State's Placement Bureau Arranging Interviews

Already the Winona State placement bureau is busily in-
serting graduating students into vacant teaching positions for the coming school year. Both el-
ementary and secondary teachers have been placed, but most of the school superintendents who have been seeking teachers so far this year have been from the larger elementary school systems where they are sure that there will be a large yearly turnover of teachers. Mr. Gleen Fishbaugh, director of
placement, and Mrs. Arnold Donath, assistant, have said that this year superintendents have been here in search of available teachers earlier than any other year; usually the placement office does not receive many requests before April 1, which is the date when teacher renewal contracts are due.

The aim of the placement bureau is to be of service to all graduates, old and new. But the bureau does not guarantee a teaching position for everyone. Mr. Fishbaugh said that the effectiveness of our teacher placement bureau is increased when each student plans that his college does part to carry out his teaching duties satisfac-
torily. All students who graduate from this college with a Bachelor of Science degree or an Associate degree in elementary education must register with the bureau whether or not they plan to use it.

Most of the vacancies filled by the bureau are not far from Wi-
nona, but about one-fifth of the applicants are placed outside of the state each year—the largest portion of these going to Wisconsin. Occasionally, qualified people who have never attended this school are given help in securing a teaching position by the Winona State bureau, because Mr. Fishbaugh believes that it is his duty to help the teaching shortage situation whenever possible.

Spring Production Announced

HEDDA GABLER by Henrik
Ibsen has been chosen as the spring production of the Win-
ona Players. Casting and play dates will be announced at a later time.

One-Act Plays Scheduled for Tour

The members of the acting class who presented the two one-act plays at the Faculty Fair have already received invitations to present their plays at the Trempealeau, Fountain City, Rushford and Plainview high schools.

The two plays included in the tour are "The No 'Count Boy" by Paul Green and "Spreading the News" by Lady Gregory. The first play is a folk play of Amer-
ican Southern life, and the second play is set at an Irish fair.

The cast of "The No 'Count Boy" is as follows: Phoebe, Pat Wasi; Enos, Jerry Quid; No 'Count Boy, Dan Gulbrandson; Old Woman, Pat Wilke. The cast of "Spreading the News" includes Magistrate, Gerald Sweeney; Policeman, Bob Brown; Mrs. Tarpey, Donna Freeman; Bartholy Fallon, Hugh Turton; Mrs. Fallos, Anne Car-
bar; Jack Smith, Frank Mertes; Tom Casey, Earle Drenckshahn; Mrs. Tully, Maxine Czaplewski; Shawn Early, Robert Haskins; and James Ryan, Gus Dorin.

Kappa Delta Pi Pledges Named

Kappa Delta Pi held their mid-
year initiation early this month when students were initiated. Dr. M. O. Weddel of the Phelps school faculty lectured to the club.

The following students were initiated into the Gamma Tau Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi: Bruce Baus, Winona; Kenneth Rittner, Winona; Barbara Gadd-
dis, Owatonna; Robert Coetting, Houston; Elizabeth Grass, Ow-
tonna; Arlene Hanson, Dodge Center; Lee Krogf, Lake City; Donald Lowrie, Lake City; Mrs. Lillian Mayou, Winona; Gene Rendel, Winona; Mrs. Effie Schmidt, Zimbrotta; Jean Thomsford, Pine Island; Hugh Turton, Cochrane, Wisconsin; Mary Fishbaugh, Winona; Patricia Wilke, Stewartville; and John Wooden, Winona.

Kappa Delta Pi held their annual Freshman-Sophomore honor tea on Wednesday, February 9, between three and five.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

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Speech Festival Scheduled March 16

The District III Speech Fest-
ival will be held on campus March 16 starting at 9 a.m. Seventy-three schools in the district will participate in the events which will include dramatic and humorous memorized reading, memorized oratory, original ora-
tory, pantomime, extemporaneous

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manuscript reading, extempor-
aneous speaking, discussion, and one-act plays.

Judges for the festival will be
Dr. Marie Toland, Robert Freder-
wick, Walter Thorsen, all of
LaCrosse State College, and
Bruce James Luke of St.
Mary's College in Winona.

Miss Dorothy R. Magnus is contest manager, and Donna
Freeman is assistant manager. Chairman, timekeepers, and stu-
dent guides will be members of Winona Players and speech
majors and minors.

Phy. Ed. Workshop on
Campus This Saturday

Saturday, from 9 to 12 a.m., in
Memorial Hall, the instructors of the Physical Education De-
partment will hold a workshop with elementary school teachers of the Southeast Division of Minnesota. There will be demon-
strations and teaching of games, rhythms, and other activities
in the elementary school physical education program. This workshop was arranged because the Placement Education De-
partment has received many requests from area teachers for teaching aids.

Dr. Minne' at
Chicago Conference

President, Nels Minnén, Winona
State Teachers College, Winona
Minnesota, is attending the sev-
enth annual conference of the
American Association of Colleges
for Teacher Education (AACTE)
in Chicago, February 24-26. Dr.
Minnén will serve as recorder at a
conference session on, "Planning for 1956 Enrollments in Teacher Education.

AACTE is a national volun-
tary organization of 282 colleges
and universities. These institutions are responsible for the preparation of approximately half of the teachers who have chosen careers in the public schools of the nation. Some 700 presidents, deans and professors
of teachers' colleges and university
schools of education are expected to be in attendance at the three-
day conference.

Two U.S. and Cuban Tours Planned

Tentatively for Summer

Again this year, Winona State
announces its plans for two sum-
mer trips, each to different parts of the country. One tour will include the southeastern United States and Cuba and the other to the southwestern part of the United States, California, and Davis from the Social Studies Division of Winona State will conduct the tour through the Southeast and Cuba; Mr. Daniel Hoyt, Junior High supervisor and principal may conduct the other named tour if there are enough interested in the trip to the Southwest.

Points of interests to be seen in the southeast United States and Cuba: the Gulf Coast; a ride in a glass-bottom boat at Silver Springs; Floridians; a Miami Beach tour of the Cuban capital of Havana which includes a visit to a Cuban home; a drive through the scenic Florida Everglades; an oceanarium which contains many species of fish; St. Augustine, site of the first settlement in the U.S.; and Nashville, Tennessee, where one can visit Andrew Jackson's home, the Hermitage, which still has its original furnishings and antiques. These are just a few of the places one can visit while on the tour.

Students who wish to visit the southwest will have a chance to see the Grand Canyon; the highest dam in the world, the Hoover Dam; Hollywood, the movie

capital of the world; Yosemite National Park in California; San Francisco where one can cross two of the world's famous bridges, the Oakland and Golden Gate bridges; Salt Lake City which includes a tour of the Mormon Temple grounds, a visit to one of the world's largest astronomical observa-
tories; a hot springs area; an oceanarium on the coast of California, and an organ recital in the Mormon Tabernacle; Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming and the Black Hills of South Dakota. These are just a few of the many sights one can see on this tour.

One can earn a total of eight credits, four in history and four in geography when taking this tour. The tour price of the tour through the southeast and Cuba is $230.00 which includes all transportation and tolls, lodging and hotel porter tips, and such admissions as mentioned in the itinerary. One does not need to take this tour to get the tour price, because anyone interested in going on one of these trips, which start on July 27 and finish August 19, should contact the Business Office of the college as soon as possible.
The Editor's Desk
Since other people often say things better than I can, I asked two outstanding students of the college to do the honors in this issue.

One editorial is a well-thought-out criticism, and the other is about the Smog and the standards it wishes to maintain.

Read — and heed — them.

Council President Asks Cooperation
During the last two or three weeks instances of slovenliness and lack of cooperation in the Smog have been called to my attention. Some of the instances are:

1. Failure of some students to return empty bottles, used cups and dishes to their proper places.
2. Needless throwing of paper-candy wrappers, scrap paper, and cigarette packages on the floor.
3. Writing on cups and dishes with pen and other type pens (a student colleague?).

In order to correct the above deficiencies, the Exchange Board has established a committee to remind students to return articles to their proper places and to help maintain a clean, neat appearance in the Smog. Your cooperation is asked in assisting this committee. If this does not bring about the desired change, it might be necessary to close the Smog and establish new policies in regard to its operation.

While our thoughts are focused upon the Smog, there are a few ideas and proposals concerning it in which you might be interested.

1. The Exchange Board is having tables renovated.
2. The other proposal would have the Smog closed for half an hour at an earlier hour (10:45-11:15). By this change the students not in class can eat in a relaxed way. Under this plan, the fifth hour would be-

In the Service
A/Co Richard Overland
1st Cadet Det.
Goodfellows Air Force Base
San Angelo, Texas

The school year has been changed since last month.

Music and You
by Gene Steffes
It is often said that music can be "soothing." No doubt the majority of people have at one time or another experienced this "soothing effect" produced by a particular composition whether it be a simple "pop tune" or a semi-classical composition. Although various types of music can produce various moods in different individuals, the relaxing effect of a string ensemble is probably the most "soothing" of those various types. Along with the other instruments of either a symphony or sympho- set orchestra, arrangements of many beautiful compositions are produced which, upon being attentively listened to, can leave individuals impressed with the beauty of the selection, which in turn evokes a relaxed mood. There are many recorded compositions which I think produce a "soothing" effect. The Sunrise and Sunset movements of Ferde Grofe's Grand Canyon Suite are especially typical of relaxing music, as are the selections Daphnis and Chloe by Ravel and La Mer by Debussy.

Some Questions and Answers for State's Vets
Q. What is the largest amount of money a veteran can borrow to buy a home under the GI loan program?

A. There is no limit on the amount of money a veteran may borrow. It all depends on what the lender is willing to lend him. The maximum applies only to the amount of VA's guarantee that can be issued upon the loan.

Q. In figuring out my annual income for VA pension purposes, am I supposed to count only my take-home pay or my gross salary?

A. You must include your total salary and not just your take-home pay for VA pension purposes.

Q. What is the largest amount of money one can withdraw from a savings account at a State's Veterans Home?

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Two Proposals For Longer Lunch Breaks
1. Provide a longer lunch break.
2. Ways are being considered for changing the thirty-five minute break into a longer period of time. Otherwise, students not in class could eat during the other periods.

A King, Indeed—
by Marlene Majerus
Because music and literature are my major interests, you can see why The American Songbag by Carl Sandburg ranks high on my list of favorite books. This is a kind of musical history of our country containing 280 songs, ballads, and ditties. Sandburg has colorful comments about the origin of each song and how it fits in with the development of our country. Even if you don't sing but enjoy reading ballads, you will get much out of this book.

One of the most useful books on my shelf is A Handbook to Literature by William Thrall and Addison Hibbard. This book contains alphabetical order literary terms and what they mean. Another very useful feature of the book is the "Outline of Literary History, English and American." If you are an English major or minor, I feel this book will certainly prove an invaluable aid.

Another of my favorite books is in a field I am only slightly acquainted with. It is THE STORY OF ART by E. H. Gombrich. This book is written for the layman as well as the student and artist. It is full of beautiful illustrations, both in color and black and white.

The Complete Works of O'Henry is a book I like to relax with occasionally. I know he isn't the greatest when it comes to being an author, but I still enjoy his tenderness, humor, and surprise endings.

Prospective music teachers might like to investigate Lillian BALDWIN'S selecting new popular song books. The first three books of series are entitled Music for Young Listeners. These books Miss Baldwin discusses Patern music, which is concerned with music and its story. (Continued on page 6, column 3)

Dorm Doings
If it were true that inquiring persons are intelligent persons, Mrs. Griffith, dormitory director, believes that Winona State students would all be geniuses, because she is continually asked questions concerning the dormitories. In this column I have included a few of the most popular questions which Mrs. Griffith has been asked. I hope they are questions which you too will be wondering about.

Q. Are board and room rates going to be raised?

A. No, board and room rates are not going to be raised during the remaining portion of this year or during the next school year; also the same services which are now being offered will be continued.

Q. Are the dorms planning a Spring open house party?

A. No plans have been made.

Q. Will any new furniture be purchased?

A. Yes, steel dresser-desk combinations and accompanying chairs will be bought for the floor rooms of Shepard Hall and for the first floor rooms of Morey Hall which do not have the recently purchased blonde furniture in them. Also, the Shepard Hall living room floor will be tiled, with the new pink fabric lounge furniture will be purchased, and the remaining old furniture will be sold.

Q. What use is made of the money from the rec-room coke machines?

A. The money is kept in a fund to be used for dormitory activities decided by the dorm council. The new pool table purchased with part of the money. At present there is a balance of $80 in this fund.

Q. Would it be possible to have in the rec room, machines for candy bars, gum, and cigarettes?

A. Yes, these machines could be installed if there is a popular desire for them. The dorm council will make the final decision concerning these machines.

Q. Is a television set going to be installed in the dorm?

A. No, there is no plans for purchasing a TV set because the expense would be too great.

Q. Would it be possible for girls to room in the dormitories without boarding in Morey Hall?

A. No, the college administration has ruled that girls who live in the dorms must also board in the dorms.

— Pat Wilke

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WINONA WRESTLERS BLANK STEVENS POINT

WARRIOR WARBLES

By Jim Belden

With the winter sports season drawing to a close, it's time to stop and look back at the success our athletic teams have had.

Intramural basketball league was a well-balanced affair, with no champion decided until the final night when three teams ended up on top, and I think Winona State had a good winter, sport-wise.

Let's hope the spring sport's programs produces a conference champion, however. And looking ahead, it appears that this year's baseball team could be bustling with potential wins. The track team, with some returning veteran lettermen, should also be quite strong. So maybe the cheerleaders still have a job here.

TWO TEAMS TIE IN INTRAMURAL B-BALL

In a race right down to the wire, three teams tied for first in the intramural basketball league, although this winter. They were the SHOOTIN' FOOLS, the HUNGRY FIVE and the TWISTERS.

The SHOOTIN' FOOLS, with a 6-2 record, lost record of 6-2.

The HUNGRY FIVE and the TWISTERS, each with a 5-3 record. The other four teams that had dropped out of the league entries had 2-6 records.

The HULA GIRLS, each with a 4-4 record, also lost record of 6-2.

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Intramural Basketball Action

T.C. Loses Thriller to St. Cloud Huskies

In a closely contested conference game, St. Cloud edged by host Winona 71-61, with a scoring spurt in the closing minutes.

A 38-38 halftime score was indicative of the first battle between the two teams, although the Huskies had to overcome Winona's early lead of six points.

St. Cloud had one guard who scored eight baskets from well out on the floor. Add to this the ever-present scoring power of the Westlund brothers, and one can see why Winona lost on a night when they started hot and played good ball throughout.

Gil Regnier, Pete Polus, and Lee Paul had 16, 14, and 12 points respectively for TC.

Mankato Drubs Warriors 88-55

Mankato's Indians, undefeated in their narrow defeat. They forged to a fourteen point lead in the first period and were never in danger.

Jerry Grebin was high point man for Winona with 14 points. Gil Regnier and Pete Polus each had 10.

WARIORS LASH REDMEN 83-75

Pete Polus, hitting his high point total of the year as he poured in 30, led his Warrior teammates to a very enjoyable 83-75 revenge victory over St. Mary's. Three nights later the MARIANS downed GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS, regarded by many as the top team in state college circles.

The Peds led all the way, and at the halfway mark held a 42-29 advantage over their crosstown rivals. The victory prevented St. Mary's from snatching back the city championship this year.

Leading supporting roles, pointwise, were Gil REGNIER, Dave SMITH, and Lee PAUL, with 17, 14, and 13 respectively.

STATE BREAKS EVEN ON NORTHERN TRIP

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For the first time in history, Memorial Hall was used as a site for a wrestling match as the TC grappers downed the visiting Stevens Point team 28-0. About three hundred fans were delighted at their first glimpse of local college wrestling.

The Selke brothers, Kermit and Gordie, start things off the right way by scoring pins over their respective opponents. Kermit's came at 1:07 of the second period and Gordie's came at 1:19 of the third period.

Gil Regnier and Harold Regnier. For many it was the first time they had ridden in an airplane. For the first time in history, Memorial Hall was used as a site for a wrestling match as the TC grappers downed the visiting Stevens Point team 28-0. About three hundred fans were delighted at their first glimpse of local college wrestling.

Winona State Wrestlers — Left to right are Ken Habeck, Earl Christiansen, Jack Strommer, Merle Peterson, Coach Brodhagen, Kermit Selke, Gordon Selke, Clyde Pasvogel, Paul Evenson, and Bruce Burmeister.

TOMORROW

DON'T FORGET— Game and Dance

TOMORROW NIGHT
Campus Club Notes

The Business Club

The Business Club of Winona State is for all majors and minors in both the Business Administrative and Business Education fields. It is open also for anyone taking business subjects or anyone interested in the business field.

The meetings are held once a month, and, in addition to the regular business meeting, some program is presented. It may be a speaker on current business trends as problems, a movie, or a panel of the club members on work experiences or other pertinent question.

Once a year the club takes a day for its field trip. This is usually in the spring. This year about thirty members and their advisors, Miss Gertrude Finch and Dr. Wimoth Price, are planning, on March 18, to tour the Minneapolis Grain Exchange and the Ford Plant. The purpose of these trips is to give the members insight into the various business procedures and the problems that may arise in running a business smoothly and efficiently.

Another annual event is the picnic held each year at the time set for the last meeting. This gives the members a chance to put “personal relations,” to the test and also to elect officers.

Heading this year’s Business Club are Don Schroder, president; Burl Leo, vice-president; Elizabeth Grass, secretary; and Faye Hoffman, treasurer.

Canterbury Club

Canterbury Club, the Episcopalian college group, began an active year on campus with its annual fall dinner to welcome new members. Later a cruise picnic up the Mississippi was made possible by church members who donated the use of their cruisers to the club.

The general program of the club includes corporate Communion and breakfast the second Sunday of each month followed by group discussion based on the book THE WORSHIP OF THE CHURCH. Guest speakers and a series of three talks on aspects of married life comprise the program of evening meetings held the fourth Thursday of each month.

Through a well-rounded program, the Canterbury Club strives to offer its members both religious and social activity.

Club officers are Sue Hubbard, president; and Pat Keln, secretary-treasurer. Dr. Frank Van Alstine is the club advisor.

Wenonah Subscriptions

Still Beef Taken

“Don’t forget, your WENONAH payments are due any time.”

“Pay soon then, if you don’t have the money now.”

Kearney Ritter, Wenonah business manager will again be accepting year book payments during the spring quarter registration. He urges that if you want to be sure of having a yearbook that you pay for part or all of it at that time.

The other members of the Wenonah staff are hoping to have the year book released early in May. Sport, club, and student activity, as well as other pictures have been taken and the staff is now working on copy and page layout.

Marcia Vetr is editor and Dr. Harold Guthrie is year book advisor.

More Dances Planned by Swing Band

On Tuesday, February 8, an informal dance was held in the Smog and the TC Swing Band furnished the music. More of these dances will be held because of the enthusiasm shown at this dance. This dance was just a test to see how many students here at TC are really interested in coming to a few informal dances. The band feels that this is good practice for them and they enjoy playing for an audience.

If anyone has any suggestions to improve the atmosphere of the dance, they should contact Pat Yenco, Merle Peterson, or Dave Laingen. They were appointed as a committee by the Student Council to see that things run smoothly; they welcome constructive criticism.

Part-time Newspaper Work Keeps John Busy

In a recent issue of the Winona Daily News was a brief history of the Laid, Norton Co. of Winona written by Dr. Fred W. Kohlmeyer, a 1943 graduate and a native of Chatfield, Minnesota. He received his Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Minnesota, where he was a history instructor.

Dr. Kohlmeyer is now doing historical research under a grant to Columbia University. He is editing his research on the lumber firm while his wife, the former Helen Ann Borger of Winona, is engaged in a similar project involving the history of James J. Hill and the Great Northern Railroad.

More reports have been received on Winona State graduates in government jobs. Evelyn Barbara Stephens, class of ’48, is a library assistant in Okinawa and Katharine J. Groman, class of ’46, is a recreation leader in Europe.

A recent student at the college, but not yet an alumnus, is Art Maze, who is with the army at the Pentagon. He finds time to take some evening classes at George Washington University to continue his interrupted college work. Art’s address is:

Pfc. Art Maze RA 55409 182 706th S. U. A.P.S.C.


The college was saddened to hear of the death of Mr. John Ploeger, class of ’35, who until his death, was a vocational coordinator at the senior high school in Winona.

John and Mary were married last August. At present they have an apartment here in the city, and John is employed part-time in the Winona Daily News. So far, marriage and school have proved to be a good combination, and John and Mary are about the two happiest people on State’s campus. Luck to two fine students and swell people.

Stan Shepard