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Bird's eye view



photo by Kris Wagner

An aerial view of the UWSP campus was captured when Pointer staff members had an opportunity for a free plane ride.

Pointer flies high

By Kate Roberts

FEATURES EDITOR

If you are ready to get a new perspective on the world, go flying with the WINGS aviation club.

A couple of weeks ago the photo editor and I went up in a four-seater plane with pilot, Jim Canfield.

Neither of us had ever flown before, so we were quite anxious to get up in the air. We were coming up with headlines for the next weeks Pointer. "Pointer staffers die in fiery plane crash."

I admit I do have a mild fear of heights, which means when I am in high places I choose not to look down.

That is where flying is different. I would have missed out on a major part of the whole experience if I would not have looked out of the window. Debot even looks interesting when you are hundreds of feet in the air.

On the way to the airport Canfield informed us that he was going to be wearing fog goggles as he flew. This meant that he would only be able to see the gauges and instruments in front of him.

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Censorship spawns student reaction

Rally receives extensive media coverage

By Gregory Vandenberg

News Editor

Students gathered in front of the University Center (UC) early Monday morning to send a message to Washington that the Internet is not a place for federal restrictions.

"Hey, hey, ho, ho, censorship has got to go," was the rallying cry for People Against Censorship (PAC), a student activist group opposing the recent Telecommunications Reform Bill which went into law early last week.

"My biggest fear is that people at large don't care about the First Amendment," said Professor Roger Bullis. "This is a feel good bill that will have no effect except regulation on things that are not indecent."

The bill is the first type of regulation imposed on the Internet and will restrict "indecent" material from appearing on it.

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Carlson impeachment

By Mike Beacom

SPORTS EDITOR

An attempt to impeach Student Government Association (SGA) executive director Mike Carlson failed at last Thursday's senate meeting with a vote of 11-

Senator Dee Darrow brought up seven charges against Carlson, ranging from being absent from several workshops and meetings to not knowing proper parliamentary procedure.

The two parties were given five minutes each to address the charges at the weekly meeting.

An hour long discussion was held to examine the charges.

Scott Kratz, a senator from the college of letters and science did not feel the charges brought against the executive director were worthy of an impeachment.

"All of the allegations were completely proposterous," said Kratz. "Some of the people in student government were less concerned about the student body and more concerned about their own agenda."

Darrow sees things differ-

"I feel that the senate made the wrong decision, but it's their decision," said Darrow. "(Mike) has particular things that he's supposed to do and it wasn't being done. In essence, he was getting paid for not working."

"If he were out in the real world, and he's going to be someday, his boss wouldn't put up with it," added Darrow.

Darrow officially resigned after the meeting Thursday for reasons other than the failed impeachment.

The senate needed a vote of 2/3 to impeach Carlson, but man-

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News

Compiled by Gregory Vandenberg News Editor

VORLD

·A supertanker carrying thousands of gallons of oil ripped its hull and spewed over 8.8 million gallons of oil into the mouth of the Milford Haven estuary off the coast of Wales earlier this week. A group of tugboats attempted to emerge the tanker from the sea but the attempt failed to move the Sea Empress. The tanker was carrying 36.75 million gallons of oil.

 Japan and South Korea are at odds over the control of three islands in the Japan Sea that rest halfway between Japan and South Korea. Escalation of the disagreement occurred when Japanese Prime Minister Ryutaro Hashimoto extended fishing, mineral and security control of their borders 200 nautical miles. South Korea responded by stating they would excersize their sovereign right to control their resources.

NATION

In one of the closest primary races in history, Pat Buchanan defeated Iowa victor Bob Dole by receiving 28% of the popular vote in the New Hampshire primary election. Dole amassed 26% of the vote while Tennessee governor Lamar Alexander made a strong showin once again in third place with 23% of the vote. Steve Forbes ended up fourth in another dissapointing turn in his bid for the Republican nomination coming in with a distant 12%. The New Hampshire primary has picked the man who won the presidential election in 11 of the last 12 presidential elections. Dole's showing was lower than anticipated after former opponent Phil Gramm endorsed the Kansas senator.

 Rapper Snoop Doggy Dog, a.k.a. Calvin Broadus, was acquitted of charges the shooting death of a gang member in a Los Angeles courtroom Tuesday morning. The 24-year-old former gang member was acquitted on charges of murder and conspiracy to commit assault that resulted in the death of Philip Woldemariam, an Ethiopian immigrant. Snoop's bodyguard was also on trial for the same crimes and was also acquitted of all charges. Prosecutors were unable to use the bloody clothing of Woldemariam, an empty shell casing or the bullet as evidence after they were destroyed in a mix-up by the Los Angeles police department.

STATE

•The Milwaukee Brewers strive to get a new stadium has hit another snag. The organization is having trouble coming up with a financial plan to offset the enormous cost of the new stadium. After state legislatures passed a plan that would loan the team a set amount of money, organization personnel have asked the state to give the money in the form of a grant rather than a loan.

*A state assembly committee voted 6-4 on a bill that designates English as the official language of Wisconsin. The bill enforces a rule that requires all State of Wisconsin material to be written in language. All government documents throughout the state must also be published in the English language alone. The bill wil now be sent to the regular assembly and if passed, will go to the senate. Opponents of the bill are concerned that areas with heavy populations of Hmong and Spanish people will not be able to read immunization, transportation and disciplinary information.

LOCAL

·A staff member of the D.C. Everest High School newspaper is facing charges of sexual harrassment after an editorial comment outlined sexual fantasies with his vice principal, Dawn Bratt. The 17year-old columnist, Chris Taber, wrote the editorial after he was asked to go and see the administrator in her office. He wrote "Oh my God, she wants me! It's like those lame sexploitation comedies in which the busty female principal calls students into her office and has sex with them." The school district has officially apologized to Bratt. Taber has stated he meant no harm at Bratt and that it was simply an act of fun that was misconstrued and should be taken as a joke.

*Stevens Point Area Senior High (SPASH) ranked low in administrative pay, but high in teacher salaries after a review by the Legislative Fiscal Bureau. SPASH paid instructors a higher percentage of their budget than any other school in the district at 53.7 percent.

Internet

Government officials state that this provision should limit pornography from being accessed by children.

PAC argues that pornography and obscene material is already illegal and further restrictions will only harm the effectiveness and accessiblity of data on the information superhighway.

"What is legal in the SPASH (Stevens Point Area Senior High School) library is illegal on the Internet," said Bullis. "A student. can read 'Ulysses' in the library, but if you read 'Ulysses' on the internet you're subject to a \$250,000 fine and a five year prison sentence."

The protest gathered close to 40 people and also caught the eye of media personnel throughout the area.

Channels 7 and 9 each had camera teams on the scene, along with reporters from the Stevens Point Journal and an interview with participant Kristen Himsl on WHRM Wisconsin Public Radio.

"This isn't about pornography," said protester Lisa Johnson. "That is already illegal. We are protesting the banning of HIV information and famous artworks such as Michaelangelo's David."

Because of the new clause that censors indecent material on the Internet, various forms of educa-



Members of People Against Censorship photo by Kris Wagner gather in front of the University Center Monday.

tional materials will not be at the fingertips of users.

Since there is no precedence for this law, prosecution for putting indecent material has very little boundries.

The constitutionality of the law is already headed toward the courts in Denver, Colo., and will most likely be popping up throughout the country over the next few months.

A recent court ruling has temporarily suspended prosecution under the bill, but offenders will be prosecuted if the bill is in fact deemed legal by the courts.

"If the courts can recognize the unconstituionality of this bill," said rally speaker Alex Haddock, "Everyone should."

Program preps graduating seniors

By Kate Roberts

FEATURES EDITOR

Senioritis has already hit many of the students who are candidates for graduation in May. Most are ready to graduate right now, or so they think. They may not realize all the planning that goes into the actual

graduation process. That is precisely why the "Salute to Graduates" program has been created. The event will be held for the first time on Tues. March 5 in the

Laird Room of the UC from 2 event for their graduates. p.m. until 7 p.m.

This program was created to help students to plan, not only for graduation day itself, but also for their futures.

"We are offering a one stop graduation shopping trip to answer all the questions that students have about the graduation gram coordinator.

UWSP started to look at this idea last spring and attended Plattville's program this fall, according to Carrier.

Many other UW schools have already implemented this type of

"We are offering a one stop graduation

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Peggy Carrier, Program Coordinator

as an experiment to see if students

ning created stressful situations

for students as the semester came

to provide graduate information

In the past, graduation plan-

"The purpose of the event is

find it to be beneficial.

to a close.

process," said Peggy Carrier, pro- in an easy, accessible way that is efficient in reaching the busy students," said Carrier.

> Carrier hopes to make the "Salute to Graduates" as convenient as possible. Students can come to the program any time from 2 p.m.-7 p.m. to pick up

 their graduation packets. They can leave right away or stay and take advantage of the number of resources that will be available.

"All the people

on campus that have a piece of UWSP is trying it out this year the graduation process will be at

> One focus of the program is to ensure that students receive the packet of information about the commencement ceremony and brochures about other graduation materials.

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Thursday





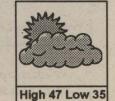
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Sunday



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Monday

photos by Kris Wagner and Brad Riggs

POINTERPOLL

What do you think of the Jacksonville Jaguars deciding to hold their summer football training camp elsewhere?



Kristi Leigh Farmer, Senior Music Education Major

"I think the
Jacksonville Jaguars
should have stayed
where they were,
right here in Stevens
Point. They should
have left well enough
alone."



Jason Wolfe, Freshman Business Administration Major

"I think they should keep it here. It brings some NFL (National Footbal League) excitement here."



Jennifer Mehlbrech, Sophomore Communicative Disorders Major

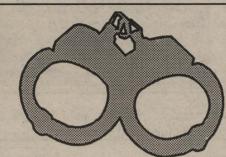
"I thought it was great they were coming, but the fact that all of us in Baldwin hall had to clean our rooms to perfection was a bit much!"



Matt Barnes, Senior Communications Major

"You can't blame them. We had hot and humid weather here. The same as Florida. On the other hand, Stevens Point has to feel pretty ripped off after investing all that money."

Campus Beat



Sunday, February 18, 1996

•Vehicle was witnessed driving up onto the sidewalk between Burroughs and Watson Halls to let someone off. Driver said he thought it was a driveway. Advised otherwise and released.

•Activities director (AD) in Roach Hall reported someone had torn off the Saf-Lok unit on the north door. Officer stated he was not able to determine if vandalism had actually occurred.

Saturday, February 17, 1996

•Non-resident of Hansen Hall threatened Hansen hall director (HD) with physical violence when asked to leave. Officers searched for suspect but were unable to locate.

•Report from University Center (UC) building manager of an odor in the lower level of the UC. Odor coming from InterGreek Council office although unsure of source. Officer set up fan to ventilate.

Friday, February 16, 1996

•Report of graffiti on the men's bathroom wall in Thomson Hall.

•Student reported six to eight people being noisy outside Neale Hall in the volleyball courts. Students were found to be playing snowshoe volleyball. They were advised to keep the noise down and to use the courts on the otherside of Hyer Hall next time.

Wednesday, February 14, 1996

•Three males were attempting to ski down a snow bank. Officer instructed the people to move.

•Student reported his vehicle was hit with a paintball. He was walking to his vehicle as it was being shot at. He believes the suspect vehicle is a minivan.

FAX SERVICE FOR STUDENTS LIVING ON AND OFF CAMPUS

Incoming and outgoing fax service for all students who have an authorization code is now available in 25 LRC (Computing Lab). The cost of an outgoing fax is the cost of the call. There is no charge for an incoming fax. The telephone number for an incoming fax is 346-2043. The telephone bill will be sent to your local address. Students who do not have an authorization code can obtain an application at the Telephone Support Office at 26 LRC. Your auth code will be ready in 3 days. Your student ID will be required in order to pick up your auth code. Call x2562 with any questions.

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Letters

Another victim voices an opinion

I appreciate Mr. Draeger's response in The Pointer to the article 'Jurisdiction in question for campus security" (Feb. 1 1996 Vol. 39

However, I am fairly disgusted with the editor's sarcastic response

Mr. Draeger was quite precise in his interpretation of the situation in question.

As a victim in this case, I do not appreciate the original article's bashing of campus security and one-sidedness portrayed in the socalled investigative report.

The article claimed the "officers allegedly misused their power forcing the student to protect himself."

In doing so, he was injured, requiring seven screws, a pin, and a plate to be placed into his ankle.

The article goes on to say "force was required to keep the alleged suspect from hurting others as well as himself, but in order for security officers to detain they must have first hand knowledge that a felony has been committed. In this particular case, none of the charges brought against him were felony charges."

Excuse me, but when has assault and battery not been considered a felony charge?

The officers were aware of this suspect's prior attack of my friend and myself and violent actions toward a Steiner Community Advisor

The officers were not able to constrain this individual; therefore, they did only what was necessary in handling this situation.

In regards to the assailant's injury let me remind you of the injuries inflicted upon me and my friend.

It seems that The Pointer failed to include the trips to the emergency room we experienced that night, the numerous visits and follow-ups to various doctors, the head injuries to my friend, and the seven weeks my left arm spent in a sling due to severely torn ligaments in my shoulder, not to mention the emotions involved in being attacked.

I am more than grateful to campus security for handling the situation in the way they did.

Had they been more lenient, perhaps there would be more victims in this case.

Thank you Protective Services for doing your job and preventing possible additional injuries in this incident,

In the editor's response to Mr. Draeger's letter the following was stated:

"The intoxication of the student was an issue, but was not the story's focus. It was an investigative piece that raised the question of whether or not Protective Services reserves the right to use physical force to this extent."

For some reason I just can't figure out why this vital piece of information was left out of your investigative piece.

The student's intoxication was a major factor and yet you failed to include it in your article which questioned the right of the officers to use force to the extent they did.

Perhaps Protective Services would not have had to use such force if this student hadn't been intoxicated and viciously resistant.

guess if you still see this fact as irrelevant, maybe you should take a look at yet another perspective, and that would be the weather

The ground was completely covered with ice on this particular evening and perhaps, when security forced him to the ground, his ankle was injured due to contact with the icy surface.

I can't help but wonder if this student had not injured himself during the struggle with the officers, would any attention have been given to this case? Kind of makes you wonder, doesn't it?

The other victim in this case was questioned by your reporters, yet her side of the story was not included.

Her viewpoint along with other's who were on the scene was not even mentioned.

The fact that you neglected to report so many viewpoints to this story totally repulses me!

Your one sidedness and slander of the way this case was handled only points out your insufficient way of collecting the facts.

Failing to report accurate data only results in aversive letters to

Once again, thank you Protective Services for your outstanding work and action! Without your intervention that night further violence may have resulted.

Angie Anderson

10% Society promotes awareness

Dear Editor:

I would like to inform the UWSP student body of a campuswide victory for gay, lesbian and bisexual (GLB) awareness.

Recently, the 10% Society reached out to faculty, providing anyone wishing to do so with an opportunity to show their support for the entire GLB campus com-

The 10% Society mailed Ally symbols, a postcard size sign with an upside-down pink triangle encased in a circle to all faculty members.

Those who feel comfortable displaying this symbol on their office doors are encouraged to do

So far, many faculty have posted the symbol.

The 10% Society would like to thank those faculty who have made this project the success it

The purpose of posting such a symbol is to show gay, lesbian and bisexual students, faculty and staff whom one can feel safe around.

Just because a faculty member posts the symbol doesn't mean he or she is gay, rather, it shows they would be comfortable discussing issues pertaining to homosexuality or bisexuality.

The pink triangle symbol originates from Nazi Germany.

In concentration camps, homosexual men were identified by an upside-down pink triangle patch on their shirt sleeves.

The GLB community has adopted the pink triangle as a symbol of pride and strength.

This act of visibility serves to strengthen the entire campus community, and its commitment to diversity.

Without the continued support from allies, homosexual or heterosexual, the university GLB community would not be where it is today.

Sincerely, **Becky Dietrich**

UWSP 10% Society Vice-President

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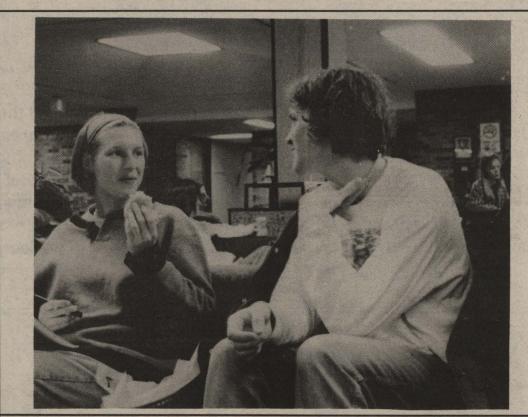


photo by Brad Riggs

Cate Irsfeld of the Womens' Resource Center talks with Jared Gruhl over lunch in the UC about volunteering at the center.

Protect yourself

Dear Editor:

It's time to take back our night from those that ordinarily steal our night. Celebrate a night when you can march into the streets unafraid of what lurks behind a bush, or in your own living room.

Celebrate a night where you are surrounded by people who care about peace, the power of the people, and about the safety of the environment you live in.

Do you have an opinion on defining gender roles? How

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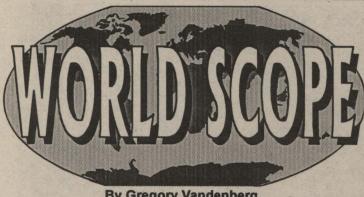
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Letters & Opinion



By Gregory Vandenberg
News Editor

The mudslinging has officially begun.

Most of us who remember the last couple of presidential races know that it was only a matter of time before the candidates shied away from the real topics and began taking cheap shots at each others' characters and reputations.

So hide the women and children and let the skeletons out of the closet, right?

Wrong. Come on people, try and rummage through all the unimportant superfluous attacks and find the candidate that best represents what you want our nation's leader to be.

The media will try and steer you away and will forget about the issues by talking about what this person's position is on capital punishment or abortion.

But keep in mind that the president has relatively nothing to do with abortion or capital punishment decisions. That is the Supreme Court's jurisdiction and the chances of a president appointing a majority number of judges during his term is almost an impossibility.

Yet, the national media continues to talk about these hot topics that get the emotions flowing and divert the attention from what we should really be looking at for a leader.

For me, I want someone who realizes that our government has become a monster. The new passage of the Telecommunications Reform Bill simply reiterates my view that government has become exactly what George Orwell prophesied in "1984."

Big Brother is most certainly watching you. Whether it is on the Internet or with these new surveillance cameras they are testing in Redwood City, Calif.

If you don't know, these new police cameras can monitor 16 city blocks 24 hours a day and some of this equipment is capable of looking through the windows of your homes just to make sure you aren't doing anything the government wouldn't like.

Can't you see what they're doing? Bit by bit the government continues to grow and in doing so takes away another portion of our freedom as Americans.

That is why I have decided to support Lamar Alexander for the presidency. I must admit he is my second choice though.

I had hoped Jack Kemp would run because I think we need an economist to lead this nation, but I guess I'll have to wait another four years to see if he'll throw his hat in the ring.

Anyways, I think Alexander is the best choice for one important reason. He thinks the government has become too big and that responsibilities that continue to be passed on to Washington should be taken over by citizens of the United States.

There is one statement that sums up his stance. "We have to be honest enough to say some things aren't solved by legislative solutions," said the Tennessee governor. "The President must persuade us to expect less from Washington and more from ourselves."

I couldn't have said it better myself Mr. Alexander.

Everyone expects the government to solve all our problems for us. Well it is not going to happen. They aren't magicians, as much as they would like you to believe.

Congressmen are meant to be jacks-of-all-trades and masters of none. I repeat: Masters of none! They shouldn't be raising children, telling us what to watch or read and most certainly looking in the windows of our homes for illegal activity.

The beauty of this nation is that our forefathers knew they weren't experts and set up this government so it could change because they knew their limitations.

Alexander sees these limitations and I hope the rest of this nation does too, and is ready to take on a little more responsibility.



Student calls on UWSP to vote

Dear Editor

Students Are Voting Everywhere. Are they? Are you? This past year we've seen tuition in-

creases, slashing of environmental protection, controversial social reform and many other major changes in our

state and federal policies.

Every student is affected by these changes.

Why have some of these changes gotten past our legislators?

Because they represent their constituents, and to determine how we feel about different issues, they rely on demographic studies, letters they receive and other communication in addition to their own views.

Legislators look at what groups have a history of voting and participating in government.

Unfortunately, people between 18 and 24 years of age have a very poor voting turnout.

This tells legislators, whether correct or incorrect, that students

don't really care about what's going on.

Elected officials know that their next campaign won't be af-

Unfortunately, people

between 18 and 24 years of

Student Government, in conjunction with Student Legal and other student groups, is sponsoring a voter registration and edu-

cation drive.

It is called Students Are Voting Everywhere (SAVE), and is a nationwide program to encourage students to

age have a very poor voting turnout.

fected by students, so they tend to disregard their interests.

Do our legislators- our only representatives in Congress, in the state legislature, in the city council- have the right to disregard a large portion of their constituency? Of course not.

How can we change this trend? One way is to make legislators aware that you are paying attention to what they're doing and plan to vote when you are given the opportunity.

By registering to vote- in essence putting your name on a list of people who care about what's going on in government- you demonstrate your commitment to stay informed and active in your government.

get out the vote.

Registration will be held Feb. 26 in Debot from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., Feb. 26, 27, 29, and March 1 in the University Center Concourse area from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 a.m. and on Feb. 28 in the Science Building. from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

If you haven't voted before in Stevens Point, come out and put your name on that list of people who care.

Ann Finan

The President speaks

Fellow Pointers:

Most of my time during the

past couple of weeks has been invested in various meetings across the university.

Although the semester is just getting going, we are planning for events that may have an impact two or three years from now.

One such event is the possibility of a fall break period. The registrar's office

has compiled data which would allow for new approaches for education at UWSP.

For example, if we were to extend 50 minute class periods to 60 minutes, we would have time for a one week fall break and a three week academic interim session.

Many students at other campuses have enjoyed an interim period because it allows for students to take an additional 3-5 credits, in a period of just three weeks.

Of course the class periods are longer during the interim and the classes move at a faster rate, but generally students that have enrolled in interim classes have enjoyed the experience.

If the interim period were to be put into action, second semester classes would not begin until late January or early February. Because of the fact that the university calendar is published several years in advance, these changes could not go into effect until Fall 1998, at the earliest.

Please let me know how you would feel about 60 minute versus 50 minute classes, a fall break or a winter interim period.

It is vital that we move on this issue as soon as possible. Please send your email comments to exec@uwspmail.uwsp.edu or 104052.1121@compuserve.com or feel free to call me at 346-3722 to voice your opinion.

You will have a chance to help nominate UWSP faculty and staff for the University Teaching Award.

Next week there will be tables up in Collins, CPS, CNR, FAC and the UC for you to cast your nomination.

Student Government will forward the top 12 vote-getters of faculty or staff to the University Awards Committee. This is a great opportunity for you to help that extra special professor you think is a great teacher.

Finally, watch the UC for your chance to register to vote. Students will he registering students to vote all next week.

If you would like more information, please contact Ann at 346-3723.

Until next week,

Ray Oswald President, Student Government Association

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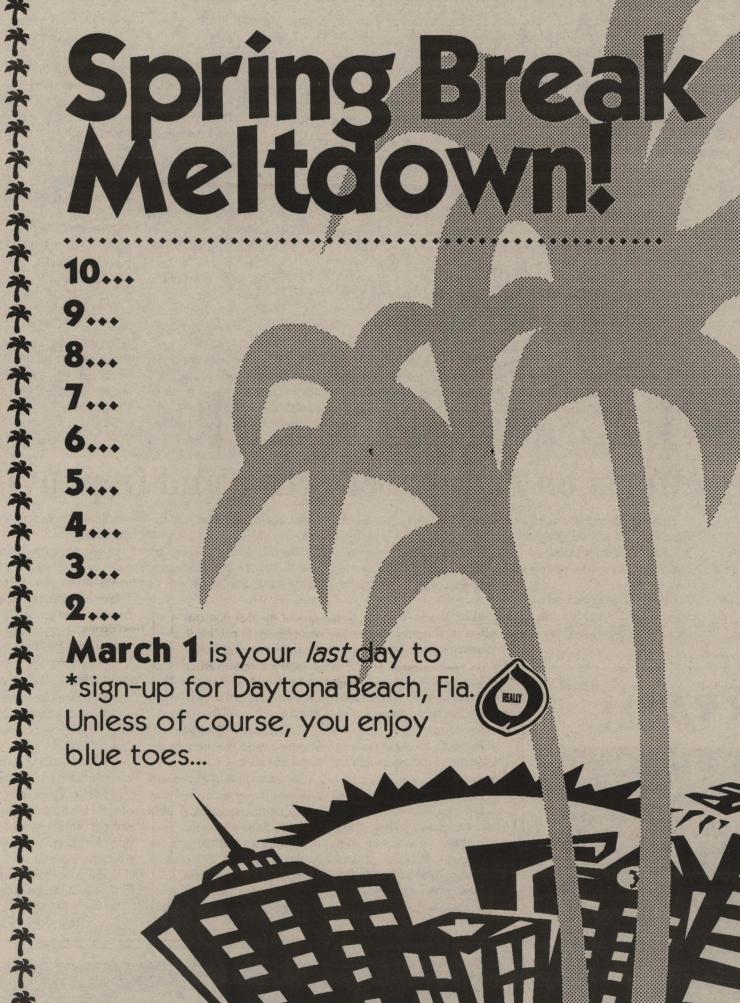
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Outdoors

Second in a two part series

By Scott Van Natta OUTDOORS EDITOR

As was reported in last week's article, the Crandon Mining Company (CMC) and the Mining Committee of the Forest County Board met in closed session on Feb. 7 to negotiate a local agreement with the CMC.

There has been a great deal of opposition to the fact that they did and have been meeting in closed sessions to negotiate the agreement.

Concerned citizens stress the fact that Forest County appears ready to go ahead and sign the agreement, even before the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and the Army Corps of Engineers have completed their environmental impact reports.

Currently, there is a great deal of controversy surrounding the environmental impacts of the proposed mine.

Environmental impacts of mine loom large

The Crandon mine is located five miles south of Crandon and two miles east of highway 55.

Discovered in 1975 by Exxon, it is one of the largest zinc/cop-

per deposits in North America.

According to the Environmental Impact Report Summary released by the CMC, the deposit contains 55 million tons of ore,

mainly zinc and copper with smaller amounts of lead, silver and gold.

The mine facilities would cover about 550 acres, including forest, wetland and open land.

Also to be constructed are a 3-mile access road and a 2.7 mile railroad spur that would connect with Wisconsin Central Railroad so the ore could be shipped out

facing the mine are: groundwater drawdown, tailings disposal

and wastewater discharge.

"The environmental impacts are likely to be significant." In a letter from the Department of the Interior to the Army Corps of **Engineers**

> According to a DNR status report, "one of the impacts of implementing the proposed project would be a drawing down of the groundwater level around the mine site."

The CMC report states that as the mine is built, water will seep into the mine from overlying groundwater at the rate of about 600 gallons per minute.

Among the lakes closest to the mine that would experience

Three of the biggest concerns drawdown are Little Sand, Duck and Deep Hole lakes.

> These lakes would experience drawdown of less than one inch. Only one lake according to the

report, Skunk Lake, a shallow, six acre lake, would be drawndown enough where mitigation would be necessary.

Mitigation is pumping ground-

water back into the lake.

If the drawdown should result in the reduction of water reaching nearby streams and lakes, the DNR would evaluate how much less water is available and determine the impacts.

"The Department could not approve a project that would result in injury to public rights in those waters," the report states.

As the CMC report says, "the decline in groundwater levels will be temporary. Within a few years after the mine is closed and reclaimed, groundwater and local lakes and streams will return to their previous levels and wetlands affected by groundwater levels will revert back to their present conditions."

Another area of concern is the disposal of mine tailings.

Mine tailings consist of finely ground rock that is the by-product of processed ore.

The Crandon mine would produce about 5,500 tons of ore per day over its 28 years of scheduled operations.

However, the mine would also generate about 44 million tons of

Of the 44 million tons, 22 million would be placed in tailings ponds that would be 90 feet deep and equal to the size of 350 football fields.

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Recycling efforts on campus effective and improving

By Betsy Buckley

CONTRIBUTOR

Every day, each person in America produces an average of six pounds of garbage.

However, these items don't magically disappear into thin air once they've been tossed out.

They are taken to the landfill where they will stay infinitely.

A much less consumptive approach to waste removal is recy-

Before throwing an item out, check to see if it is recyclable. If it is, empty it, clean it out, remove the labels, and toss it into the re- boxes and freezer food contain- melted and reformed into new cycling container.

Once recyclables leave your possession, they have a long way to go before they are new prod-

All recyclables properly disposed of on campus are taken to the Resource Recovery Center in Lot J.

Once there, they are sorted, rinsed and checked for contaminants before being shipped off to different companies.

Plastics #1 and #2 are sent to the Materials Recovery Facility in

From there the #1 plastics are sent to Ripon, Wis. and plastics #2 are sent to Green Bay.

Industrial Recyclers of Wisconsin in Wausau takes shrinkwrap, clear bags, 5 gallon pails and covers, as well as our aseptic containers, such as juice

The shrinkwrap and bags are sent to Texas while the aseptic containers are sent on to Ashland, Wis.

Ten to 12 tons of paper are shipped out approximately every three weeks to Fort Howard Corporation and corrugated cardboard is baled and sold to Consolidated Papers of Wisconsin Rapids.

The Larsen Company of Waupaca buys our aluminum, metal and glass.

The aluminum is melted and reformed into new cans and may be back in the stores in as little as six weeks.

Mining new aluminum ore creates 95% more air pollution than the recycling process.

The glass is taken to Owens Comings in Illinois, where it is

glassware.

The campus has also found ways to recycle some items not normally considered recyclable.

For example, used cooking oil from the food service operations is used as a supplement in animal feed for a turkey farm.

Waste oil is refined into industrial grade oil for steam boilers throughout the nation.

Fax and printer toner cartridges have new toner added and then are resold.

Plastic shopping bags are remanufactured into car bumpers.

Plates and cups from the food centers, ash from the power plant and old concrete from construction jobs are ground and used as road base material.

Used upholstery foam is sent to Pewaukee Mattress in Plover

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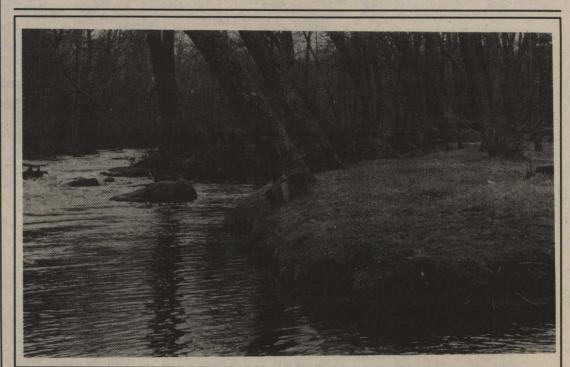
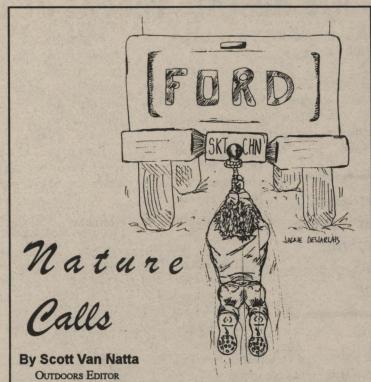


Photo by Kris Wagner

Spring takes a bite out of winter's bitterness and soon, this will be a reality.



Has winter got you down? Are you feeling like there's just nothing to do? Got a bad case of cabin fever? Tired of questions? Well let me tell you something -- I don't care.

No really, actually I have something that may be of help. It happens to be a short list of some of the lesser well known winter activities.

By lesser well known, I mean things you may have never heard of before

Let's begin with a winter activity that actually takes place closer to spring, based on your weight, determine how thin ice must be before you break through. Any lake will do. Dry clothes are an option.

The second activity - one of the more popular by the way (because it's easy) - and with the held of the scientific method, is to measure how long it takes to reach hypothermia.

You will probably have to run this experiment more than once since the temperature varies from day to day. However, this activity does involve a lot of sitting around. So bring a book.

Another popular activity is demonstrated in the drawing above: skitching.

Simply grab onto the bumper of a vehicle with your hands or by rope and hold on as the vehicle accelerates.

It is best to do this on a road that is completely snow and ice covered since after you let go, you don't want to slide across a patch of concrete.

Why add unnecessary friction to your life?

Next up is deer hunting. Did I say deer hunting? Well this is one of the more risque activities since getting caught will get you fined and thrown in jail for a long time. In fact, who wrote this? What a crazy idea -- they should be shot.

Okay, here's another idea — that's legal. You know how some highways have large hills on either side that are very steadily sloped? And how at the bottom there's always a ditch that slopes back up to the road. Well why not climb to the top of one of those hills, strap on a pair of skis, and jump the road? Warning: watch out for eighteen-wheelers.

If you're not the athletic type, try this one.

Crawl into a bear den and pet the cubs. They love it! Of course, sometimes mama wakes up, in which case if you're not athletic, you're dead.

If you really are an animal lover, you could always leave society to become a member of a wolf pack. But be careful in deciding what pack to join - some of them aren't real partial to humans.

Another animal idea: determine the deer population of Wisconsin by personally counting every deer yourself. This should keep you pretty busy. And if you're really feeling ambitious, count birds.

Okay, so none of these tempt you. Then try this one: take a walk...to Alaska. And if you really think about it, you could kill two birds with one stone (have all your eggs in one basket, have your cake and eat it too, etc..) - you would have more than ample time to test your theory on hypothermia.

If, after doing any number of these great winter activities you still find yourself bored, then get the heck outta here and move to Florida for Pete's sake! (And who's this Pete guy?)

Editor's note:

If after attempting any of the above mentioned activities, someone asks you where you got the idea, you didn't get it here.

Walleye anglers ready for rule changes

The majority of Wisconsin anglers who responded to a recent Department of Natural Resources (DNR) survey said they are unhappy with current walleye fishing in the state and are ready to try new regulations to improve fishing.

"A random survey of people who have Wisconsin fishing licenses found that only 36 percent of the respondents went home satisfied after an outing in pursuit of walleye," said Tim Simonson, a warmwater lakes and fisheries ecologist with the DNR Bureau of Fisheries Management.

The DNR fisheries program developed the survey as part of an update of the state's walleye management plan to assess angler's experiences and preferences

"Well over half the anglers we surveyed believe walleye numbers have declined over the last 10 years, particularly for the larger fish, which was a major factor in the dissatisfaction they had in the sport," said Simonson.

"They told us they caught too many small fish and too few big fish

The top reasons most Wisconsin residents travel out of the state in search of walleye is for more and bigger fish."

In fact, said Simonson, these angler's perceptions of the fish-

ery tend to be supported by field data.

"Over the last ten years, DNR fisheries surveys indicate that the total number of adult walleye has not changed substantially, but the number of walleye over 20 inches has been below average in five of the last six years," said Simonson.

"Essentially, the number fish under 15 inches has increased, while the number of larger fish has declined," he said.

"Wisconsin lakes and their walleye populations are feeling the effects of overharvest," said Lee Kernen, director of the DNR Bureau of Fisheries Management. "Anglers are ready to make things better."

The survey found that many walleye anglers are ready and willing to support new regulations to improve fishing.

Although 80 percent of survey respondents strongly supported current minimum length limit, they also supported a proposal to ease length limits on certain waters.

Anglers strongly supported three potential new walleye rules, including: a reduction in the daily bag limit from 5 to 3 walleyes per day with no change in the current total possession limit of ten, was supported by 69 percent of the respondents,

"Slot" length limits, which prohibit anglers from keeping 14inch to 18-inch fish, received support from 56 percent of the respondents, a "one-over" limit, which allows anglers to keep only one fish larger than a specified length, received support of more than 65 percent of the respondents.

"These regulations would provide anglers with more opportunities to harvest the more plentiful small walleyes for a meal, but they also protect the adult stock to ensure the continued supply of walleye," said Simonson.

DNR fisheries managers are interested in trying the regulations out on a number of waters to evaluate their effectiveness, he added.

A proposal to change walleye regulations on about 270 of the more than 1,200 walleye waters in Wisconsin will be presented at the annual Spring Fish and Game Rules Hearings that will be held in every county of the state on April 8, 1996.

Protecting and enhancing the population of mature adult walleyes was a consistent concern of the public groups surveyed, Simonson noted.

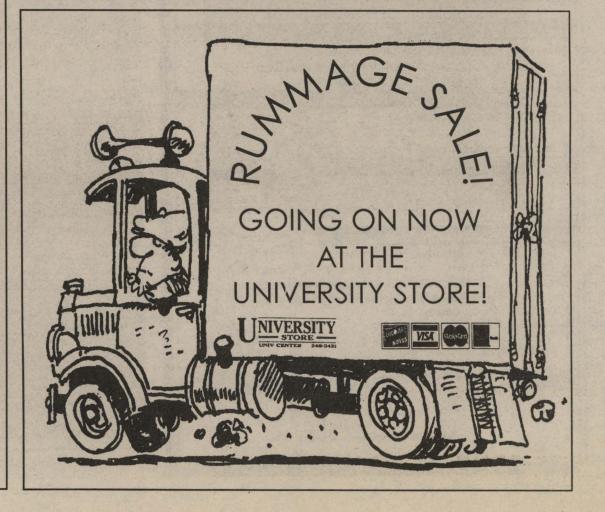
"These proposed changes would increase the level of protection for mature adults, and should result in an increase in adult densities over time that will be reflected in higher future catch rates for anglers," he said.

From A Sand County Almanac

"A chipmunk, emerging for a sunbath but finding a blizzard, has only to go back to bed."

Aldo Leopold

WHY CAN'T EVERYTHING BE THAT EASY?



Outdoors

Timber wolf outlook good for state despite recent deaths

By Don Bragg

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

In spite of the fact that three of 26 radio collared timber wolves have died during the past month in Wisconsin, the outlook for wolves is good, according to Adrian Wydeven, mammalian ecologist for the Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

Wolves are hardy animals and usually they have little difficulty surviving a moderate to severe

The three wolves known to have perished this winter were found to have mange, which is a parasitic disease of mammals that causes loss of fur.

In severe cases, it can lead to death of the host animal through exposure to cold weather.

The three wolves that died were all adult male wolves.

Between 83 and 86 timber wolves were estimated to be residing in the state during the winter of '94 -'95.

This winter's wolf count will not be completed until April, but preliminary data indicates at least

an equally favorable year has passed for the new pups that have been added to the 18 or so known wolf packs.

What are the wolf pups doing now? They're running and hunting with their respective packs.

The pups have been able to keep up with the adult wolves since September.

In human terms, this would seem a remarkable feat considering that the pups were born in mid-April, but wild animals have evolved so that the great majority require but one summer to be-

come capable of survival with or without the aid of their parents.

The wolf packs may begin to fragment in late January and February when the breeding season occurs.

Only the alpha male and alpha female breed within the pack but some of the adult wolves leave to seek mates of their own.

This can be a very dangerous time for the dispersed wolf be-

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Sipiorski, a junior at UWSP.

cause it may enter a hostile wolf for wolves to capture prey durpack territory and be in peril for its life.

It also risks encounters with vehicles as it crosses or follows roadways.

The expansion of the timber wolf into central Wisconsin,

"It is in central Wisconsin that we will find out how well people and wolves can get along." Adrian Wydeven

> where two packs now are being monitored, caught Wydeven and others by surprise.

> "We now believe we have suitable habitat for four to five wolf packs in the central forests of the state," said Wydeven.

> He warns, however, "It is in central Wisconsin that we will find out how well people and wolves can get along." The area is surrounded by farms where conflicts might occur.

Fortunately, the timber wolf does not have a history of attacking humans.

Individual wolves can get into trouble where livestock, sheep and turkeys are raised.

When this happens, damage is paid to the owner and the offending wolf is trapped and relo-

Deep snow and harsh winter temperatures normally do not cause survival problems for wolves. If anything, it is easier

ing severe winters.

Wolves are not wanton killers. They very efficiently consume the prey they capture which in the winter is usually deer and snowshoe hares.

"We really thought we'd see

timber wolf packs in northeastern Wisconsin before they pushed into the central counties," said Wydeven.

The timbered areas of Forest, Florence, Marinette and Oconto counties still do not have known wolf packs although a few dispersed wolves have

been reported in Forest and Florence counties.

Wydeven believes that Wisconsin eventually will have 300 to 400 timber wolves when they occupy all of the range suited to the animals.

The Wisconsin wolf monitoring team is establishing 123 winter carnivore tracking survey blocks across the state that will be assigned to volunteer workers.

Track observations of the timber wolf, coyote, fox, bobcat, cougar, lynx, otter, fisher, badger, bear, skunk, free roaming dog and cat are recorded.

It is hoped that the late fall and early winter predator track survey will adequately show where wolves reside in the central and northern Wisconsin forests and it will be valuable in building a better data base on a wide number of Wisconsin mammalian predators.

Hopefully, the carnivore tracking survey will replace the more intensive and expensive methods now used to estimate the wolf population when the wolves become delisted and funding becomes more limited.

Forty of the 123 wolf habitat survey blocks have already been assigned to volunteer teams.

When Wisconsin achieves its goal of 80 or more timber wolves for three successive years, the DNR will apply for a reclassification of the timber wolf from "endangered" to "threatened."

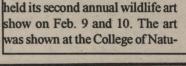
It is possible the three-year count of 80 wolves or better will occur as early as April 1997.

Listing the wolves as "threatened" will not diminish the protection of the species. It will make it easier for DNR workers to control individual wolves that become habitual predators of farm animals.

Wisconsin's timber wolves have cost taxpayers approximately \$1,125,000 to monitor, protect and educate people about since 1979. Half that amount, \$500,000 has been spent in the past five years.

About 75 percent of the money has come from federal sources such as the Endangered Species Act Funds, the Pittman-Robertson ten percent excise tax on sporting firearms and ammunition, and from the budgets of the two national forests in Wisconsin.

The other 25 percent has come primarily from public donations to the DNR's Bureau of Endangered Resources and matching state funds.



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Turkey talk above human hearing

By Bryon Thompson CONTRIBUTOR

The voice, vocabulary and hearing ability of the wild turkey is often misunderstood.

For example, the turkey has over thirty different known vocal-

The word known is emphasized here for a reason.

Mark Allen Drury, owner of M.A.D. Calls game call company that bears his initials, has recently discovered that turkeys can speak and hear pitches higher than the human ear can hear.

"Frequencies are measured in Hertz (Hz), and we (humans) speak at about 2,500 Hz.

In fact, a telephone will not transmit frequencies higher than 3,000 Hz," said Drury, also a fivetime World Champion turkey caller, "However, we have recorded a hen turkey emitting frequencies as high as 16,000 Hz and found that turkeys can hear pitches higher than 20,000 Hz."

It is known that turkeys will shock gobble at loud noises during the spring.

Traditionally, hunters have used loud calls such as the owl hoot, the crow call, or the coyote howl to locate turkeys.

However, in 1994 M.A.D Calls created Dead Silence, a silent locating call that acts on the acute hearing of the turkey.

Much like a dog whistle, Dead Silence emits a tone that humans cannot hear.

However, it exceeds a pitch greater than 16,000 Hz that the wild turkey can plainly hear at distances of up to 400 yards.

"Turkeys will gobble their heads off to this call!" Drury ex-

Intrigued by the turkey's positive response to the high frequency pitch in the locating call, Drury wanted to incorporate these discoveries into actual turkey calls.

He tested the pitches of many different calls on the market as they performed the yelp sound, the backbone of all turkey vocal-

The yelp is a two-toned note that begins with a higher pitched key sound, and then drops into a lower pitched yok sound.

"Nearly every call we tested had a distinct band of frequency of about 2,000 Hz at the lower yok sound. The upper ends of the yelps varied between 4,500 and 12,000 Hz," said Drury.

With all this in mind, M.A.D. Calls created the new High Frequency Series, which includes Dead Silence, and the new Super Aluminator and High Ball calls.

The Super Aluminator is a new friction-type call made with an aluminum surface.

This call exceeds 15,000 Hz and is the highest pitched call on the market.

The High Ball is a highpitched mouth call.

"We feel that the bird might be answering based on a stimulus, that stimulus being a highpitched frequency often times undetectable to the human ear," Drury stated, "It's a high-tech theory that sure makes a lot of

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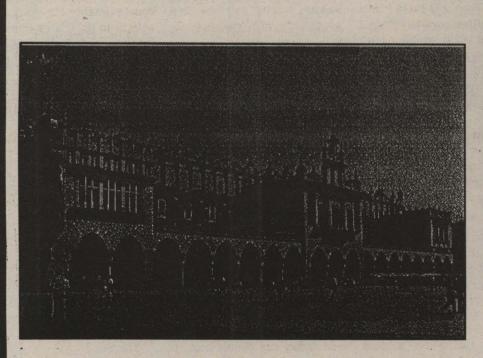
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Features

New concert series features local acts



The local band, Barnaby Creek, played for students and professors at a Quit-n-Time performance in the Encore a few weeks ago.

Photo by Jennifer Wiest

By Brad Riggs

PHOTO ASSISTANT

Centertainment invites everyone to the Quit-n-Time concert series every Friday to the Encore from 3 p.m.-5 p.m.

Jeff Pertzborn, Centertainment's Promotional Director, commented, "We are trying to hold an event on campus everyday of the year."

Quit-n-Time is fairly new program to UWSP. It fills the two hour time slot in late afternoon

on Fridays. The idea is "you put 'your time in, now get something back."

After a long week of classes you can relax by listening to some campus acts such as Barnaby Creek, the Bob Kase Quartet and UWSP's Jazz Combo.

Scott Pionke, a member of the Centertainment team said, "It is mainly geared toward faculty and staff—to get them to the UC and hopefully to interact more with the students."

The show with Barnaby Creek had a nice turnout of both students and professors.

Education professor Jay Price said, "I found out about it because they sent a flyer to the professors' mailboxes. It's not a bad idea!"

Centertainment says, "So, for two hours sit back, relax, munch on some free pretzels and peanuts, listen to some local, live music, and hang with your profs."

Single students to seek dates at Tremors

By Kate Roberts

FEATURES EDITOR

Most of us have seen the game show, "Singled Out" on MTV. Now UWSP students have the chance to take part in the campus' own version of the show. Centertainment Productions and Tremors Dance Club will be sponsoring this event on Friday, Feb. 23

Students who consider themselves to be single and would like the chance to win a date with a special someone can participate in the show. Those that already have their mates can still join in the fun by rooting fellow classmates on.

Scott Pionke, Centertainment's Travel and Leisure Coordinator, said that the UWSP version of "Singled Out" will be set up exactly like it is on MTV.

Contestant interviews and sign-ups for the show will be held that evening from 9 p.m.-10:45 p.m.

Fifty men and women will be allowed to register to take part in the show. One person of each sex will be chosen randomly to be the eligible bachelor or bachelorette.

The game goes something like this. The bachelorette will narrow down the field of fifty men to around seven potential dates by choosing their preferences in various categories. Then there is a "keep them, or dump

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Feature Presentation Timothy Stalter, Director of Choral Activities

By Gina Jacquart

CONTRIBUTOR

College professors are often recognized solely for their work on campus as teachers, advisors and mentors. We often forget that many professors have professional lives that supplement their teaching careers, Timothy Stalter, Director of Choral Activities at UWSP, is a perfect example.

Stalter is an active tenor soloist who performs with choral ensembles such as the Robert Shaw Festival Singers and the Robert Shaw Chamber Singers. His travels with these groups have taken him to Austria, France and all over the United States.

In the States he performs with Robert Shaw from Atlanta, Ga. to New York's Carnegie Hall. He most recently appeared there in January, performing Verdi's Requiem, which he called an "unparalleled experience." Someday he

would love to have the opportunity to perform as a soloist at Carnegie Hall.

"I can't do one without the other," said Stalter of teaching and performing. He believes that the two complement each other and that quitting one would cause the other to suffer.

To maintain both sides of his career, he acts as his own agent, giving himself the freedom to turn down performances that would interrupt his teaching schedule and accept those that increase his knowledge and ability as a teacher.

Timothy Stalter is a perfect reminder of what professors can do outside the classroom. Perhaps taking the time to learn about their 'other life' would increase both our understanding and respect for the professors we sometimes take for granted.

To submit an idea or article about someone on the UWSP campus that you think deserves some recognition, contact Kate at the *Pointer* to have them featured in this column.

WHAT'S HAPPENING



PLANETARIUM

The planetarium at UWSP is upholding its reputation as the most popular facility of its kind in the state. So far this month, record breaking crowds have been showing up at 2 p.m. each week to attend "Through the Eyes of Hubble," the inside story of the Hubble Space Telescope. Director Randy Olson announced today he is adding an additional show each Sunday at 3:15 p.m.

The 2:00 and 3:15 p.m. presentations on the second floor of the Science Building will continue through March 31. They are open to the public free of charge.

According to Olson, people attending the shows are fascinated by the breathtaking images produced by the Hubble Telescope.

Olson can claim UWSP's planetarium as the most popular in Wisconsin because its average attendance over the past eight years has been about 14,000 individuals per year, 5,000 more annually than its nearest competitor. It is anticipated the Hubble shows will boost the attendance figures by several hundred.

PARTY

What are you doing this Saturday at 10:30 p.m.? Watching Saturday Night Live you say? Why not come over to Encore and watch it with your friends? Centertainment Productions is having an SNL Party. Centertainment will provide the food. Beer is only a buck.

The Encore is the place to be Saturday night with all friends after downtown, after the parties, discover SNL all over again. Owen Sartori Club/Variety coordinator suggests the SNL party as "an opportunity to hang out, with your friends and eat free food."

Doors open at 10:00 p.m. this Saturday. The show is a GIFT.

TRAVEL

If you haven't signed up for the ultimate in Spring Break trip to Daytona Beach, Florida you have until March 1.

Centertainment Productions Travel and Leisure Coordinator, Scott Pionke said, "The best thing about Spring Break is partying down in Fla, with about 200 UWSP students and many students from other universities."

"The trip begins with a bus ride down there. It is anywhere from 24 to 30 hours on the road, but we are bringing movies, and you can socialize pretty much whatever. It's a good time."

When the students get down to Daytona they go through hotel check in, and once they get their keys, they're on their own.

However, trip leaders, who are team members from the Centertaiment Productions Travel and Leisure Team, are available for questions.

Once in the Daytona area, students may want to participate in side excursion trips like parasailing, bungee jumping and jet skiing.

AWARD

The Portage County Historical Society is accepting entries for the 20th annual Win and Edith Rothman Local History Award, a \$150 cash prize.

Projects worthy of this award must deal with some aspect of Portage County history and are commonly either research papers, video presentations, assessments of Portage County documents as to their historical significance, or collections with identification of historical artifacts for preservation and display.

The society asks that written entries be typed and that projects unable to be sent be represented by a written description

The goal of the Rothman Competition is to encourage local residents of all ages to develop interest in and to research the history of this area. Entries can be sent to the Rothman Competition, Department of History, UWSP. The deadline for submissions is March 29.

90FM'S PICKS OF THE WEEK

By Wayne Semmerling 90FM Station Manager



Jars of Clay
Jars of Clay

Every once in a while we get a CD that comes through the station and you can tell it is going to be a hit. Here's on of them— Jars of Clay. Beautifully written songs, with a roots rock backbone, and loads of pop elements.

It is a self-produced CD except for two tracks, "Liquid" and "Flood" (Two stand-out tracks on the album), which were produced by Adraiane Belew.

Another stand-out is "Love Song For a Savior," pulling images of God in combination with love. An excellent release. Big Ass Truck
Kent

Wonder if this band will be banned from the Internet? Let's hope not because everyone would miss out on the fun of rock and funk combined in an album as great as Kent.

This one is not as hard edged as their last album, but what they lack in edge, they make up for in funky bass and rhythms. An all out party album—put on the CD and let the liquids flow...



Greg Koch and The Tone Controls

Strat's Got your Tongue

What an incredible live performer Greg Koch is, and team him up with The Tone Controls, and you have one awesome mix of blues rock found in the state of Wisconsin.

This album is an all instrumental album, and it displays the awesome ability of Greg Koch's guitar playing. There is no denying of Greg Koch's talents and abilities, so don't deny yourself a taste of some great blues and rock out there.

Bad News—

Hotel Washington in Madison burned down on Sunday. I mean it's only a shell. One of the more historic buildings in the city was also home to the wonderful club, Club De Wash. If you never made it there, it's too bad. A small bar that has had its share of ground breaking acts before they made it big. It will be missed by many music fans across the state.

Mini-course to offer hands-on experience Instructors to show students how to get defensive

By Brittany Safranek
Typesetter

Knowing self defense can be an advantage to everyone. Even in a small campus like Stevens Point, students should be prepared for any situation that would require them to use defense knowledge to protect themselves.

Centertainment Productions Issues and Ideas is sponsoring a self defense mini-course that will teach students how to avoid violent situations and how to physically protect themselves when necessary.

The course will be offered on February 20, 27, and March 5 at 8 p.m. in the H.P.E.R.A. Wrestling Room. Classes are \$3 with a student I.D. and \$4 without.

"I participated in this last semester. It's a lot of fun," explained Matt Woodward, who is the coordinator for the defense course program.

"It's a hands-on experience," said Woodward, "Students will get grouped in pairs and they will work together. They will learn things like the pressure points of the body and how not to trap yourself. A lot of people don't know what to do when they have to defend themselves. This class gives you what you need to avoid being in a physical confrontation."

The three-part mini-course will be taught by two deputy Black Belt students from Stevens Point Tai Kwan Do Academy. Instructors Greg Dorn and Noah Zimmerman have practiced mar-

tial arts and self defense for the past ten years.

"I think people need to know about self defense and have confidence in their abilities," said Dorn, "We teach them to be aware of their surroundings and to avoid situations all together-common sense kind of things that people know but don't think about. We teach all different kinds of escapes."

Dorn would like to add that men and women are both welcome to attend the program.

"I like the idea of having students teach students. I think it's better to learn from others your age," said Woodward.

Sign up for classes can be done at Campus Activities in the lower level of the UC.

Puppy Love



By Kate Roberts
Features Editor

You have your cat people, and you have your dog people. My family would definitely be considered "dog people."

Here is proof. I called my parents the other night just to see how they were doing and they immediately told me that the Westminster Dog Show was on. Westminster is the dog show to end all dog shows. It is like the Super Bowl, the World Series, the Miss Universe pageant, except with dogs of course.

It is actually quite comparable to a beauty pageant or sporting event, at least when my family watches it is. We talk to the television and criticize the judges for the decisions they make.

Anyway, I turned the television on and watched for awhile. I rooted for my favorite breeds and complained when they did not win. That demonstrates how much of a dog person I am. In grade school I was the easiest one to buy for. My friends would buy me anything and everything related to dogs. Puzzles, posters, stuffed animals, figurines, you name it, I got it.

It is amazing how attached you can get to your pets. You almost begin to think they are human, and often times they start thinking the same thing.

Actually, I believe that my dog is Houdini reincarnated. She is a great little escape artist. The first night we got her she climbed out of a cardboard box that was three times her size. We should have realized then what were getting ourselves into. Even more amazing feats were yet to come. She soon learned how to flip the latch on the door of her outside kennel. We would come home from work, open the garage door, and out she'd trot. A few months later she decided to climb the six foot chain link fence of her kennel. You've got to admit, she's quite the dog.

My family has had at least one dog in our household ever since I can remember. Since I am an only child I almost considered my dogs, Sofi and Tillie, to be my sisters. Tillie and I basically grew up together and then there is Sofi who I think of as my escape-artist little sister.

My parents have grown quite attached to Sofi since I have been away at college. In fact, recently, they have even been prone to mix up our names. I have to remind them who is who every now and then.

They spoil that dog. Sofi is a big hunting dog that has turned into a house dog. My parents let her sleep in their bed and purposely make extra food when they prepare dinner so there is some left over for the dog. My dad has even been buying expensive doggy treats for her like pigs ears and chicken feet. Yummy.

That dog can get anything she wants. She taught me her secret. Sofi said all you have to do to get what you want is make a sad puppy dog face. Well, I tried it and hey, it worked. I guess it must run in the family.

Just kickin' it



A group of students took advantage of the nice weather by playing hacky sack in front of the U.C. on Wednesday afternoon.

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A Different 'Point' of View



By Cynthia Carlson

CORRESPONDING CONTRIBUTOR

Greetings from Spain! A semester abroad was always just a dream for most of us. Now, we are actually here in Spain. Many of us wonder what is happening back in America, 5,000 miles away.

We thought that maybe the friends we left behind were also wondering what is happening to us here in Valladolid, Spain.

On Jan. 4, we started our journey with a seven hour flight to Amsterdam. We then flew for two hours on a smaller plane into Madrid. Hostal Lamar, a youth hostel in the heart of the city, was our home for three days.

We toured the famous El Prado art museum, and El Retiro, a beautiful park nearby. Tastes, smells, and sights of the Spanish culture surrounded us.

Just enough time to get introduced to Spain and then Monday, the big day. A bus from the University of Valladolid came to pick us up.

We arrived safely and settled in, still nervous and ex-

cited. A few days to adjust and then back to reason we are here: to study.

It was surely a challenge to hear everything in Spanish. Our classes teach us a great deal about the culture, literature, and history of Spain. We learn just as much, if not more, from our everyday experiences with the people.

A semester gives us a lot of time to explore the city of Valladolid and it's history. Christopher Columbus, Miguel de Cervantes, Ferdinand and Isabella- these people have all walked in the same town that will be our home for five

It all sounds magical, but the culture can seem overwhelming at times, too.

Just the thought of the Green Bay Packers, a Tombstone Pizza, or yeah, even K-Mart makes us realize how much we appreciate our own culture and how much there is to learn about the culture of a foreign land.

I think we all truly feel that the world is our university.

Encore Events

Who: Atomic Funk

What: Band

When: Thursday-8 p.m.

Cost: \$2 with ID

The Stevens Point area group Atomic Funk is set to hit the Encore stage.

The jazz, funk, hip hop, group features music that students can dance to. Atomic Funk started as a cover band, now they create and mix their own arrangements and original parts to the songs they play.

The band plays everything from Harry Connick Jr. covers to Sly and the Family Stone classics and adds their own personality to each.

Members of the group have played for the Center Stage Spotlight Series and at Witz End in Stevens Point. Recently they acquired an agency in Milwaukee and have booked shows in Sturgeon Bay, Green Bay, Milwaukee and Racine later this year.

The group is made up of UWSP performance and education majors. Atomic Funk is Matt Antoniewicz, Aaron Moe, Chris Piekos, Todd Eckstein, and SPASH high school student Dylan Krysiki all on horns.

The rhythm section includes, Dave Thorsen drums, Jon Matelski bass, Colin Higgins guitar, and Scott Ramsey as vocal-

The band's continuous participation and unison chanting accent Ramsey's spiritual sounds.

CONCERT REVIEW

By Jaime Kain CONTRIBUTOR

On Thursday, Feb. 15 Citizen King, made their long awaited return to UWSP.

The band has a large following in Stevens Point which was obvious by the size of the crowd that turned out.

Kevin Boulier, Alternative Sounds coordinator for Centertainment Productions said, "This was the largest audience Alternative Sounds has had so far this semester."

Citizen Kings' versatile music along with crowd participation and their high energy level made the show enjoyable for all that attended. The crowd reaction was fantastic, the Encore was a sea of jumping and bobbing people enjoying the music as much the musicians who created it.

John Dance, a student at UWSP has seen Citizen King in Milwaukee and thought, "the music had a great funk sound."

For those of you who saw Citizen King or for those who wanted to and did not, there is going to be another great band coming to UWSP on March 2.

Boulier states, "The Curbfeelers have a funk, jazz, gospel, soul sound."



THE WEEK IN POINT!

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Swim, WSUC-WWIAC Championships (Oshkosh)

Counseling Center Prog. How to Be a Better Test Taker, 4-5PM (TBA-Call

Centertainment Prod. Travel & Leisure NIGHT SKIING AT RIB MT. (Signup at Rec. Serv.)—\$15 w/Equip., \$10 w/o, 4-11PM (Rib Mt.) Perf. Arts Series: WIS. YOUTH ORCHESTRA, 7:30 PM (Sentry) Studio Theatre Musical Prod.: SIX WOMEN WITH BRAIN DEATH,

7:30 PM (Studio Theatre-FAB) Centertainment Prod.-Center Stage: ATOMIC FUNK (Campus-based Funk Band) -- \$2 w/ID; \$3.50 w/o, 8-11PM (Encore-UC)

TREMORS Dance Club, 9PM-12AM (AC)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 Hockey, NCHA Playoffs (TBA)

Rec. Serv. Presents ACU-I Table Tennis, Billiards & 301 Darts Regional Tournament (Marquette)

Swim, WSUC-WWIAC Championships (Oshkosh)

UC Marketing & Prom. Film: GHOSTBUSTERS, 9AM-3PM (Encore-UC) Guest Artist: LAURA CAVIANI JAZZ TRIO, 7:30 PM (MH-FAB) Studio Theatre Musical Prod.: SIX WOMEN WITH BRAIN DEATH, 7:30

PM (Studio Theatre-FAB) TREMORS Dance Club, "Variety Night/Singled Out", 9PM-1AM (AC)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Basketball, UW-River Falls, 7PM (T)

Hockey, NCHA Playoffs (TBA) Rec. Serv. Presents ACU-I Table Tennis, Billiards & 301 Darts Regional

Tournament (Marquette)

Swim, WSUC-WWIAC Championships (Oshkosh) Wom. Basketball, UW-River Falls, 3PM (H)

CAREER EXPO (Reg. in 304B CCC)-- \$4, 9:30AM-1PM (Sentry)

Studio Theatre Musical Prod.: SIX WOMEN WITH BRAIN DEATH,

2&7:30PM (Studio Theatre-FAB)

Central WI Symphony Orch., "Evening of Jazz", 7:30 PM (Sentry)

TREMORS Dance Club, 9PM-1AM (AC)

Centertainment Prod.-Club Variety S.N.L. Party (Watching Saturday Night Live) -- FREE w/ID; \$1 w/o, 10:30PM-12AM (Encore-UC)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Carlsten Art Gallery: STUDENT JURIED SHOW Through 3/15 (FAB) Black History Month Three on Three Basketball Tourney (Call MCRC, X3762), 10AM (QG & BG)

Planetarium Series: THROUGH THE EYES OF HUBBLE-- FREE, 2PM (Planetarium-Sci. Bldg.) MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Planetarium Series: Monday-Night Sky Program-- FREE, 8PM (Planetarium-Sci. Bldg.)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Planetarium Series: Laser Light Show w/Music by the Grateful Dead-- \$1 w/ID; \$2 w/o-- 8&9:30PM (Planetarium-Sci. Bldg.)

Centertainment Prod.-Issues & Ideas SELF-DEFENSE MINI-COURSE-- \$4 w/ID; \$5 w/o, 8PM (HPERA Wrestling Rm.)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Centertainment Prod.-Centers Cinema: JUNGLE FEVER (7PM) & DO THE RIGHT THING (9:30PM) -- \$1 w/ID; \$2 w/o (Encore-UC)

Rec. Prog./Rec. Serv. X-COUNTRY SKIING, 3:30-5:30PM (Bus Leaves UC at 3PM)-- \$6 w/Equip., \$3 w/o (Sign Up at Rec. Serv.) (Standing Rocks

Counseling Center Prog.: How to Build Self Esteem: A Key to Success, 4-5PM (Delzell)

Junior Recital: CHRIS PIEKOS, Trombone & MATT ANTONIEWICZ, Trumpet, 7:30 PM (MH-FAB)

Carlson

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"I just hope that we can fi- abuse? nally start working for the students and stop bickering between be educated about rape and how ourselves."

The last attempted impeachcame last year when the senate decided not to impeach former

This was not exactly what I was expecting on my first flight ever. I thought that it would probably be a good thing to be able to see out of the window when you are trying to fly a plane.

Canfield explained that many pilots fly planes in conditions where their visibilty is restricted and nature provides the fog

Canfield said flying a plane is just like driving a car except you have another dimension to think about. As we started out on our flight I looked at all of the gauges and dials in the cock pit, I could never imaging being able to manuver an airplane. Before we landed though I began to comprehend what all of the instruments meant.

After a short time it did not even feel like we were flying. I did not even think about beingfeet in the air. We were up in the air for about ten minutes and we could see the top Rib Mountain breaking through the cloud bank. I truely felt like I was in another dimension.

Anyone that is interested in going for a plane ride or wants to learn to fly themselves can get in contact with the WINGS student organization on campus or call Jim Canfield at 423-7071.

Recycle

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and fabric and textiles are given to Goodwill.

Point Sporting Goods reuses our polystyrene filler packing material for mail orders.

In addition to these items, foam packing material, pallets, fluorescent tubes, tires, vehicle batteries and waste metal are all recycled.

Surplus items generated on campus are sold at the Surplus Store located in the west end of the former Emmons Napp facil-

In calendar year 1995 the campus succeeded in recycling 62% of all the waste generated.

Although not all items recycled produce revenue for the university, they are not being landfilled which not only saves space but avoids landfill tipping fees.

aged to grab only 31 percent of about women's rights? How about sexual harassment, assault,

Do you want the campus to we can protect ourselves? Do you want to educate yourself? Do you ment in student government want to know what WRC, SAVS, FCC stand for?

I've posed an interesting speaker of the senate Chris opening paragraph and a lot of questions.

> Come to "Take Back the Night" planning meetings. I challenge UWSP men and women to grasp the power to help stop sexual violence.

If you help plan, there won't be a need to criticize because it will be a part of you. On Mondays at about 7:00 p.m. I'll be sitting on the couch near the main stairs in the Lafollette Lounge to hear your response.

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Patience is a virtue.

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Entering the 1995-96 National Basketball Association season, high expectations were placed on the Milwaukee Bucks to still be alive come playoff time.

Well, with only 32 games remaining, the Bucks are a dismal 20-30. A record putting Milwaukee behind pace to reach the post-

Even though Milwaukee is only five games out of that eigth Eastern Conference playoff spot, there's still no excuse why Milwaukee shouldn't have won at least 25 to 30 games by now.

The Bucks have an all-star in power foward Vin Baker and small foward Glenn Robinson, along with Baker, knocks down 20 points a game.

Recent acquisition, Sherman Douglas, has been a decent addition. The point guard averages double-figures in points and picks up five to six assists a night.

So what's the problem?

The problem is that after those three names, not one player deserves much recognition, except for maybe Terry Cummings, who's provided some veteran leadership.

The rest of the squad hasn't done much and without a supporting cast, the players in the lead roles for Milwaukee will not make any progress.

A solution to trade number one pick from a year ago, Robinson, before the Thursday trade deadline was brought up this week. Three senarios were reported, including a trade that would ship 'Big Dog' to Los Angelas in exchange for Laker stars Nick Van Exel and Cedric Ceballos.

Even though the deal sounds enticing, sacrificing half of the Bucks' future to bulk up the club's quanity of talent, is not the

Ceballos and Van Exel are tremendous players, but their coming to Milwaukee would just delay the development of the Bucks' team chemistry.

What will aid the Bucks in their progress is for a bench player, or players to step up and start making a contribution.

Seeing Johnny Newman, Lee Mayberry and Marty Conlon increase upon their numbers would be the only way Milwaukee would be able to make a late season surge to enter the playoff

And if things don't happen in '96, the NBA Draft and free agency might be able to salvage Milwaukee's chances for next

A Dikembe Mutombo or another big name player might be the key to extending a Milwaukee season.

Though waiting for things to happen is nothing new. I'm getting used to being patient.



- 1. The Green Bay Packers recently resigned All-Pro tight end Mark Chmura to a three year deal for more than \$4.8 million. What was Chmura's average salary from his last contract?
- 2. What legendary NBA point guard had his jersey number retired last Saturday?
- 3. What NBA Eastern Conference powerhouse did the Milwaukee Bucks defeat on Tuesday night, 92-87?

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Superior ends Pointer hockey season

By Mike Kemmeter CONTRIBUTOR

In any playoff series, one touchdown, one run, one basket, or one goal can decide whether a team moves on to the next round or goes home.

The UWSP men's hockey team learned this lesson last weekend against UW-Superior in the opening round of the NCHA playoffs.

One goal was all that separated the Pointers from advancing to the next round. After rallying Friday to salvage a 2-2 tie, Point fell to the Yellowjackets on Saturday night 6-5; ending their string of eight consecutive Division III NCAA tournament bids.

With just over a minute to go in Friday's game, Tyler Johnston scored off an Andy Faulkner pass to

tie the game at 2-2. Johnston's heroics left Saturday's game as a winner-takes-all battle to move on in the playoffs.

On Saturday night, with their season on the line, the Pointers struck first. Senior Kevin Plager scored 7:52 into the first period to give UWSP a 1-0 lead.

Todd Drouin from Superior answered with a goal at the 2:57 mark of the second period to tie the score 1-1.

Point regained the lead three minutes later, as Plager scored his second goal of the evening on an assist by defenseman Ryan Aikia. The Yellowjackets responded a minute later on the power-play, as Brian Barker knotted the score at two apiece.

In the see-saw struggle, UWSP again took the lead, this

play goal 9:08 into the second. However, Superior came right back and the score was once again even at, 3-3.

The game entered the decisive third period with the same score, but Faulkner regained the lead for the Pointers just thirty-five seconds into the third with a goal on the power-play.

The Yellowjackets responded once again to tie the game just over a minute later on Rodney Graham's power-play goal.

"You can't find guys that have that kind of heart, tenacity, spirit, the love for the game, and all the things that are so important."

hockey coach Joe Baldarotta

Superior's Barker ended the back-and-forth battle, giving the Yellowjackets their first lead of the game, 5-4.

The Pointers didn't want their season to end just then. Willie Frericks tied the game at 5-5 on a shorthanded goal with 5:05 remaining in the game.

Dustin Fahl knocked in what would be the game-winning goal for Superior with 4:02 left to make the score 6-5

Point was outshot 15-7 in the crucial final period, and was unable to tie the game to force a mini-game.

There was great goaltending in the series from both ends. On Friday, Point's Bobby Gorman made 39 saves, while Superior's Dave Graichen made 43 saves.

Saturday, Point senior David time 3-2, on a Joe Vancik power- Fletcher made 40 saves, and

Dean Reed made 30 saves for the Yellowjackets.

Pointer coach Joe Baldarotta commented on the tough series.

"It was one of the best college hockey games (Saturday), and best college hockey series I've ever seen in my life. It was up and down, hard checking, real fast, highly offensive on both ends, the goaltending was great, a lot of stuff going on on the benches. It was a great series to sit down and watch."

> "It could have gone either way. When one goal separates you through six periods of hockey, its pretty amazing."

> "It's unfortunate we didn't win it, we really felt we're as good or even better than them. Again we had some bad breaks and couldn't put the puck in the net when we needed to," Baldarotta added.

Coach Baldarotta had very high praise for his departing seniors.

"I really owe my seniors a lot because a couple of them came in when I came in five years ago. I feel most badly about them leaving without a chance to play for a ring this year."

"We are going to try to replace them the best we can, (but) you never can. Every senior that ever left here we've never replaced.

"I don't think you can replace guys like Mike Zambon, Andy Faulkner, Kevin Plager, Pat Bogen; you can't, it's impossible. You look at that and go: 'How do I ever get another one of those'. You can't find guys that have that kind of heart, tenacity, spirit, the love for the game, and all the things that are so important."

Oshkosh outlasts Pointers in 74-66 win

By Krista Torgeson

CONTRIBUTOR

The UWSP men's basketball team almost pulled off an upset last week against conference rival UW-Oshkosh who is 19-3 for the season.

But an Oshkosh 8-0 run in the last two minutes gave the Pointers there eighth loss of the season.

At the half, UWSP had a three-point lead and was beating Oshkosh in every way.

The Pointers had out rebounded them 14-10, out shot them in not only field goal percentage with 54%, but also shot over 55% from the three-point line and a perfect 100% from the foul line. But the second half was their demise.

The lead went back and forth between teams eight times, and with 2:55 left in the game the score was tied up 64 a piece.

From that moment on the Pointers were shut out, while Oshkosh went 6-6 from the free throw line. The final score was 66-74.

Leading the team in scoring were Brad Hintz, Russ Austin and Jim Danielson with 15, 14 and 12 points respectively. Danielson also pulled down a game high eight rebounds while Mike Paynter boarded five.

As the season wraps up, there are a few Pointers who might end the season with their names being added to the UWSP record books.

Hintz, the only senior this season, had 998 points going into the senior game against UW-LA Crosse played on Wednesday. This game was also the 100th game of his career.

His first basket made him the ninth player to record 1,000 career points. As of the game against Oshkosh, Paynter needed eight more blocks to move into second all-time for a single season.

And as a team, the Pointers need just nine threepointers to break the all-time season record of 165, set in 1993-94.

Left on the schedule for the Pointers is a trip to River Falls on Feb. 24. The teams will meet for the 111th time in a series UWSP leads 73-37, including a 77-56 Pointer win in Quandt on Jan. 20.

The Pointers after the Oshkosh game were 15-8 for the season and 7-7 in WSUC, which according to Coach Bob Parker is not a bad season.

With many of the games ending in small margins the wins could often have gone either way. In addition to the well balanced conference the team has also been faced with one of the toughest sched-

"For a while we were playing from two to three games in one week, and the players were getting worn down, so they had a weekend off after the Oshkosh game, and hopefully that will give us enough to finish off the season successfully," said Parker.

Sports

Pointers send eight to NCAA Championships Stamper and Loy recognized at conference tournament

By Joe Trawitzki CONTRIBUTOR

The UWSP wrestling team continued their recent reign over the rest of the WSUC, by winning their fourth conference title in the last five years.

The Pointers keep getting better, setting school records for individual conference champions (6) and national qualifiers (8) in one season.

The team won the tournament last Saturday by edging out rival UW-La Crosse, 108 to 101.5.

UW-Whitewater took third place with 40.5 team points. The tournament was the closest margin of victory since the Pointers lost to La Crosse three years ago by winning the final match of the day.

Coach Marty Loy, named WSUC Coach of the Year for the fifth time in his career, commented about the closeness of the tournament.

"I didn't know we won the tournament until after the heavyweight match. We were behind going into the finals and they (La Crosse) had potential to score more points than us. We could have lost the tournament at any

"Gregg Lonning (La Crosse's coach) doesn't have anything to be ashamed of because they wrestled a great tournament."

Going into the final round, UWSP trailed UWL by 1.5 points, and UWL had all ten wrestlers still in the tournament.

The Pointers only had eight wrestlers left, but all eight were in the championship finals.

In the finals, the Pointers were unstoppable, winning six of the eight contests.

After Jason Malchow (118 lbs) lost a tough match 9-0 to La Crosse's Jeff O'Gara, Brian Stamper (126) led the Pointers on their quest to the championship.

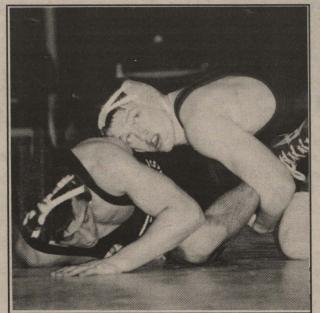
a 9-6 victory over returning All- 7-2.

American Keith Johnson of UW-River Falls.

He kept pressure on Johnson the entire match setting the tone for his teammates.

Stamper was also named the tournament's Most Outstanding Wrestler for his performance.

"Brian got us started on the right foot. He went away from his conservative style and really opened it up. It was a great ex-



Point's Brian Stamper will look to do some damage at the NCAA Tournament, March 1-2.

ample for our guys to follow." said Loy.

Jere Hamel (134) kept the momentum for Point by defeating UWL's Scott Lund 3-1 for his second straight WSUC crown.

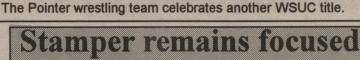
Bret Stamper kept the team's winning streak alive by beating Jeremy Cardenas 3-1 on a takedown in the opening seconds of overtime.

Stamper, who won his second WSUC title, pulled off one of the biggest upsets of the tournament in beating Cardenas ranked first in the nation at 150 lbs.

Kevin Knaus (158), wrestling in his first conference tournament, came from being down four points to win 13-10.

Joe Rens (177) also won his Stamper won the tourney with weight class by beating Joe Puetz

Perry Miller rounded out the individual champions for the Pointers. The heavyweight won his second WSUC title by pinning all three opponents he faced.



Brian Stamper will finish his collegiate wrestling career in two weeks. But no matter what happens, Stamper has proven he can accomplish anything.

By winning the conference championship, Stamper has achieved his goal of qualifying for the Division III National Tournament, next month in Cortland, New York

The strategy the two-time WIAA state place winner will use at nationals is simple.

Stamper says he will just "play it by ear."

Currently ranked fifth in the nation at 126 pounds, Brian has a tough road at nationals ahead of him.

No matter what happens on the mat though, his teammates have benefited from his leadership.

As one of the Pointer team captains, Brian has led on and off the mat in many areas. He leads the team by example, often working as hard or harder than anyone else.

Brian sums up his time as captain by saying, "It's been a blast. I am about where I want to be on the mat. Hopefully it will continue."

SEE WRESTLING ON PAGE 22

Attention: UWSP Students Living Off Campus

You may request an authorization code to make local calls, extended community calling calls, and long distance calls from any Courtesy Phone while you are on campus. Incoming and outgoing fax service is available using your authorization code in 25 LRC (Computing Lab). You will be eligible for a 20% discount on long distance calls provided you pay your bill before the discount due date. The telephone bill will be sent to your local address.

Pick up an application at the Telephone Support Office in the basement of the LRC. Your authorization code can be picked up 3 days after your application is received in the Telephone Support Office.

Your student ID will be required in order to pick up your authorization code. A list of campus Courtesy Phones will be given to you at that time.

Willfahrt to coordinate Allen Center facility

By Ben Sampson

CONTRIBUTOR

Jamie Willfahrt, the current assistant coordinator of the UWSP fitness center, will assume the duties of coordinator of the new Allen Center fitness facility upon its opening this fall.

Willfahrt, a 1989 graduate of Auburndale High School and a dietetics student here at UWSP has been very involved with the fitness center and sports on campus.

Willfahrt played football one year, and has participated in track for two years as a decathlete, subsequently finishing off last season fourth in the javelin.

In the Fitness Center this semester, Willfahrt has handled management duties such as scheduling, maintenance and the hiring and firing of employees, as well as organizing training programs for students and other members of the fitness center.

Jacksonville decides not to return to UWSP campus

Speculation that the Jacksonville Jaguars would not return to UWSP for summer training camp is now a fact.

The Jaguars notified the university last week that the team would not be back for a second

However, the St. Louis Rams may be interested in training at UWSP.

A story in the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel last month claimed that the decision not to return had already been made, but UWSP Assistant Chancellor Greg Diemer did not receive official word until earlier last week.

The university is now free to negotiate and sign another team.

changed with the Rams and we are optimistic that they will soon visit campus," said Diemer.

Jacksonville's

contract

called for

the team to

train in

Stevens

Point in

1995, with

an option to

renew for

"Information has been ex- university to cover remaining revenues would have covered all first-year expenses.

Under the contractual agreement between the Jaguars and

"Our excellent facilities combined with valuable experience in running a camp should put us in good stead for attracting another team."

Greg Diemer, UWSP Assistant Chancellor

the second year, a \$50,000 payment has been received by the

Since the team opted out of UWSP, if the team were to return in 1996, the additional payment would not have been made because guaranteed second-year

Before the expansion team held its inaugural training camp

at UWSP, donations from area businesses and financial assistance from the city of Stevens Point helped the university to purchase equipment and upgrade its facilities.

Major renovations were made to the recreational fields, training and weight rooms, plus air conditioners were installed in residence hall rooms used for the camp.

"Our excellent facilities combined with valuable experience in running a camp should put us in good stead for attracting another team," Diemer said.

"In fact, the Jaguars had nothing but positive things to say about their experience here. However, the decision was made to practice closer to the team's Florida home."

In a Feb.12 letter to Diemer, Jaguars Vice President Michael L. Huyghue said, "I want to thank you and all the members of the UWSP faculty and administration who worked so hard to make the '95 camp the success that it was. Ultimately the need to be in our own region during the training camp outweighed any other considerations."

Lakeland edges Point, 57-55

By Cory Wojtalewicz CONTRIBUTOR

The Pointer women's basketball team's hopes of making it into the postseason were dashed last week with a pair of losses to UW-Oshkosh and Lakeland College.

On Wednesday, the Pointers traveled to Albee Hall in Oshkosh for a clash with the undefeated Titans.

UWSP played well in the first half, as Marne Boario had 12 points and Savonte Walker had ten as the Pointers trailed by ten at the half, 42-32.

Oshkosh tightened up their defense in the second half and worked the ball inside to center Wendy Wangerin who led all scorers with 24 points.

Three other players also scored in double figures for the Titans.

Point was held to 19 points the second half as Oshkosh pulled away for a 91-51 victory.

The leading scorer for UWSP in the second half was Danyel Sweo with six points.

Boario had six assists in the game and Sarah McLaughlin added four.

On Saturday, the Pointers took on Lakeland College in Berg Gym.

UWSP led at the half 27-23 as they were led by Walker with 11 points.

Sweo and Boario each chipped in six.

Boario connected from three point land three times in the second half to aid the Pointers second

Walker's lay-up with 1:47 remaining gave the UWSP a one point lead at 52-51.

Lakeland went up by three with 50.7 seconds remaining, but a three point play by Boario knotted it at 55 with 24.9 seconds remaining.

The Muskies then hit a pair of free throws with just over five seconds remaining and Point failed

Boario finished with 20 points on 7-15 shooting from the floor, 5-8 from behind the three point line.

Walker added 15, and McLaughlin had a career-high eight assists.

Sweo had nine rebounds to lead Point.

Lakeland made 14 of 20 free throws compared to 4 of 7 for the Pointers.

The two losses dropped the Pointers to 13-10 while Oshkosh is now 23-0 and Lakeland is 16-7.

UWSP will travel to La Crosse to face the Eagles on Wednesday and will conclude their season by hosting UW-River Falls Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

Track and field fair well at Oshkosh Invitational

By Joshua Morby CONTRIBUTOR

The UWSP men's track team posted another win on Saturday at Kolf Sports Center in Oshkosh.

"I thought we did especially well considering seven or eight of our top runners were sick and unable to make the trip," said Rick Witt, UWSP men's track coach.

The Pointers claimed the first place spot in six of the 19 events.

The Pointers, 42-1 for the indoor season, host an indoor meet Feb. 24 at the indoor track.

But as coach Witt points out, "this meet may not feature every school's top runners.

Many schools are tapering in anticipation for up coming

The women brought in a third place finish at the meet on Saturday.

Wendi Zak accounted for Stevens Point's only first place finish with a 17:54.58 time in the 5,000 meter run.

Next up for the men and women are the WSUC and WWIAC Championships on March 1 and 2.

The national tournament take place Northhampton, Mass. on March 8 and 9.

The outdoor season for both squads kicks off with a meet here in Point on March 30, weather permitting.

Point to host conference tournament this weekend

The UWSP men's and women's swimming and diving teams are geared up to host the WSUC and WWIAC Championships this weekend at the UWSP pool.

The tournament starts on Thursday and ends Saturday, with individual events going on all day long.

Coach Red Blair points out that both teams will be competitive in

"It should be a great meet," said Blair. "It takes everybody to win or lose.

Quote of the Week-

It's not like the NFL. We are not going to rest Jeff Nordgaard for two games or anything like that.

-UW-Green Bay first year head men's basketball coach Mike Heideman commenting on whether he would allow some of his better players to rest the final two games of the season, seeing that the Phoenix already have the Midwest Collegiate Conference rapped up.

-Stevens Point Journal

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Graduation

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Prospective candidates for May graduation should have received the "Salute to Graduates" agenda in the mail with in the last few weeks.

Carrier stresses that the "Salute to Graduates" program is replacing the mailing method of graduation candidate notification. Students need to attend the event to sign up for commencement. Those that absolutely can not make it need to contact Carrier directly.

"I think that students will make a point of attending this event," said Carrier. "We hope students will take a more active role in the graduation process."

Not only will students have the opportunity to learn more about the graduation ceremony itself, but they will also be able to order their tassels and personal invitations at the program.

The Portage County Business Council will be there to provide students with information on hotel accommodations for family and friends on graduation weekend.

The second focus of the "Salute to Graduates" is on postgraduate opportunities. Representatives from the Career Services Office will be on hand to help students plan their careers and even assist with resume writing. They will also provide guidance with other career planning issues. Staff members from Graduate Programs will also be there to provide information on graduate exams.

By having all of these resources on hand at the event, questions will be answered and problems corrected before it is too late.

"We hope to make it a festive day with a friendly personal atmosphere that lets students know that we have enjoyed having them here," said Carrier. "We want to make the graduation experiences as positive an experience as possible."

Single

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them" round where the bachelorette has the option to keep or dump a participant based on how they answer the question's she asks them.

She is only allowed to 'keep' three of these men who she then sends to the winners circle.

"We have done a version of the 'Studs' dating show in the past few years, and I think that that program had run its course," said Pionke.

The 'winning' couples will receive a \$30 gift certificate to Pagliacci's.

"'Studs' was a lot harder to put together because much of the shows success depended on the contestants themselves, with 'Singled Out' all the students have to do is show up," said Pionke. 3. The New York Knicks

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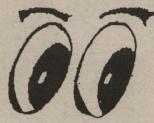
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Comics

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WRITERS: DAN JURGENS, JERRY

ORDWAY

ARTISTS: RON FRENZ, JOE RUBINSTEIN PUBLISHER: DC COMICS

It's been years since I picked up a Superman comic, but Plastic Man was too good to pass up. For all the angst rampant in superhero comics today, ol' Plas is the whimsey we need.

The story is far from Earthshattering. It's simple, entertaining and awfully funny at times.

Basically, Plastic Man and Superman each get an identical device from Treasure and Tiger Hunt, a very rich sister and brother. Treasure claims the device is the only thing that can stop her brother from using a sinister weapon on Superman. Tiger's story is the same.

So who ya gonna trust?

Just watching Jergens & Ordway's treatment of Plastic Man's constant stretching and mugging is fun enough, but the comic is a good reintroduction to DC's Superman title.

It's still not as fantastic as "Lois and Clark," tho'.

-BJ Hiorns

Next Week: The first of a special two issue series of Reader's Choice Comics takes you behind the scenes in the production of student comic strips and interviews Pointer staffers who publish them.

WRITERS: SAM KEITH, ALAN MOORE ARTIST: SAM KEITH, JIM SINCLAIR PUBLISHER: IMAGE

Ever catch the Maxx on MTV's Oddities? Watch the whole thing? Well this comic starts off Keith's second part of the Maxx saga--ten years after Julie leaves.

There's no wind up here. Keith jumps right in with plenty of foreshadowing. You get the feeling he knows exactly where he's going.

Sarah (now "Sara") is now a struggling writer, and due to a recent government act, she has to collect welfare through her father, the evil rapist/murderer/outback intruder Mr. Gone. That means confronting the father she hates and-worse--confronting how she really might feel about him.

Oh, there's also a bunch of C.I.A. guys and their dead leader out to kill Mr. Gone, an evil banana slug roaming around, and Sara's asyet-undiscovered Maxx.

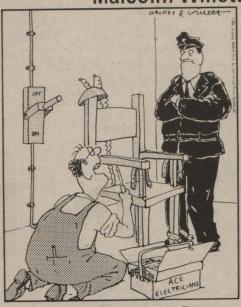
Both art and story are fantastic. Just one look at a page and you can tell the mood. It's gonna be a whiteknuckle, twenty page ride.

-- Shannon Traska

Tight Corner by Ken Grundy and Malcolm Willett



"Tina, darling! Have you met my stalker?'



Lucky you called me in. This thing's a death trap.

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by Jason Breunig



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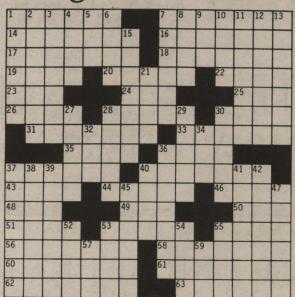


NightScar and Scab

by Mike Fidler



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Dave Davis

by Valentina Kaquatosh



Aegis

by Becky Grutzik



ECRYSTAL BALLS REALITY

by Scott Van Natta Outdoors Editor

> CHAPTER 15 (CONTINUED)

Saratov Vladimir picked up the phone. "Yes?"

It was Premier Vologda.

"So what is this new information you have?"

"Sir, I have just received a fax from the CIA. It was a picture. And you'll never guess who it is."

"Who?"

"It appears that person who bombed those American airports was none other than Kirov Borovichi."

"You're kidding! One of Tyumen's men?"

"That's my guess."

"Where is he now?"

"He's dead."

"Are you sure?"

"Yes. There was video tape recovered from the Dallas airport that shows two policemen talking to someone who fits Borovichi's description."

"Is that enough proof?"

"Later on, they found his car, and apparently a large amount of C-4 in the trunk."

"How much C-4?"

"They don't know. You see, it all exploded when they opened the trunk."

"Oh." There was a brief silence in the conversation, then the Premier continued.

"Have you told the Americans yet?"

"No, sir. I was going to wait for them to call."

Gregory looked at the photo-

graph.
"Doesn't look familiar to me,"

he said to Allen Merced, the Director of Central Intelligence.

"We don't have him on any of our records. Of course, we didn't have anything on Tyumen either."

"You faxed Moscow one of these too, right?"

"Yeah, are you going to call

"Nah, I thought I'd let them call. It's not that important anyway ... I mean the guy's dead."

John and Liz put up their tents a quarter mile from the cabin. They had already eaten dinner and decided not to make a fire, for fear that it might be seen.

"Okay," said Liz, "assuming that a satellite saw our little sign, what do we do tomorrow?"

"I haven't the slightest idea," responded John. "I could try to sneak into one of those gunships and use the radio to contact somebody--"

"Oh, right. So you get killed and I'm out here all alone with a cabin-full of Russians chasing me. That sounds like a lot of fun..."

"Who said I would get killed? And besides, you were out here by yourself before."

"Have you forgotten, or do I have to remind you that I was attacked by a grizzly? By the way, my leg still hurts..."

"Sorry," John said softly.
"Why didn't you tell me your leg still hurt? You seem to be moving around pretty well."

"It would have just slowed us up, and besides, I actually found myself forgetting about the pain with everything else that's been happening."

John let out a deep sigh. They were sitting in the entrance to his tent, with their feet out in the snow. Finally, he scooted backwards further into the tent.

"Why don't we take a look at those wounds."

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Candidates must have completed a minimum of 24 graduate credits toward their degree and those credits must include the required component courses.

Further information and registration information may be obtained by contacting Dianne Smith in Education Graduate Advising, room 438 COPS Building (346-4403).

Candidates anticipating graduating in May 1996 are required to apply for graduation by Feb. 9. Those anticipating an Aug. 1996 diploma and participating in May 1996 ceremonies must apply by April 1.

Application deadline for Aug. 1996 diplomas is June 21. Applications are available through the UWSP Graduate Office, Main Building.

Wrestling

FROM PAGE 17

Jaime Hildebrandt also qualified for the national tournament.

He lost an exciting match in overtime to UWL's Brandon Penzkover 6-4. Penzkover is a two time All-American.

"This was the most exciting finals we've ever had. Everyone wrestled their heart out opening up and trying things. It was a lot of fun. The tough competition made the championship so much more satisfying. Now it is time to prepare for nationals where I like our chances," said Loy.

The eight Pointers who qualified will next see action at the NCAA Division III National Championships in Courtland, NY on March 1-2.



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Mine

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The other 22 million tons would be put back into the mine shaft.

According to the CMC report, the four tailings basins would consist of four things: a bottom liner system that holds water within the basin, a drain system to pump water out of the bottom, a cover liner system to limit the entry of water and oxygen and a monitoring well to detect changes in groundwater.

The top and bottom liner systems would also have multiple layers of heavy-duty plastic and a 12-inch thick layer of clay.

However, as the DNR report states, "the initially proposed one foot clay liner at the base of the facility would not provide adequate protection to the groundwater."

The final major area of concern is that of wastewater discharge.

Originally the CMC had planned to discharge water into the Wolf River.

However, because portions of the Wolf River fall under the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, the company has since pulled back and is now targeting the Wisconsin River and its lower water quality standards.

The CMC plans to send treated water through a 38-mile pipeline that would discharge at a rate of about 460 gallons per minute into the Wisconsin River.

The expected route for the pipeline will follow highway rights-of-way and according to the CMC report, would have minor, temporary effects on the environment.

After extensive study, only one endangered species, the goblin fern, was found to be on land that would be disturbed by the mine.

However, the plant has also been found in 40 other places in six counties.

Since the plant is common in Wisconsin and also known to live in Minnesota and Michigan, the CMC report states that, "the construction of the mine will not endanger the survival of the goblin fern."

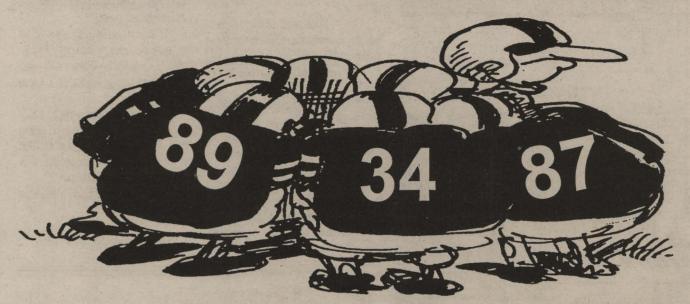
As to wetland preservation, the Army Corps of Engineers will require the CMC to replace the acreage it destroys with the mine.

Right now, the CMC has located a potential site of 57 acres that would be turned into wetlands by reflooding land in Shawano and Oconto counties.

In November of 1994, a United States Department of the Interior letter to the Army Corps of Engineers said, "it is the opinion of the Department of the Interior that the proposed Crandon Mining Company project may have a substantial and unacceptable impact on aquatic resources of national importance."

"The environmental impacts are likely to be significant," the letter stated.

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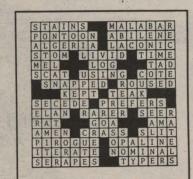
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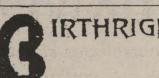


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