Dublin Players
Here October 19

Wenonah Players
Sponsoring Group

The celebrated touring company “The Dublin Players,” is coming to Winona State Teachers College October 19 under the auspices of the Wenonah Players.

The Players are giving two performances of two different plays. Sean O’ Casey’s “Juno and the Paycock,” which is the story of a professor who made a poor Cockney lass into a fine English lady, will be given at the matinee performance, which will be at 3 p.m. G. B. Shaw’s “Pygmalion,” which is the story of a professor who made a student funds, is entirely independent of student funds.

The cover design for “The Loom” was done by Jon Sontag. It was finally made into a motion that the Student Council would recommend that St. Mary’s be allowed to rent the gym for five games including their home game with TC. Another motion was made to the effect that there be a stipulation along with the recommendation that the TC be allowed to attend the St. Mary’s games at reduced rates.

James Thrienen, chairman of the Homecoming this year, announced the various committees and the schedule. It was suggested that all Freshmen students should sit together in a roped-off section at the football game. Ron Rubado said he would try to arrange it. Ron also volunteered the services of the freshmen. Their labor will be used for decorating the floats, the getting of firewood for the pepfest, and various other activities. Dr. Raymond was elected the Homecoming adviser.

Mr. Mariner suggested that the new student exchange have a new name. The Union was suggested but nothing was decided. A name for the exchange will be decided at the next meeting.

At left is pictured a group of freshmen girls being entertained by the Y.W.C.A.
The Editor's Desk

Try to Act "As If" . . .

Margaret Culkin Banning wrote some words to live by last summer which came from Thomas á Kempis' classic Imitation of Christ, that we'd like very much to pass on to you.

It is the story of a certain person who couldn't make a decision and kept thinking if only he knew this or that, he would be able to make an intelligent decision. Soon, within himself, came this answer from God: "And if you did know — what would you do? Do now what you would then do — and you shall be very secure."

In very simple, practical words try to act "as if." So if you've come to TC with a sort of defeatist attitude because it isn't a state university or because you aren't sure you're going to be able to handle college work, or because of many tiny but significant reasons, try to act "as if" everything is going to be all right. And even if this year doesn't end up with you on top, you'll have the satisfaction of knowing you did your best and you'll know how to act "as if" it did.

From that knowing will come a sense of inner security and peace about which you won't have to act "as if" you have, because it'll be yours for keeps.

Welcome, Freshmen!

Hi, Frosh! We're glad to have you here at State. There are a lot of you, so we know you're going to have a good, positive influence on future happenings on campus.

In Explanation . . .

We are a new staff — from top to bottom. You'll hear us with us and read that these past three weeks have been one big merry-go-round, and in the process everyone's gotten pretty dizzy. We hope that by next month we'll be settled down. — The Editor

The President Writes . . .

A Look Ahead

College enrollments throughout the entire country 1953-54 totaled about 3 1/2 millions. Of this total undergraduate enrollment was approximately 2 million. Out of every four American men and women of college age last year was in college, about one half a century ago — 1900 — about one in 24 or 4 per cent of the college age population went to college. Of the top fourth in ability of the high school graduates, one-half are now going to college, about two-thirds of the regular students, so if they had the financial means. There is a large potential reservoir of high talent, largely now not in college, not able to realize the leadership qualities which they possess.

Today American college age youth number 8 millions. You are among the 25 to 26 per cent of those attending college this year. By 1960 the number will be greater by sixteen per cent. By 1965 it will be greater by 46 per cent! And this way it will be greater by 70 per cent. And the march of the birth rate still goes on with indications that 1954 may exceed the birth rate in Minnesota of approximately 80 thousand for 1953. Within ten years 18 states will have college age populations greater than the present by more than one-half and in only eight states the will be increase be less than 25 per cent. Within 15 years eight states will have more than twice their present college age population, in only eight states will the increase by less than 40 per cent. This is ordinary arithmetic. These young men and young women are approaching or are already at college age. This is a speculation about what may happen, it is simply a statement of what will surely occur. Every college must therefore make plans now to be ready for increased enrollment which is going to be upon us without warning.

There are several directions in which plans need to be made. One of these is in facilities for instruction, and facilities for housing. The second is for faculty or staff members required to teach the increasing number of students who will be entering the colleges. The third is in a critical continuing re-examination of the curriculum for the instruction of those who are to be educated.

The student now in college or about to enter is in a fortunate situation. Jobs for teaching graduates are abundant, and salaries are better. They are going to continue thus. Elementary jobs now, high school jobs among the 25 to 26 per cent of those attending college this year.

The Gallery

Lee Krogh

No Funeral Dirges for Me!

I am thoroughly fed up with listening to the prophets of doom. My philosophy is built on laments about the futility of life in these "trying times" that I am ready to stand on the highest rooftop and howl out, "The world that I want to live. The philosophy of the times seems to be, "It is all a chance," so all you can do is take things as they come."

From Korea to Indonesia to the houses of the Congress of the United States come facts which prove beyond doubt that the world has been generated into a nest of hate, fear, power-madness and corruption. At the same time I ask my students to scrutinize me carefully, shake their heads pityingly, and utter words to the effect that to be born in a world such as this is a fate more terrible than death. From all sides, our beloved heroes buy what amounts to funeral dirges for the young people of today. But the college in which I am now working has no funeral dirges for me. They scrutinize me carefully, shake their heads pityingly, and utter words to the effect that I can be a good mother, my dear. They will use the tools given them by nature; they will feed and clothe you. I want to sing a song of hope. I want to tell you not to be afraid.

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If "Average" College Student Exists — State Aims to Find Him

Have you ever tried to pick an average college student? A college student who is an average American college student — one who could be a symbol — doesn't exist.

That's the best part of being a close student. You are singing with me. Are you?

Dorm Director Big Job

Mrs. Fae Griffith is a busy woman. For eleven years she has lived at Morey Hall and has carried out her official duties of dormitory director and housing all the students who live in the college housing units. Her title, Dormitory Director, does not convey the importance or the requirements on her job. Actually she has complete charge of managing, in regard to physical maintenance, Morey Hall, Shepard Hall, Lunden Hall and housing all the students who live in the college's housing unit, Mrs. Griffith managed the college's housing unit, Mrs. Griffith managed the college's housing unit.

Mrs. Griffith is a trained dietician, and she says that one of her most demanding duties is taking charge of all cooking arrangements and planning healthful and appetizing menus for the Morey Hall dining rooms.

Since she lives in one of the dormitories, she is an absentee mother for more than 150 girls. This, incidentally, is not one of her assigned duties. Mrs. Griffith likes to give coffee parties to become better acquainted with her student "daughters." Prob-ably more personal problems have been solved over Mrs. Griffith's famous red coffee pot than can ever be solved over a counselor's desk.

Being mother, cook, and anything the situation calls for is Mrs. Griffith's job as dormitory director. Patience, understanding, and the personal attention each girl gets makes Mrs. Griffith one of the favorite persons on campus.

"Behead Moorhead!"

"Behead Moorhead!" Yes, that's the slogan chosen by the slogan committee: Don Gulbrandson, junior, and Donna Freeman. Morshing, junior, is the winner; one who could be a symbol doesn't exist.

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Editor's note: If you know of anyone in the service and you feel that someone else would like his address, please send it to the WINONAN. Each month we will send out a list of service men's addresses for the convenience of the student body. Remember your friends in service.

Dorm Doings

Morey and Shepard Halls, the girls' dormitories are very crowded this year. Presently, 159 girls are living in the same two buildings. 94 of the total number of girls are residing in Morey Hall, and 65 in Shepard Hall.

To take care of the larger group, all single rooms are now being converted to double rooms, which were formerly used as doubles now have three or four beds in them.

The third floor of Morey Hall, which has not been used for several years, is now being used, and the extra rooms — guest rooms, ironing rooms and music rooms — have been converted into sleeping rooms.

The increased number of dormitory residents is partially due the large college enrollment, and partially due to the fact that last year's Associate in Education graduating class was small. The huge, new freshman class added to the large number of old students has really put a strain on the two dormitories.

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Warriors Meet Moorhead For Homecoming

By Jim Belden

Pigskin Predictions

You've truly inherited the thankless task of predicting how the Warriors will do in the conference football race this year. But it just so happens that some of my classmates took me apart in chemistry lab the other day and discovered that I was mainly composed of a wide yellow streak running down the middle of my back! So I picked out two or three of the other football "experts" around TC and asked them what they thought about the team's chances. Now bear in mind that these predictions were made before the first conference game.

Don Schroeder: "I don't think the team will go undefeated this year. But they shouldn't lose more than one conference game."

Gordy Hanson: "I think the team has a very good chance of taking the conference title. However, they will have to show marked improvement over their play against Stout."

George O'Riley: "If they get by the Mankato game there's no reason why they can't go all the way."

Let's not put our team or coaching staff on the spot in any way. Instead let's get behind them in full force, win or lose.

Will someone please start dusting out the new Memorial Hall trophy case?

TC Trounces Stout

On Slippery Field

After being rained out of their first game, Winona opened the season by taking advantage of three, first quarter fumbles to trounce the Stout Blue-Devils 18-6. The game was played on a very muddy Maxwell Field.

On the opening kickoff Stout fumbled, and guard Merle Peterson fell on the ball on the Stout 20-yard line. Three plays later freshman fullback Don Seger crashed over for the first TC touchdown of the year.

Then on the first scrimmage play following the next kickoff, Tuney Burkhard recovered a fumble on the Stout 20-yard line. On fourth down quarterback Jerry Seeman faded back and hit end Bill Christopherson with a touchdown pass.

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Extra Point Margin

In Warrior Triumph

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On Northern Trip

Bemidji Ties Winona

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Football or Wrestling?

Stout, who Winona beat quite handily in the season opener, shocked the local football world by tying La Crosse, last year's Cigar Bowl champions, 20-20.

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Tomorrow's Clash

Big Game of Year

Winona couldn't have picked a more logical opponent for the Homecoming game than the Moorhead Dragons. The winner of this game has a better than average chance of emerging as conference champions.

Moorhead, who tied for the crown two years ago and finished second last year, has an experienced team. Like Winona, they have many two and three-year lettermen in their lineup. In non-conference games this year they've beaten Huron, South Dakota, and tied Concordia, one of the most highly rated teams in Minnesota.

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New Exchange
Now Open

The old Student Exchange is gone, but no one is bemoaning its passing because in its place the college has the new Student Center which is located in what formerly was Somsen gymnasium.

The new Center will have many uses besides being a coffeehouse. The Homecoming formal dance will be held in the large room, and public address system it will have many uses besides being a coffeehouse. The Homecoming formal dance will be held in the large room, and public address system will be there. The Homecoming formal dance will be held in the large room, and public address system it will be there.

The Student Lounge is also being remodeled to complement the Student Center and dressing rooms are now being built in the Lounge room. The Lounge will be decorated with soft green and muted yellow colored paints, the same colors that are being used in the Student Center decoration.

Formal dedication ceremonies for this Student Center will be held during the Homecoming activities, but the facilities of the Center are now open to all college students.

Newlyweds

Vic Grabau and Myrtle Kowalsky
John Wooden and Mary Walsh
George Hansen and Betty Wise
Ken Riska and Louise Comomy

Ten Years of Jazz

Since the “swing era” of the early 1940’s, many popular fads in jazz have been spotlighted. They have all been somewhat successful as to popularity if only for a year or two. The present style is equipped with a permanent orchestra platform and public address system it will be there. The Homecoming formal dance will be held in the large room, and public address system it will be there. The Homecoming formal dance will be held in the large room, and public address system it will be there.

Shyto Rogers, a true exponent of the style. His sides on The Wild One, from the movie of that name, are excellent examples, as are the discs in the album, Shyto Rogers and his Giants.

Shorty Rogers and his Giants.

To see the contrast between this new style and any of its predecessors, I would like to suggest that a record from the above albums be played after listening to a disc recorded six or seven years ago, for example, Woody Herman’s Caledonia.

With this brief history of jazz trends of the past ten years, the point should be brought out that jazz styles will change again. How soon, and to what style, most jazz musicians are wondering. But it can safely be said that a record of today’s style and the one being played in 1964 will be interesting to listen to.

— Gene Steffes

New Light on Old Subject

At last, after five years of trying to acquire sufficient funds, this college has been economically able to afford a new lighting system for Maxwell Library. The fluorescent type lights which eliminate that distracting table-top glare and reflection were installed during August at a cost of nearly $1,500.

The installation of the new lights was brought about partially by requests by students and by the Representative Student Council.

Alumni Briefs

With the opening of school and the approach of Homecoming, our thoughts turn to the alumni and where our graduates are. We find last year’s graduates in many places. Lois Mohr and Shirley Rauch are both teaching physical education, Lois in Providence, Rhode Island and Shirley in Sioux St. Marie, Michigan.

In Duluth there are four of our graduates — all teachers. They are last year’s graduates Kay Reese and Jerry Sines, and Carol Morse, ’53, and Bob Bailey, ’52.

From Houston, Texas, we received a report on Pvt. Charles E. Hass, ’52. Charlie has completed the Medical Field Service School’s 16-week Medical Laboratory Procedures Course at Brooke Army Medical Center. He has now been transferred to Fort Hood, Texas.

John Streed, last year’s Student Association president, is stationed with the Marine Corps in Quantico, Va. His address is: 2nd Lt. John C. Streed O68484 C. C. V. 3rd Trng. Bn.

Lillard Christ, ’54, has been accepted into the Naval Aviation Cadet program and is stationed at Pensacola, Florida.

Many of our alumni are continuing their studies. The State University of Iowa has conferred the Ph.D. degree upon Charles Lewis Baizer, ’42, and (Kappa Delta P. President that year) and the M.A. upon Gerald Richard Fraser, ’49.

Shirley Minkewitz, ’54, is going to continue her education on a Fulbright scholarship in Costa Rica.