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# The Campus of the Future

Jerney's Club For Boys

CASCADE AVENUE

3rd St

North Hall

to Ramer Field

4th St

South Hall

Bath

to downtown

proposed Freshman dormitory

proposed athletic and recreation building

trailer camp

industrial arts

addition under construction

health cottage

barracks

proposed power house

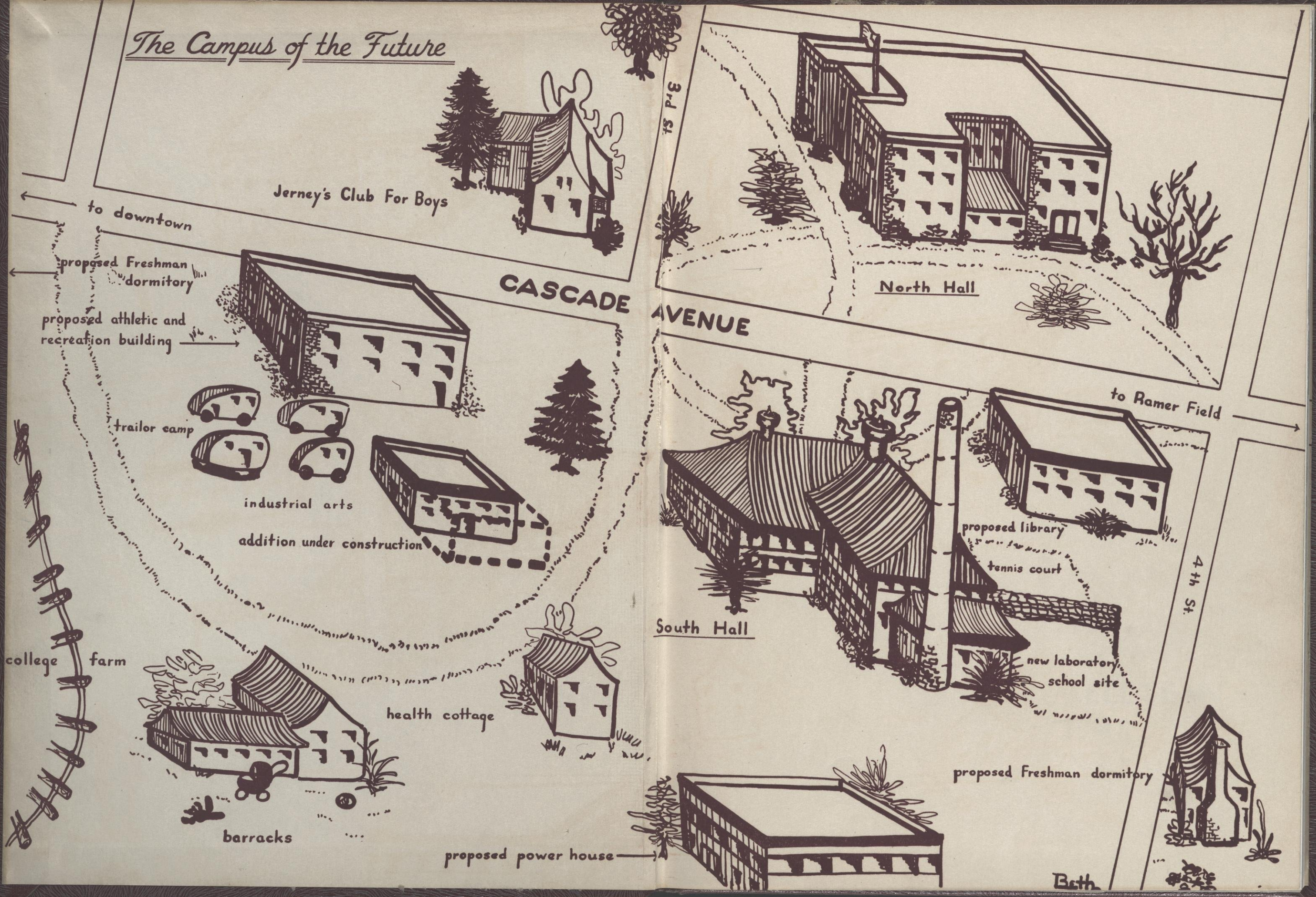
proposed library

tennis court

new laboratory school site

proposed Freshman dormitory

college farm





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# FOREWORD

Our thoughts are turning this year to the future of the College—its plans for growth in curriculum and facilities, and in opportunities for greater service.

South Campus



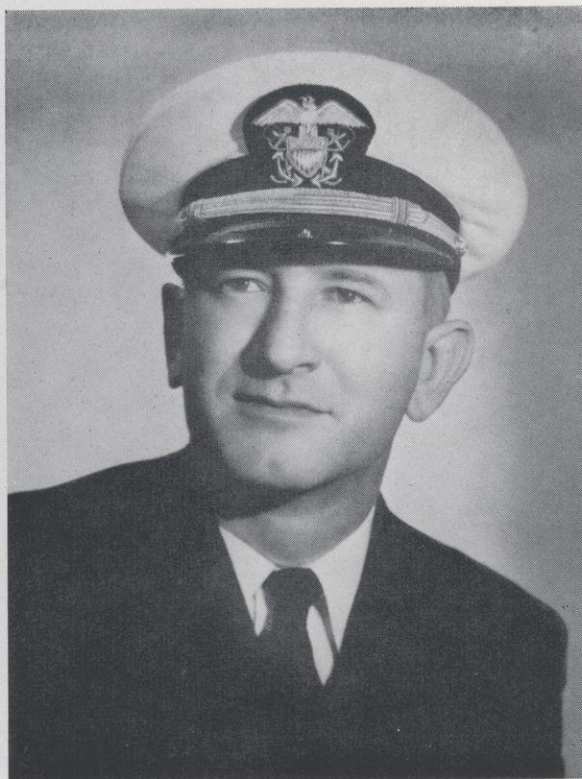




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Regent



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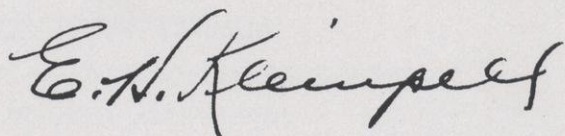
## Looking Forward

In this centennial year, when the citizens of Wisconsin are reliving the history of the past hundred years, it is proper that we should be proud of the contributions that the River Falls State Teachers College has made to the welfare and progress of the State. Since 1874, more than 15,000 of its students have played a role in the making of this history. Through teachers, farmers, and professional workers, the College has influenced the vision and the imagination of the people of Wisconsin. But what of the future?

Never before in the history of the nation has greater emphasis been placed upon higher education. That college enrollments will increase with each succeeding decade is a truism found in the professional literature of the day. The challenge to meet the demands of tomorrow was never greater. Will our College meet the challenge?

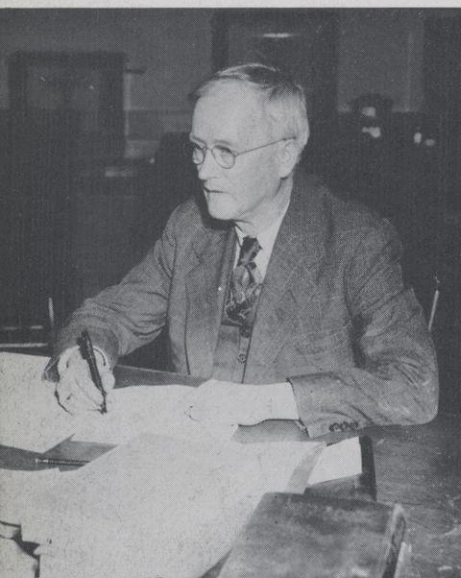
Of course, we will meet the challenge! As in the past, the College will continue to be a resource for the young people of this area. Its program will be enlarged, its faculty strengthened, and its services improved. The needs of the institution are great. None is more urgent than an enlarged physical plant. Is it an idle dream to imagine the day when dormitories will house an increased student body, when a new library will relieve the present crowded conditions, and when a physical education building will provide not only seats for athletic games but be an integral part of an enlarged recreation program for men and women? I think not.

The future of the College depends upon the present student body and thousands of former students living in Wisconsin. The loyalty of our students has never been questioned. Through their efforts the College will meet the challenge of tomorrow.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "E. H. Klempf". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping "K" and a trailing flourish.



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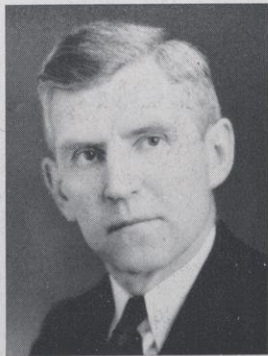
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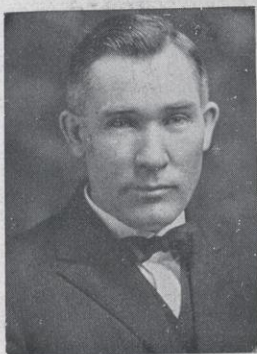
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Animal Husbandry



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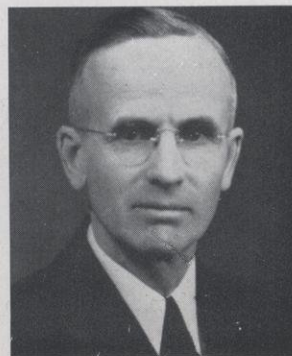
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Agricultural Engineering



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Teacher Training in  
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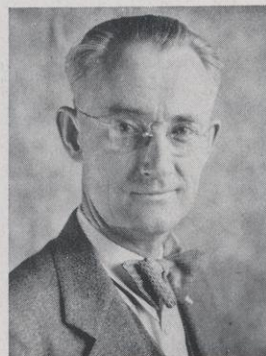
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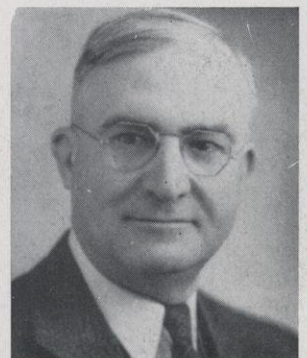
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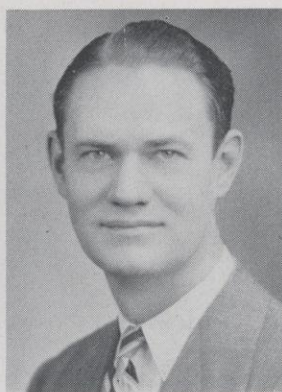
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Economics



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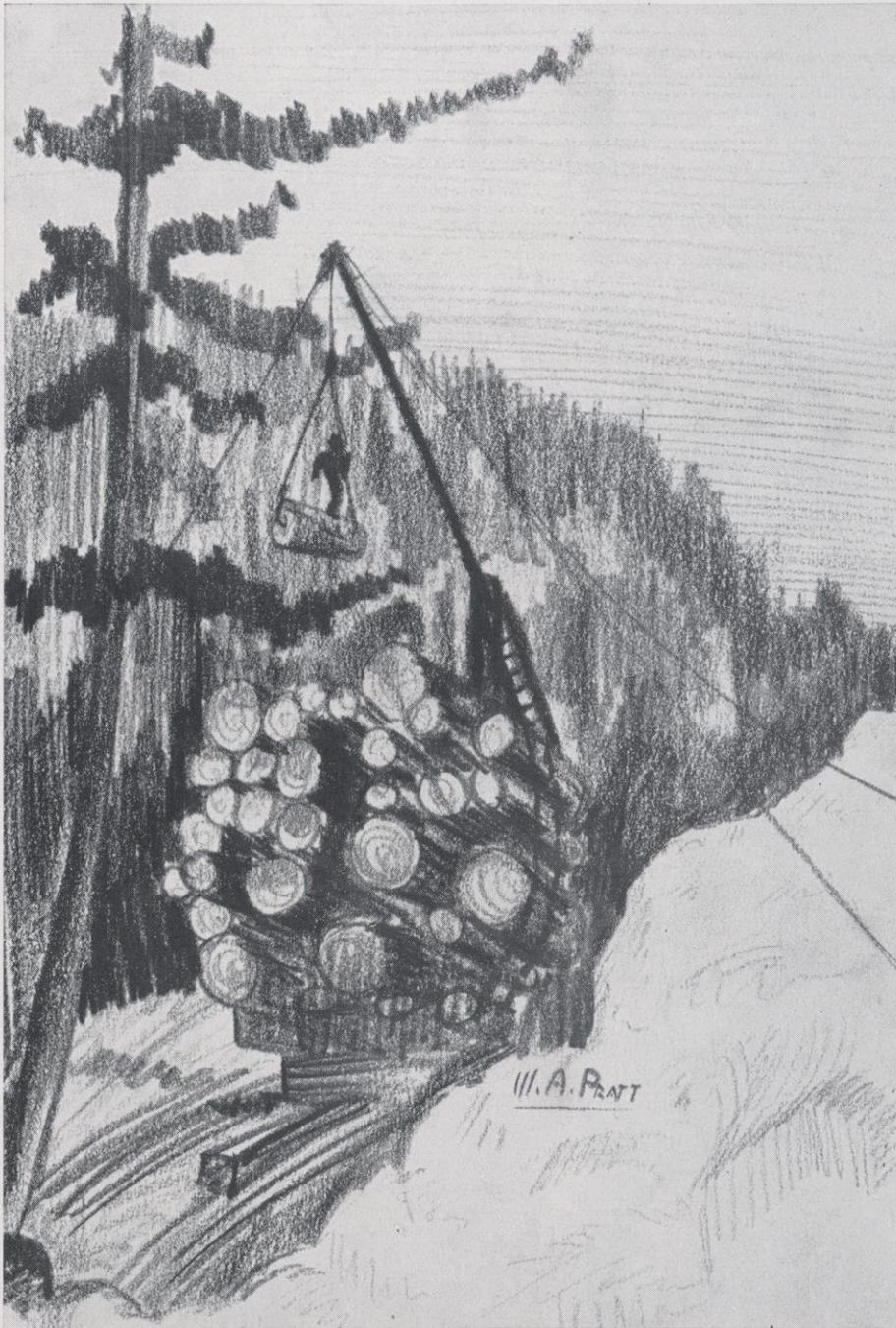
Industrial Arts Building



We are thinking this year not only of the growth of the school but also of our state — of its picturesque past and its glorious achievements during the past century of statehood.

The drawings in this section are the work of Marvin A. Pratt, '33, art editor of the 1931 MELETEAN, which was built around the theme of Wisconsin. Mr. Pratt is now connected with the architectural drawing department of the Weyerhaeuser Lumber Company in St. Paul.





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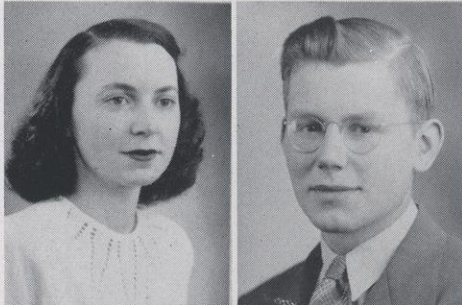
# SENIORS





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English, History, Geography  
Language Club 1; Masquers 4; YWCA 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; Student Voice 3, 4.

**PHYLLIS ANDERSON** - - - - - Baldwin  
English, History, French  
Language Club 1, 2, Secretary-Treasurer 2; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; YWCA 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 2, 3; Class Secretary 4; Band 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4, Secretary 4; Orchestra 1, 2; 1947, 1948 Meletean; Student Voice 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Winter Carnival Committee 3.



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Elementary Education, Geography, History  
Honor Society 2, 3, 4; Masquers 2, 3; Midgardians, 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Newman Club 3, 4; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Student Senate 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 2; Class President 4; 1946 Meletean; Student Voice 1, 2; Allocation Committee 1; Party Committee 1; Prom Committee 3; Winter Carnival Committee 3; Homecoming Committee 2.

**DOYLE BEYL** - - - - - St. Croix Falls  
Agricultural Education, Science  
FFA 1, 3, 4, Reporter 4; R Club 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 4; Football 2; Intramural Sports 1, 3, 4.



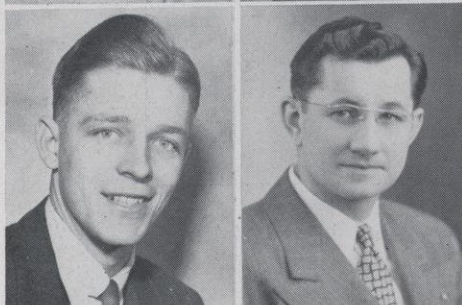
**BETTY BOE** - - - - - Deer Park  
Elementary Education  
Masquers 1; Midgardians 1, 2, 3; YWCA 1; Band 1; 1947, 1948 Meletean; Prom Committee 3; Homecoming Committee 1.

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Agricultural Education, Science  
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Veterans Association 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, President 3; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; FFA Quartette 3, 4.



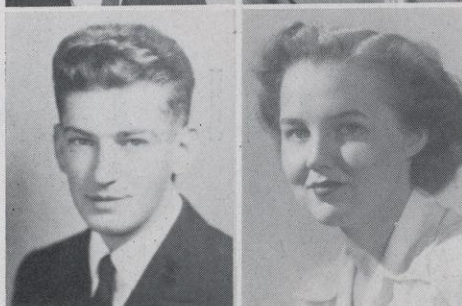
**LILA ESTENSON BYNG** - - - - - Rice Lake  
English, History, Music  
Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Language Club 1, 2, President 2; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4; Student Senate 2; YWCA 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2; Prom Committee 3; Student Faculty Relations Committee 2.

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Elementary Education, English, Geography  
ACE 1, 2, 3, 4; Newman Club 4; Winter Carnival Committee 4.



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Agricultural Education, Science  
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Program Chairman 3; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Pi Kappa Delta 1, 2, 3, 4, President 2, 3, 4; Student Senate 4; YMCA 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; Discussion 1, 2, 3, 4; Extempore 2, 3; Oratory 2, 3; Interdenominational Council 4.

**TRYN DECRACIUN** - - - - - Clear Lake  
Elementary Education, Geography, History  
Masquers 4; Veterans Association 3, 4; YMCA 3, 4, Cabinet 4; Men's Glee Club 3, 4, President 3, 4.



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Science, Geography  
Lawrence College 1; Baseball 1; Basketball 2; Football 1, 2, 3; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4.

**IONE ENGEN** - - - - - Frederic  
Elementary Education, Science, Art  
Masquers 1; Sigma Chi Sigma 3, 4; YWCA 1, 2, 3; WAA 1, 2, 4.



**RUTH ERICKSON** - - - - - Stockholm

Elementary Education, English, Art

ACE 1, 2, 3, 4; Palette Club 4; YWCA 1, 2, 3, 4.

**LOLA ESTENSON** - - - - - New Richmond

Mathematics, Physics, Music

Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, President 2; Language Club 2; Mathematics Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 3, 4; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4, President 3; Student Senate 2, 3; YWCA 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 3; Band 2; A Cappella Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Sextet 3; Student Voice 2; Assembly Committee 3, 4; Prom Committee 3.

**BEULAH EUKEL** - - - - - River Falls

History, English, French

Honor Society 3, 4; Language Club 1, 2; International Relations Club 4.

**GEORGE FRENCHICK** - - - - - Weyerhaeuser

Agricultural Education, Science

City College of New York 2; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Mathematics Club 1; Newman Club 3, 4, Treasurer 3, 4; Veterans Association 2, 3; Class Vice-President 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3.

**HARRY FROKJER** - - - - - Centuria

Agricultural Education, Science

Gustavus Adolphus 2; Bowling Green State University 3; R Club 1, 3, 4; Veterans Association 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4.

**GORDON GARDNER** - - - - - Osceola

Agricultural Education, Science

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 4; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 4.

**LILLIAN GERAETS** - - - - - Elmwood

English, History, Latin

Language Club 1, 2, 3, Secretary-Treasurer 3; Newman Club 1, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Class Secretary 2; Basketball 1; Volleyball 1, 2; Student Voice 2, 3.

**MARJORIE GILSTAD** - - - - - Baldwin

Elementary Education, English, Geography

Midgardians 3, 4; Palette Club 1, 2, 4; Rural Life Club 1, 2; WAA 1; YWCA 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2.

**FAITH GRIFFITH** - - - - - River Falls

Science, History, English

University of Wisconsin 3; Language Club 1, 2; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 4; Student Senate 2; WAA 1, 2; YWCA 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Swimming 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Student Voice 2; Party Committee 4; Winter Carnival Committee 2, 4; Homecoming Committee 4.

**JOHN HAYES** - - - - - River Falls

Science, English

Newman Club 3, 4; YMCA 1, 2, Cabinet 1, 2; Football 1, 2; Intramural Sports 3; Chorus 2; Party Committee 2; Homecoming Committee 2, 3, 4.

**TERRENCE HAYES** - - - - - Cumberland

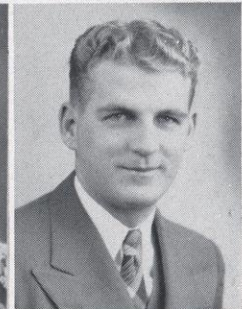
Biology, History, English

Alpha Psi Omega 2, 3, 4; Language Club 2; Masquers 2, 3, 4; Newman Club 3, 4; YMCA 1, 2, 3, Cabinet 2; Intramural Sports 2, 3; Chorus 2; Men's Quartette 2; "Blithe Spirit" 2; "Cabaret" 3, 4; "The Potboiler" 4; Party Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; Winter Carnival Committee 2, 3, 4, Chairman 4; Homecoming Committee 3, 4.

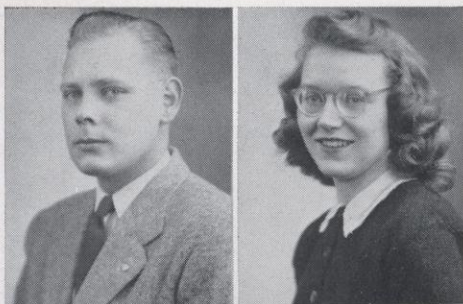
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Elementary Education, History, Art

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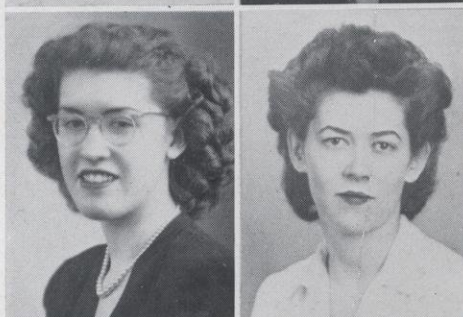




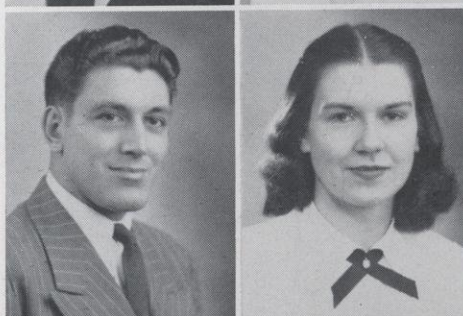
**GORDON JACOBSON** - - - - - Hixton  
**Agricultural Education, Science**  
 La Crosse State Teachers College 1, 2; FFA 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 3, 4; Intramural Sports 3, 4.



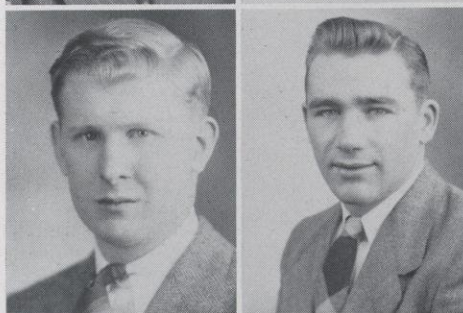
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**Chemistry, Mathematics, German**  
 University of Minnesota 1, 2; Mathematics Club 2, 3.



**MILDRED JENSEN** - - - - - Menomonie  
**Elementary Education, Art**  
 Dunn County Normal School 1, 2; Palette Club 3, 4, President 3; YWCA 3, 4, Cabinet 4; Swimming 3, 4; Prom Committee 3.



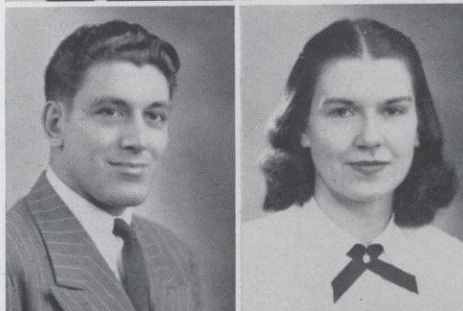
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**Elementary Education, Science, Geography**  
 ACE 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4; YWCA 1, 2; Band 1; Orchestra 1.



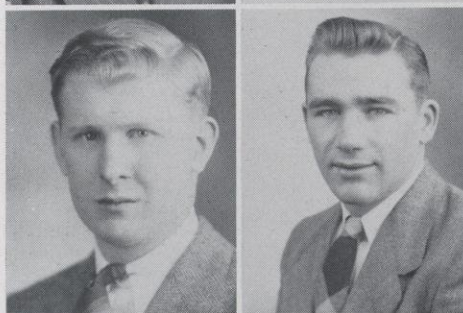
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**History, English**  
 Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2; Language Club 2; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4; YWCA 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3; J. H. Ames Scholarship.



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**Elementary Education, History, Science**  
 La Crosse State Teachers College 1, 2; ACE 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Newman Club 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4; Prom Committee 3; Winter Carnival Committee 1.



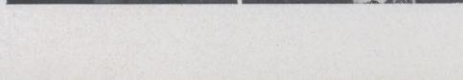
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 FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Veterans Association 3, 4; Intramural Sports 3, 4; Homecoming Committee 3, 4, Chairman 4.



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**Biology, English, German**  
 Honor Society 4; Language Club 1; Sigma Chi Sigma 3, 4; Class President 2; Class Secretary 3; Prom Committee 3; Homecoming Committee 3, 4; Winter Carnival Committee 2, 3, 4.



**JAMES LEADHOLM** - - - - - Amery  
**Science, Mathematics, Social Science**  
 Veterans Association 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Basketball 1; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4.



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**Agricultural Education, Science**  
 FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; R Club 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 3, 4; Baseball 2; Football 1, 2, 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee 3.



**ROBERT LOVELL** - - - - - River Falls  
**Agricultural Education, Science**  
 FFA 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 2; R Club 1; YMCA 1, 2; Football 1; Intramural Sports 1; "The Taming of the Shrew" 3.



**STEPHEN MARKOWSKI** - - - - - River Falls  
**Agricultural Education, Science**  
 FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 3, 4.





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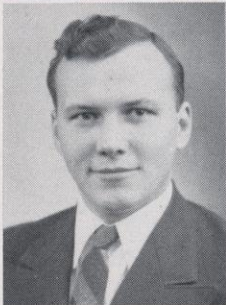
**Agricultural Education, Science**

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; R Club 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Football 1; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4.

**WALLACE MEHLBERG** - - - - - Caroline

**Agricultural Education, Science**

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; R Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 3, 4; YMCA 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3; Marching Band 1, 2; Homecoming Committee ..; Winter Carival Committee 3.



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**History, English, Scienc**

Stout Institute 1; Language Club 4; Newman Club 3, 4; Veterans Association 3.

**GLENN NELSON** - - - - - River Falls

**Agricultural Education, Science**

FFA 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Masquers 1; Veterans Association 3; Class Secretary 2; A Cappella Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Men's Quartette 3; 1947, 1948 Meletean.



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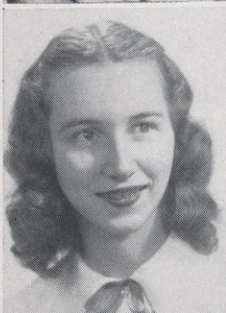
**Geography, History, Science**

Eau Claire State Teachers 1; Veterans Assacition 3; Class Treasurer 2; Intramural Sports 3, 4.

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**Agricultural Education, Science**

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3.



**DOLORES PAYSON** - - - - - Hudson

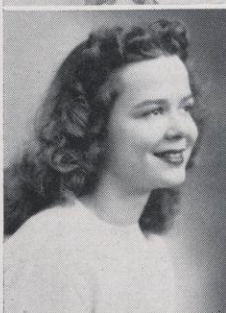
**Elementary Education, Music, English**

Honor Society 3, 4; Language Club 1, 2; Midgardians 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4; YWCA 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 3; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4.

**RAYMOND POLZIN** - - - - - Cadott

**Agricultural Education, Science**

University of Wisconsin 1945; FFA 2, 3, 4; YMCA 1, 2, 3; Veterans Association 3, 4; Intramural Sports 2.



**KATHLEEN REID** - - - - - Hastings, Minn.

**Elementary Education, Music, Art**

Eveleth Junior College 1; ACE 2, 3, 4; Newman Club 3, 4; Palette Club 2; A Cappella Choir 3; 1947 Meletean; Student Voice 2.

**LURA RIEKEN** - - - - - Prescott

**Elementary Education, Science, Geography**

ACE 3, 4, Program Chairman 4; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Palette Club 3, 4; Rural Life Club 1, 2, Secretary 2; Sigma Chi Sigma 3, 4.



**ONA SABBY** - - - - - Spring Valley

**Science, German, Social Science**

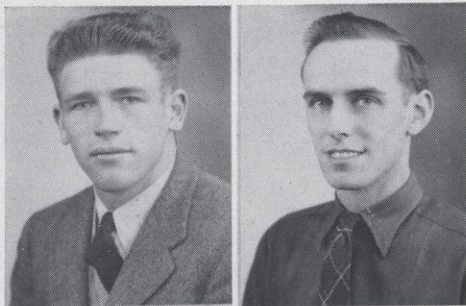
Hamline University 1; Language Club 2; Mathematics Club 1; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; Chorus 2; Orchestra 1, 2.

**MARVIN SATHER** - - - - - River Falls

**Agricultural Education, Science**

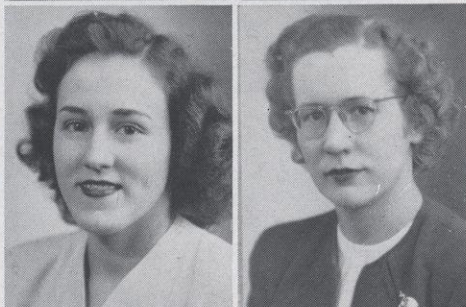
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Senate 3; Veterans Association 2, 3, 4; Class President 3; Party Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; Homecoming Committee 3; Winter Carnival Committee 3.





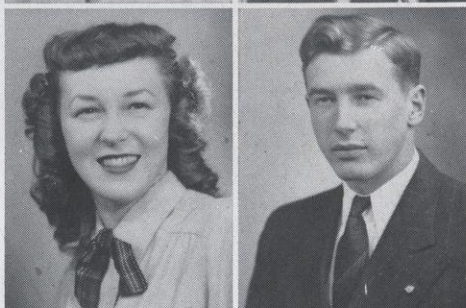
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Mathematics, Science, History  
University of Minnesota 1; Mathematics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 4; YMCA 2, 3, 4.

**ROBERT STOUTER** - - - - - Roberts  
History, English, Science  
Mathematics Club 2; Veterans Association 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3.



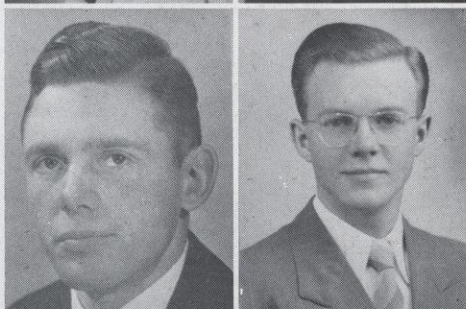
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English, History, French  
Language Club 1, 2, Vice-President 2; Sigma Chi Sigma 2, 3, 4; YWCA 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Sextet 3; Student Voice 1; Party Committee 3; Prom Committee 3.

**LORNA SWANBERG** - - - - - Grantsburg  
Elementary Education, Geography, English  
Honor Society 3, 4; Palette Club 3, 4, Treasurer 3.



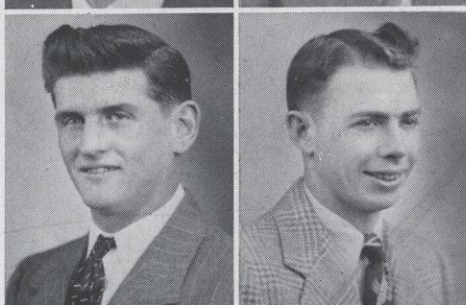
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Elementary Education, English  
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**LEONARD VIK** - - - - - River Falls  
Science, Mathematics, Geography  
Dickinson College 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Veterans Association 4; YMCA 1; A Cappella Choir 1, 3, 4, President 4.



**GORDON VINE** - - - - - Neillsville  
Agricultural Education, Science  
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; R Club 2, 3, 4; Veterans Association 3; Class Vice-President 3; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Tennis 3; Intramural Sports 4; Prom Committee 3; Homecoming Committee 3.

**GERALD WALLEN** - - - - - River Falls  
Science, Mathematics, English  
Veterans Association 3, 4; YMCA 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1.



**GEORGE WEBB** - - - - - Baldwin  
Agricultural Education, Science  
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Sentinel 2, Treasurer 4; Honor Society 4; Veterans Association 3; Intramural Sports 1, 2.

**WALTER WEIHROUCH** - - - - - Medford  
Agricultural Education, Science  
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; YMCA 1, 2.

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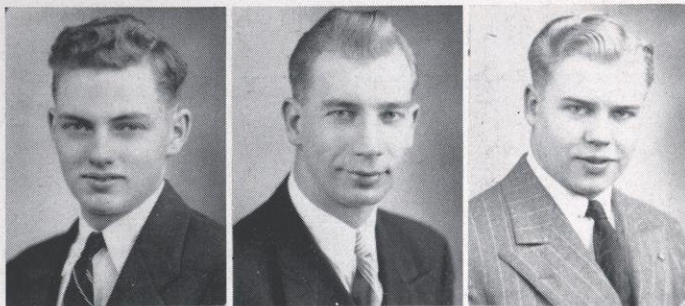




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# JUNIORS





DAVID AFDAHL - - - Hammond  
Agricultural Education

ALLEN ANDERSON - - - Woodville  
Secondary

CLARK ANDERSON - - - Woodville  
Secondary



DOREEN BARFKNECHT - - - Rice Lake  
Secondary

JANET BLEIER - - - Baldwin  
Elementary

BYRON BROOKE - - - Spring Valley  
Secondary



DONALD CARLSTROM - - - New Richmond  
Secondary

RICHARD CARPENTER - - - Maiden Rock  
Secondary

LOIS BRANDT CLYMER - - - Hudson  
Secondary



THEODORE CLYMER - - - Hudson  
Secondary

JOYCE CONDIT - - - Elmwood  
Elementary

CHARLES COPELAND - - - Turtle Lake  
Pre-Professional



PATRICIA M. COX - - - Hudson  
Secondary

GLORIA CREE - - - Clear Lake  
Secondary

MARGERY CREIGHTON - - - Nye  
Elementary



ALTON DAHL - - - Bloomington  
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TERRY DOONAN - - - Owen  
Secondary

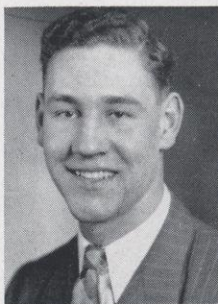
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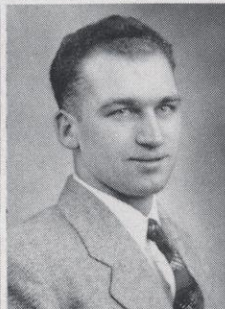
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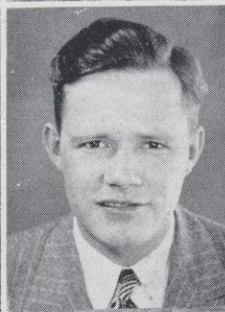
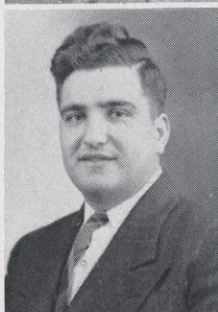
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Elementary



WILLARD HAMM - - - - Ladysmith  
Agricultural Education

ERLING HANSEN - - - - River Falls  
Secondary

PHILIP HANSEN - - - - Chetek  
Agricultural Education



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WILLIAM HAYES - - - - Cumberland  
Pre-Professional

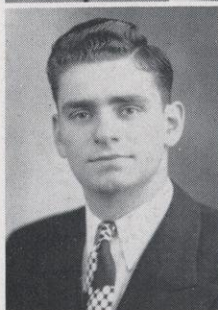
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Secondary



JACK HENNEMAN - - - - River Falls  
Secondary

THEODORE HILLERT - - - - Granton  
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LESTER HORN - - - - New Auburn  
Secondary



AUDREY HYNGSTROM - - - - Maiden Rock  
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DON IVERSON - - - - St. Croix Falls  
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MAXINE JENSEN - - - - Cushing  
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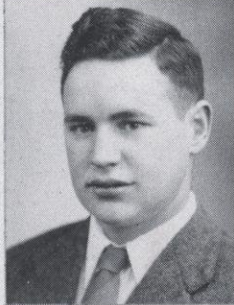
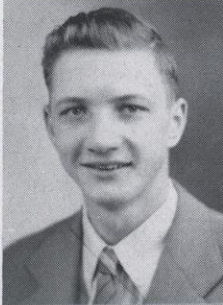




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Elementary

WARREN JOHNSON - - - Barron  
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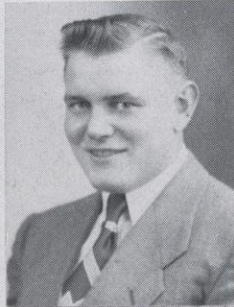
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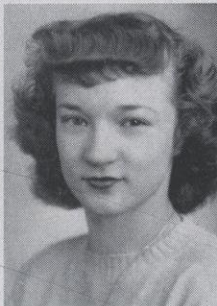
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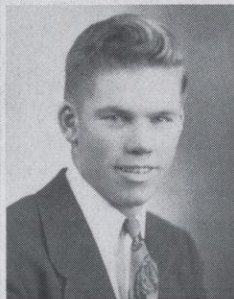
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CURTIS MILLER - - - Osceola  
Secondary

MARJORIE MOORS - - - Rice Lake  
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DONNA OLSON - - - River Falls  
Secondary



JANE OLSON - - - Hudson  
Elementary

ROBERT OLSON - - - Gillette  
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NORMAN PAUTZ - - - Hilbert  
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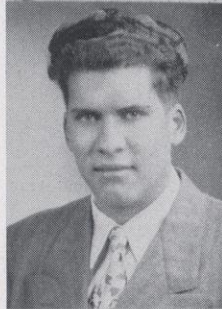
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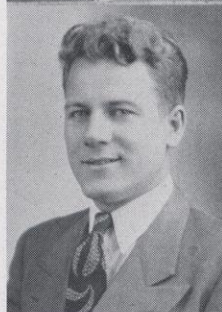
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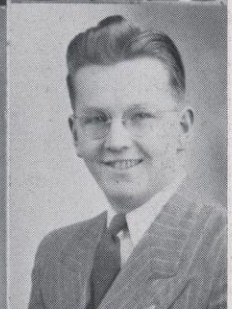
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ELWYN ROBERTS - - - Hammond  
Secondary

MARGARET ROCK - - - Hudson  
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Agricultural Education



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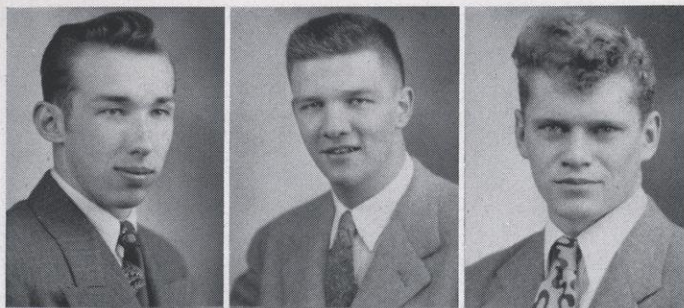
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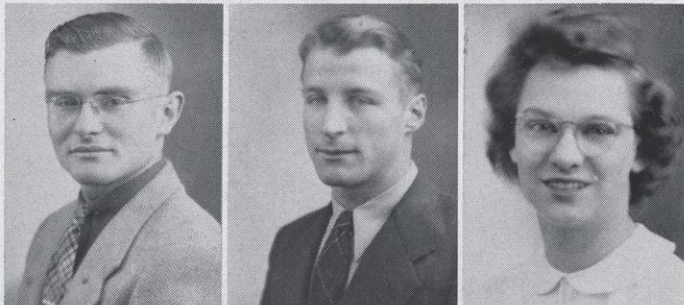




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MARK STONE - - - Baraboo  
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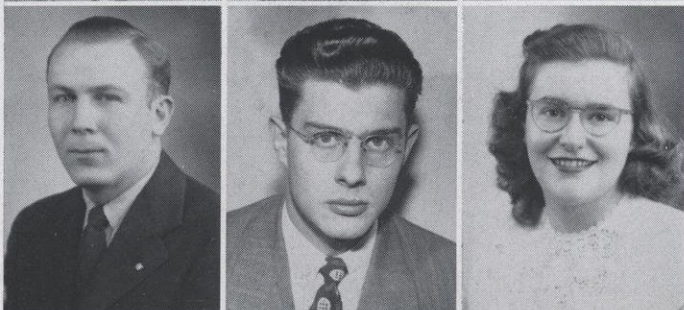
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CHARLES TAYLOR - - - Owen  
Secondary

FRED THOME - - - Spring Valley  
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CHRISTINE THOMPSON - - - Cable  
Elementary



ALBERT TSCHUDY - - - Monroe  
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Secondary



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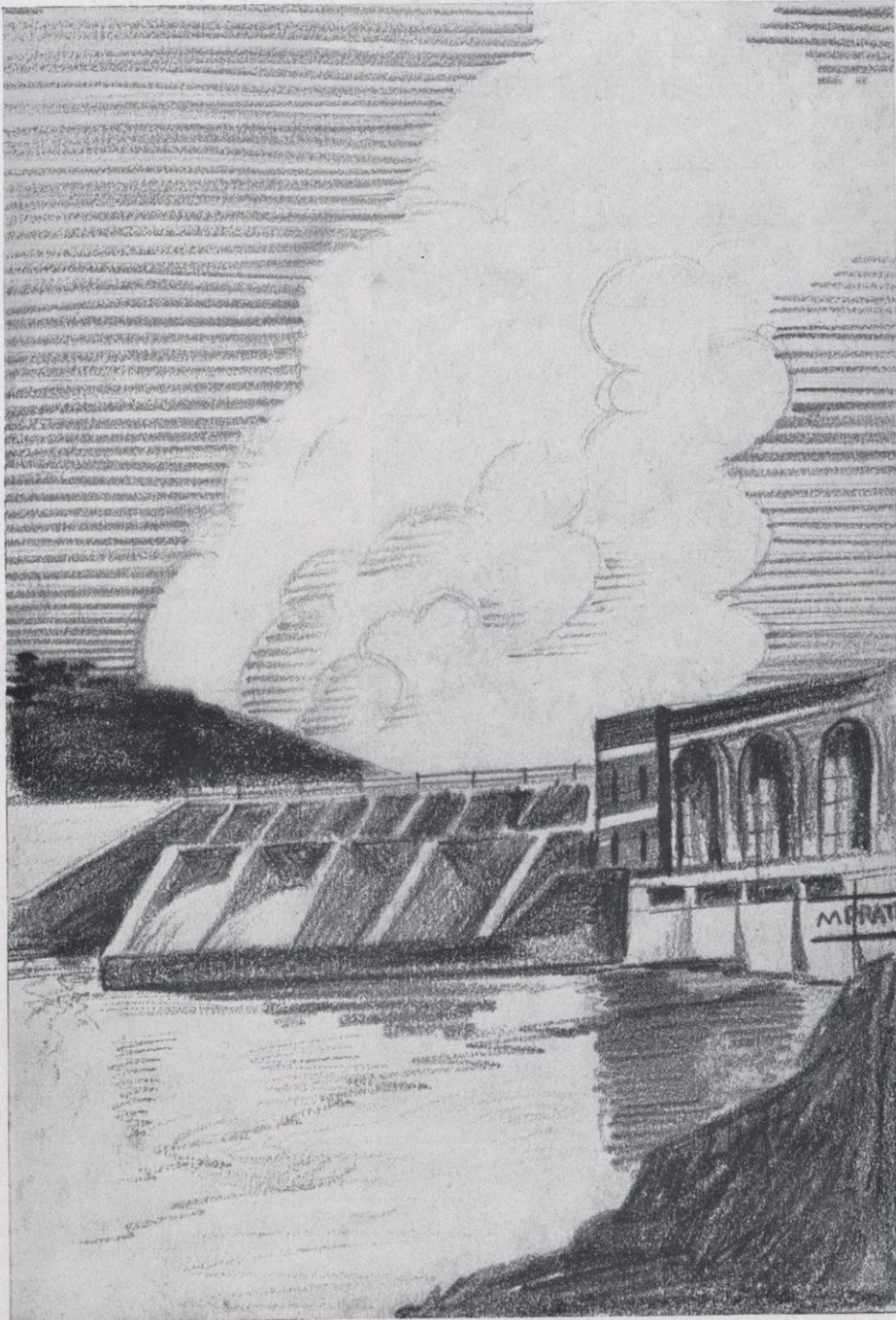
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JOSEPH YOUNG - - - Hudson  
Secondary

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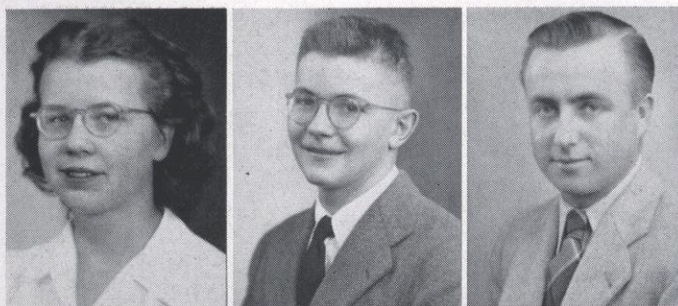




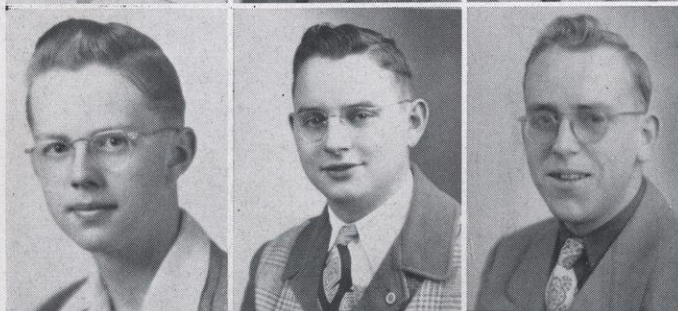
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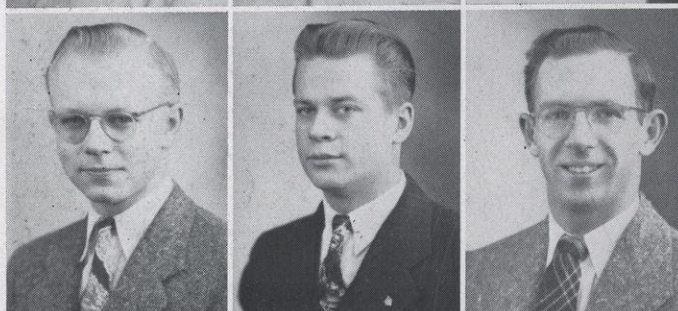
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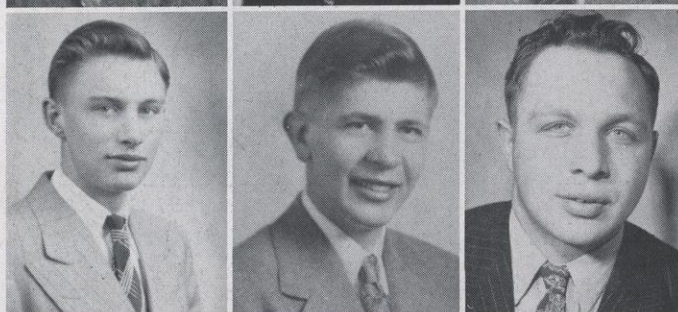
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JAMES BARBEE - - - Rice Lake  
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LLOYD BENJAMIN - - - Nelson  
Unclassified  
ANNALEE BENSON - - - River Falls  
Pre-Professional



DAVID BENSON - - - River Falls  
Pre-Professional  
DUANE BERGLUND - - - Osceola  
Pre-Professional  
LYAL BESTUL - - - Fond Du Lac  
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EARL BORNER - - - Prescott  
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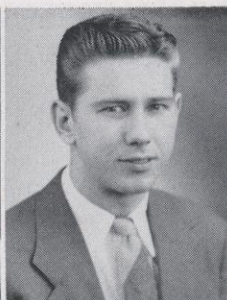
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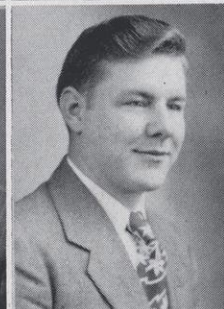
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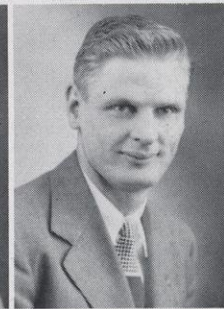
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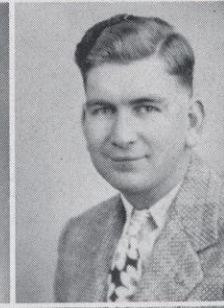
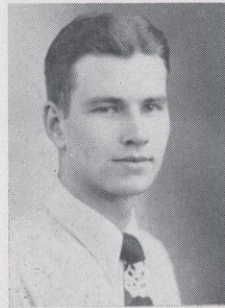
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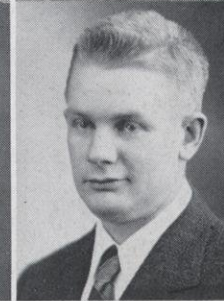
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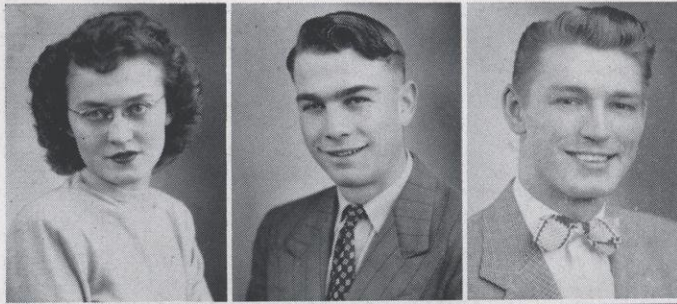
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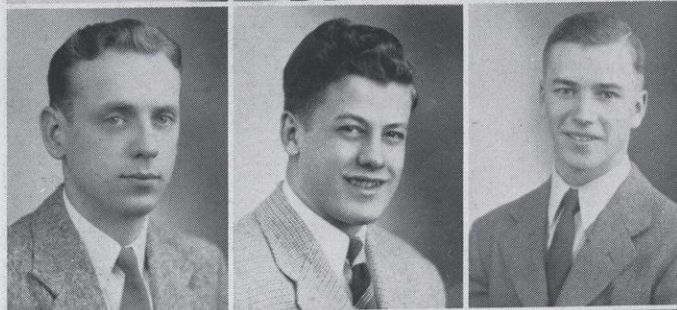




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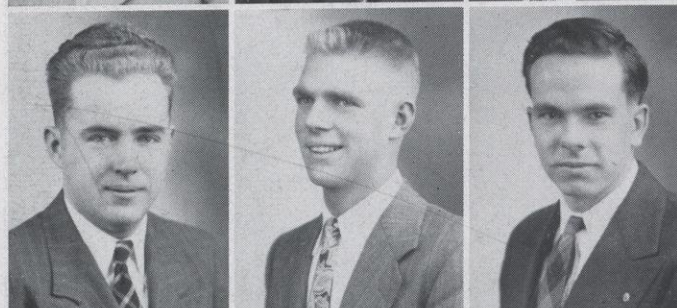
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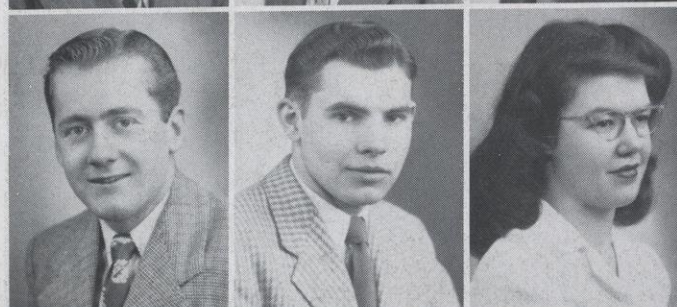
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STANLEY FRANK - - - - River Falls  
Agricultural Education  
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Pre-Professional



GEORGE FRYE - - - - Omro  
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Pre-Professional  
JOHN GAUSTAD - - - - River Falls  
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ROBERT GAVIC - - - - Spring Valley  
Pre-Professional  
RANDALL GENRICH - - - - Dorchester  
Rural  
ELAINE GIBBON - - - - Hudson  
Unclassified



MARVIN GILBERTSON - - - Clear Lake  
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WILBERT GIPP - - - - - Bonduel  
Agricultural Education

DELBERT GLASS - - - Grand View  
Pre-Professional

RAY GRAJEK - - - - Chicago, Ill.  
Pre-Professional

PATRICIA GREENFIELD - - - River Falls  
Unclassified

ROBERT GREFE - - - - Necedah  
Agricultural Education

EUGENE GREGOR - - - River Falls  
Secondary

LAVERNE GUENTHER - - - Arcadia  
Agricultural Education

VIRGINIA GULLICKSON - - Woodville  
Secondary

LORELEI HALLING - - - - Pepin  
Secondary

RICHARD HALVERSON - - - Dallas  
Secondary

GORDON HANVELT - - River Falls  
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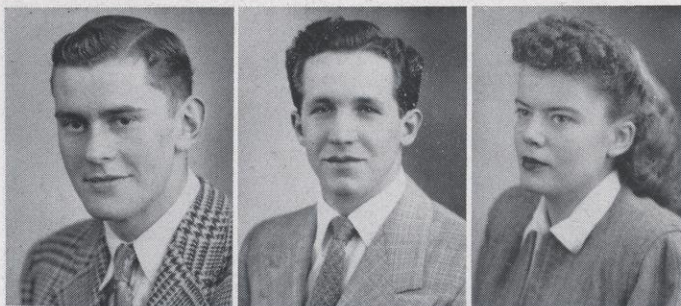
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Elementary

JERALD HINKE - - - - Jim Falls  
Agricultural Education







CHARLES HOCKING - - - River Falls  
Secondary

EDWARD HORA - - - Chicago, Ill.  
Secondary

ALOHA HOVDE - - - River Falls  
Elementary



LELAND HUBERT - - - - Deronda  
Pre-Professional

DOROTHY HUGHES - - - Knapp  
Elementary

HERBERT HUNT - - - - Frederic  
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RICHARD HUNT - - - - Frederic  
Secondary

EMERSON HYDE - - - Lewiston, Minn.  
Unclassified

DORIS ISAACSON - - - Barron  
Rural



ELDON JACOBSON - - - Hixton  
Agricultural Education

CHARLES JENNINGS - - - Frederic  
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ARNOLD JENSEN - - - Whittlesey  
Agricultural Education



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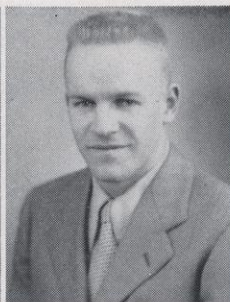
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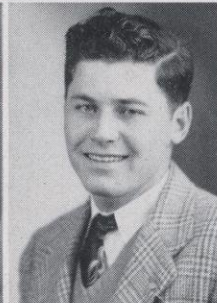
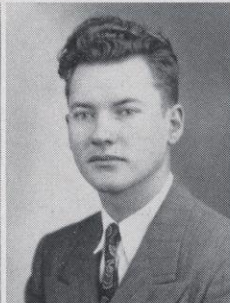
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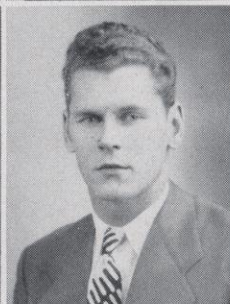
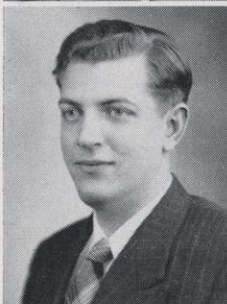
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Agricultural Education



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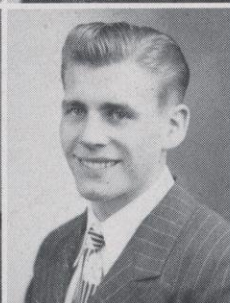
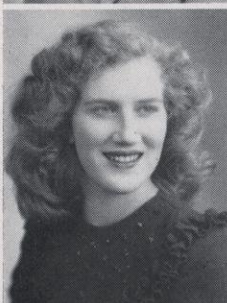
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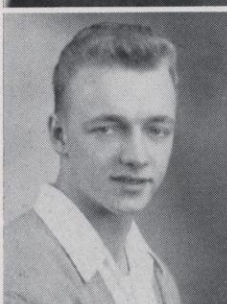
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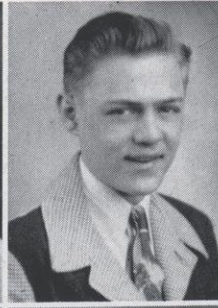
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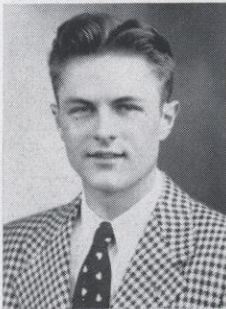




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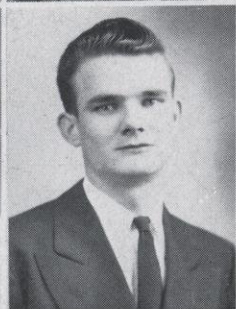
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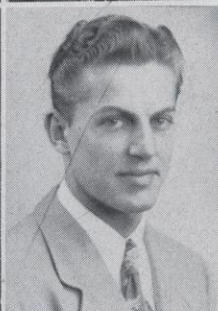
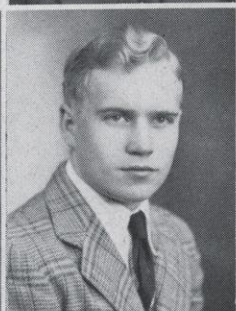
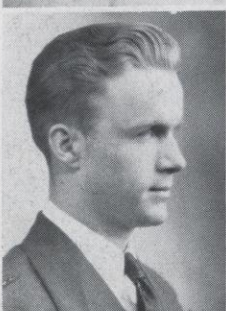
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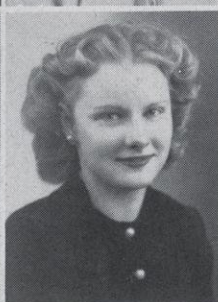
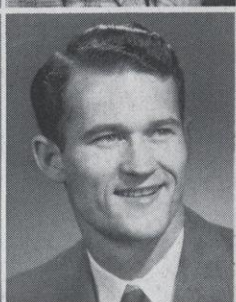
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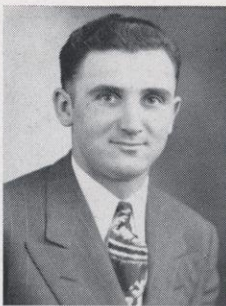
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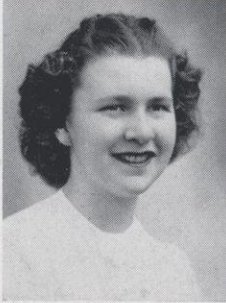
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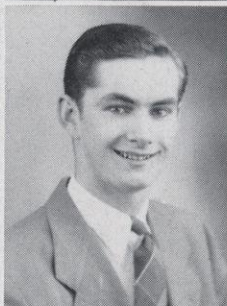
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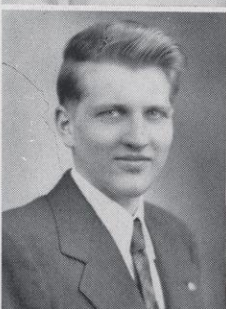
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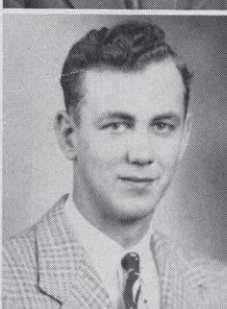
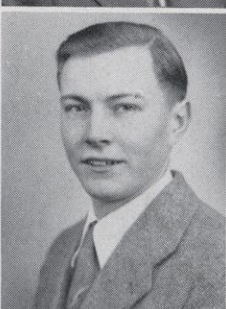
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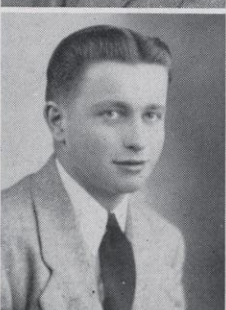
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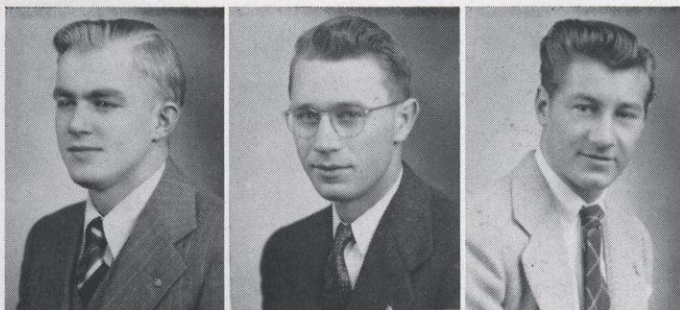
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CARL PENNO - - - Athens  
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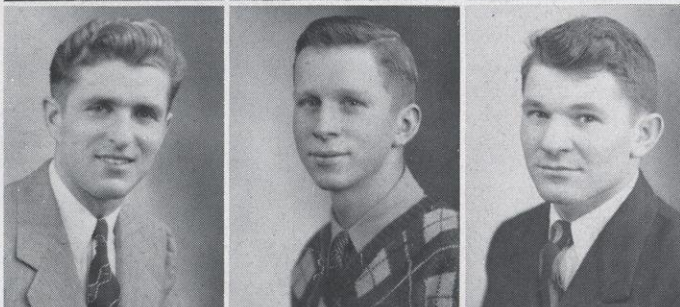
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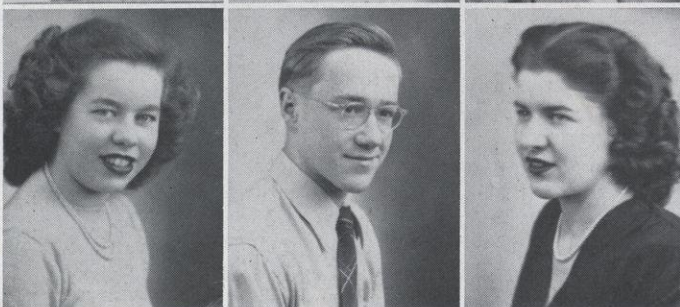
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Secondary



DOROTHY SANDSTROM - - - Barron  
Elementary

CHARLES SARGENT - - - Hager City  
Agricultural Education

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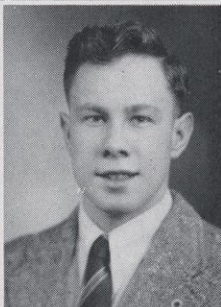
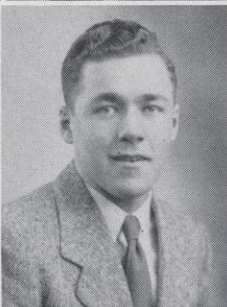
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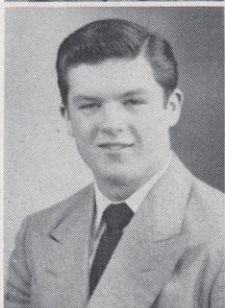
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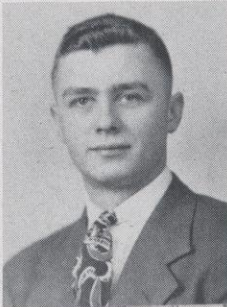
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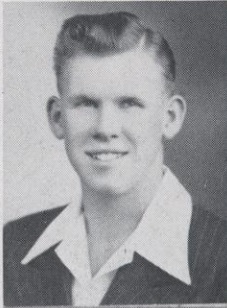
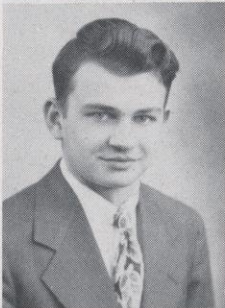
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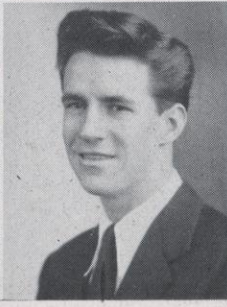
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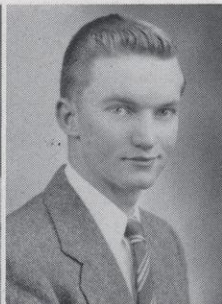
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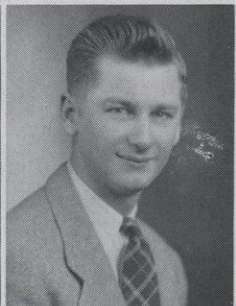
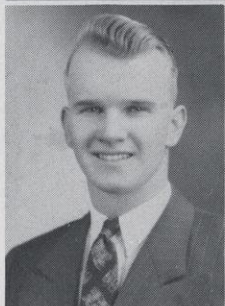
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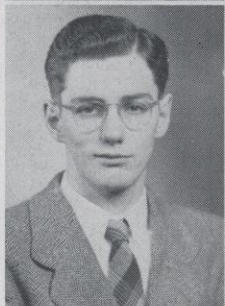
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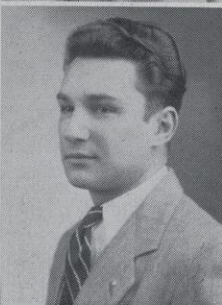
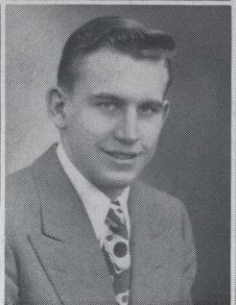
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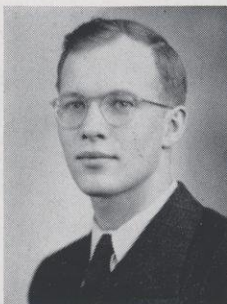
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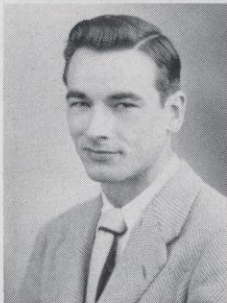
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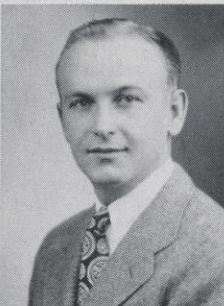
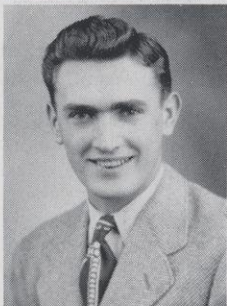
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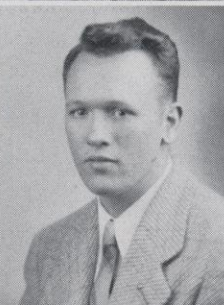
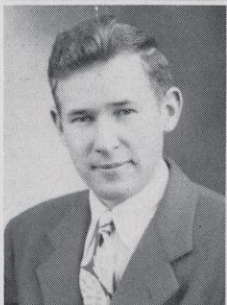
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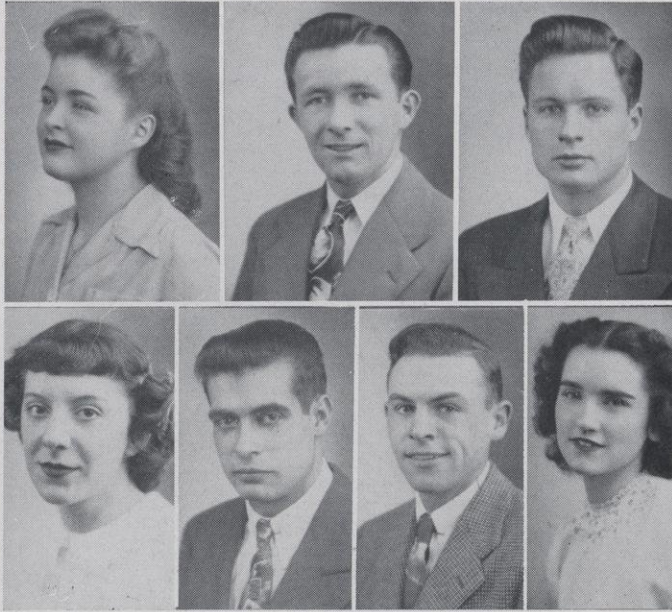
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Rural

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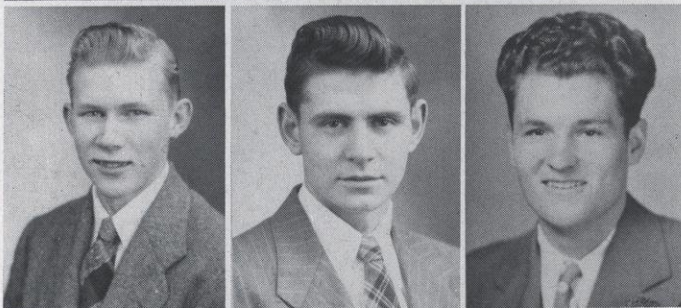




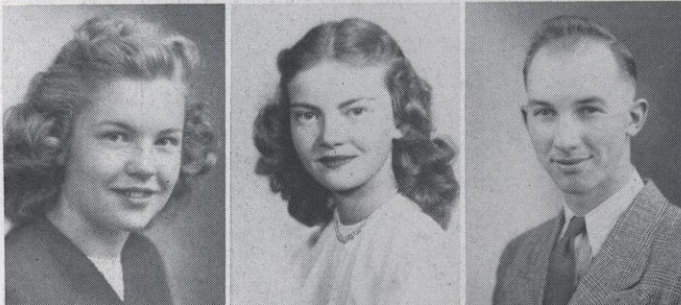
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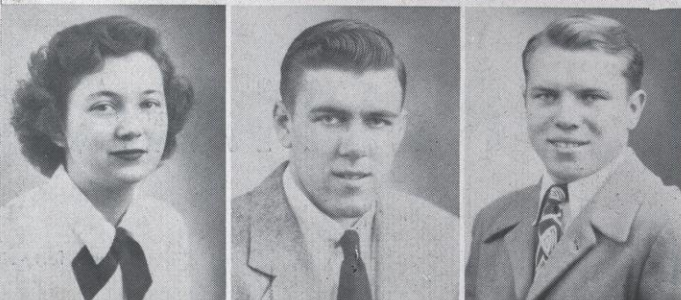
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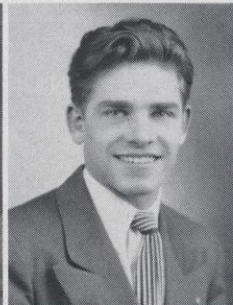
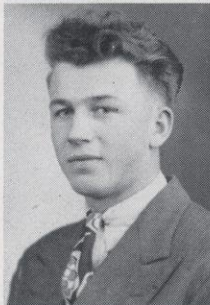
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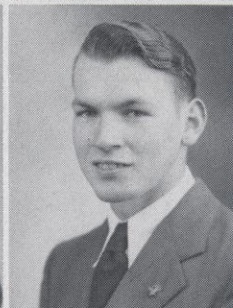
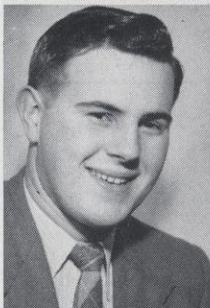
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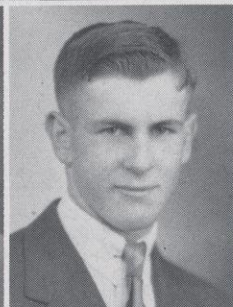
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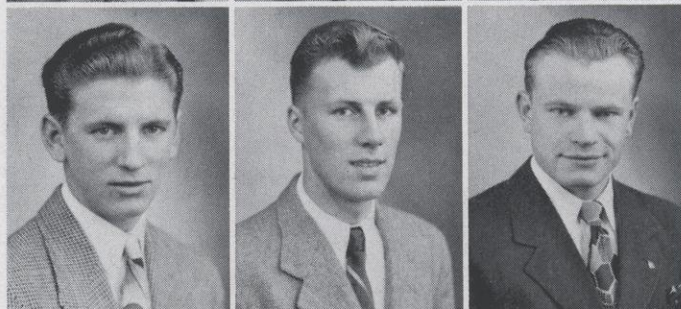




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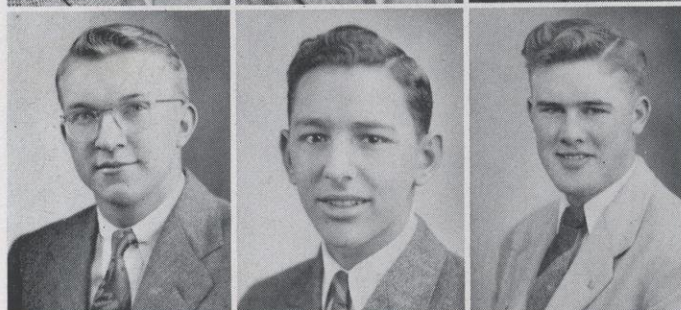
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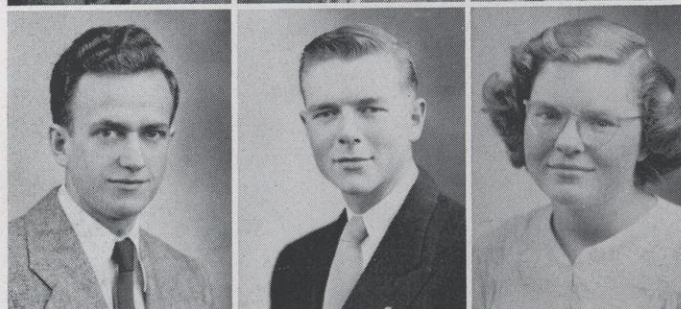
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Secondary

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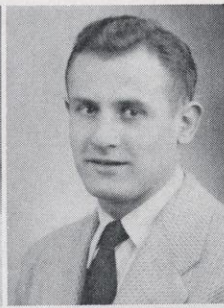
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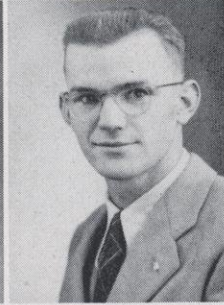
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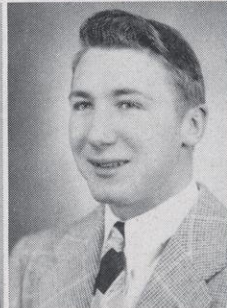
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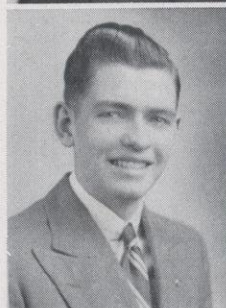
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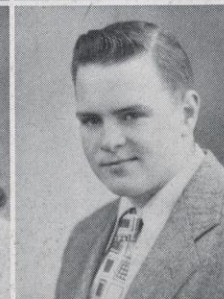
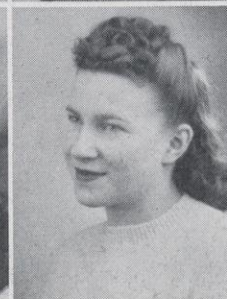
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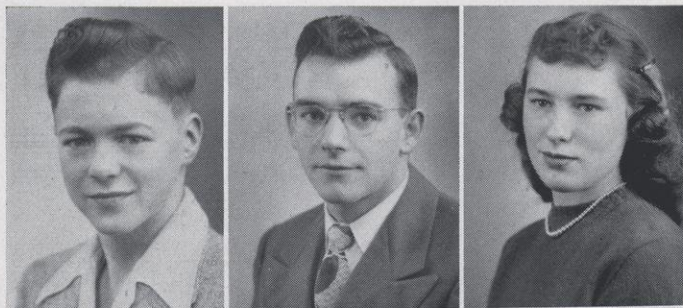
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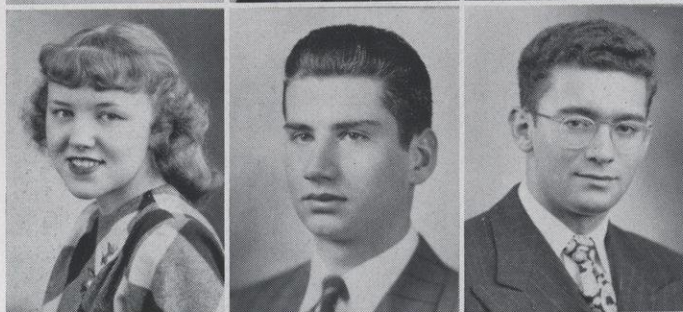
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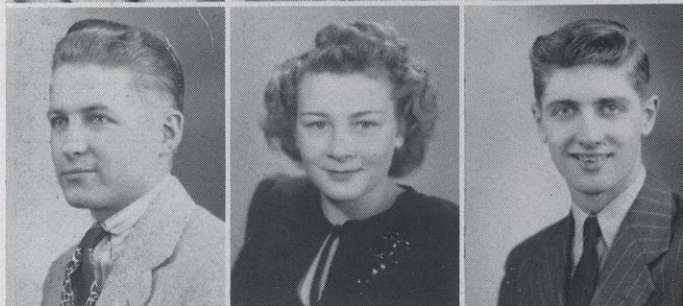
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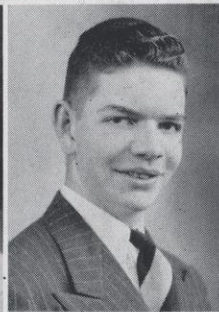
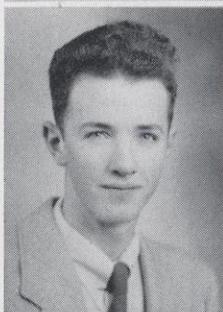
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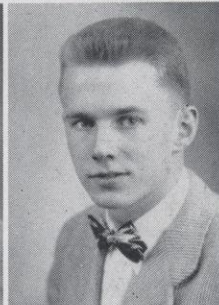
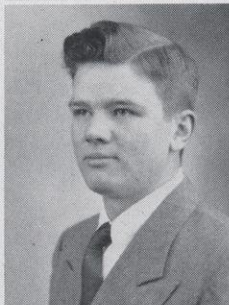
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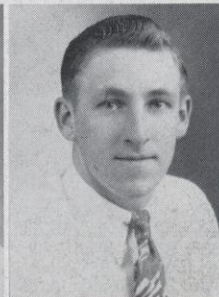
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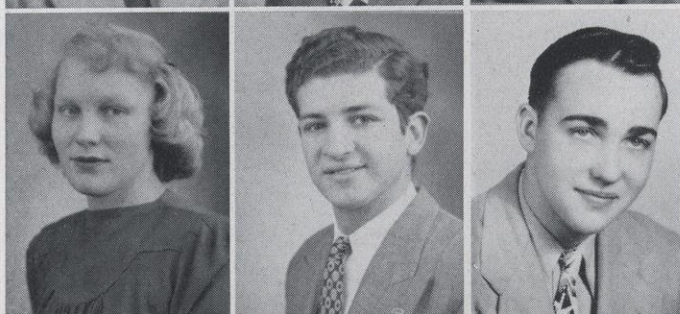
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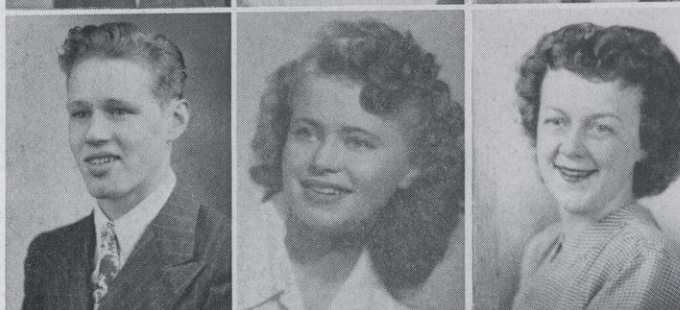
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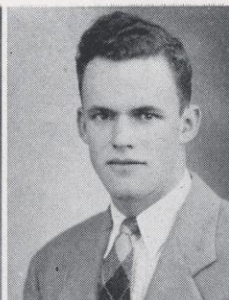
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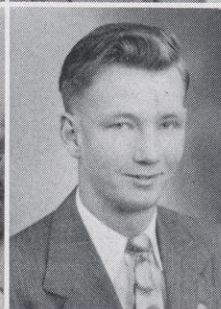
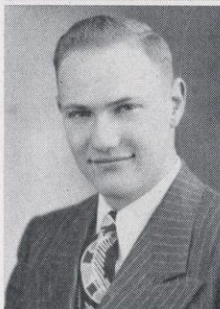
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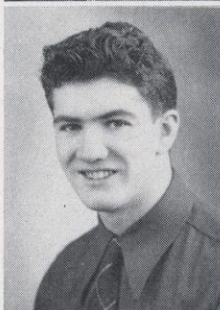
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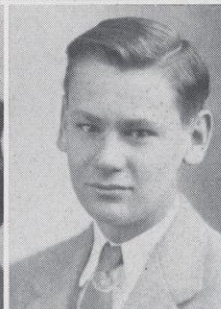
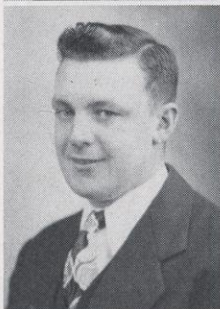
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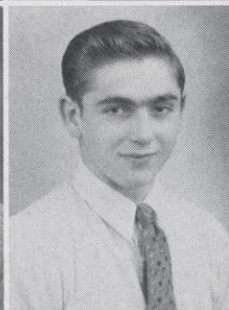
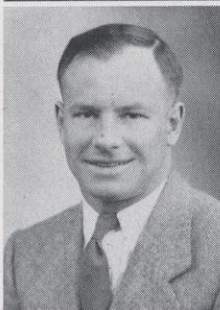
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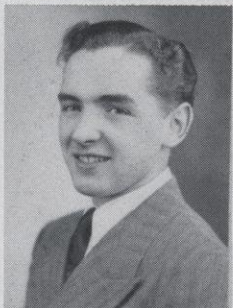
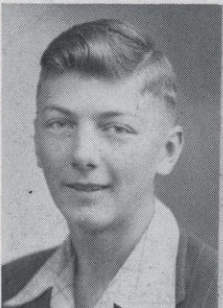
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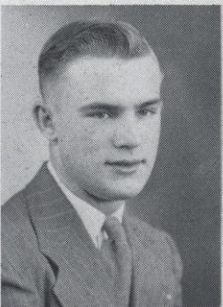
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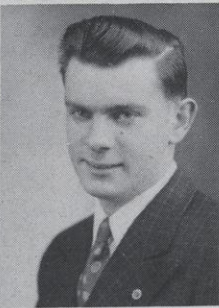
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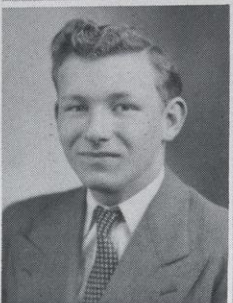
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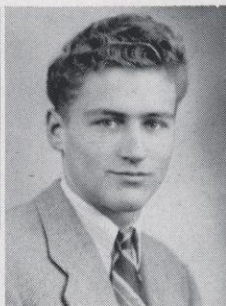
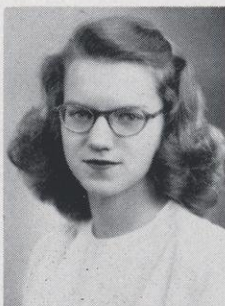
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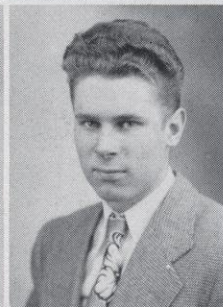
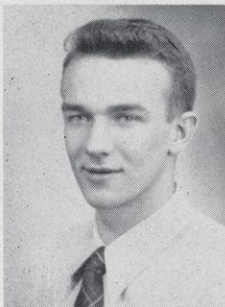
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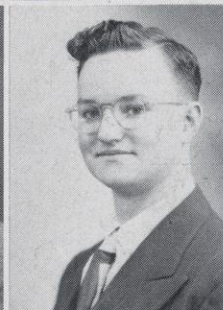
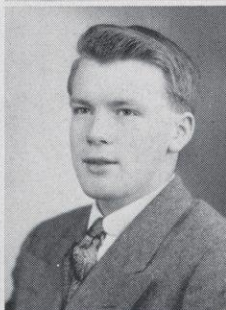
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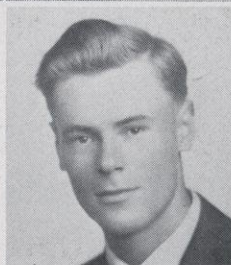
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#### FRESHMAN OFFICERS

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# ACTIVITIES

The Courts

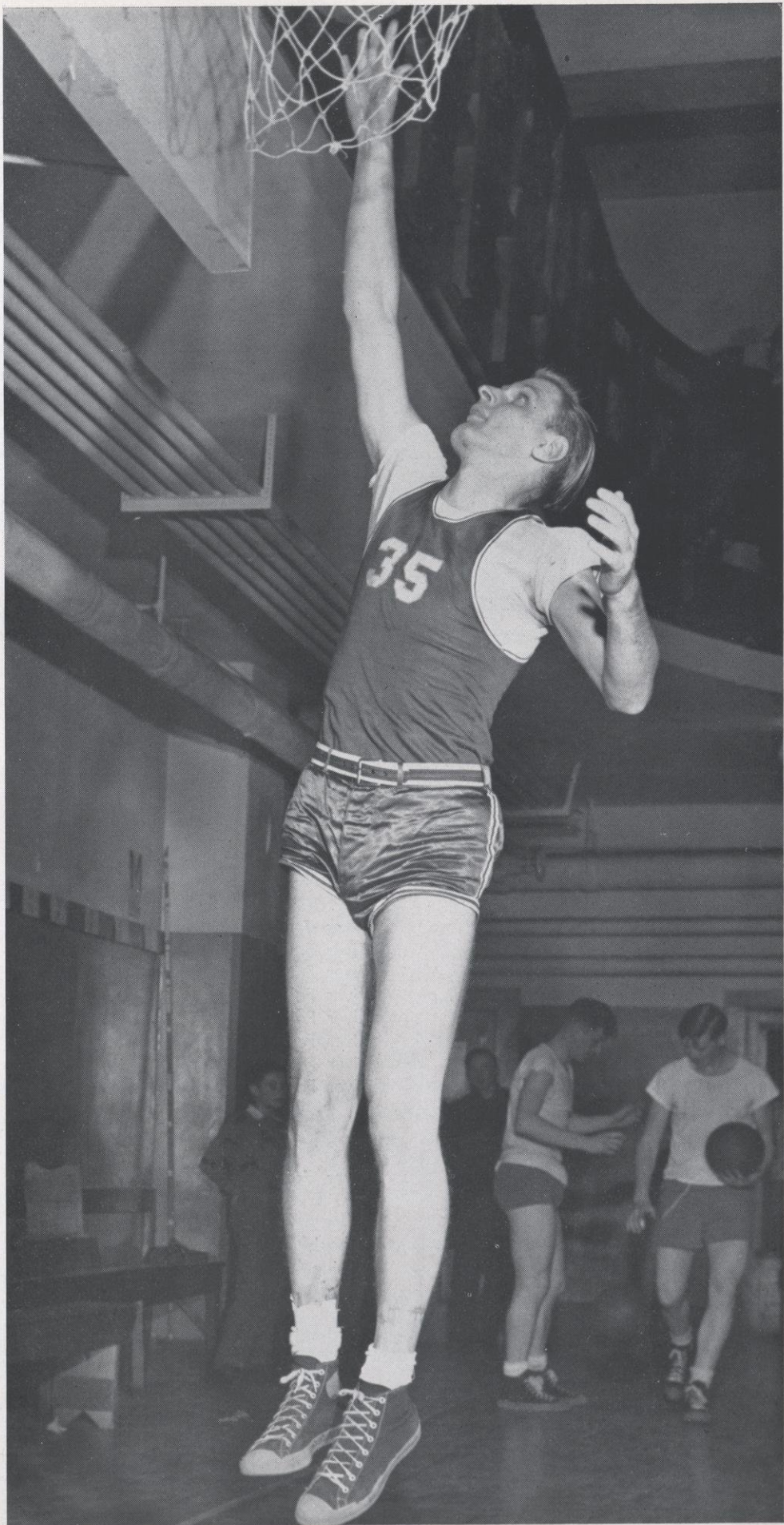


# Nate DeLong

The highest scorer in collegiate basketball for the 1947-48 season was none other than our own Nate DeLong. Big Nate was never better as he led his team to a second consecutive conference championship. In doing so, the 6-foot-6-inch sophomore center garnered an amazing total of 618 points in 22 games—an average of 28.1 points per game. This average was by far the leading one in collegiate basketball the past year. The friendly lad from Chippewa Falls nonchalantly tossed in basket after basket to build up his tremendous total. Newspapers all over the country refer to the blond pivot man as "Mr. Basketball," "Mr. Swish," and so forth, but to his mates and fans, he is just "Nate," the same unaffected boy on the basketball court that he is on the school campus.

Every team River Falls faced during the season knew that it would have to stop the strapping 205 pound star, if it expected to win; in fact, it was not uncommon to see two and three opponents guarding DeLong the entire game. Nate could not be stopped. A one-hand push shot from any spot on the floor was his main weapon, yet he rifled many points through the hoop, twisting turn shots, rebounds, fake and dribble-in-shots, etc. Not only is Nate a sensational scorer, but a fine defensive player, and above all a team player. His mates showed their respect and admiration for Nate when in the Winona game they refused to shoot. Instead they fed their star and enabled him to rack up 72 points in a single game—the third highest individual point total for one game in collegiate basketball history. The magic name of DeLong has done much to put River Falls State Teachers College in the athletic limelight, and his brilliant play has given the Falcons a "golden era" in basketball. We salute you, Nate DeLong—a true champion and sportsman!









**Back row:** Manager Thompson, Lengell, Rogness, Swenson, Glauner, Lynch, Finstad, Engeldinger, Manager Prescott, Jansen, E. Grilley, Schnagl, Bielefeldt, Newcomb. **Third row:** Coach George Schlagenhaut, Johnson, Stewart, Halls, Hunt, Siverling, Laufenberg, Schuman, Finstad, Wisdom, Cardinal,

Olson. **Second row:** Borner, Burkhard, Kosec, Savage, Radtke, Studelske, Ruhsam, Brandvold, Soholt, Gallagher, Roehl. **Front row:** Wilson, Werndli, Vanderhoof, Levenick, Schock, G. Grilley, Froshaug, Demulling, Tobias, Feiler, Mulhollam, Teske.

### CHAMPIONS—NORTHERN WISCONSIN TEACHERS COLLEGE CONFERENCE

## Football---1947

### LETTER AWARDS VOTED BY THE ATHLETIC COUNCIL IN FOOTBALL FOR THE 1947 SEASON

ENDS	GUARDS	BACKS
Burkhard	Glauner	Cardinal
DeLong	Jever	Feiler
Ruhsam	McCardle	Grilley
Vanderhoof	Shuman	Jansen
	Studelska	Mulhollam
TACKLES	CENTER	
Kosev	Wilson	Olson
Levenick		Schock
Teske		
Werndli		

Honorary Captain for the 1947 Season  
Gordon Schock

### CONFERENCE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
River Falls	4	0	1.000
Superior	3	1	.750
La Crosse	2	2	.500
Stout	1	3	.250
Eau Claire	0	4	.000

### PLAYERS NAMED ON ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

Team	Honorable Mention
Vanderhoof .....End	DeLong .....End
Levenick .....Tackle	Werndli .....Tackle
Glauner .....Guard	McCardle .....Guard
Schock .....Back	Wilson .....Center
Tobias .....Back	Cardinal .....Back
Feiler .....Back	Grilley .....Back

### RESULTS OF THE SEASON

River Falls	0	St. Cloud	6
River Falls	12	Stevens Point	0
River Falls	20	Stout	0
River Falls	27	La Crosse	14
River Falls	21	Superior	13
River Falls	19	Hamline	7
River Falls	21	Eau Claire	13
River Falls	19	Pittsburgh, Kansas	6

### SCORING

	Total Points			
River Falls	139	Opponents	59	
	Individual Scoring			
		TD	PAT	TP
Schock	7	0	0	42
Tobias	4	0	0	24
Feiler	3	0	0	18
Olson	3	0	0	18
Cardinal	1	11	0	17
Grilley	1	0	0	6
Burkhard	1	0	0	6
Vanderhoof	1	0	0	6
DeLong	0	2	0	2



The Northern Wisconsin Teachers College Conference football championship returned to the lair of the River Falls Falcons for the 1947 grid season after a lapse of nine years. The last undisputed championship previous to the 1947 title came in the fall of 1938.

Coach George Schlagenhauf's 1947 Falcons smashed to an undisputed pennant on the strength of four consecutive league victories, finishing in front of the Superior Yellowjackets, whose one loss was sustained at the hands of the mighty River Falls eleven.

A total of 68 candidates reported for the opening practice sessions, and from this wealth of material Coaches Schlagenhauf and Kolberg molded a powerful grid team—one of the best in Falcon gridiron history. The team was built around 17 returning lettermen and a number of outstanding freshmen who gave the veterans stiff competition for first team berths.

River Falls opened the season on September 20 by playing the St. Cloud Teachers at St. Cloud. Although the Falcons lost by a 6-0 score to the "Granite City" boys, the game proved to be a great benefit to the Red and White gridmen. The contest proved to the Falcons that there was no easy row ahead and that they would have to improve with every game, if they were to achieve any measure of success. Steady week to week improvement was the key to the success of the Schlagenhauf coached eleven. After the St. Cloud defeat the Falcons edged a speedy Stevens Point team, 12-0; romped over Stout Institute, 20-0; rallied to triumph over La Crosse, 27-14, and then reached their "zenith" of performance by smashing a favored Superior team,

showed definite improvement both offensively and defensively over their play of the previous week. In the second quarter, hard-driving Gordon Schock spearheaded a Falcon march which was climaxed by Schock's 9-yard burst off tackle for a touchdown. The second touchdown came mid-way in the fourth quarter when Arnie Feiler, pile-driving fullback, picked off a desperate Pointer heave and went 30 yards for a score. Stevens Point presented two very fast halfbacks in Curry and Koehn who made life miserable for the Falcons. Several Pointer scoring threats were halted by the sterling defensive play of the Falcon line.



Coach Schlagenhauf

21-13, in one of the best games ever to be played on Ramer Field. Continuing on their victory path, River Falls spoiled the Hamline University homecoming by whipping the "Pipers," 19-7. Eau Claire gave the Falcons unsuspected competition, but with an undisputed championship in the balance. River Falls drove to a 21-13 win in the Falls homecoming fray. With the conference championship under their belt, River Falls climaxed a highly successful season by scoring a 19-6 victory over the Kansas State Teachers College at Pittsburgh, Kansas.

#### RIVER FALLS 0—ST. CLOUD 6

The Falcons were not ready for the opening game and as a result suffered a 6-0 defeat at the hands of a more polished St. Cloud eleven. Both teams were handicapped by a light rain which fell throughout the game, making playing conditions miserable. With only two weeks of practice before the contest, River Falls could not make their tricky T-formation work effectively, and the hard charging boys from St. Cloud thwarted all Falcon offensive efforts. After a scoreless first half, in which both teams missed scoring opportunities, St. Cloud took advantage of a Falcon fumble to score the only touchdown of the game. River Falls fumbled on their own 14-yard line after stopping a St. Cloud drive, and an alert "Huskie" dropped on the ball. Fullback Stukel blasted to the Falcon 5 and Weitzel carried into pay-dirt on a neat reverse to give the Huskies a well-earned 6-0 triumph.

#### RIVER FALLS 12—STEVENS POINT 0

Playing their first home game of the season, the River Falls eleven scored their initial triumph by whipping a scrappy Stevens Point team, 12-0, in a game played in a driving rain storm. The Falcons



Assistant  
Coach Kolberg

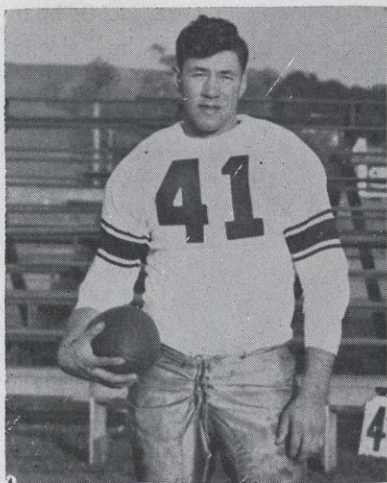


### RIVER FALLS 20—STOUT 0

In a game marking the dedication of Stout Institute's new athletic field, the River Falls Falcons began their title drive by soundly trouncing the Blue Devils of Stout, 20-0. Clair Tobias, veteran Falcon halfback, sparked the first touchdown drive in the opening period. A Tobias to Burkhard pass gave the Falcons first down on the Stout 12. A play later, the elusive Tobias skirted end for the score. In the third quarter Cardinal and Tobias lugged the pigskin to the one-yard line from where Gordon Olson sneaked over a few minutes later. Schock tallied a T.D. after Werndli recovered a Blue Devil fumble. The Falcons had too much speed and power for the Stout eleven and the Blue Devils couldn't stop the fast-striking Falcon T-formation. Numerous fumbles marred both teams' offensive efforts.

### RIVER FALLS 27—LA CROSSE 14

Playing under the lights at La Crosse, the powerful Falcons notched another win in their championship drive by defeating the Indians 27-14. River Falls took the opening kickoff and drove all the way to the La Crosse 2-yard line only to fumble. However, the next time they gained possession of the ball, it was no stopping the Red and White. Grilley ran 18 yards for a touchdown behind perfect blocking to put the Falcons into the lead. Tobias streaked 80 yards in the second quarter on a brilliant run to give River Falls a 14-0 half-time advantage. The Indians came back with a vengeance in the second half and tied the game up at 14 all on the strength of a sensational passing attack led by quarter back Nirschl. With six minutes remaining in



Gordon Schock  
Honorary Captain

the tilt, River Falls launched a victorious drive from their own 15-yard line. Scintillating Gordon Schock pounded for first down after first down and finally crossed the double line to give River Falls a 21-14 lead. La Crosse struck back with their dangerous passes, but Bill Vanderhoof intercepted a blocked Indian pass and dashed 35 yards for the final marker.

### RIVER FALLS 21—SUPERIOR 13

The conference title was on the line as the Falcons and the Superior Yellowjackets clashed at Ramer Field before one of the largest crowds ever to see a game in River Falls. In a hard-fought, thrill-packed game River Falls upset the favored Superior team, 21-13, and in doing so played their best game of the season. In the first quarter Superior's star back, Henry Ertman, drove off tackle, broke into the open and streaked 62 yards for a touchdown. However, this was the Falcons' night and they came back to tie the score at the half. Tobias and Feiler led the second quarter march with "Toby" pitching to Burkhard for the score. The second half saw the aroused Falls grid team completely take the play away from their heavier opponents. Tobias punched over from the 5 to climax a 90-yard sustained drive in the last quarter. Later on Tobias intercepted a Yellow-jacket pass, and Schock and he bulled their way to the Superior goal where Schock finally crashed over to give the Falcons a 21-7 lead. Superior closed the margin when a passing attack, spearheaded by Moselle, netted them a touchdown in the waning minutes of the game. It was a well-earned triumph for the locals and every Falcon who saw action came through with his peak effort of the season.

### RIVER FALLS 19—HAMLINE 7

The Championship bound Falcons invaded the "Piper" lair for a non-conference tilt with the Red and Gray gridmen of Hamline University. River Falls thoroughly spoiled Hamline's homecoming by rolling to an easy 19-7 victory. After taking the opening kickoff on their 25-yard line, the Falcons' smooth working T-formation moved the ball 75 yards for the first score. In the second period, Gene Cardinal, fleet Falcon back, stole a Piper pass and dashed 60 yards to give the Falcons a 13-0 half-time lead. Schock increased the Falls lead in the third quarter by racing 85 yards on an off-tackle play. The Pipers tallied a consolation score in the last minutes to make the final score 19-7 in the Falcons favor.





## Cheerleaders

Schaer, Rebollar, Sweeney, Prescott, Butler, Talsness, Radkey, Frazier.

### RIVER FALLS 21—EAU CLAIRE 13

The Falcons not only won their homecoming game, but captured the undisputed championship of the northern division of the conference as well by defeating a fighting Eau Claire team 21-13. A tremendous homecoming crowd was on hand to cheer the Falcons on to the championship, but the victory came only after a stiff battle with the Blugolds. The first quarter saw the River Falls offensive machine go 80 yards for a touchdown. Gordy Olson pulled a quarter back sneak for the score. The battling Blugolds made the score 7-6 at the half as Toutant intercepted a Falcon pass, lateraled to Funk who reversed his field and raced for a touchdown. In the third period, Feiler climaxed another 80-yard surge by the Red and White by bull-doing his way into pay dirt from 3 yards out. Tobias smashed over for the clinching T.D. in the final quarter and Cardinal added the last of his three perfect placements. Funk passed for the second Eau Claire score, leaving the final score 21-13.

### RIVER FALLS 19—PITTSBURGH, KANSAS 6

Winding up the most successful grid season in many years, the River Falls Falcons won their seventh straight contest by defeating their Pittsburgh, Kansas hosts 19-6. Despite the long 600-mile trip, the Falcons completely dominated the first half of play and surged into a 19-0 intermission lead. A fumble stopped the first Falcon drive, but the next time they gained possession, Tobias streaked to the Pittsburgh 3-yard line. Two plays later, bone-crushing Arnie Feiler smacked into the end zone. Still in the first quarter, Tobias and Schock engineered another Falcon drive with Schock getting the pay-off, to make the score 12-0 at the quarter. Midway through the second period, Schock exploded through the center and went 60 yards for the final Falcon score. River Falls tired in the second half, and a Pittsburgh aerial attack netted them six points in the third quarter. This was the first intersectional game for River Falls and it proved to be a fitting climax to a great season.





Back row: Thompson, Gust, Krahenbuhl, Everson, Rogness, Berger, Manager Prescott. Second row: Kannel, Peterson, Fossen, Healy, P. Lindholm, Becker, Sauer, Coach George Schlag-

hauf. Front row: Most, Deiss, W. Lindholm, Captain Nate DeLong, Henneman, Gibbs, Benson.

### 1947-48 BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS

## Basketball---1947-1948

### LETTER AWARDS VOTED BY THE ATHLETIC COUNCIL IN BASKETBALL FOR THE 1947-48 SEASON

BENSON  
DEISS  
DELONG  
FOSSEN  
GIBBS  
HEALY

HENNEMAN  
LINDHOLM  
MOST  
PRESCOTT  
(Student Manager)

### SEASON INDIVIDUAL SCORING

	Games	FG	FT	TP	AVE.
DeLong	22	206	206	618	28.1
Benson	22	74	27	175	7.9
Gibbs	22	62	34	158	7.2
Lindholm	22	60	20	140	6.4
Deiss	21	36	43	115	5.5
Most	22	32	20	84	3.8
Healy	19	18	18	54	2.5
Henneman	22	19	11	49	2.2
Fossen	16	6	4	16	1.

### CONFERENCE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
River Falls	6	2	.750
Eau Claire	5	3	.625
La Crosse	4	4	.500
Stout	4	4	.500
Superior	1	7	.125

### ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

Forward—Dick Emanuel	Eau Claire
Forward—Glen Schwanberg	La Crosse
Center—Nate DeLong	River Falls
Guard—Harry Gibbs	River Falls
Guard—Dominic Moselle	Superior

### SCORING

	Total Points	Average per game	Seasons Won	Record Lost
River Falls	1441	65.5	13	9
Opponents	1304	59.27		



## RESULTS OF THE SEASON

River Falls.....	78	Augsburg .....	51
River Falls.....	59	Gustavus Adolphus .....	56
River Falls.....	35	St. Olaf .....	53
River Falls.....	52	La Crosse .....	41
River Falls.....	62	Stevens Point .....	51
River Falls.....	79	St. Olaf .....	55
River Falls.....	52	Gustavus Adolphus .....	62
River Falls.....	54	Mankato .....	57
River Falls.....	57	Gustavus Adolphus .....	62
River Falls.....	47	Stevens Point .....	51
River Falls.....	60	Augsburg .....	65

River Falls .....	82	Superior .....	65
River Falls .....	73	Stout .....	38
River Falls .....	63	Eau Claire .....	64
River Falls .....	87	La Crosse .....	67
River Falls .....	75	Minnesota B .....	71
River Falls .....	92	Ripon .....	68
River Falls .....	63	Eau Claire .....	59
River Falls .....	63	Superior .....	60
River Falls .....	96	Winona .....	48
River Falls .....	51	Stout .....	62
River Falls .....	61	Beloit .....	71

### RIVER FALLS 78—AUGSBURG 51

The River Falls Falcons opened the 1947-48 basketball season auspiciously by soundly trouncing Augsburg of Minneapolis, 78-51, on the Falcons' court. The speedy "Auggies" did not have the height needed to cope with the Falls cagers and they could not penetrate the closely-knit Falcon defense. Nate DeLong, continuing his scoring exploits from last season, meshed 32 points for River Falls, while Harry Gibbs garnered 14 markers, all on some long range sniping. Andy Cupka and "Red" Lindgren led the "Augs" with 11 points each. Actually, the Falcons won at the free throw line as they made 30 out of 40 free throw attempts.

### RIVER FALLS 59—GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS 56

A high scoring "Gustie" machine from St. Peter invaded the Falcon lair and gave the local cagers a terrific battle before dependable Charley Most swished some beautiful baskets to give the Falcons a 59-56 triumph. The game was close throughout, with the final outcome in doubt until the closing seconds. The "Gusties" clamped a tight defense on DeLong, but Big Nate still managed to score 16 points. Most rippled the nets for 13 points, 10 of these coming in the waning minutes of the game, and it was his shooting that pulled the game out of the fire. The great Junior Skoglund (leading scorer in the Minnesota college conference) led the Gustavus team with 19 points, while his brother, Stewart, added 15 to the "Gustie" total.

### RIVER FALLS 35—ST. OLAF 53

It was 20 below zero at Northfield and the Falcons were even colder than that, as they fell before an inspired St. Olaf team, 53-35. Playing their first game on a foreign court, the River Falls team fell completely apart after taking an early lead in the first half. The "Oles", led by freshman "Ham" Muus and Adamson, stormed into a 27-18 half-time lead and then ran away from the tiring Falcons in the second canto. DeLong and flashy Newmen Benson were the only River Falls cagers playing up to par. Nate hit for 19 while Benny came through with 12 points.

### RIVER FALLS 52—LA CROSSE 41

The Falcons began a defense of their conference championship by tripping the La Crosse Indians 52-41 at La Crosse. Still not approaching last year's form, River Falls was forced to come from a 25-21 deficit at the half. Harry Gibbs had his famous left hand push shot working to perfection in the second half, and it was his long range shooting that forced the Indians to abandon their tight defense around the basket. The brilliant DeLong again led the scoring parade with 24 points, while "Gibber" potted 12. Schwanberg, Indian All-conference forward from last season, led La Crosse with 12 points. Wally Lindholm saw extensive service in this game and his eight points and brilliant rebound work were vital factors in the Falcon victory.

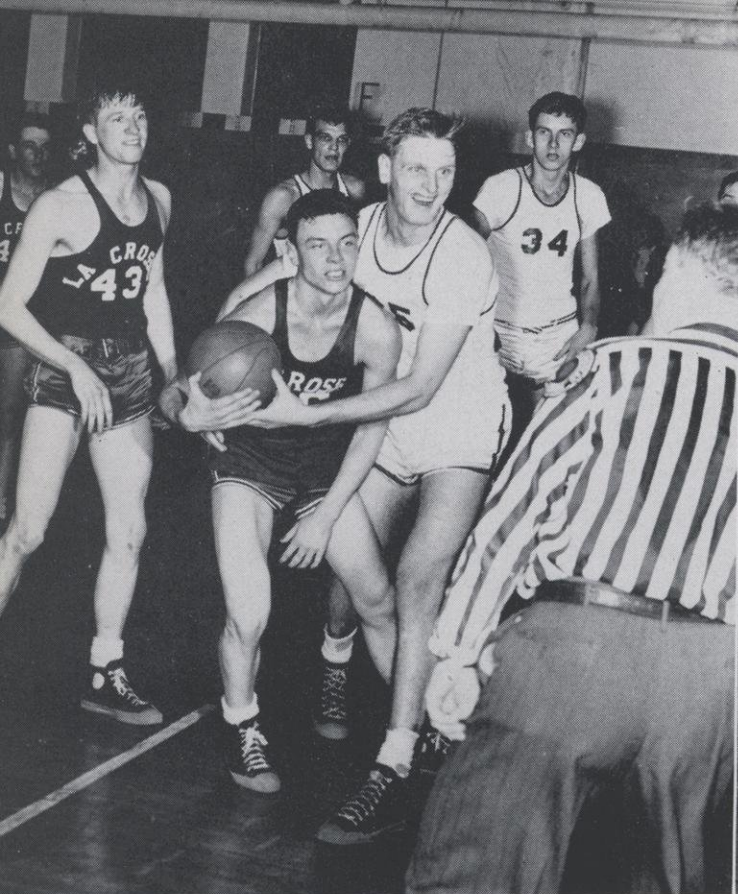
### RIVER FALLS 62—STEVENS POINT 51

Although obviously tired from playing the night before at La Crosse, the Falcons managed to defeat a fighting Stevens Point five, 62-51. Again it was a second half rally that enabled the locals to win as they trailed the Pointers, 26-21, at the half and at one time the margin was 21-9. Big Nate, again, was the Falcons' king-pin as he tallied 28 points, despite the fact that he missed 14 free throws. He scored 19 in the second half to engineer the Falcon rally along with Benson and Most. The Point team fowled constantly, and they lost five men on personals. Little Tom Curry and Al Haidvogel each meshed 12 points for Stevens Point.

### RIVER FALLS 79—ST. OLAF 55

Reaching their peak performance of the early season, the Red and White gained revenge for an earlier defeat by drubbing the touring St. Olaf team 79-55. For the first time this season the Falcons came up with an excellent floor game, and the team was clicking in brilliant fashion. DeLong hit for 38 points and had good support from his mates. The big boy scored at will against the "Oles" and would have tallied even more had he not fouled out of the game. Ham Muus won the plaudits of the crowd by his sensational shooting for St. Olaf. His 20 points kept the game from being a complete rout.





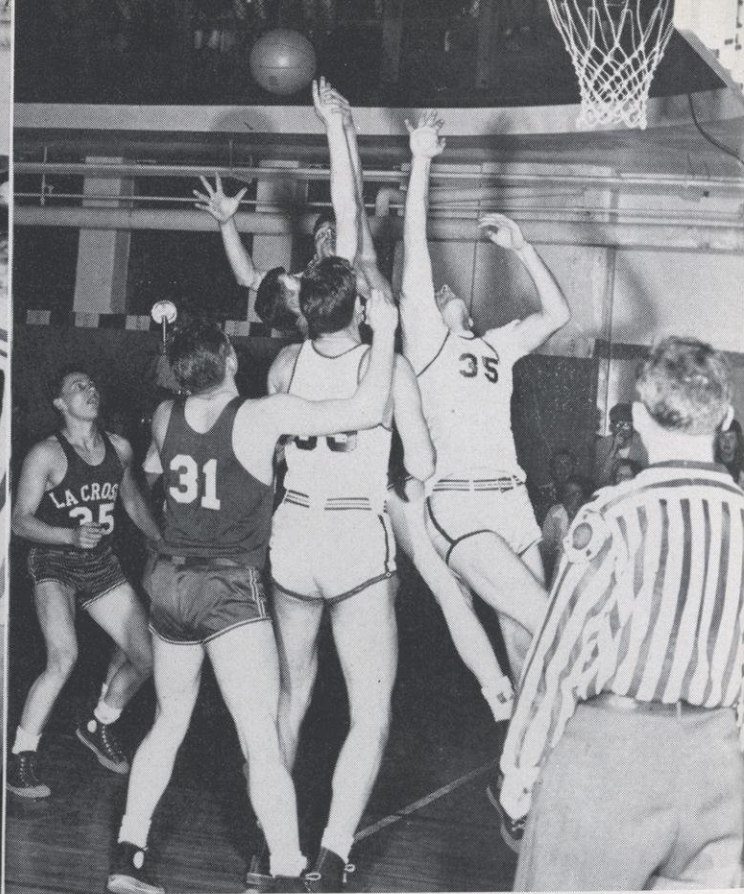
"Oh, no, Mr.! You can't go anywhere now!" Big DeLong in jovial mood.

#### RIVER FALLS 52—GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS 62

The River Falls Falcons lost three players on fouls during the second half in a game with Gustavus at St. Peter, and as a result suffered a 62-52 defeat. DeLong, Gibbs and Henneman all left the game on 5 fouls and the "Gusties" took advantage of this to erase a 29-21 Falcon half-time lead. Before fouling out of the contest, DeLong whipped in 19 points to lead the scoring of both teams. Close guarding by Henneman held Junior Skoglund to 15 points, but the other Gustie cagers came through with decisive baskets. Cady hit for 10 after Nate had left the game and Stu Skoglund also tallied 10 points in the second half. With the exception of DeLong none of the Falcons could shoot with any consistency.

#### RIVER FALLS 54—MANKATO 57

Competing in the Mankato Invitational Tournament, River Falls fell before their hosts, 57-54. The Falcons had only two days of practice before the tourney, and they were unable to stop the smooth working Mankato aggregation. The brilliant sharp-shooting of Don Nelson, Mankato forward, swept the "Scarlets" into a 36-30 half-time lead and the fighting Falcons could not erase that advantage. Nate DeLong, as usual, led the Falls with 22 points, while Booty Deiss showed last season's form by pouring in 14. The hot shooting Nelson had 24 markers, 18



A scramble underneath Falcons' basket as River Falls wins 87-67.

of them coming in the first half splurge. Dewey Olson, another Mankato veteran, added 14 to the Minnesota team's total.

#### RIVER FALLS 57—GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS 62

In the rubber game between the two schools, Gustavus took the deciding tilt from River Falls, 62-57, in a thrilling game at the Mankato Tournament. While the 'Gusties' won the game, the Falcons' sensational center, Nate DeLong, outscored Junior Skoglund of the Gusties, 38-24. Big Nate fouled out with three minutes left in the contest, and with him went the Falcons' glimmering hopes of victory. As has been true all season, the Falcons could not present a well balanced scoring attack, nor could they play effectively on a large court.

#### RIVER FALLS 47—STEVENS POINT 51

Continuing in their mid-season slump, River Falls fell before a hard working Stevens Point team on the Pointers' court. DeLong played despite a severe cold, and was not up to par for the tilt. Benson regained his shooting eye for this game and was high scorer for the Falcons with 17 points. Nate scored 15 before fouling out in the second half, while the two big boys for the Point, Haidvogel and Ludwig, scored 17 and 10 points, respectively, besides playing sterling defensive games.



#### RIVER FALLS 60—AUGSBURG 65

A smoothly operating Augsburg quintet streaked to a 65-60 win over the slump-ridden Falcons on the huge Armory court in Minneapolis. The smaller "Auggies" used their speed to full effectiveness and River Falls' height advantage was of no avail. Benson and Gibbs kept the Falcons in the game during the first half with some nice sniping from the side. Ace DeLong was still handicapped by a bad cold, but despite this he racked up 23 points for the evening's chores. Again Nate was forced out at a crucial time on 5 fouls, and this severely hurt the Falcons' chances. Hone, Carlson, Lindgren and Johnson sparked the Augsburg team with magnificent shooting and some brilliant ball-hawking defensive play.

#### RIVER FALLS 82—SUPERIOR 65

Back on their home court after a disastrous road tour, the local cagers kept their conference record unblemished by blasting the Superior Yellowjackets, 82-65. Things looked dark for the Falcons as the Superiorites blazed to a 31-16 lead, with six minutes left of the first half. Milt Krznarich of Superior put on a scintillating set shot exhibition as he tallied 18 points during the first half. However, DeLong and company broke out of their slump and began hitting the bucket with amazing regularity to narrow the half time score to 37-32, and then smash to a commanding lead in the last half. DeLong was never better, as the stupendous scoring ace rifled 42 points through the hoop. Benny Benson provided the spark to ignite the Falcons, and his 16 markers did much to pull the locals out of danger. "Itch" Lindholm's rebound work was outstanding throughout the game. Milt Drznavich and Dominic Moselle were the Superior aces in the fast, rough-and-tumble game.

#### RIVER FALLS 73—STOUT 38

A weak Stout Institute team was not in the same class as the Falcons, and the Red and White breezed to an easy 73-38 triumph on their home court. Holding the Blue Devils without a field goal for eleven minutes, the Falcons piled up a 40-14 half-time lead, and then coasted the entire second half.

Stout attempted to stop the great DeLong by applying a tight zone defense, but the sharp shooting Falcons quickly broke the zone wide open and DeLong resumed his amazing scoring performance. Nate collared 33 to add to his impressive season's total, and the other River Falls cagers did some nice point-getting of their own. Veteran Don Bredahl led the out-classed Blue Devils with 10 points.

#### RIVER FALLS 63—EAU CLAIRE 64

In a clash between the two unbeaten conference leaders the Eau Claire Blugolds snatched a last second win from the River Falls Falcons, 64-63, in a thrilling game played at Eau Claire. River Falls worked to an early lead, but in doing so, their star, DeLong, collected 4 personal fouls. With Big Nate on the bench, the five-wagon Blugolds raced to a 33-28 half time lead. Eau Claire continued their fast breaking tactics in the second canto and held a commanding lead with six minutes of play remaining. Then DeLong went back into action and dropped in basket after basket to narrow the margin. Charley Most hooked in a beauty to put the Falcons ahead with two minutes of play remaining. Emanuel, Eau Claire ace, potted two gift shots, but DeLong countered with another basket. The Blugolds foiled the Falcons' stalling tactics, and guard Ade Washburn swished one from medium range to give Eau Claire a 64-63 triumph in the last 17 seconds. DeLong put on a brilliant show with his 31 points, but it was not enough to give River Falls the victory.

#### RIVER FALLS 87—LA CROSSE 67

Snapping back after the heartbreaking defeat at the hands of Eau Claire, River Falls gave La Crosse a 87-67 lacing to highlight the Falcons annual Winter Carnival. Unstoppable Nate DeLong had another big evening, as the big pivot man racked up 36 points to lead his mates. Wally Lindholm scored 16 points to continue his fine play, and his rebound work again was outstanding. River Falls had too much height for the La Crosse team and the outcome was never in doubt, as the Falcons held a 45-35 half-time lead. Schwanberg, as usual, was the Indian ace with 15 points, while Harry Lukes tallied 10 for the La Crosse quint.



#### **RIVER FALLS 75—MINNESOTA B 71**

River Falls kept their perfect home court record intact by edging a bruising Minnesota B team, 75-71, in one of the best games of the season. As they have done so many times this past season, the Falcons came from behind to grab the victory. The "Little Gophers", led by Wally Salovich, Bill Pepper and Joe Knoblauch, drove to a 37-27 half-time lead, as the Minnesotan's hard, bruising play swept the Red and White off their feet for a few minutes. Good shooting and fine rebound work by DeLong, Gibbs, and Lindholm kept the Falcons within range, and then Newmen Benson cut loose with four consecutive buckets to close the gap. Big Nate added some more quick points, and the Falcons were in a lead they never lost. Excellent play on the part of Salovich and Knoblauch made the Gophers dangerous at all times. DeLong came up with 27 points, Gibbs tallied 17, Benny swished in 14 and Itchy Lindholm added 10, as the Falcons flashed their most impressive play of the season. The defensive work of rugged Jack Henneman also was outstanding.

#### **RIVER FALLS 92—RIPON 68**

A blistering River Falls offensive machine rolled over a strong Ripon College quintet by a 92-68 score on the Falcons' court. The locals had their offensive working smoothly, and DeLong and Company forged into a 42-28 half-time lead. Only some pretty shooting by Big Kermit Weisk kept Ripon in the game and when he fouled out in the second half, the contest developed into a rout. Again DeLong, "the pride of Chippewa Falls," led the scorers with 25 points. Harry Gibbs tossed in 16, while hard driving Boots Deiss tallied 15 points in the last half. Langy Itch Lindholm batted in 12, while Jerry Healy scored 9 quick points to add to the Falcon's impressive score.

#### **RIVER FALLS 63—EAU CLAIRE 59**

The Falcons not only gained revenge for an earlier defeat but moved back into first place in the conference race by defeating the Blugolds of Eau Claire, 63-59. Although not playing the ball they are capable of, the Red and White managed to

erase a 32-29 half-time deficit and then go on for a close triumph. Eugene Deiss came through with another clutch performance, and the 10 points Boots scored in the last half meant victory for the Falcons. Little Dick Emanuel, the Eau Claire hot shot, tallied 24 points to lead both teams in scoring, while Nate DeLong, the Falcon ace, had 21 for the night's work. Beautiful defensive work by Harry Gibbs kept Denny Helixon, Eau Claire forward, bottled up all evening, while Wallace Lindholm and Jack Henneman were brilliant on rebounds.

#### **RIVER FALLS 63—SUPERIOR 60**

A second consecutive basketball championship was the reward as the Falcons defeated Superior, 63-60, at Port City. The final score indicates a close game, but actually River Falls held a commanding 34-22 half-time lead, and had a 14 point margin during the last half. Superior cut the big Falcon lead in the waning minutes, as the Red and White attempted to stall out the tilt. Nate DeLong, the scourge of the conference, shoved 24 points through the hoop and Deiss and Lindholm each tallied 11 to continue their fine play. Dodge and the Krznarich brothers led the Yellowjacket attack which failed to overtake the Championship-bound Falcons.

#### **RIVER FALLS 96—WINONA 48**

In an unbelievable game, the score read River Falls 96, Winona 48, or in other terms, DeLong 72, Winona 48! The great Falcon center tallied the third highest individual point total in collegiate history as he rammed 25 field goals and 22 free throws through the net for a total of 72 points. His teammates made up their minds to feed the River Falls star, and despite Winona's stalling tactics, the 6-foot-6-inch ace tallied point after point in rapid fire fashion. Benson, Gibbs, and the other Falls cagers refused to shoot open shots, and although the dismayed Winona team had four to five men hanging on the huge frame of DeLong, they couldn't stop Big Nate from getting the ball and then swishing it through the hoop. The game also set a new team scoring record for a single contest, and it is doubtful if the crowd on hand that fateful evening will ever see a game like it again.





La Crosse player driving in to score against Falcons.



"Big Nate" and his La Crosse opponent battle for rebound.

#### RIVER FALLS 51—STOUT 62

A vastly improved Blue Devil team defeated the Falcons, 62-51, in the last game of the regular season. Bolstered by the addition of Ed Nylund, Vaughan Stai and Stible, the Stout quint came up with a zone defense which stopped the scoring antics of Nate DeLong. With Nate held at bay by the tight zone, the other Falcons could not connect from long range and their offensive efforts were largely ineffective. DeLong scored 13 points, his season's low, before fouling out of the game, while Benson was the only other Falcon who could locate the basket as he tallied 12 points. Bredahl, with 13, and Stai, with 12 markers, were the Stout sparks.

#### RIVER FALLS 61—BELOIT 71

In a play-off held to determine the Wisconsin district entrant in the National Intercollegiate Association Tournament at Kansas City, the Beloit Goldmen defeated a fighting Falcon five, 71-61, on the huge Beloit court. About 4,000 fans saw River Falls put up a valiant battle before succumbing to the big, speedy Beloit quint. A pressing defense all over the court by Beloit hampered the Falcons' offense and

they were unable to feed their scoring ace, Nate DeLong. Despite this, Nate still managed to tally 20 points, high for both teams. Benson played his best game of the year and scored 16 markers to keep River Falls in the contest. Brilliant Johnny Orr, Little All-American forward, led Beloit with 16 markers, and his running mate, Erickson, added 13. The home floor advantage proved too much for the Falcons to overcome, and the powerful Beloit team swept on to victory, after grabbing a 32-25 half-time lead.

#### SKETCHES

**Harry Gibbs**—Fine defensive player and capable scorer.

**Newmen Benson**—Brilliant ball handler, play maker and shot.

**Wallace Lindholm**—Magnificent rebound artist and fine left-handed shot.

**Eugene Deiss**—Hardest-driving man on the squad and a great competitor.

**Jack Henneman**—A rugged defensive player and a brilliant rebound man.

**Charles Most**—Very capable all-around player and clutch performer.

**Jerry Healy**—Excellent reserve for DeLong.





Back row: Leadholm, R. Durst, D. Durst, Captain Ruhsam, Front row: Wickman, Fellows Olson, Eichinger, Mulhollan.  
**BREWERS: ANNUAL INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS**

## Intramural Basketball

Final 1947-48 Intramural Basketball Standings, Regular League Season, American League

TEAM	CAPTAIN	Won	Lost
Saints—DICK BODEEN		6	0
House of McCardle—ROBERT McCARDLE		6	2
Local Yokels—BOB SMITH		6	2
Five Aces—ALLAN WERNDLI		6	2
Brewers—DAVE RUHSAM		5	3
Six Old Men—GENE CARDINAL		5	3
Whiz Kids—ALLAN LINSTER		4	3
Sad Sacks—MARVIN PASSOW		4	3
CL Club—DWIGHT LONG		4	3
Mix Ups—BOB POTOSNAK		4	4
Heart-O-North—ALLAN PETERSON		4	4
Lost Five—WAYNE LA BORDE		3	4
4th Street Gang—GAIL CRIST		3	4
Saintly Sinners—JOE HUNT		2	5
Black Jacks—FRITZ FRAZIER		2	6
Wild Cats—ORVILLE THISIUS		1	7
Giants—ALLAN DANIELSON		0	7

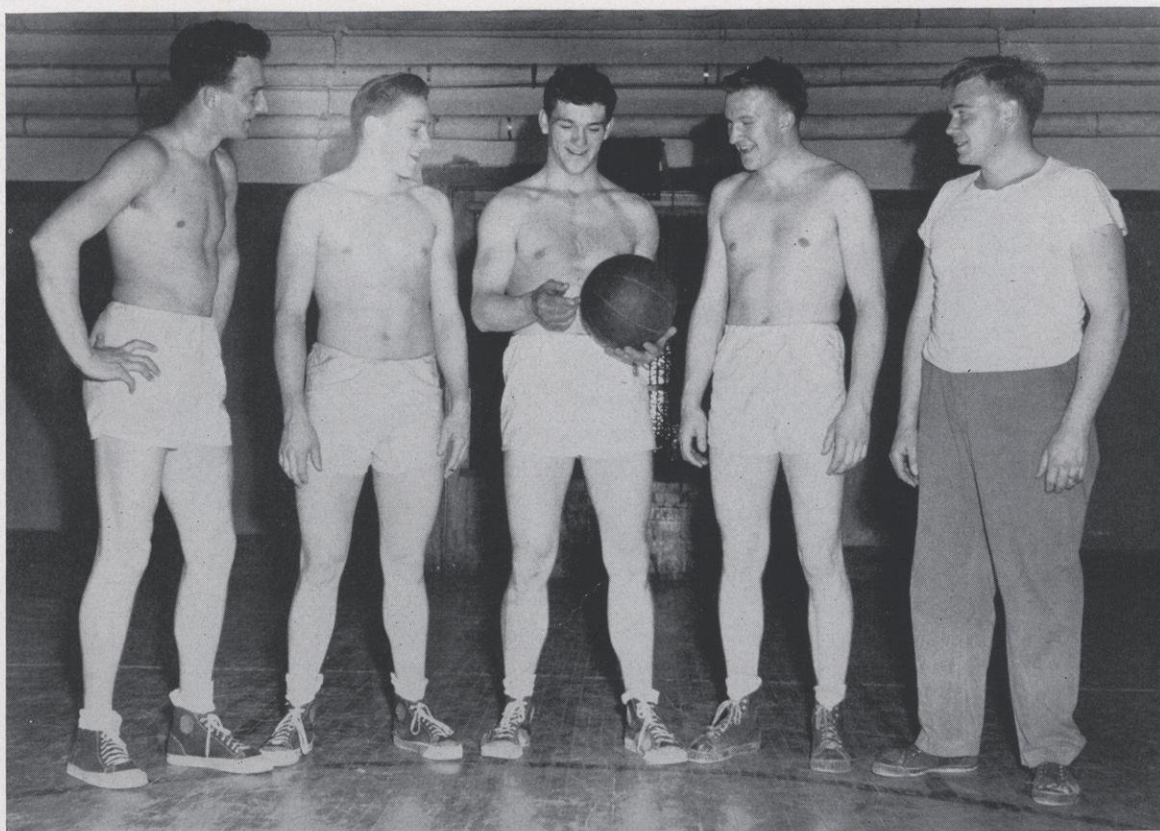
### ALL-STAR SQUAD

HAROLD BURKHARD—Local Yokels  
 BOB WILSON—House of McCardle  
 GENE CARDINAL—Six Old Men  
 TERRY DOONAN—Six Old Men  
 GORDON GARDNER—Six Old Men  
 ROY DURST—Brewers  
 DEE DURST—Brewers  
 BOB BALFANZ—4th Street Gang  
 DEL GLASS—CL Club  
 BYRON BROOKE—4th Street Gang

### National League

TEAM	CAPTAIN	Won	Lost
YMCA—GEORGE RELYEA		6	1
Stale Jugs—ARTHUR NEVALA		6	1
Tobey's—DARRELL SUMMERFIELD		6	2
FFA—WILLARD HAMM		4	3
Furious Fathers—CARL KARNES		2	4
Bottoms Up—ELWOOD HOFFMAN		0	6





Von Schweinitz, Abbot, Captain Bodeen, Felbrath, Sperstad.  
SAINTS: REGULAR SEASON INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS

A record number of teams entered intramural basketball competition this season, and the regular league play and post season tournament proved to be great successes. Mr. Sjowall again ably directed the intramural sport, and much credit must be given him for the success of the leagues. Two separate leagues were set up this year in order to provide closer competition for the various teams. Seventeen teams battled for the National League crown.

A powerful team, the Saints, captured the championship of the strong American League, aceing out such quintets as the House of McCardle, Local Yokels, Five Aces, Brewers, Six Old Men, etc. Eric Von Schweinitz, Dick Bodeen, Neal Fellrath, and Archie Abbott led the Saints to a perfect season record. However, the CL Club whipped the Saints in the annual intramural tournament.

A YMCA team led by George Relyea and the Stale Jug Quint managed by Arthur Nevala finished in a tie for the National League title. The National League was composed of teams which would have

found American League competition too stiff for them.

In the tournament following the regular season a big, powerful quint, the Brewers, smashed to the finals and then soundly defeated the Saintly Sinners for the championship. The Brewers were paced by hard-driving "Pistol" Mulhollam and the two Durst boys, Roy and Dee. They gained the finals by scoring well deserved victories over the House of McCardle, the Five Aces, and the 4th Street Gang. Meanwhile the Saintly Sinners, composed of former Frederic high school stars, advanced in the lower bracket competition by defeating the FFA, Heart-O-North, and the YMCA. Despite the fine play of big Joe Hunt, Russ Johnson, and others the Saintly Sinners could not cope with the powerful Brewers and lost the championship game, 36-24.

For the second consecutive year a hand-picked intramural all-star team defeated the strong River Falls Rockets. The score was 71-61 in favor of the All-Stars, coached by "Butch" McCardle, and the intramural stars led throughout the game, thus proving the capability of the intramuralites.



# 1947 Baseball Season

Record: Won 8 Lost 5

River Falls.....	4	Concordia .....	7
River Falls.....	4	Concordia .....	3
River Falls.....	3	St. Croix .....	1
River Falls.....	17	Eau Claire .....	3
River Falls.....	2	La Crosse .....	12
River Falls.....	8	Stout .....	9
River Falls.....	10	St. Cloud .....	9
River Falls.....	3	St. Cloud .....	0
River Falls.....	1	La Crosse .....	3
River Falls.....	6	Stout .....	2
River Falls.....	6	Eau Claire .....	1
River Falls.....	7	Stillwater Prison .....	5
River Falls.....	2	Carleton .....	5

Coach Oscar Sjowall's 1947 Falcon baseball team finished with a respectable record of eight wins as against five defeats. In conference competition the team played .500 ball, winning three and losing three. Two of the defeats came at the hands of LaCrosse, conference champions. The highlights of the season were the fine pitching exhibited by Clair Tobias and Duane "Duke" Sydow. "Duke" pitched a one-hitter against Eau Claire, while Tobias struck out 18 Stout batters in a night game at Hudson. Veteran John Storzer did a brilliant job of catching, and his timely hitting won many games for the Falcons. Bob Guith, the Hudson ball-hawk, provided the batting power and his .364 average ranked first among the River Falls regulars. Gene Cardinal played sensational ball at short, while "Stretch" Vine shone defensively in the outer garden. A few more hits here and there are the Falcons would have been in the fight for the conference championship. As it was, Coach Sjowall's nine played a fine brand of ball all spring and prospects for the 1949 season look bright.

Coach Oscar Sjowall will field a representative Falcon nine this spring, and with a little help in the catching and pitching departments, River Falls should be in the championship fight. Seven returning lettermen will be back, including the entire regular infield from last year, and there are approximately three or four men battling for every position. However, a dearth of experienced receivers and pitchers may hamper the Falcons. Veteran outfielders Bob Guith and Al Franko are expected to divide the pitching burden along with a host of freshmen prospects.

## 1948 Baseball Schedule

Opponent	Where Played
Concordia	There
Concordia	Here
Augsburg	Here
LaCrosse	There
Stout	Here
Eau Claire	There
Augsburg	There
Eau Claire	Here
LaCrosse	Here
Stout	There
Carleton	Here

## Returning Lettermen:

Newmen Benson—Second Base  
 Gene Cardinal—Short Stop  
 Harlan Fellows—Third Base  
 Al Franko—Outfielder-Pitcher  
 Bob Guith—Outfielder-Pitcher  
 Lester Horn—Infielder  
 Gordon Olson—First Base

## 1947 Baseball Letter Awards

Newmen Benson, Drummond  
 Gene Cardinal, Chippewa Falls  
 Harlan Fellows, Lodi  
 Albert Franko, Clayton  
 Bob Guith, Hudson  
 Lester Horn, New Auburn  
 Wallace Mehlberg, Caroline  
 Gordon Olson, Chippewa Falls  
 John Storzer, Oconto Falls  
 Duane Sydow, Madison  
 Clair Tobias, Ellsworth  
 Dick Tracy, River Falls  
 Gordon Vine, Neillsville  
 Al Werndli, Madison  
 Bill Wisdom, Madison





Back row: Grilley, Spors, Doering, Weidner  
Front row: Karnes, Vandermause, Rondeau, Johnson

#### THE STORK CLUB—1947 INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL CHAMPIONS

## Other Intramural Sports

The college intramural program, under the capable direction of Mr. Sjowall proved to be a great success during the 1947-48 school year. Basketball and softball had a record number of teams and players performing, and this widespread participation proves the success and the value of the intramural program. The 1948 intramural softball league will have 13 teams competing for the championship, including the defending champs—the Stork Club. Other strong contenders include the House of Collins, McCardles, the Fourth Street Gang, and Seldom Inn. Each of the 13 teams will play a 12 game schedule and a spirited fight for the title is expected.

An all-school swimming meet was held this year for the first time since before the war, and the meet

was a "splashing" success. Eric Von Schweinitz and Ernest Glauner won top honors by placing first in two events. The 60-yard free style race was won by Von Schweinitz in the time of 0:34.4 with Glauner second and Kirby Symes, third. Glauner won the 100-yard free style event in 1:15.6, while Von Schweinitz copped honors again by taking first in the 60-yard backstroke race. His time was 0:40.6. Glauner captured the 40-yard backstroke event in 0:35.6, with Al Prescott, second and Symes, third. In the 80-yard free style relay event the team of Van Tatenhove, Newcomb, Mattson and LaMar won in the time of 0:46.8. The intramural swimming meet is to be an annual event in the future, and much credit must be given to Mr. Sjowall and the athletic department for this innovation.



# Minor Sports

## TENNIS

The Falcons are expected to have a strong tennis team for the 1948 season. Three returning lettermen, Bob Balfanz, Jerry Healy and Glenn Wallace, are tabbed as the leading net performers, but several other candidates are competing for positions and the squad as a whole will be a strong one. Bob Balfanz and his partner, Jack Wallace, captured the doubles championship in the state conference meet last spring and the entire squad came through with creditable showings. Several matches have been scheduled for this season and the Falcon netters will again compete in the conference meet.

## TRACK

For the first time in the school's history, River Falls will have a track team this spring. Because of the great interest shown by many students, the college athletic department will sponsor a Falcon track team, and by the list of candidates reporting for daily work outs, the team should make a creditable showing. A couple of dual meets have been tentatively arranged, and the outstanding Falcons will compete in the annual conference meet. Many former high school track stars are included in the roster of candidates and the college's first track team is expected to make a representative showing.

A tumbling and gymnastic team was organized by Mr. Sjowall this past year, and the squad gave several performances between halves of basketball games. It also made several exhibitions in neighboring towns. Members of the squad included Dick Bodeen, Maurice Stewart, Fritz Frazier and our two Mexican friends, "Monty" Padilla and Leopoldo Rebollar.

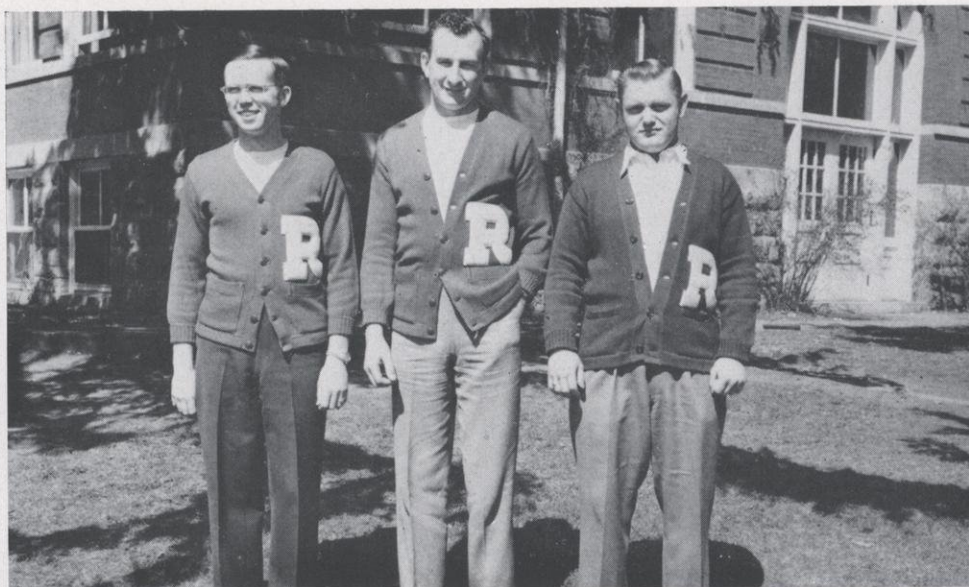
Facilities for ping pong, tennis, boxing and for other intramural sports were available to the student body and the entire program was a complete success.



Back row: Stewart  
Middle row: Padilla, Rebollar  
Front row: Frazier, Bodeen

## TUMBLING TEAM





## R Club

The R Club is a college organization whose members have won either a major or a minor letter in some varsity sport. Its purpose is to sponsor intramural sports and aid in promoting sportsmanship at all athletic contests conducted at River Falls.

### Officers

David Ruhsam .....	President
Robert McCardle .....	Vice-President
Les Horn .....	Secretary-Treasurer

### Football

Doyle Beyl  
Byron Brooke  
Harold Burkhard  
Gene Cardinal  
Nate DeLong  
Daniel Demulling  
Arnold Feiler  
Harry Frokjer  
Ernest Glauner  
Gordon Grilley

Alfred Heichel  
James Jansen  
Joseph Jever  
James Kosec  
Lyle Levenick  
Allan Linster  
Robert McCardle  
Neil Mulhollam  
Robert Olson  
Gordon Olson

David Ruhsam  
Charles Schillberg  
Gordon Schock  
Wayne Sinnen  
Norbert Studelska  
Richard Swenson  
William Vanderhoof  
Allan Werndli  
Carl Wickman  
Robert Wilson

### Basketball

Newmen Benson  
Byron Brooke  
Gene Cardinal  
Eugene Deiss  
Nate DeLong

Daniel Demulling  
Arnold Feiler  
Harry Gibbs  
Gerald Healy  
Jack Henneman

Edward McCollow  
Don Miles  
Charles Thompson  
Gordon Vine

### Baseball

Newmen Benson  
Archie Brovold  
Gene Cardinal  
Daniel Demulling

Harlan Fellows  
Albert Franko  
Lester Horn  
Virgil Martinson

Wallace Mehlberg  
Don Miles  
Gordon Olson  
Gordon Vine  
Allan Werndli

### Tennis

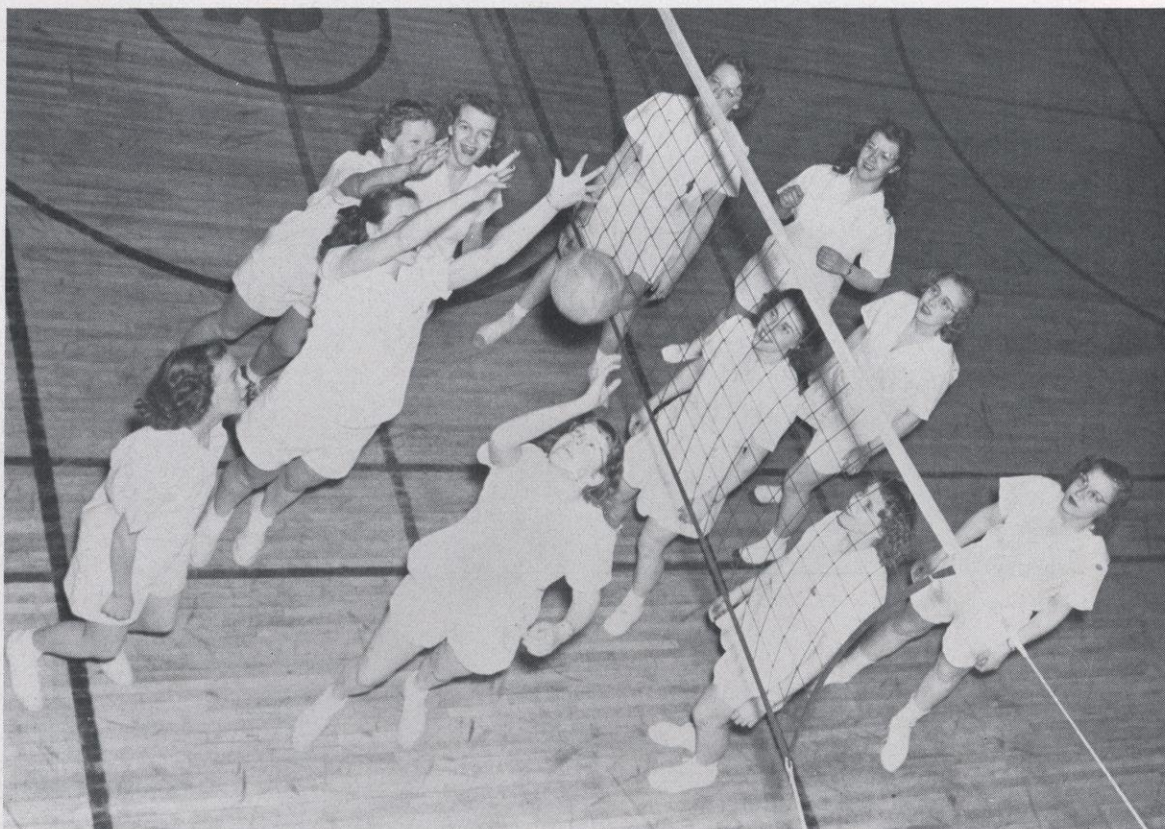
Robert Balfanz

Gerald Healy

### Student Manager

Alwood Prescott





Back row: Bohne, Clymer, Gibbon, Barfknecht, Nelson, Reed, Butler, Stone. Front row: Seekamp, Hyngstrom, Foster.

#### VOLLEYBALL

## Womens' Athletic Association

#### Officers

Doreen Barfknecht	.....President
Jean Schaer	.....Vice-President
Ruth Seekamp	.....Secretary-Treasurer

#### MEMBERS

Evelyn Anderson	Ardella Daniels	Dorothy Holliday	Janice Radkey
Doreen Barfknecht	Ione Engen	Audrey Hyngstrom	Janet Reed
Jean Bohne	Guillermina Espino	Helen Ingels	Ruby Roehl
Elaine Brown	Joan Foster	Jean Jancoski	Jean Schaer
Margaret Butler	Elaine Gibbon	Betty Kane	Ruth Seekamp
Lois Clymer	Rosamaria Guria	Colleen Keller	Erna Sobottka
Ardith Cook	Geraldine Hagemann	Delores Madsen	Shirley Stone
Patricia Cox	Helen Harrison	Midge Nelson	Aralda Thayer
Dorothy Cree	Irene Hillary	Laraine Palan	

One of the campus organizations which has become increasingly active in the past few years is the Women's Athletic Association. This year participation twice weekly in organized sports such as field hockey, volley-ball, basketball, and swimming was so general as to make it possible to hold intramural tournaments for the first time.

Perhaps the most exciting activity of the WAA has been its playdays. In February, RFSTC played

host to girls from La Crosse, Stout and Eau Claire. The clever theme of toy animals was carried out through the team divisions and as decorative centerpieces and place-cards for the luncheon held in the college cafeteria. Miss Bailey was presented with a corsage, and the groups of girls each sang their school songs. The afternoon was spent in individual sports, and 4:30 found the girls parting in good fellowship with memories of a happy playday.





Schaer, Stone, Gibbon, Clymer, Seekamp, Harrison, Butler, Palan, Barfknecht, Brown.

### BASKETBALL PLAYERS IN A HUDDLE

La Crosse entertained River Falls in March with a theme honoring St. Patrick, which was carried out in all the days activities. The teams were composed of not more than two girls from each of the seven participating schools and given Irish names such as Monohan, Kelly, and Finnegan. In the morning these teams played volleyball, basketball and swam. The afternoon was spent in folk dancing, individual sports, and watching the program of skits presented by the various schools. At four o'clock in a general meeting the winning team was selected on a point basis. It proved to be the Rileys, including two River Falls girls, with 290 points. At the conclusion of this meeting the girls returned to their buses tired, but happy with another successful playday behind them. The playday at Stout was another similarly happy experience. These trips are made possible by the schools through the coopera-

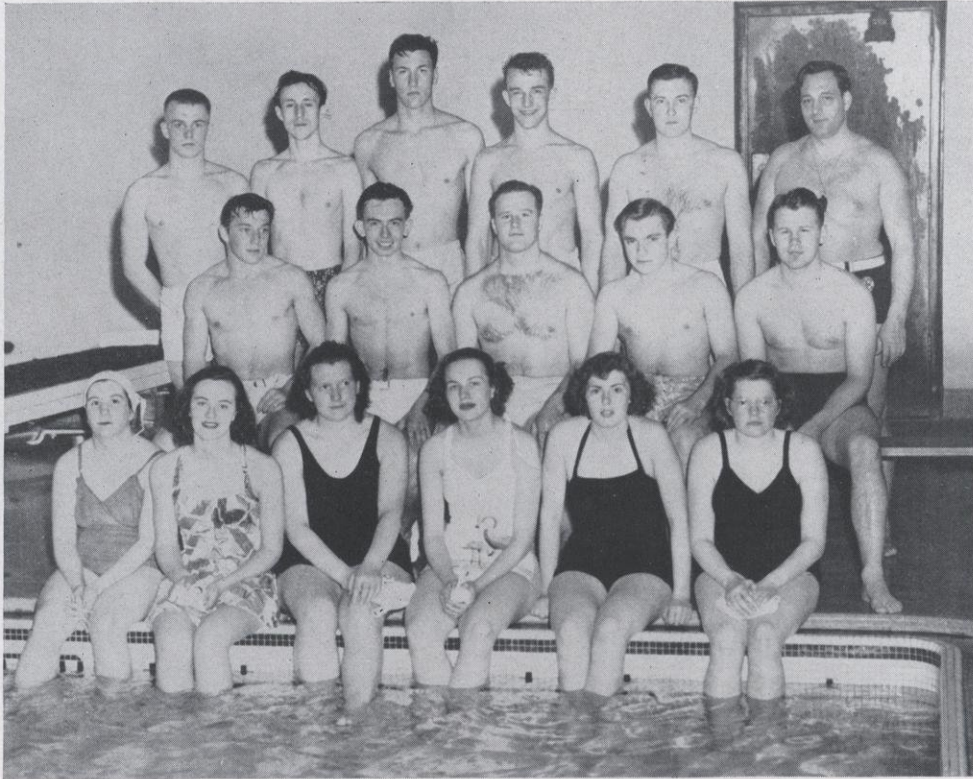
tion they extend in chartering buses to take the girls to their destinations.

The WAA also successfully planned the sale of chrysanthemum corsages for homecoming weekend. Another similar project was the sale of hot coffee and donuts at the skating rink for the winter carnival.

The last big activity the organization sponsored was the leap year dance which gave the girls that opportunity which comes only once in four years.

Much of the credit for the growth of the Women's Athletic department is due to Miss Jeanne Bailey, the physical education instructor. She has never failed to supply a needed idea and has willingly cooperated in carrying it out. Everyone says, "Thanks to Miss Bailey for everything from loans of money to the delicious barbecues which made even the clean-up nights fun."





Back row: Wattson, Rebollar, Comer, Von Schweinitz, Carlstrom, Southhaul (Instructor)  
 Middle row: Stewart, Prescott, Glauner, Frazier, DuBois  
 Front row: McJilton, Butler, Harrison, McLaughlin, Johnson, Foster

### LIFE SAVING CLASS

Conducted by a field representative of the American Red Cross under the auspices of the Women's Physical Education department.



# Forensics

## 1947-48 Schedule

December 5-6	Provincial Pi Kappa Delta Tournament	St. Olaf
December 21	St. Thomas College	There
January 2-3	Illinois State Normal U. Tournament	Normal, Ill.
January 12	St. Thomas College	Here
January 29	College of St. Catherine	There
Feb. 3	College of St. Catherine	Here
Feb. 20/21	Eau Claire Invitational Meet	Eau Claire
Feb. 23	U. of Minnesota	Here
March 1-2-3	Northwest Tournament	St. Thomas
March 16	Tuesday Club	Here
March 20	"B" Invitational Tournament	Here

## OTHER INTERCOLLEGIATE SPEECH ACTIVITIES

Extemporaneous Speaking—Nancy Murry, Les Gaylord  
 After-dinner Speaking—Richard Yde  
 Radio Speaking—Melvin Steinbron  
 Original Oratory—Jerry Finn, Melvin Steinbron  
 Discussion—Dean Fenner, Louis Daniel, Newton Nelson, Bill Miller, Jack Wallace, Melvin Steinbron  
 United Nations Conference at Madison—Louis Daniel

It is better "that a difference should be settled by discussion rather than by force."  
 —Aristotle, "Rhetoric"

Nineteen students participated in an active forensics program which was launched in November. The debate proposition for 1947-48 was: Resolved that a federal world government should be established. The discussion subject was: What should be done to insure peaceful relations among the nations of the world?

Competition opened at the Pi Kappa Delta Provincial Tournament at St. Olaf College on December 5 and 6. Louis Daniel, Newton Nelson, Melvin Steinbron, Jack Wallace, Charles Schillberg, Les Gaylord, Jerry Finn, and Nancy Murry competed in debate, extemporaneous speaking, discussion, radio speaking and original oratory. Nelson-Daniel-Steinbron tied for first place in debate on the affirmative. A second place tie was won by Wallace-Schillberg-Gaylord on the negative. Winning first place in discussion, Wallace was awarded a gold medal. Steinbron placed third in radio speaking.

Five River Falls speakers competed against eighty-two teams from twelve states at the Illinois State Normal University Tournament at Normal, Illinois in January. Nelson-Daniel were undefeated and placed first. Fenner-Miller won four out of six higher ratings than opponents in the inexperienced division. Steinbron placed fifth out of forty contestants in original oratory.



## DEBATERS

On February 20 and 21 eleven students attended the Annual Speech Meet at Eau Claire Teachers College. Three debate teams (Nelson-Daniel, Schillberg-Steinbron, Fenner-Miller-Finn) competed with representatives of twenty-four colleges. The Nelson-Daniel team won four out of five debates; Schillberg-Steinbron won three out of five decisions; Fenner-Miller-Finn won two out of five rounds. The squad's debate record was a top all-school record. Fenner, Miller, Daniel and Steinbron received ratings of excellent in discussion. Nancy Murry and Jerry Finn won fourth places in extemporaneous speaking and original oratory while Richard Yde competed in the after-dinner speaking finals.

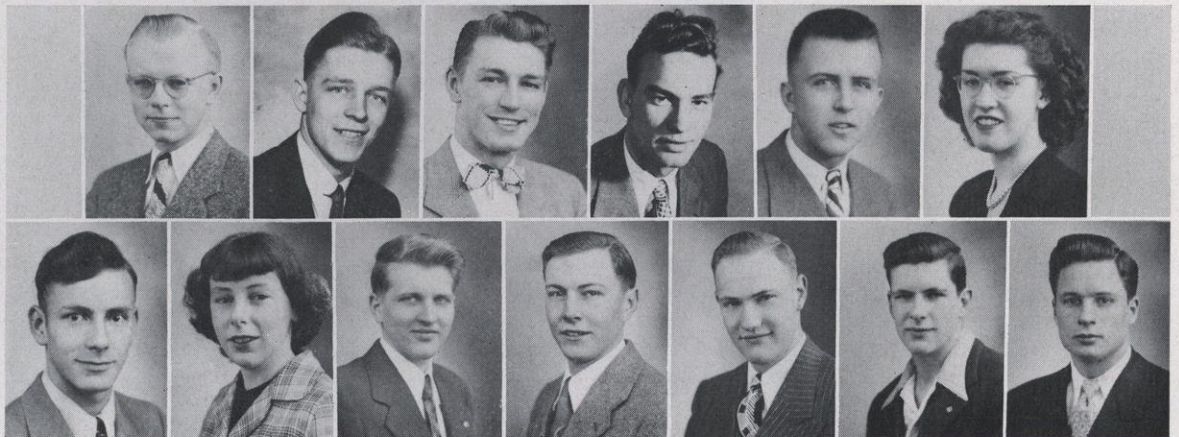
River Falls entered two men's teams in the Northwest Tournament held at St. Thomas College, St. Paul. Sixty-eight teams from ten states participated in the nation's largest debate meet. Nelson-Daniel with seven other teams qualified for the finals. River Falls was the last Wisconsin school to survive the eight preliminary rounds. Nelson-Daniel received fourth in ratings and decisions. The River Falls men lost to the defenders of the tournament title from

Augustana College, Rock Island, Illinois. Thus Nelson-Daniel closed this year's competitive record with twenty-one victories out of twenty-four decision debates. Steinbron and Fenner placed high in ratings but did not enter the final rounds.

Four local teams competed with teams from five other colleges in the River Falls "B" Invitational Tournament. Final tabulations showed three undefeated teams—St. Olaf II, U. of Minn. II, and River Falls I composed of Miller and Finn. On the basis of points the U. of Minn. team won the trophy by one-half point from River Falls. An all-tournament team of four debaters was selected. Nancy Murry and Jerry Finn won places on the honor team.

Several public debates attracted a large number of local people. Public forums followed these exhibition debates. In keeping with the democratic philosophy of training all students who desire direction in speech work, all students were kept on the squad throughout the season.

Miss Marion E. Hawkins directed the forensic program. Miss Rose Marie Mohrdeck coached the orators, after-dinner speakers and extempore speakers.



Benson, Daniel, Eslinger, Fenner, Finn, Julian, Miller, Murray, Nelson, Olson, Rockman, Schillberg, Yde.





Back row: Steinbron, Engler, Nelson, Rockman, Eslinger, Wyman, Crist, Fenner, Miller, Schillberg, Olson.  
Front row: Mohrdieck, Benson, Murray, Yde, Hawkins, Daniel, Finn.

## Pi Kappa Delta

The Wisconsin Delta Chapter of the Pi Kappa Delta national forensic fraternity has completed its twelfth year as an organization. In addition to supporting a successful debate season the chapter sponsored a reunion breakfast during homecoming, a speaker, Mrs. A. J. McGuire, who is a delegate from Minnesota to the United Nations, and the "B" Invitational Debate Tournament.

Membership in Pi Kappa Delta is granted in four different degrees according to the extent of the in-

tercollegiate speech work done by the applicant. These are the degree of Fraternity, degree of Proficiency, degree of Honor, and degree of Special Distinction. The purpose of the organization is to stimulate progress and interest in oratory, debate, extemporaneous speaking and discussion. Eleven new members were taken in on the basis of this year's activity. Initiation of new members took place on April 19.

### Degree of Fraternity

Jeanne Myron Ode	Thomas Ronnigan	Keith Wurtz	Les Gaylord	John Rockman	Bill Miller
Louise Melbye	Louellyn Reiss	Glenn Snoeyenbos	Fred Olson	Nancy Murry	David Benson
Oliver Glanzman	William Harris	Jack Wallace	Marlyn Eslinger	Dean Fenner	Richard Yde
					Rose Marie Mohrdieck

### Degree of Proficiency

Lois Hunter  
Donald Martin  
Werner Gleiter  
Helen Hickox\*  
Gordon Jackman\*  
Peter Vig  
Walter J. Engler  
Martin Lucente  
Jerry Finn

### Degree of Honor

John Bradley  
Charles White  
Katherine Lynch  
Gerald Splinter  
Lawrence Gherty  
Joyce Leonard Sharp  
Melvin Steinbron  
Norris Crist  
Donald Willink  
Lois Webb  
James Webert\*  
Charles Schillberg  
Newton Nelson

### Degree of Special Distinction

Daniel Dykstra  
Roman Zorn  
Marion E. Hawkins  
Frank Sirianni  
Loell Larson  
Andrew Osborne  
Everett Chapman  
Walker D. Wyman  
Rolf Ordal  
Paul Prucha  
Delores Kramschuster  
Irene Raawe  
Louis Daniel  
Margaret McDermott

### Honorary Members

Justin Williams  
Jesse H. Ames  
Eugene H. Kleinpell

Sponsor  
Marion E. Hawkins

\*Deceased





## The A Cappella Choir

Leonard Vik .....	President
Phyllis Anderson .....	Secretary
Gretchen Luebke .....	Librarian
Paul Rogness .....	Business Manager
Virginia Gullickson .....	Accompanist
C. B. King .....	Director

### 1st Soprano

Lois Clymer  
Jane Olson  
Jane Lofgren  
Beatrice Nelson  
Mary Ellen Pedersen  
Priscilla Sperbeck  
Joy Sweeney  
Betsy Welch

### 2nd Soprano

Phyllis Anderson  
Harriette Finke  
Lorelie Halling  
Elsie Mae Hanson  
Maxine Jensen  
Joan Johnson  
Dolores Payson  
Bernice Saueressig  
Ruth Seekamp  
Elizabeth Williamson

### 1st Alto

Lola Estenson  
Carol Feiler  
Betty Kane  
Gretchen Luebke  
Eunice Marking  
Hazel Olsen  
Laraine Palan  
Margaret Rock  
Dorothy Sandstrom  
Marlys Wilkinson

### 2nd Alto

Virginia Gullickson  
Muriel Pearson  
Elaine Peterson  
Janice Radkey  
Dorothy Rumpff  
Dolores Tiffany





## The A Cappella Choir

### 1st Tenor

Erling Hansen  
James Murphy

### 2nd Tenor

Raman Briggs  
Arnold Feiler  
Gene Fischer  
Randall Genrich  
Richard Halverson  
Glenn Nelson  
Paul Rogness  
Jim Russell  
Charles Sargent

### 1st Bass

Kenneth Augst  
David Benson  
Verne Kolba  
George Lamar  
Wesley Score  
Eric Von Schweinitz

### 2nd Bass

Donald Carlstrom  
Benny Frank  
John Overby  
Alan Peabody  
Glee Peters  
Charles Schillberg  
Ronald Sobottka  
Leonard Vik

Members of the A Cappella Choir conducted a five day tour of southeastern Wisconsin, April 11-15, making appearances in the following cities: Blair, Holmen, Tomah, Blue River, Janesville, Milwaukee, Oshkosh, Cadott, and Chippewa Falls.





## The Concert Band

B. J. ROZEHNAL

Director

### Flutes

Ardyce Afdahl  
Annalee Benson  
Mary Ann Danielson  
Robert Pearson

### Clarinets

Richard Carpenter  
David Hass  
Rosemary Lofgren  
Jean McLaughlin  
Richard Phillips  
Dale Van Heuklom  
Robert Weber

### Oboes

Joan Johnson  
Thomas Wilkinson

### Saxophones

Mildred Reinkey  
Elaine Peterson  
Lyle Zastrowe

### French Horns

Charles Jennings  
Duane Wilcox

### Bassoon

Kenneth Augst

### Cornets

Dean Aadalen  
Gordon Ahlgren  
Roy Brede  
Dick Bodeen  
Richard Reitz  
Jerry Wallen

### Trombones

Harold Bizer  
Gladys Briesmeister  
Neal Fellrath  
Eugene Fischer  
Lillian Hermansen

### Baritones

Thomas Lowe  
Eric Von Schwienitz  
Lois Ward

### Basses

John Roth  
Wesley Score

### Percussion

Donald Anderson  
Raman Briggs  
Rodger Meyer

## Marching Band







Back row: Peabody, Gilbertson, Rockman, Schweitzer, Palan, Carpenter, Fogerty, Huenink, Stone.  
Middle row: Thayer, Welch, Thannum, Dahlke, Ryan, Williamson, Prescott, LaRa, Cree, Cook, Feiler  
(Reader). Front row: Forthun, Wesslen, Peterson, Gibbon, Adam, Lane, Becker, Clymer.

## The College Masquers

### OFFICERS

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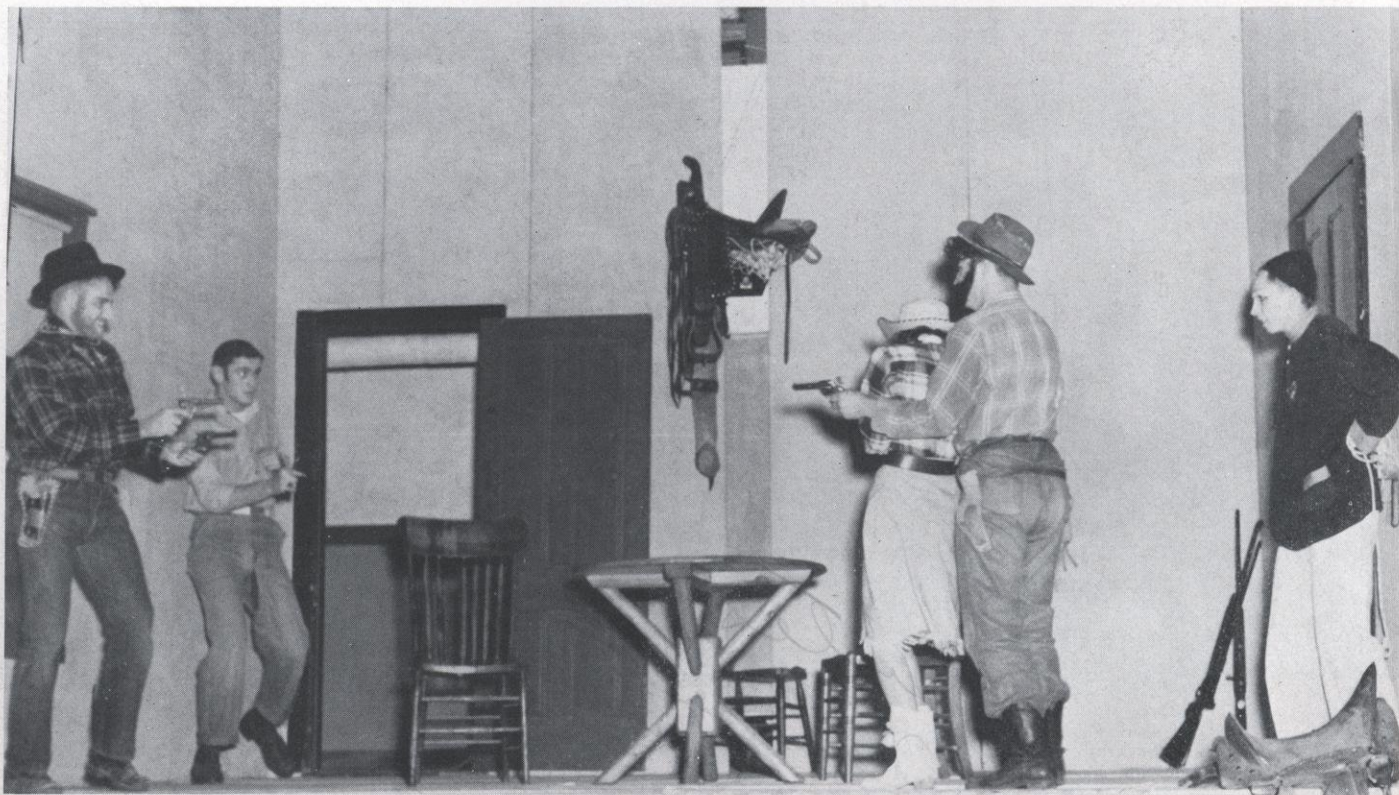
### Alpha Psi Omega---Iota Beta Cast

The membership in this national honorary dramatic fraternity is the reward of those Masquers whose contribution to dramatic activities on the campus has been outstanding.

#### Membership in 1947-48

Lois Clymer	Mary Forthun
Terry Hayes	LeRoy DuBois
Laraine Palan	Lorraine Thannum
William Crommett	Carleton C. Ames





## The College Masquers

present

# The Silver Dollar Cabaret

\* \* PROGRAM \* \*

Master of Ceremonies - - - - - Francis Fogerty

HOME ON THE RANGE .....The Bunkhouse Boys with the Ensemble  
 ROPE SPINNING EXHIBITION .....Gene Dopkins  
 IN TEXAS DOWN BY THE RIO GRANDE .....John Rockman

Interval for Dancing

ACCORDION SOLO .....Richard Meindl  
 YOU GOTTA BE A FOOTBALL HERO .....Arnie Feiler with the Ensemble  
 SPANISH DANCE .....Rosita and Monte

Interval

ROSE, THE RUSTLER'S DAUGHTER .....Starring Midge Nelson  
 Drama in One Act .....supported by the Ames Amateurs  
 THE MARTINS AND THE COYS .....Elaine Stucky

Interval





SOPRANO SOLO ..... Mary Ellen Pedersen  
 BATON TWIRLING EXHIBITION ..... Joan Johnson  
 SQUARE DANCE ..... South Fork Saddle Club  
 With Grandpa Pace, oldtime fiddler, and Bill Kohl, caller

#### Interval

THE COWBOY'S LAMENT ..... Carleton C. Ames  
 JAZZ POT-POURRI ..... J. Knowles Robbins  
 THE SURREY WITH THE FRINGE ON TOP ..... Donna and Terry with the Ensemble

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#### Dance Music by the Silver Dollar Sizzlers

Accompanists: Gloria Bleskacek, Delores Payson, Jane Olson, Tom Wilkinson,  
 Elaine Peterson, Elaine Gibbon.

#### The Bunkhouse Boys

Top Tenor ..... LeRoy DuBois  
 Second Tenor ..... David Benson  
 Baritone ..... Alan Peabody  
 Bass ..... Ramon Briggs

#### Ladies of the Ensemble

Mary Forthun      Mina Espino  
 Elaine Peterson      Marge Creighton  
 Betsy Welch      Bernice Saueressig  
 Irma Saueressig      Verda Swenson

#### MANAGEMENT

Co-Directors ..... Rose Marie Mohrdieck, Carleton C. Ames  
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 Decorations ..... Elaine Gibbon  
 Food ..... Gloria Cree





Shay, Forthun, Von Schweinitz, Nelson, Williamson, Gilbertson, Feiler, Fogerty, DuBois, Cox, Palan, Mordieck (Director).

THE CAST

# 'The Little Foxes'

A Drama in Three Acts

By Lillian Hellman

Regina Giddens .....	Patricia Cox
Horace Giddens .....	LeRoy DuBois
Benjamin Hubbard .....	Eric Von Schweinitz
Oscar Hubbard .....	Marvin Gilbertson
Birdie Hubbard .....	Elizabeth Williamson
William Marshall .....	Harold Shay
Leo Hubbard .....	Robert Nelson
Alexandra Giddens .....	Carol Feiler
Cal .....	Francis Fogerty
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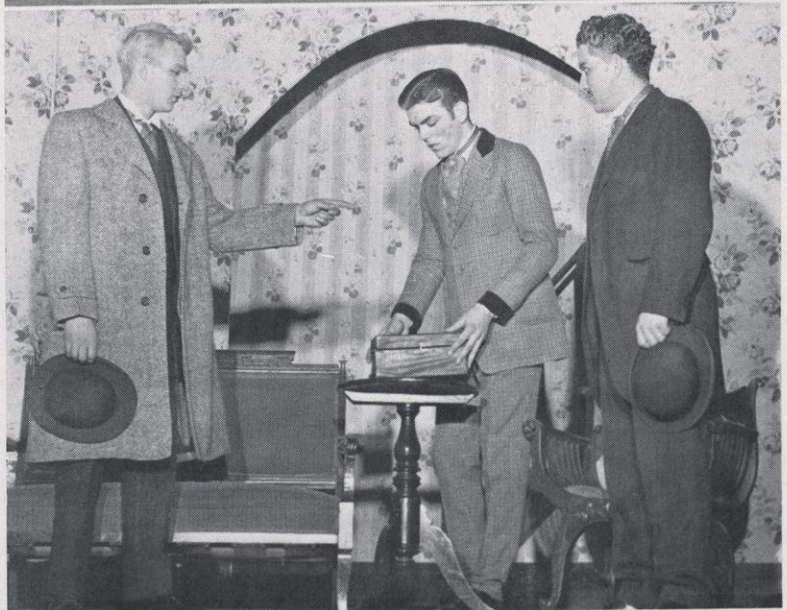
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Ushering .....	Elaine Gibbon
Prompters .....	Arlene Murphy, Aralda Thayer

Regina says, "I'm lucky, Horace. I'm always lucky. I'll be lucky again."



Ben says to Leo, "Put down that box." Confederate Oscar watches with interest.







Feiler, Swenson, Rieken, Johnson, Tschudy, Reid, Anderson

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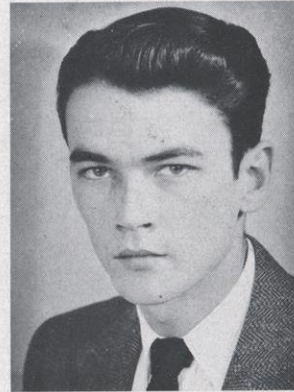
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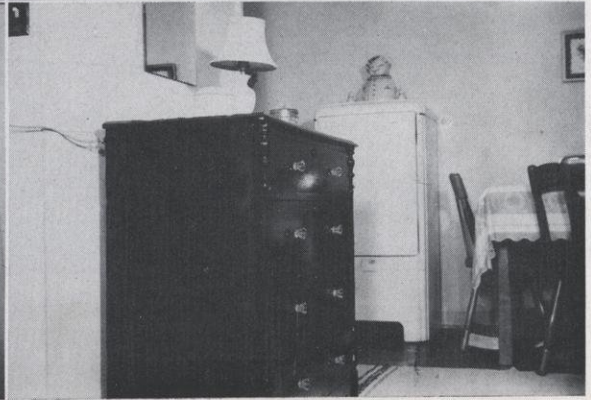
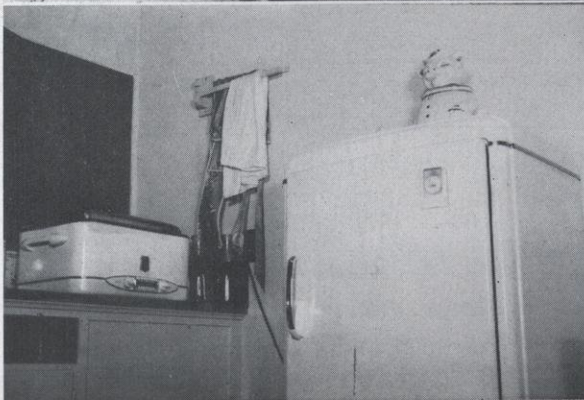
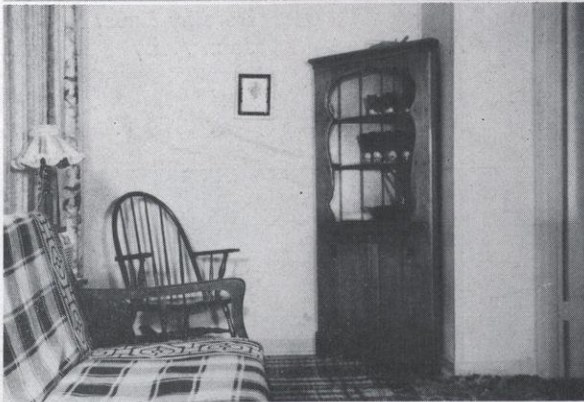
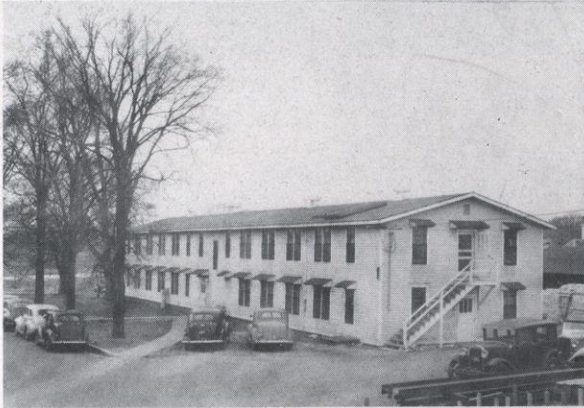
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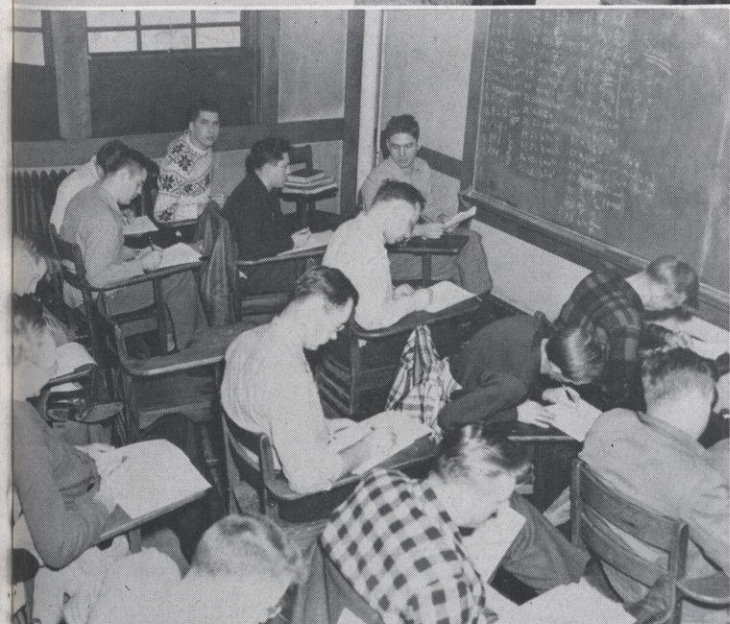
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Falconaires—music, college style . . . "Boogie" interlude, as Mr. Robbins entertains at Cabaret . . . Club 21 . . . Athletic men feasted at the high school . . . End of the first-term grind—exams! . . . Another Puff-Pant Prom.





## Homecoming

Homecoming this year, 1947-48, fostered a lively spirit of competition, as well as the usual gaiety and the up-to-par enthusiasm which bubbled over in all the activities of the homecoming weekend.

After a political tussle between Howard Kuhn and his rival candidate, Harold Shay, Howie was elected chairman of the festivities—and a competent man he proved to be.

The election of Masquers' candidate, Janie Prescott, was preceded by one of the most vigorous campaigns ever staged on this campus. Thirteen college lovelies participated in the primaries, from which were chosen the two finalists, Jane Prescott and Kathleen Reid.

Terry Hayes, manager for Jane Prescott, and Bill Hayes, manager for Kathleen Reid were responsible for this campaign which showered the campus with pamphlets, slogans, pictures and posters. The climax

came when pictures of Kato Reid, on unique "flying discs," were dropped from an airplane just before the final voting.

The usual Pep rally with its songs and skits was held Friday night, and was unusually entertaining. First prize for the skits went to the FFA; second, to the Men's Glee Club, and third, to the "Dirty Dozen," a new and lively offspring of the veterans' organization.

Jane Prescott, attended by the four runners-up in the contest, Kathleen Reid, Lola Estenson, Margery Butler, and Elaine Peterson, was crowned queen at the end of the program—the official opening of festivities.

The traditional snake dance followed, writhing through main street to the huge bonfire beside the Kinnickinnick.



The homecoming parade this year was packed full of originality, with the "Dirty Dozen" excelling in their float and slogan "Bury O'Clarey."



"Fold the Blugold" was the slogan for the homecoming game, and the Falcons came through victorious in their encounter with the Eau Claire eleven that afternoon with a score of 21-13.

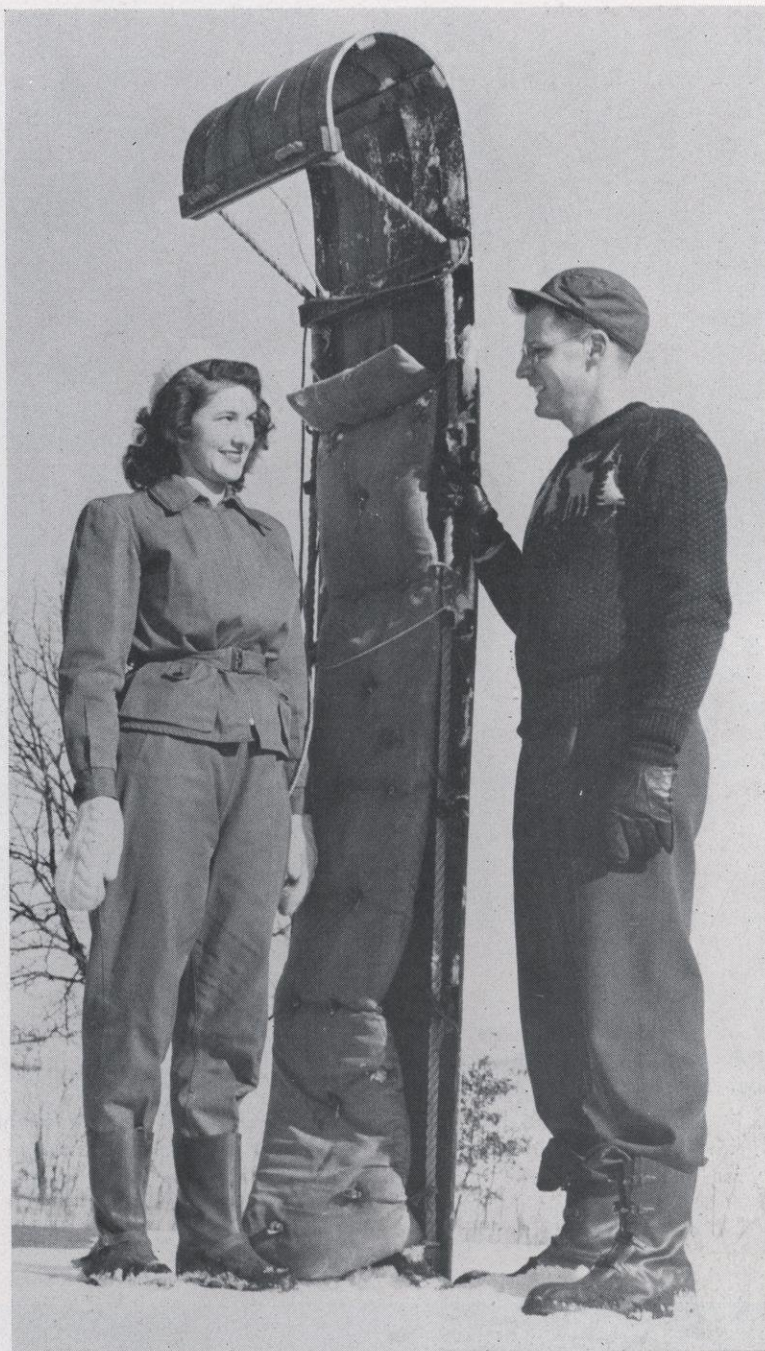


The alumni were guests of the faculty at a coffee hour following the game. A large number of alumni from several years ago were back this year.

A dance that evening closed the 1947-'48 homecoming with the same enthusiasm with which it was begun. It was one of the most successful events in a very successful year at RFSTC.







## Winter Carnival

From the moment its festivities began, the River Falls traditional Winter Carnival, held February 6th and 7th, promised to be a tremendous success—mainly, because there was actually enough snow for tobogganing and skiing and it was cold enough for skating at the high-school rink. Many of us will

recall that other years bathing-suits would have been more appropriate! Terry Hayes, a senior from Cumberland, who was selected by the Student Senate as chairman of the 1948 Carnival, is the person directly responsible for the success of this spectacular event.



During the week preceding the carnival, the walls of South Hall were literally papered with campaign posters loudly and ingeniously acclaiming the merits of the candidates representing various organizations. After a pep-rally Friday afternoon, during which the candidates were introduced and skits presented, the student body elected Marlys and Tom Wilkinson as King and Queen — the first married couple to reign over the two-day celebration; Marlys and Tom were officially crowned King and Queen by carnival chairman Terry Hayes during the halves of the River Falls-La Crosse game. To the stirring strains of "March of the Priests," the royal couple in their purple velvet robes marched to their thrones. A blaze of spotlights accompanied the royal party across the darkened gymnasium to the dais. Betsy Welch and Arnie Feiler, Gretchen Luebke and Bob Krueger were the attendants.

Living up to the spirit of the occasion, "Big Nate" and company came through with an 87-67 victory over the La Crosse Indians. La Crosse has been the opponent in the Winter Carnival basketball game in 1943, 1947, and 1948.

A skating party was held at the high-school skating-

rink following the game, during which Jean McLaughlin, Fritz Frazier, and Ray Henry distinguished themselves by winning, respectively: the women's egg-balancing race, the men's speed sprint, and the distance race. A rather heavy, wet snow slightly impaired visibility, but everyone agreed that he had a good time.

Saturday afternoon those of us who weren't limping from the skating orgy on Friday night assembled on Hovde's Hill for tobogganing and skiing. Even those sturdy souls retired to the cafeteria before long to get circulation started again; this was accomplished with the aid of hot and sweet music for dancing "off the platter." The only casualties of the afternoon were a couple of sprained knees and a black eye.

The R Club formal on Saturday night was the climax of the Carnival. Les Williams and his band provided dreamy prom music, and Glenn Wallace stole the floor-show with his comic songs. Everyone went home conscious of having had a good time and looking forward to next year's Carnival which we're sure can't possibly be eclipsed by this one.









Two delightful parties  
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The Christmas Formal

The Puff-Pant Prom



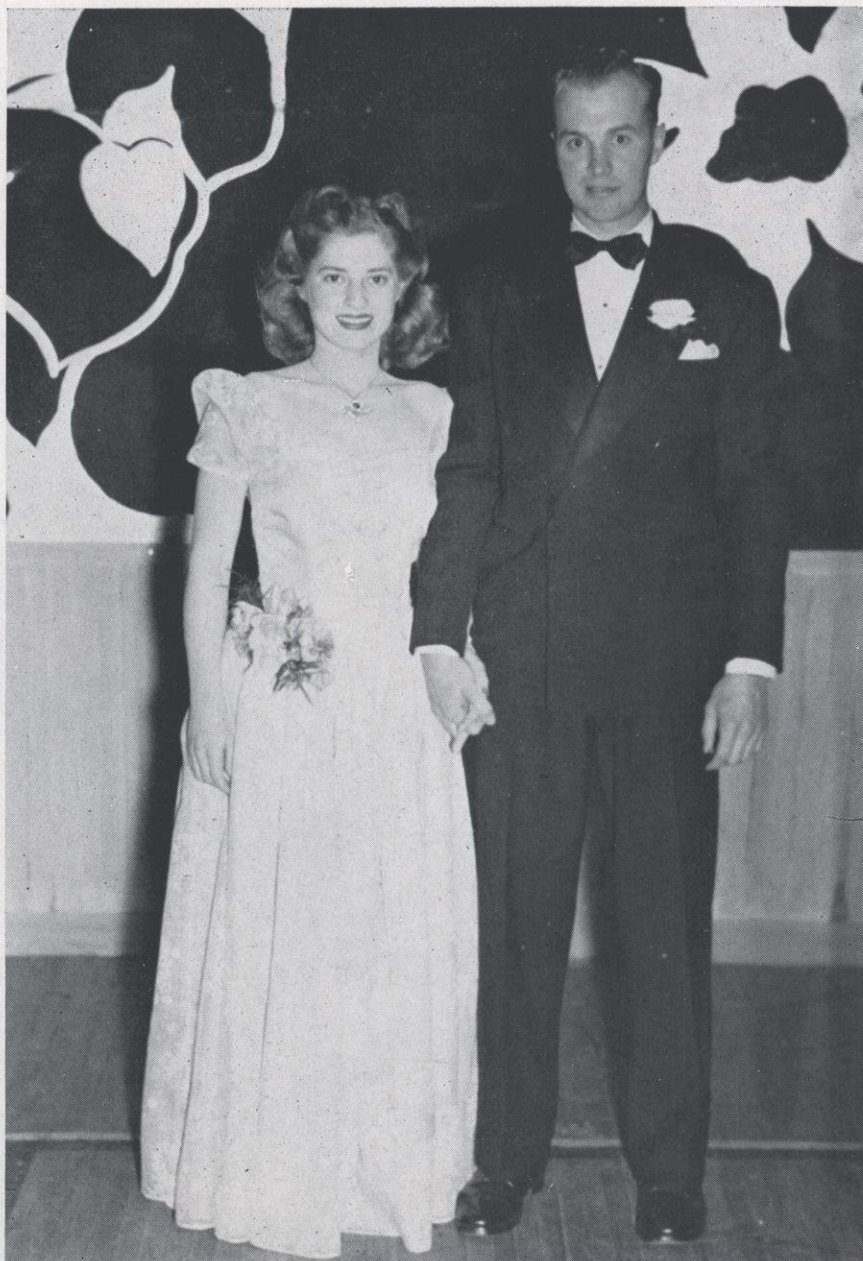




## The R Club Formal

An important part of the Winter Carnival's festivities





## The Junior Prom---1947

Marvin Sather, president, and Marion Jacobson, prom queen





Summer Session Picnic on the College Campus





Guillermina, Leopoldo, Monty, Rosamaria . . . A scene from "The Little Foxes" . . . Gay nineties belle—Glenn Wallace . . . Debatin' Louis Daniel . . . R Club formal line-up . . . Faculty "pen and ink" party . . . Relaxing in the "Goldenrod" room.





Baird, Fogerty, Johnson, Crist, Hayes, Wyman, Henemann, Wilkins, Whitaker, Daniels, Wallace.

## The Student Senate

### THE STUDENT SENATE OFFICERS

Glenn Wallace .....	President
John Whitaker .....	Vice-President
Albert Johnson .....	Secretary
Jack Wyman .....	Treasurer

### CLASS PRESIDENTS

Marguerite Baird .....	Senior
Jack Henneman .....	Junior
Gail Crist .....	Sophomore
Dean Wilkins .....	Freshman

### PARTY COMMITTEE

Francis Fogerty, Chairman; Faith Griffith, Marilyn Kreuger, Alice McJilton, Ben Montbriand, Harold Shay.





Back row: Goodrich, Crist, Johnson, Baird, DuBois, Wilkinson, Bohne, Vandeberg, Aaby, Aasterud.  
Front row: Ferris, Forthun, Wyman, Daniel, Swanson, Wallace, Rockman, Wilkins.

# Honor Society

## OFFICERS

Tom Wilkinson .....President  
Margaret Aasterud .....Vice-President  
Virginia Gullickson .....Secretary-Treasurer

## SENIOR GOLD R

Marguerite M. Baird	Joyce Julian
Lila A. Byng	Muriel Pearson
Lola M. Estenson	Lura Rieken
Anna J. Gardner	Lorna Swanberg

## SILVER R

Joan Aaby	Lola Estenson	Jerald Hinke	Donald Passow	Lorna Swanberg
Margaret Aasterud	Beulah Eukel	Lester Horn	Robert Patrikus	Richard Swenson
Fred Adler	Mary Falk	Helen Ingels	Alan Peabody	Joseph Trentor
Marguerite Baird	Raphael Farrell	Doris Jackman	Muriel Pearson	Donald Triebensee
Annalee Benson	Carol Feiler	William Jensen	Donald Peterson	Ellen VandeBerg
David Benson	Dean Fenner	Felice Jorstad	Raymond Polzin	Emil Vandermause
Doyle Beyl	James Ferries	Joyce Julian	George Pratt	Leonard Vik
Gloria Bleskacek	Raymond Feyereisen	Dorothy Kay	Kathleen Reid	Glenn Wallace
Jean Bohne	Mary Forthun	Shirley Larson	Lura Rieken	Jack Wallace
Earl Borner	George Frye	Anne Laufenberg	Merril Ristow	Lois Ward
Clinton Christianson	Kenneth Fuher	William Miller	John Rockman	George Webb
Gloria Cree	Kermit Garlid	Newton Nelson	Ruby Roehl	Rufus Weidner
Gail Crist	Les Gaylord	William Olson	Shirley Ryan	John Whitaker
Louis Daniel	Donald Goodrich	Warren Otterson	Walter Samson	Thomas Wilkinson
LeRoy DuBois	Laverne Guenther	Jean Owens	Ruth Seekamp	Norma Wood
Nicholas Dzubay	Willard Hamm	Laraine Palan	Donald Stucky	Earl Wyman





Back row: Peterson, Waters, Christianson, DeCracium. Front row: Jacobson, Taylor, Daniels, Schillberg, Savage, Benson, Ladd.

## Young Men's Christian Association

### OFFICERS

Charles Taylor .....	President
Louis Daniel .....	Vice-President
Tryn DeCracium .....	Secretary
Arthur Waters .....	Treasurer

Cabinet Members: Charles Schillberg, Donald Peterson, Allan Peterson, Don Iverson, Don Polzin, David Benson, Clinton Christianson, Jim Zeppelin, Al Tschudy.



Back row: Welch, Payson, Aasterud. Front row: Condit, Hanson, Reinkey, Swanson, Thompson, Moors.

## Young Women's Christian Association

Joyce Julian .....	President
Christine Thompson .....	Vice-President
Betsy Welch .....	Secretary
Elsie Mae Hanson .....	Treasurer
Mildred Jensen .....	Program Chairman
Margaret Aasterud .....	Finance Chairman

Joyce Condit .....	Publicity Chairman
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Mildred Reinkey .....	Social Service Chairman
Marge Moors .....	Social Chairman
Shirley Swanson .....	Librarian





Reid, Gereats, Frenchick, Hayes, Fogerty (standing), DuBois, Greenfield, Hawkins (Adviser)

## Newman Club

### OFFICERS

William Hayes .....	President
Francis Fogerty .....	Vice-President
Lillian Geraets .....	Secretary
George Frenchick .....	Treasurer

## Student Veterans Association

### OFFICERS

Harold Shay .....	President
Richard Yde .....	Vice-President
Robert Olson .....	Secretary
James Leadholm .....	Treasurer

**Board of Directors:** Harry Peterson, Carl Wichman, Leland Randall.





Back row: Draxler, Holliday, Vennendall. Third row: Zimmer, Huenink, Bohne, Christenson, Saueressig. Second row: Stevens,

Aasterud, Hillestad, Genrich, Maciosek. Front row: Krause, Woods, Daniels, Route, Radkey.

## Rural Life Club

### OFFICERS

Shirley Larson .....	President
Ruth Woods .....	Vice-President
Randall Genrich .....	Secretary
Doris Sterling .....	Treasurer

### MEMBERS

#### Sophomores

Margaret Aasterud  
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Charlotte Route  
Rose Marie Thorsbakken  
Doris Isaacson  
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Jean Owens  
Patricia Stevens  
Marjorie Van  
Muriel Voskuil  
Norma Wood  
Theresa Zimmer

#### Freshmen

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William Christenson  
Ardella Daniels  
Joan Draxler  
Helen Hillestad  
Dorothy Holliday  
Henrietta Huenink  
Barbara Krause  
Janice Radkey  
Irma Saueressig  
Doris Sterling  
Ruth Veenendal  
Ruth Woods





**Back row:** Reinkey, Hynstrom, Sveen, Dahlke, Ryan, Condit Rock, Jorstad, Olson, Jackman, Kay, Maxine Pearson, Smith, VandeBerg, Saueressig, Foster, Thompson, Welch, Erickson,

Pedersen. **Front row:** Corcoran, Rieken, Sandstrom, Muriel Pearson, Johnson, Moors, Afdahl, Thannum, Watkins, Geraets, Luebke.

# Association For Childhood Education <sup>35</sup>

## OFFICERS

Jane Olson .....	President
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Peggy Rock .....	Secretary
Joan Johnson .....	Treasurer
Lura Rieken .....	Program Chairman

## MEMBERS

Ardyce Afdahl	Doris Jackman	Maxine Pearson	Bernice Saueressig
Joyce Condit	Maxine Jensen	Muriel Pearson	Marjorie Smith
Audrey Corcoran	Joan Johnson	Mary Ellen Pedersen	Helen Sveen
Leona Dahlke	Felice Jorstad	Kathleen Reid	Lorraine Thannum
Ruth Erickson	Dorothy Kay	Mildred Reinkey	Christine Thompson
Joan Foster	Gretchen Luebke	Lura Rieken	Marilyn VandeBerg
Evelyn Garaets	Marjorie Moors	Margaret Rock	Janet Watkins
Audrey Hynstrom	Dorothy Moss	Shirley Ryan	Betsy Welch
	Jane Olson	Dorothy Sandstrom	

ACE carried on a number of interesting activities throughout the year—these include a visit to the Gillette State Hospital for crippled children in St. Paul, a panel discussion on UNESCO, the traditional Christmas candlelight service, a showing of the U. S. Army film, "Seeds of Destiny," a sponsorship of Elsa Mannheimer's collection of miniatures and the puppet show "Hansel and Gretel" by the Adamson Marionette Co. of St. Paul. In cooperation with UNESCO, ACE is corresponding with a teacher in Finland who is the author of a series of reading textbooks. The ACE group selected Marjorie Moors to attend the 1948 ACE Study Conference at St. Louis, Missouri.





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## The International Relations Club

### OFFICERS

Lloyd Falk .....	President
John C. Whitaker .....	Vice-President
Gloria Cree .....	Secretary-Treasurer

### MEMBERS

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 Patricia Cox  
 Gloria Cree  
 Alton Dahl  
 Beulah Eukel  
 Lloyd Falk  
 Mary Falk  
 Loren Kassera

Harold Lindemann  
 Maud Latta  
 Vera Moss  
 James Myhre  
 Walter Samson  
 Kirby Symes  
 Dale Van Heuklom  
 John C. Whitaker  
 Robert A. Wickstrom  
 Walker Wyman

The IRC began in the first term of '48-'49 with Dr. Wyman as adviser. It set up a constitution and elected officers. This organization meets twice a week for the purpose of studying and discussing international affairs in an honest effort to clarify the mind of each member as to present world problems. It is affiliated with the Carnegie Endowment Institute from which comes literature and material on the problems of the world today.





Back row: Watkins, Hillestad, Hermansen, Freier, Miss Howard, Bleskacek, Sweeney, Reinkey.  
Front row: Cree, Reiss, Olson, Wilkinson, Jensen, Lane, Condit.

# Palette Club

## OFFICERS

Mildred Reinkey .....	President
Marlys Wilkinson .....	Vice-President
Gloria Bleskacek .....	Secretary
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Mildred Jensen .....	Publicity Chairman

## MEMBERS

Gloria Bleskacek	Beth Lane
Joyce Condit	Hazel Olson
Dorothy Cree	Muriel Pearson
Margaret Crommett	Mildred Reinkey
Elsie Frier	Margaret Reiss
Noreen Gillis	Lura Rieken
Lillian Hermansen	Christine Thompson
Helen Hillestad	Janet Watkins
Mildred Jensen	Marlys Wilkinson
Marilyn Jones	

The Palette Club is an organization which has as its object the stimulation of interest in working with the different mediums of art. It believes that one learns art only through experience regardless of former training. Even though an individual does not think he has ability, he is sure to find something in art that is worth while and that will fit into his life.

The club has been very active during the year and has produced many interesting and useful articles.



# Future Farmers of America 25



Front row: Briggs, Linster, Nelson. Back row: VanLoon, Tschudy, Beyl, Rogness.

## OFFICERS

### First Semester

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Wallace Weihrouch	Secretary
George Webb	Treasurer
Gordon Gardner	Reporter
Paul Rogness	Sentinel

### Second Semester

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Lester Van Loon	Vice-President
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Doyle Beyl	Reporter
Albert Franko	Sentinel

# Mathematics Club



## OFFICERS

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Glen Duven	Vice-President
Wallace Smetana	Secretary
Gail Crist	Treasurer
Craig Seyforth	Program Chairman

Duven, Crist, Estenson, Smetana, Seyforth



# Midgardians



Back row: Hughes, Hovde, Miss Walter, Boe, Creighton.  
Front row: Hillary, Payson, Freier, Johnson, Gilstad, Baird.

## OFFICERS

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# Romance Language Club

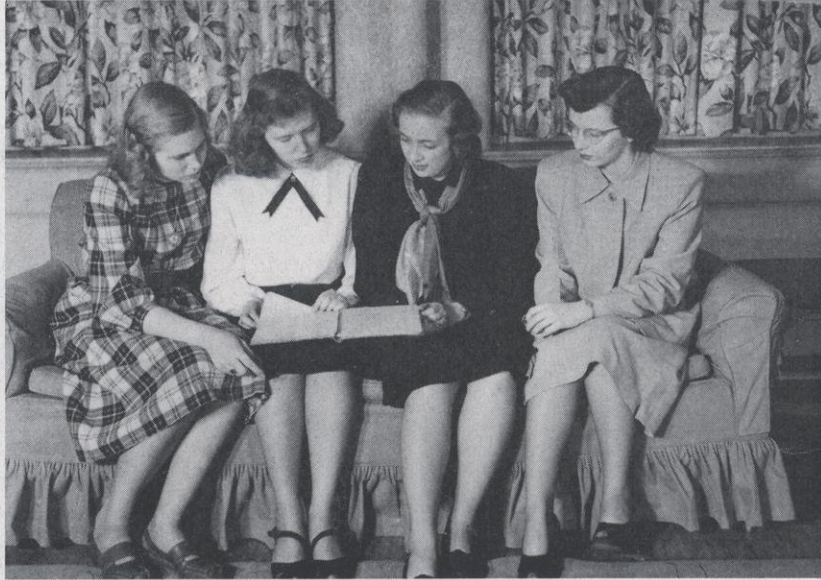


Johnson, Wesslen, Aaby, Stone

## OFFICERS

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Hanson, Anderson, Brandt, Rock

## Sigma Chi Sigma

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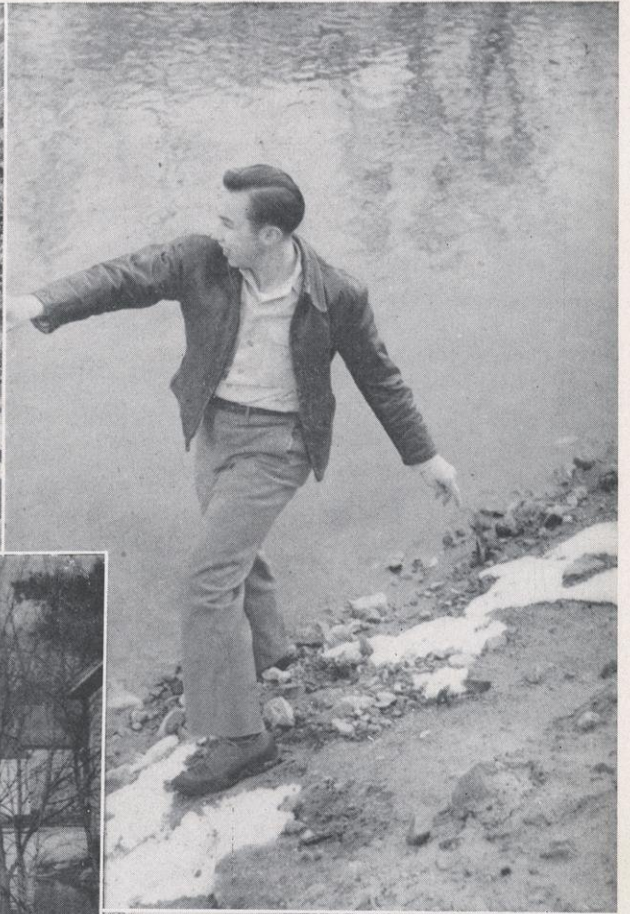
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Phyllis Anderson .....	Vice-President
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Peggy Rock .....	Treasurer

### MEMBERS

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 Margaret Rock  
 Ona Sabby  
 Elaine Stucky  
 Shirley Swanson  
 Christine Thompson  
 Lois Ward





Health cottage . . . Sobottka, trying his throwing arm . . . Early spring thaw . . .  
Ray Henry and motor bike . . . End of a bad curve . . . Informal conference.



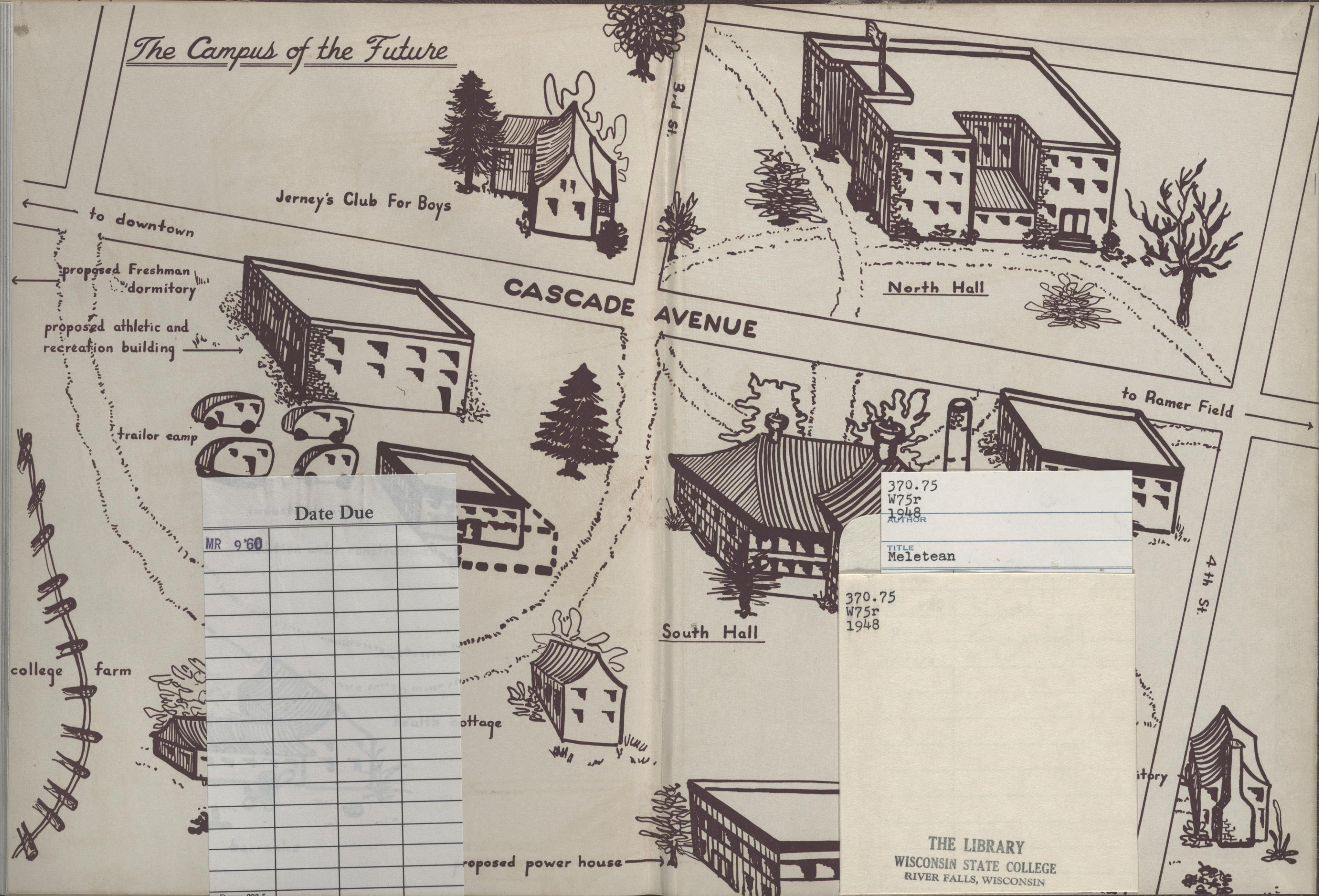








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