. The laws may try to obtain birth control. Consequences of this resolution, the students stated, will be increases in teen age pregnancies, increases in abortions and decreases in teenagers taking responsibility for sex.

The student senate supports the pending Wisconsin Assembly Bill 260 which would decriminalize sexual activity between consenting adults. The Assembly has passed the bill and sent it to the Wisconsin Senate.

Noting that on abortion matters it has taken "favorable stands on the issue of abortion," the student senate said it opposes Wisconsin Assembly Bill 148 which would prohibit women from obtaining an abortion in any public hospital or other facility funded by the federal government.
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To Pointer Magazine,

As a former editor of a school newspaper, I would like to sorely point out to you what is your job.

It is to promote what is happening on campus. Scores of activities need publicity beforehand, and credit afterwards. Yours is a school function that integrates all the others.

Resist the temptation to turn your paper into a one-sided sounding board for your own personal (and trite) views. That is putting a monetary value to future ecological and environmental consequences. The rationale is economic, based on the highest and best use of the land. Or put another way, the best use is that which contributes most to the GNP.

Under the AMP revenue from the sale of public lands will be used to reduce the one trillion dollar federal deficit. But even selling off the whole 35 million acres would account for only 4 percent of the interest, hardly a sacrifice long-term benefits for short-term gains.

As Dr. Cravens notes, just as in a crash, all-out sale of public lands is not justified, and neither is total opposition. In the April issue of American Forest, Daniel Poole, professor of the Wildlife Management Institute, outlined four criteria of a more effective Asset Management Plan. In brief, the sale of public lands should be: 1) based on criteria other than economics alone; 2) orderly and selective; 3) not a hasty, crash program; and 4) the land sold must be replaced or the funds for replacement provided.

We must consider the intangible future benefits of public land equally with its present economic potential. If you doubt that, it is likely your plan will consider long- and short-term benefits equally write to your senators and representatives. It will make the difference because Congress must act before the land is sold.

Carol McKlnsira

Thanks, Tom

To Pointer Magazine,

I congratulate you and your staff for producing a magazine of excellence. The change from "newspaper" to "magazine" format was correct, and has allowed the understanding of your reporters and editors to be used in many more creative ways.

Your presentation of issues is well balanced, and controversial matters are presented in contexts which seem fair. A good "in print" argument is enjoyable to read and think about.

My best wishes for the continued success of you and your staff.

Thomas McCaig
Professor of Education

Me, a culpa?

To Pointer Magazine,

Your Senior Editor, Mr. Ham, seems to have returned to his old form. His parody of style can certainly be recognized as legitimate. I found much to be complained of in his observations about censorship and the effect that the printed word has on our lives.

May I point out one small error that needs to be corrected? I am certain Mr. Ham will recognize its source.

In principio erat Verbum, et Verbum erat apud Deum, et Deus erat Verbum.

William L.M.H. Clark

Untitled

To Pointer Magazine,

This is in response to my own letter published in Pointer Magazine on April 23, that you so graciously entitled "Another SAGA Saga."

First, I think that your title was misleading to your letter and very unfair towards SAGA Foods. I feel that you owe them an apology for your near-sighted sarcasm and me for putting a title on my letter. Not once did I put all the blame on SAGA for the problem of enforcing the policy of student employees, but your cute title makes it look that way. I will not put cont. on p. 21
UC shakeup continues

Bentley accused of fiscal hijinks

By Joe Stinson
Poitier News Writer

The news from United Community this week has had little to do with the organization’s lobbying efforts. Last week, the press was bombarded with reports of a suspension of several top executives, and this week, the organization is once again in the news.

UC executive director, Bentley, has shown incompetence, neglect or ulterior motives in his financial dealings. This has resulted in a large shadow over the organization’s operations. Bentley’s executive director, Dally, also wrote another organization’s accountant. "This is an outrageous conumdrum," said Jane Shattuc, a member of the UC executive committee.

By the time the day the Cardinal story was released, Shattuc was informed she would not be rehired for the next academic year. At the same time, Bentley announced he would rehire Minority Affairs Director, Bent, and Women’s Affairs Director, Sandy Starrett.

Shattuc said in a telephone interview Tuesday night that a series of checkstubs, most of them dated between April 13-20, do not adequately explain the transactions or give a sufficient description of where the money was spent.

The checks were written, she said, during her last day from the UC office due to an illness. As UC executive director, Shattuc is responsible for all the organization’s financial dealings, while she was absent Starrett was responsible for the group’s checkstubs.

The controversy revolves, she said, around a set of checks that Bentley wrote for a trip he was to make to Fond du Lac for UC business. On April 14 Bentley wrote a check for $100 which is described on the stub as going for "gaz" and "miscellaneous." Bentley also wrote a check for an additional $15 for food.

Bentley would not, Shattuc said, categorize in writing where the $115 was spent. She also contends that Bentley’s verbal explanation of what the money was spent on was "fiscal brinkmanship." She also said that when she pressed him for an explanation, he told her the check had been written to finance an upcoming trip to Eau Claire that was scheduled two weeks later.

"This is an outrageous amount of money for a trip to Fond du Lac," she commented, "and it’s also not a good practice to take money out to pay for a trip two weeks afterward." She made a request of Bentley, she added, on the belief back the unused portion of his expense money. On May 2, four days after the Daily Cardinal article accused Bentley of financial impropriety, he paid Shattuc $40.

Bentley also wrote another $15 check on April 14 to Starrett to be used for food for the Fond du Lac trip. Starrett never went to Fond du Lac, and Shattuc said she has not been able to account for this money.

Shattuc said that an additional $30 check was made out to Starrett on April 20 to pay for a UC trip to Superior. Starrett did not make this trip, either, Shattuc said, and the money, she added, is still unaccounted for.

Additionally, a check was written on April 20 also remains unaccounted for, Shattuc said.

Bentley apparently wrote a total of five checks that day, three of which were to the Madison Police Department. However, none of the checkstubs indicated what the checks were for, and one of the stubs had no dollar amount recorded. The other check was for $3, which Shattuc said she has not been able to receive any information about, suspect that this money had paid for.

In a related matter the MPD was also the recipient of a payment of $3,525. This money allegedly went to pay for Bentley’s parking violations.

Shattuc told the Cardinal last week that all told, about $100 is missing or unaccounted for during her sick leave.

Bentley was not available for comment Tuesday afternoon, but he told the Cardinal on April 28, "I don’t care to be bothered with any problem." All of this comes in the wake of a letter from a UC Legislative Affairs Director, Curt Pavilish, submitted to the UC executive board in Superior the weekend of April 22.

Pavilish’s letter states, "I call upon the executive board of the United Council to begin an investigation of the existence of any fiscal improprieties which may have been committed in supervision of the organization from July 1, 1982 to the present."

The letter continues, "I would ask to see every cancelled check written in this period and every checkstub contained in our ledger books. This organization suffers from a lack of accountability."

Pavilish listed eight measures to increase this accountability, including a demand that the executive director "be required to show every cancelled check at each UC meeting and that a special investigation committee be set up to discuss UC finances with the organization’s accountant."

Pavilish also recommended that a time clock be ‘purchased’ immediately, so that employees will have clear records of the time they spend in United Council.”

Former Academic Affairs Director Mike Heire, fired after filing a grievance against him, contends that Pavilish made this particular recommendation because Bentley, Starrett and Simpson demonstrated little on-the-job accountability over the course of the year.

Heire went so far as to say that Starrett would not come into the UC office for a week at a time.

Pavilish concluded his recommendations by the belief requirement that “all UC employees pay for their own parking tickets.”

He said in a telephone interview from his apartment in Madison that he doubts he will be rehired for next year. When asked why, Pavilish said: "I can’t use Scott hates my guts."

Several student newspapers have expressed some willingness to return to their positions should such a decision be possible.

This decision, like all UC personnel decisions, would be at the discretion of the current president.

By Joseph Yanden Plas
Sealer News Editor

National

Chicago—The nation’s Roman Catholisc bishops overwhelmingly voted to support a nuclear freeze. The bishops agreed to “recommend support for immediate, bilateral, verifiable agreements to halt testing, production and deployment of all new weapons systems.”

Washington, D.C.—The Commerce Department reported the government’s chief barometer of economic activity rose 1.5 percent, its seventh consecutive monthly gain.

Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige submitted his department’s report "forecasting further advancement in key economic areas such as employment, production, income and business sales.”

Coalinga, Calif.—An earthquake measuring 5.0 on the California town of Coalinga in ruins. The quake left 45 people injured and claimed the lives of nearly all of the town’s 2,500 homes.

Chicago—Windy City blues king Muddy Waters died at the age of 66. Cardiac arrest was listed as the official cause of death.

State

Madison—The state Assembly must still agree to an amendment attached to a bill that would legalize most private acts between unmarried consenting adults.

The amendment, added by the Senate, makes fornication involving 18 or 17-year-olds a felony, not a misdemeanor.

Passage expected in the Assembly. Gov. Earl has indicated he will sign the bill.

Neenah—Kimberly-Clark, the state’s largest business in sales, threatened to move its corporate headquarters out of Wisconsin unless the state’s tax structure improved.

Darwin Smith, chairman and executive officer of Kimberly-Clark, claimed it was difficult for the company to attract high caliber researchers, technicians and scientific employees because of high state income taxes.

If the company moved, he said, the company would have $700 million Wisconsin employees would be affected.

Milwaukee—Governor Anthony Earl and former governor Lee Dreyfus traded jibes at the 25th Annual Milwaukee Sentinel Forum for Progress.

Earl accused Dreyfus of “fiscal brinkmanship,” saying his move to turn a billion dollar surplus into state tax returns left the state in terrible shape when the national economy declined.

Dreyfus refuted the charges, stating fiscal problems could be solved by increased sales tax.

Earl said he was glad he “smashed the cookie jar” since the state would have the money and perhaps been in worse shape as a result.

Madison—State democrats say they may broaden the Wisconsin five percent sales tax. The measure could be an alternative to Gov. Earl’s proposal to raise state income tax.

Under the democratic proposal, the sales tax would be extended to advertising, legal services and architectural services.

Local

Stevens Point—Mayor Michael Haberman went to Washington, D.C., to confer with Housing and Urban Development officials. HUD still hasn’t approved a 56.25 million Urban Development Action Grant for Stevens Point, which is needed to complete financing for the downtown redevelopment project.
Controversy surrounds administrator's Guatemalan visit

By Todd Hutchings Environmental Editor

February 26 through March 1

The Baily, UWSP Affirmative Action Officer, took leave from his position to travel to Guatemala. There he acted as a consultant to a private corporation under contract to a U.S. government agency to provide services on behalf of the Guatemalan government.

On the day he left Guatemala, four Guatemalan Baily worked with were killed by Guatemalan government troops. Because of the precariousness of the situation, Baily required that no tape recording be made of our conversation, and that he be able to edit this manuscript before it went to print. Only for reasons to protect the safety of the people involved, Pointer Magazine complied.

The project Baily traveled to Guatemala as a consultant to a private corporation under contract to the Guatemalan government. Baily's task was to evaluate the effectiveness of a bilingual education project designed and implemented by IRA to teach Spanish to pre-primary through third grade schoolchildren from four tribes of Mayan Indians. The four tribes, the Quiche, the Kekchi, the Calchuc and the Mam, are located in the Chimaltenango province, south and west of Guatemala City.

The purpose of this program, according to Baily, is to "balance the use of Spanish and Mayan dialects in the country." Ninety percent of Guatemala's population are Mayan Indians who speak 23 monolingual dialects of Mayan. The government of General Efrain Rios Montt would like to be able to communicate more effectively with the Indians, said Baily, because educational programs are required to successfully deliver aid and services to the Indians.

"It appears that they want to Spanishize the country," said Baily.

The project sites were located in very remote, mountainous, jungle areas. The classrooms were "very simple," according to Baily, as most had concrete or dirt floors and windows without screens. The children were barefoot; many had runny noses and watery eyes, indicating Baily, "It looked like they needed medical attention."

Cultural assimilation or cultural suppression? Whether this "Spanishization" of Mayan dialects is an attempt by the government of Rios Montt to displace Mayan culture, Baily was not sure. He said bilingualism could be used as a "transition for mainstreaming" the Mayans into the Spanish language or could be used for cultural domination. Baily felt that the determinant would be the emphasis placed on Spanish; heavily emphasized, Spanish could be used as a repressive tool by the Montt government.

There are two examples which Baily indicated that "one might be able to read into" governmental censorship on Spanish. For instance, Baily said that for the children involved with this project, "measurement of achievement is in Spanish." He said that although Mayan translation is provided for the children, language development, in terms of graded progress, is only measured for Spanish.

Additionally, General Montt, as an evangelical Christian of the Word of God, based in Eureka, California, provides nightly sermons over public radio for the rapidly protestant-turning Guatemalan population. General Montt preaches in Spanish, according to Baily.

Terror in Guatemala On the trip to Guatemala, Dr. Baily came into contact with the well-documented governmental terror. Amnesty International has estimated that no fewer than 22,000 Guatemalans were killed between 1966 and 1976. AI also has estimated that approximately 20,000 people have been killed since 1978, 2,600 of these victims between July 1981 and March 23, 1982, when General Montt took over Guatemala by surrounding the capital with tanks.

The newspapers of Guatemala City are filled with reports of missing persons, kidnappings and killings. Baily said. He could only go to the Chimaltenango, and no where else, province because of the government-rebel fighting.

The countryside of Chimaltenango was filled with civil or village guardmen. These people acted as a local militia armed with weapons like machetes and rifles. Baily said he did not know where these guardsmen get their weapons.

He also said that the Guatemalan military were not in the Chimaltenango rural area but "seemed to be more on the borders of these areas."

"In Guatemala City I saw a lot of armed and a lot of military uniforms, different colored uniforms," said Baily. He said all of these uniforms were Guatemalan, and he assumed they represented different military and police organizations and levels. "I was told I should not walk the streets," continued Baily. He said the city seemed like it was under a curfew. "Everything shut down by nine."

"Some of the villagers relate to me bombings, briefings, torture and murder dressed in white," said Baily. He mentioned three specific cases of terror:

- One teacher who taught in the rural area would not give an education because of it. She lived in a nearby city. She would drive her car to where the bus would pick her up. The bus which would take her out to the rural area. After stepping off the bus, she would walk two miles to school.

- The woman had seen some of the masked men without their masks. Whether Spanish, Indian or white, Baily indicated the woman cont. op. 7

Book exchange may give students break on text prices

By Chris Celichowski Pointer News Magazine

If a group of economy-minded UWSP students get their way, one of the UW-System's best textbook deals may yet get even better.

The Student Book Exchange, if successful in getting recognition as a student organization, may begin operations as soon as next semester. The Exchange will attempt to save students money by reselling used textbooks that are purchased for previous classes.

According to spokesman Dave Kaster, the Student Book Exchange will be set up in the University Center Concours. Students will turn in their used texts and receive a receipt with the title and location of the book, and its inventory number. Original owners will receive 40 percent to 50 percent of the book's original cost, while the Exchange will get a 10 percent cut to fund administrative costs and possible expansion. Any surplus will be donated to the University Center Concours.

Kaster said the Exchange responded to student needs.

"I've been a UWSP student for five years and I have a lot of books I will never read again."

Finders of the Exchange took a poll last fall and discovered 75 percent of students said there was "a definite need" for an exchange service. An additional 12 percent believed there was a "probable need."

Any student detailing specific dates, times, and location of the book exchange will be given books from the Exchange.

The Student Book Exchange will be set up on a trial basis in the UC Laundry Room during the fall semester.

With the rising costs of a college education, many of the Student Book Exchange hope students will view their service as a viable alternative to purchasing supplemental texts.
Petri’s IDEA could pave way for more loans

By Chris Celichowski

Petri introduced the Income-Dependent Education Assistance Act to a congressionally-created student aid commission last week. After two years of development, Petri’s IDEA plan demonstrates several innovations designed to tie loan repayments to the progressive income tax.

The Internal Revenue Service would collect the loan repayments of students under the plan, giving them the option of income withholding as a method of loan repayment. IDEA would allow low income graduates up to 20 years to repay their loans. Higher income graduates, however, would repay their loans quicker but at interest rates below current market rates.

No student would be required to make payments totaling more than 15 percent of their annual income. Graduate students could borrow up to $10,000 per year, plus $1,000, while undergraduates could borrow up to $2,500 annually. However, there is a $40,000 lifetime limit on the loans.

The IDEA plan was originally intended to hit Capitol Hill this summer, but Petri indicated he may introduce it as soon as this week.

Back to basics

Noting that US high school students fall behind their contemporaries in other industrialized nations in comparative academic testing, a group of American educators have encouraged widespread curriculum reform in high schools.

Acting on Secretary of Education Terrel Bell’s orders, the National Commission on Excellence in Education undertook a study of this nation’s future educational needs. Eighteen months later, they returned with an answer that many anticipated: increased emphasis on basic courses and a decrease in courses such as art and home management.

“In effect, we have a cafeteria-style curriculum in which the appetizers and desserts can easily be mistaken for the main course,” said Yvonne Larsen, vice-chairman of the commission.

The recommendations suggest a return to five basic courses: English, math, natural science, social science, and computer science. Because of the influence of its members, the commission’s report is expected to have a definite effect on the direction of US education.

Vet school no “Moo U”

It won’t be called “Moo U,” but the only veterinary school in America’s Dairyland is set to open in Madison on Aug. 30.

The $23 million University of Wisconsin School of Veterinary Medicine will open its doors next fall to 80 students. They will be taught by 45 faculty members. School officials hope to enroll 320 students and add 33 faculty members by 1986. A satellite facility has been established at UW-River Falls.

B.G. Easterday, dean of the veterinary school, praised his faculty, saying “Our faculty is really young and bright and enthusiastic. They’ve hit the ground with their feet running.”

The opening of the vet school was once only a dream for its backers, some of whom began pushing the project as early as 1947. The project had been stalled for several years because of its cost during difficult economic times. Although the project is relatively new, it has already sustained a budget cut of $231,000.

Baily, cont.

said they “looked more like white, like they were Cubanos or Cubans.”

—Baily himself observed a school building near Chiriqui which had been bombed. “No one knew who bombed it.”

Baily said that when he and other project members approached the Indians in the villages he detected “distinct apprehensiveness.”

“People would freeze—it was almost as if they froze in their steps—until we passed or waved,” said Baily. “There appears to be a lot of fear in the country people.”

Baily’s exit: lethal controversy

On the day Baily left Guatemala, February 9, four people who participated in the project were shot at a roadblock. They were driving a jeep which belonged to the project.

The government troops who stopped the project people accused them, according to Baily, of using foreign vehicles and of being communist and subversive. The army lieutenant in charge of the troops claims that the four project people fled the roadblock. Baily said that the troops shot the project people, and, according to Baily, the lieutenant said the people fell into a river. Their bodies were washed away and have not been found since.

Baily said that it was his understanding that the lieutenant had been taken into custody.

“The impression I got in Guatemala is that it appears to be acceptable if people are arrested as accused communists. Guatemalans appear to have no civil rights.”

Because of his interest in bilingual education, Baily is glad he had the opportunity to go to Guatemala. However, he would “have to think seriously about it” before he would go again.

“IT IS TIME TO RETURN YOUR TEXTBOOKS”

TEXTBOOK RETURN SCHEDULE

SPRING 1983

Monday, May 16
8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Tuesday, May 17
8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Wednesday, May 18
8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Thursday, May 19
8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
Friday, May 20
8:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.

Students who return textbooks after May 20 but before 4:00 June 6 will be required to pay a $3.00 Late Fee.

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More censorship?

**Pointer de-pressed by local printer**

By Mary Ringstad

The press in the United States is censoring the news—the printing press, that is.

Cases of the printer refusing to print portions of a publication continue to crop up. Why? The threat of a libel suit hovers above their accountant's books.

"Libel is no longer as clear cut in this country as it used to be," stated Rob Ham, senior editor of *Pointer Magazine*. Ham said it is more popular in today's legal climate to attack smaller papers.

The possibility of libel suits brought the Pointer and its printer, the Journal Printing Company, to the brink earlier this year. For the New Year's issue, Ham and other staff members had prepared a list of "obviously not true" predictions which were a "pimp" on those of the National Engineer.

According to Frank Leahy of the Journal Printing Company, the company decided not to print the section because some of the material in the piece, e.g., trade names, might be considered a "copyright infringement." The company did not have the time to get a legal opinion on the matter and, in order that they would not be held responsible for any infringement, requested to delete the predictions.

*Pointer Magazine* offered to change any specifics, said Ham, but the printers remained adamant in their decision.

*Pointer Magazine* pondered printing the predictions by offset at the university as an insert, but financial and time considerations made this idea virtually impossible. Ham said he has incorporated about a fourth of the jokes in other pieces.

*The Journal Printing Company* is not the only printer who has made editorial decisions. Last June, in an issue of the *Milwaukee Journal*, the following statement appeared in the comic section: "Doonesbury is omitted today because it concerns a Polish joke, a subject that The Journal considers to be in poor taste." Ironically, in the same issue, *The Journal* criticized a US Supreme Court decision in which they felt sacrificed "a vital facet of freedom of expression."

Does the threat of censorship by the printer cause writers to automatically stifle their own creativity? Unfortunately, Ham said yes.

Often, Ham finds himself reviewing any work and questioning, "Is there any libelous material here?" Ham had gone through and changed names in the April Fool's issue. He said he was not sure if this was restraint or added silliness.

Ham added, "We don't want the printer telling us what to write." However, "one lawsuit a year is enough for me."

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**Drake's reading pecks the right word**

By Lora Helman

*Pointer Features Editor*

Passed. There's a duck in Des Moines with his own library card. Well, why not? He is a duck, after all, a species of widespread illiteracy, that's nothing to quack at.

I find myself a part of the bookish duck on a segment of ABC's "That's Incredible." As I watched the duck read and respond to directions given on cards, before the TV cameras, I became curious and then amazed by the effect of a duck that could read better than some people. So, on a trip to Des Moines, I went to see Sir Lancelot, the literate duck.

Lance is appropriately a drake, which is a male mallard. He's been a student at Drake University for seven years. And, he can read seven words.

A drake is one of these words is slid into a slot. Lance then responds to the card as trained. The trainer then rings a bell and Lance is rewarded with food. For example, if the card PECK is presented, the adept duck pecks at the card. The words DON'T PECK are more complex, yet Lance is no fool. He trots to his trainer with many a peck and receives his food. My favorite is when he reads TURN and proceeds to flat foot it around in a circle. Lance's latest academic achievement is to distinguish between a ball and a bell. Both are the same size. Before him. When his trainer shows him a ball, he taps the card BALL with his bill. Lance is still a bit perplexed with this latest assignment, but in time.

And time seems to be the significant factor. Kenneth Lloyd, a Drake psychology professor, has known and worked with Sir Lancelot since the day an Iowa farmer brought him in as a duckling seven years ago.

Lance's training began as an offshoot to another educational program, explained Lloyd, Drake University, back in 1975, was servicing the campus and the community with "The Drake Reading Program." Lance then stepped in as the perfect, teachable Drake representative.

Each year since, with the help of the Pointer, a first-year student graduate works with Lance on his reading skills. "When they first showed me how to empty his bucket (toilet to us humans), I almost quit the job right then and there," grinned Pat Bell, Lance's trainer.

As she talked of their times together though, Bell, a coed of the community, revealed her affection for the knightly Sir Lance.

But there's another female on the scene. A lady mallard named, of course, Guinevere is Lance's companion and companion. As I visited with the two, they chattered in mallard monosyllables with one another. Although Lance and Guinevere can understand each other in spoken word, when it comes to reading, Lance is the star. Sadly, Guinevere is illiterate.

But Drake's reading drake is more than just an entertaining story. There's more to Drake's training besides promoting the Reading Program and assisting Bell about the implications of a reading duck.

Firstly, explained, the duck's training couldn't stop until he matured. Then his weight levelled off so that he could be safely deprived of food during his training. It's a modification.

Sir Lance reads a bedtime story to trainer Pat Bell.

(Lance's hunger that motivates him into learning, Bell explained that the project deals with behavior modification.

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**Pets & coeds**

*Room for rent — No pets allowed!*

By Mary Ringstad

*Pointer Features Writer*

When I began making plans for moving off-campus next year, one of my future "apartment mates" and I decided to get a talking bird, namely so we could throw BYOB (Bring Your Own Bird) parties. Fortunately, when it came time to sign the lease, we found that our landlord restricted only cats and dogs for pets. But many landlords restrict their college tenants from having pets.

Kathy Simons, of the local Humane Society said that for college students, at this time in their lives, "There is not enough room for pets." Care for animals, especially cats and dogs, takes a lot of time and is expensive.

"When there are two, three, six or eight people living in one home, pets become hard to keep track of," Simons claimed. Roommates are rarely on similar schedules. Animals also need consistent discipline patterns. These patterns would tend to vary between roommates. Simons added that the daily needs of pets, like food and health care, take up time on the student's pocketbook.

Moving from house to house is also difficult for pets, according to Simons. Often, when students move to new locations, they just leave their pets. Landlords discover these abandoned animals and bring them to the Humane Society knowing that the animals stand little chance of adoption without proper background information.

If your heart is set on having a pet, however, Simons suggested that you get "a pet that can't run free or get out." Some ideas for college student pets include guinea pigs, hamsters, rabbits. Of course, there are always fish.

If you have any questions concerning animal care, call the Humane Society at 344-8012.
Duck, cont.

A comparison can be made, both Bell and Lloyd agreed. But only so far. When I tried to compare a baby to a two-year-old human, who has a large vocabulary, Bell reminded me that most two-year-olds cannot read "unless they've been shaped." Bell went on to say that a two-year-old could be trained to read. However, most parents don't have the time to teach them.

I read a report for Bell and Lloyd discussing a study by Dr. Meredith West, of the University of North Carolina, and Dr. Andrew King of Duke University. The study concluded that "how cowbirds learn to sing suggests that human speech development is influenced greatly by how parents react to a baby's first garbled words." (USA Today, Wednesday, April 27.)

"It's the same thing (as the drake method)," responded Bell. "A facial expression from a parent is either going to be a punishing consequence or a reinforcing consequence." With Lance, the control is the food.

But taking the duck to the extreme of responding to facial expressions, as with a child and parent, emitted doubt from Lloyd, though he felt it could be done. But a voice tone, as when training a dog, could be easily applied to the drake, Lloyd said. Lloyd made the correlation between a duck and a human baby in learning by process of elimination. "Humans, as babies, emit many more sounds than are used in the English language." But when parents (ignore sounds not used in English, such as the French nasal sound, the child is discouraged from using the sound. Conversely, when the child uses a relevant English sound, it is reinforced by the parents encouragement. Thus, the child will use the sound again.

This is much of what Lance is doing. When he responds correctly to the lettered card, he is rewarded. Otherwise, he is not fed.

Both Bell and Lloyd maintained that this is not cruelly—not a cause for protest by animal welfare groups. "There are sets of regulations about ethical standards with lab animals. They're posted on the wall in the room where the duck lives," Lloyd explained, admitting that this is not necessarily a guarantee of proper treatment.

Lloyd believes that Lance's weight during deprivation for training is still greater than that of a mallard in the wild. He pointed out that a wild duck gets more exercise, often in search of food. "They wouldn't be doing that if they were satisfied," he added. And once Lance is satiated, his reading for the day is over. Bell said that the crew from "That's Incredible!" shot film for about ten hours for the four-minute story. After that much food and performance, Lance waddled home to his warm cage and Guinevere's waiting wings.

In time, he'll learn it as consistently as his Peck, NO Peck performance. And if he needs further reference, he's always got that library card.

Local band takes musical stand

By Joseph Vanden Plas
Senior News Editor

Four local musicians are trying to revive something from the past. From 1967 to 1972, much of America's popular music was made a statement and it was political. Rock musicians were utilizing their talents to create awareness.

But that soon changed. The recording industry apparently decided politically oriented music was no longer fashionable or profitable.

Now, there may be another backlash and people say their music can relate to. It's about as sensitive and perceptive as it (music) can get.

"Reggae, to me, is the R&B of today. It's the soul music of the Eighties," he said, citing the popularity of reggae among blacks in Chicago and Milwaukee.

Momentum, the featured entertainment at the Second Street Pub tomorrow night, plays primarily in Central Wisconsin, where there aren't many minorities. Yet the band members say their rhythmic brand of music has been fairly well received. Last weekend Momentum performed in Wausau and the reaction was positive. Nevertheless, they don't expect reggae to dominate the local or national music scene. "It's not mainstream music like rock 'n' roll," suggested drummer Bob Barthell. "It's more appealing to a minority.

O'Connell described Momentum's music as "white reggae" and says it's not unusual to see white musicians make black-oriented music appealing to whites. "A black band in the United States will not be able to sell reggae music," he insisted. "It's a sad issue.

"It (reggae music) is too radical for a lot of people. I believe it will become one of those channels of music that some people will follow. Reggae could be an outlet for rich and poor people alike."

Said Barthell, "We're not trying to be revolutionary, we're just trying to make people more aware."

Momentum's music was formed about one year ago. Originally, it was to become a blues band. But as is the case with many fledgling bands, continued on pg. 15.
**Are private employment agencies the answer?**

If you've ever been unemployed, you know that looking for a job can often be a full-time job in itself. To ease the pressure, some people turn to private employment agencies. For some, it results in great jobs, but for others the costs and obligations are not worth the service. Before signing on with an employment agency, make sure you understand exactly what you're getting into.

**Liability For Placement Fees**

Everytime an employee is placed on a job by an employment agency, the agency charges a placement fee that must be paid by either the employer or the employee. Unless the employer agrees to pay the fee, the employee is obligated to pay it, or give up the job opportunity. State law allows the fee to be as much as 50 percent to 120 percent of the first month's earnings, depending on the monthly salary.

Job-seekers may ask the agency to refer them only to employers who agree to pay the placement fee. If you prefer this type of arrangement, make sure it is written in your contract with the agency. Double-check this with the agency when they call with an interview. Make sure you want a job before you take it.

An employment agency can charge a partial placement fee no matter how long the employee stays on the job. It's possible that you may accept a position with a company and two months later quit or be laid off. No matter what your reason is for discontinuing your job, it's still your obligation to pay the fee to your agency.

Depending upon the circumstances, if you leave a job or don't show up for work at all, the agency can charge up to 75 percent of the regular placement fee.

**Who Found This Job?**

In some cases, you may be charged a placement fee when you've been hired after you set up the interview yourself. For example, if an agency informs you of an opening with a company where you interview but are not hired and you recontact the company within six months and are hired, the agency can still collect a fee under state law. Regardless of who sets up subsequent interviews, it was the agency that originally referred you to the company.

**Doing It Yourself**

Employment agencies don't always have exclusive information on job openings. It's possible to find work without the help of an employment agency. For example, you can check the classifieds in your local newspaper, or you can contact your state's department of labor for information on job openings. Before you sign on with an employment agency, make sure you understand what you're getting into.

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Grup Aymara, Bolivia’s premier performers of native and contemporary folk music, will present the Stevens Point concert in its 1983 tour of North America, on Saturday, May 7, sponsored by AYRO Native American Club, UWSP, and the College of Fine Arts.

Grup Aymara, six musicians of Aymara and Quechua Indian descent, bring out of their ancestral heritage a passionate expression of the enduring spirit of the Andean peoples. The intense sound of the ancient pipes, flutes and drums, accented by cries in the Aymara language, recall the power of the mountain peoples who have clung tenaciously to their language and culture throughout centuries of domination. The melodic and soaring tones of guitar, charango, bamboo flute, and human voice express a reverence for the animals and geography of the land on which the people depend for survival.

The members of Grup Aymara, whose program includes music and instruments of the Uru, Kolla, and Aymara peoples, as well as original compositions, have for a decade been a leading force in the movement to reclaim and revalue the native culture of Bolivia—a culture which has been on the brink of extinction.

Grup Aymara performs throughout Latin America, and in 1977 was awarded first prize at the International Festival in Valparaiso as the best interpreters of Andean music. This first North American tour culminates two highly successful tours of Europe, where the group was acclaimed as the hit of the 19th Anniversary World Music Festival of Montreux, France.

Grup Aymara has recorded seven albums in Bolivia, and five in Europe. The first North American recording, “Grup Aymara: To Bolivia,” was released by Aitiplano Records earlier this year. The outstanding quality of the group’s research and performance has resulted in invitations to record sound tracks for four documentary films.

AYRO and the College of Fine Arts welcomes Grup Aymara to the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point featuring the group’s first comprehensive tour of North America. The concert will take place Saturday, May 7th, at 8:00 p.m. in the Allen Center Upper. The concert is free. For additional information, call: Molly Shawano 341-8818 or Joe Young 345-1945.
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Film reveals forest community of Korup

By Sheldon Cohen  
Environmental Writer

Hubert Agland, the producer of the film, which has been awarded five years of filming in the production of an hour-long film entitled "Korup — A African Rainforest," has now the focus of an international campaign to save the world's tropical forests.

On Friday April 29, the producer of the film, Phillip Agland (from Great Britain), held a showing for approximately 200 students in the Science Building. Tri-Beta Biology Club sponsored the event. After the film, Agland answered many questions regarding the film's production and the issue of saving disappearing tropical forests.

Korup is a remote, isolated and inaccessible forest in southwest Cameroon, West Africa, and is one of the last great African rainforests. A survey of the area, Agland, provides a refuge for a remarkable community of plants and animals. Korup and two other areas being proposed for introduction into Cameroon's national park program possess perhaps the greatest species diversity in the world. Approximately 4% of Africa's primates and 14% of the world's primates inhabit these areas which incidentally is equivalent to a species extinction a year. Hundreds, and perhaps thousands, of insect species have not even been seen yet. Yet, there are only a few thousand entomologists in the world qualified to do so.

Agland expressed his deep concern over the exponential rate of destruction of tropical rainforests. "We face almost complete elimination in 30 to 40 years of all the world's rainforests and an accompanying loss of 3% of the world's species," said Agland. "The most important thing at the moment is to focus on a few key areas of forest that fulfill certain essential criteria.

Cameroon offers a unique opportunity for long-term conservation for several reasons: 1) It has large enough forests which could provide a viable future for sustaining the local economy; 2) The political will of the Cameroon government to conserve these areas; 3) There is a sound economic base upon which to integrate these forests; and 4) There are extremely rich areas for the collection of biological data.

Agland was originally asked by the Cameroon government to organize and create an infrastructure for the national parks. He is trying to create three national parks covering 11,500 sq. km in an attempt to preserve these areas as intact rainforests. He also realizes that the national parks need to integrate sensible and eco-logically sound recreational and economic development since development will always be very strong and the support of industries and native peoples is essential to the success of the program. "Industries must come to realize the economic importance of the rainforests," said Agland.

"Korup" records events which are rare, beautiful and sometimes bizarre. It features animals which have never been filmed before — Preuss's red colobus, the drill, pygmy flying squirrel and the crowned eagle at its nest. But these unique sequences are not the central purpose of the film, nor do they represent the main achievement. "Korup" is about interdependence between plants and animals — relationships which sustain one of the most fragile and finely tuned ecosystems on earth. It is a film designed to allow the beauty and complexity of one forest to speak for the survival of many, for tropical rainforests are fast disappearing.

For further information and details of the Rainforest Conservation Campaign, contact: EARTHLIFE, 57 Bedford Square, London WC1B 3HW.

**Over memo to Congress**

**ELF researchers and Navy disagree again**

Two University of Colorado scientists have severely criticized the U.S. Navy and Admiral Bruce Newell for his "Baby ELF" monitoring report regarding the health hazards now faced by Wisconsin residents living near the Navy's Clam Lake ELF transmitter.

The researchers, Dr. Nancy Wertheimer and Ed Leeper, have found that prolonged exposure to very weak ELF electromagnetic fields is associated with increased cancers in children and adults. Their criticisms are contained in a recent letter (attached) to the office of Michigan Senator Carl Levin.

On March 21, 1983, Navy Rear Admiral Bruce Newell distributed a memorandum (attached) and a new Navy report to "interested members of Congress." The report is entitled "Representative Electromagnetic Field Intensities Near the Clam Lake ELF Transmitter." According to Admiral Newell, "All measured fields are well below those which would be of concern to humans or the environment."

However, Wertheimer and Leeper disagree. "Of particular concern to us is the statement made in the cover letter to the publication you sent us. It states that 'all measured fields are well below that level which would be of concern to humans or the environment.' That is simply not true. Our data suggest that prolonged exposure to fields this low, and possibly even lower, uniformly increases cancer risk."

In their letter to Senator Levin's office, Wertheimer and Leeper cite the Navy and Admiral Newell for attempting to mislead Congress and the public. "However, presenting information in a way which would tend to mislead those with the responsibility for making decisions is not, in our opinion, the best way to reassure the public."

Dr. Craig Kronstadt is Research Director for the two-state citizens group Stop Project ELF. He stressed the significance of the new findings: "Mounting scientific evidence demonstrates that ELF radiation is a cause or promoter of human cancer. The Navy claims that ELF is safe, but science is proving them wrong.

Michigan has too many health problems, including PCB and Dioxin contamination. There is no need to add Project ELF."

**New intervenor has no support to mine in Northern Wisconsin**

Joining Thomas Dawson, Wisconsin now has its full complement of public intervenors as Kathy Falk has been appointed by Attorney General Bronson LaFollette to take the position vacated by the recent resignation of Peter Peshek. Many people will interpret this appointment as a very sound appropriation of the duties by the head of the state Department of Justice, since Falk has been an attorney with Wisconsin's Environmental Decade, perhaps the most cognizant environmental organization in Wisconsin.

However, a cold wind blows from the North. All of the unanimous opposition from the North is due to Falk's, and the Decade's, stand on the issue of metallic mining in Northern Wisconsin. Falk, in a letter from all over Northern Wisconsin sent letters to Attorney General LaFollette to oppose Falk's appointment. The response back from the state Department of Justice: their concerns were not part of the criteria for the job.

What is important about this confrontation is the base from which each side operates from. Falk, capitulated, as a supporter of the mining rules arrived at via the unfair consensus decision-making process, ultimately to the interests of Econol, Union Carbide, Kerr-McGee and the thirty-odd other multinationals seeking to take Wisconsin's mineral resource, leaving polluted water and land in their wake.

LaFollette's response was perhaps most indicative: the concerns of the environmental groups in Northern Wisconsin were not considered in hiring one of two lawyers legally responsible for representing the public's right to a clean environment.

Unfortunately, the policy makers in Madison do not understand the situation in Northern Wisconsin. Metallic mining is the most important and dangerous environmental problem in Wisconsin today. Not only in of itself, but also contextually when one considers the possibility of the construction of a regional or national high-level nuclear waste dump in Northern Wisconsin. Not only would large-scale mining in Northern Wisconsin create a conducive and degraded environment for a nuclear waste dump, but these two environment destroyers can be effectively linked to construction of an uranium mill, something Batelle Industries has testified it wants and needs.

Falk's call for a review of the mining rules is probably nothing more than a political move. Wisconsin needs public intervenors who understand its responsibility to our environment, and to fight to do so. We do not need intervenors interested in imagery and political games. Falk has put herself on the spot immediately: will the games continue or will she earnestly attack the mining rules? If she is earnest, she can go a long way in mending fences with Northern Wisconsin and doing the job needs to be done. If she wants games, the people of Northern Wisconsin prefer hardball.

Todd Hotchkiss
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Pointers lose three to drop WSUC record to 2-6

By Tom Burkan

Pointe reporter

The struggling team just can’t seem to quite get it all together this year. The Pointers are as malleable as the bill last weekend, winning 10-5 but dropping a 7-4 verdict to University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh on Saturday. The Pointers lost both games of their doubleheader to the #10 team in UW-Oshkosh, 7-3 and 8-4.

Sophomore righthander Rich Gullixon was impressive in the first game against the Titans, striking out five runners in his first five innings. He had an unassisted no-hitter going until two were out in the fifth and faced the winning run into the final inning. In the seventh, Gullixon had a 10-0 lead but gave up five runs. The big blow for the Pointers came on a grand-slam home run by Bob Krengel.

Dave Foray, Dan Titus, John Southworth, and Pat Mendenly led the 12-hit Pointers attack with two pieces each. Titus and Southworth both collected two RBI’s in the victory.

Game two of the doubleheader was a different story as Pioneer pitcher Jim Pickuth and the Pointers to just six hits and one run in six and one-third innings of work.

The Pointers scored their only run in the first inning as the starters were not too hot but were brought home on consecutive singles by Bobo and Southworth. Gullixon and the Pointers came back with three runs in their half of the first and knocked out Pioneer starter Steve Gis in favor of Ron Schmitz.

The Pointers scored three more runs to take a commanding 6-1 lead after four innings of play. Heinerf picked up the victory for Platteville while Gis lost the last game.

The next day against Oshkosh, Pointe pitcher was plagued by bases on balls. Scott May started game one for the Pointers but couldn’t find the plate, giving up 10 free passes in just 3 and two-thirds innings.

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By Tamas Houlihan

Pointerswriter

The Milwaukee Brewers' public relations department recently held its annual State College Media Day at Milwaukee County Stadium. UW-Stevens Point students from Student Experimental Television, radio station WWS and Pointer Magazine participated, as well as media students from several other Wisconsin colleges and universities.

The agenda included talks by Dick Hackett, the vice president of marketing, Tom Skibosh, the director of publicity, Bill Haig, the vice president of baseball operations, Mike Hegan, a Brewers TV announcer, and Tom Flaherty, the baseball writer. Each talked about what their jobs entailed, operations, Mike Hegan, a Brewers TV announcer, and president of baseball.

The Milwaukee Brewers' assistant vice president of media Tom Flaherty also talked about the team's media strategy. He discussed the importance of media relations in promoting the team and building fan interest.

By Mary-Margaret Vogel

Pointer Sports Editor

"Chance favors the prepared mind and body" is Pointer track coach Rick Witter's favorite axiom and that logic proved itself last week, when Witter's two-mile relay team took first place in the prestigious, 74th annual Drake Relays.

The relay team, consisting of Tim Lau, Tom Peterson, Eric Parker, and Steve Brilowski, broke the ribbon with a time of 3:13-three hundredth of a second ahead of the second place finishers. In addition to that success, the one-mile relay team, which includes Al Hilgendorf, Lau, Parker, and Brilowski, finished fifth, running with a time of 7:31.

Long jumper Tom Weatherspoon also proved himself, placing fifth with a leap of 25 feet, 6 inches. Weatherspoon is the first man in the WUSC to achieve a 25-foot jump.

Furthermore NCAA Division III Decathlon winner Bill Russell placed eighth in that competition, despite torn ankle ligaments suffered in the hurdlng event.

Witt was pleased with the team's performance against the other Division III and usually dominant, scholarship Division II contenders.

"I consider the competition at the Drake Relays tougher than what we face at Nationals," Witt said. "However, I think good competition helps you to find where you are."

Witt and his thincldans don't plan to rest on their laurels for too long though.

"We want to win the conference meet and do well at Nationals," he said firmly. "Like I told the kids, you can live on this for just a few days. In this sport you're only as good as your last race."
Saturday & Sunday, May 7 & 8
BLUEGRASS—Residents Activities and Programs presents two full afternoons of picking, strumming, and assorted fiddling around, in the field north of Quandt. The tunes start Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Wisconsin River Bluegrass Boys, followed by Thunder Mountain, Brew Country Rounders, Buck Stove and Range, and a jam session at 6 p.m. Sunday's lineup begins at noon with the Piper Road Spring Band, followed by Jugsluggers, Wildwood Pickers, and a jam session at 5:30. In the event of rain, the whole show goes indoors to the Berg Gym on Saturday and Quandt on Sunday.

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down the employer that I still work for. If I did, then I would be putting myself down as well.

Secondly, I would like to follow up on the results that have come about since last Thursday. I am happy to say that this problem has already been looked into by both the University and the food service before my letter was published. From what I've been told, the contract between the two starting next year will help to prevent the hiring of non-student workers to fill student jobs and forcing those students who have jobs to stay within the guidelines of University policy. It will also be beneficial towards the student managers in that they will receive the same training and credit as the building student managers.

I wish to express my appreciation and thanks to those who foresaw the problem and have taken steps to correct it.

Jack V. Wohlsladter Jr.

Missellaneous

Thursday, May 5 & Sunday, May 8
STUDENT EXPERIMENTAL TELEVISION kicks off Thursday night at 6:30 with a live news show, followed by a special presentation on A Semester in Poland at 7. At 7:25 it's Alternative Thought with Janet Newman. Voytraces is up at 7:50 with Royal Scanlan, and the movie The Trial rounds out the schedule at 8:20 p.m. The schedule repeats on Sunday.

Friday-Saturday, May 6-8 & Wednesday-Saturday, May 11-14
TWELFTH NIGHT—University Theatre presents one of Shakespeare's most familiar and enjoyable comedies, at 8 p.m. in the Jenkins Theatre. Tickets are $1.50 with current Student ID, and are available from the University Theatre Box Office in Fine Arts Upper.

Monday, May 9
THE PRODUCERS—You've seen them on MTV, now see them in person. The guys who brought you such tunes as "What's He Got That I ain't Got," and "Certain Kind of Girl," will be appearing live in the Berg Gym, starting at 8 p.m. Spooner is the opening act. Tickets are $2 in advance ($4 for non-students) and are available at the UC Info Desk, Campus Records & Tapes, and Graham Lane Music. Tickets at the door will set you back $3 ($5 for non-students).

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May 7th and 8th!