

THE BLUGOLD BAND
Half-time Maneuvers
Stevens Point Game, Nov. 1/56

(Narrator Note: the band will wait to begin its performance until the Introduction and Personnel are read. Anticipate the following maneuvers with the proper commentary while the bells play a short theme between each formation.)

INTRODUCTION

football fans

"Good evening friends, students, and faculty of Wisconsin State College. This is _____ bringing you a description of the half-time pageantry for tonight's game. At this time the Blugold Band, of Wisconsin State College at Eau Claire, will present one of its fast-stepping marching and playing spectacles."

BAND PERSONNEL

Dr.

"The director of the Blugold Band is Leo J. Christy. Charles Mehls is the drum-major, and the baton twirlers are Laverne Munding, Marge Canar, and Kay Peterson. Fifty-two students are included in the marching band which is to perform for you now."

OPENING FANFARE

"The Blugold Band is now in its entrance formation on the West sidelines and begins our football pageant with a brilliant, modern fanfare."

THE ENTRANCE (Read during band entrance)

"The band marches to the center of the field to the rhythmic and tuneful strains of "Marching Along Together"."

HI FORMATION (Read when band reaches centerfield)

"Now the Blugold Band greets the Stevens Point hosts by forming HI."

"The HI formation reverses direction to greet the visiting fans in the West bleachers."

TEACHERS' SALUTE (Read during bell theme)

"To honor the state of Wisconsin teachers who are meeting today in Milwaukee for their annual convention, the band forms an outline of a schoolhouse and plays a swing version of "School Days"."

GOOD LUCK FORMATION (Read during bell theme)

"For a good luck omen to their team, the Blugold Band forms a horseshoe next and plays the popular tune, "Lucky Day"."

STEVENS POINT SALUTE (Read during bell theme)

"Now the band plays a stirring march and forms a large letter S to salute the host college and its team."

EAU CLAIRE SALUTE (Read after S changes)

"The letter S is transformed next into a large E for the Blugold team and the Eau Claire fans. The band plays their college "Alma Mater" and invites its fans to join in the singing."

EXIT: "Drum-major Chuck Mehls now leads the Marching Blugolds off the field."
"LET'S GIVE THE BAND A BIG HAND."