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STADIUM WORK BEGINS THIS DAY

S. I. T. A. PROGRAM IN 56TH MEETING WILL EMBODY NEW FEATURES

Program Changes Due To Impending Public School Legislation

SESSIONS BEGIN HERE TOMORROW

Distinguished Organist And Several Speakers On Program

When the Southern Division of the Illinois State Teachers Association meets here tomorrow and Friday in its fifty-sixth annual convention many changes from the ordinary and traditional type of program will be in evidence.

"At the request of the State Teachers' Association, a considerable amount of time is to be given on all division programs this year so that each teacher may be thoroughly informed as to the economic, social, and political changes of the day."

Bertram S. Webber, distinguished eastern organist, will appear on the S. I. T. A. program Thursday evening at 7:30 in a recital. He will play and demonstrate the revolutionary Hammond electric organ.

Mr. Webber, a graduate of the University of Chicago and former organist for Central Church of that city, studied in Paris under Guilmant. He returned to America as choirmaster and organist in Old St. Andrews of Philadelphia.

Miss Julia Jordan will be the featured soloist in the vocal contest. Her song, "The Star of Bethlehem," will be presented in the Junior-High April 2.

CONTEST WINNING PLAY WILL BE GIVEN APRIL 2

"Pantomomium Regius" or "The Beer-King Mystery" in one act will be entered in on the heels of April Fool's day to take its place among the side-splitting melodramas in campus history.

"Pantomomium Regius," which won the Little Theatre contest, was written by Evelyn Miller, with incidental dialogue by Ernest Breaker. The play, which is being directed by Miss Julia Jordan, will be presented in the Junior-High April 2.

ZETETIC SPRING. PLAY TO BE 7TH WEEK OF TERM

For the first time in many years the custom of having the spring plays of both the Socratic and Zetetic literary societies presented during commencement week is to be changed this year.

At the recommendation of Miss Julia Jordan, director of the plays, a committee consisting of members from both societies met and decided that the Zetetic society was to present their play during the seventh week of the spring term.

PLAY RECEIPTS BRING \$242 TO STADIUM FUND

A contribution of \$242.64, accruing from the paid admissions to the Avon Players' two Socratic plays, presented on the Entertainment Course in Shryock Auditorium last Thursday afternoon and night, will be given by the course to the S. I. T. C. stadium fund.

An official estimate of attendance at the two plays, to which college students were admitted on presentation of their activities ticket, gave 1500 as the matinee crowd, and 1500 as the audience for the night performance. It was estimated that at both plays there were 513 high school students, admitted at a price of 25c, and 247 adults, entering under a gate charge of 50c.

No Classes For 12:30 P. M. Thursday

Because of the annual meeting of the Southern Division of the Illinois State Teachers Association which is being held here Thursday and Friday, there will be no classes from Thursday at 12:30 P. M. until Monday morning.

CHICAGO EGYPTIAN CLUB TO SPONSOR VOCAL CONTEST HERE SATURDAY

To Be Preliminary to \$125 Scholarship Competition

The preliminary contest for vocal soloists from the 25th district who wish to compete for the two \$125 scholarships at the Chicago Conservatory of Music, offered under the auspices of the Chicago Egyptian Club, will be held on the campus here at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

The preliminary contest is being sponsored by the Music Department of S. I. T. C., and the travelling expenses to Chicago for the two winning contestants will be paid by the college.

Judges will be qualified music critics of this district, probably including some from the Southern faculty. The two scholarships will be given to the winners of the final contest, participated in by the two representatives from the 22nd, 23rd, 24th, and 25th districts. The finals will be held after the annual dinner meeting of the Chicago Club at the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Sherman on the evening of April 11.

Four Numbers On Socratic Program Tonight

The regular meeting of the Socratic Literary Society will feature four numbers on its program beginning at 7:30 this evening. These will be a vocal appearance by Mrs. T. P. G. in dramatic reading by Laura Williams, a harmonium solo by Ruth Ella Neal and a violin solo by Morrison England.

Personal Experience Furnishes Background For Louis Adamic's Interest In Labor Problems

Bewilderment of Present Day World Expressed By Lecturer, Who Says, "People Are in a Mess"

By GEORGINA LOCKIE

"When did I first become interested in labor problems?" Louis Adamic smiled briefly and immediately became serious again. "I have been interested all by life," he answered. "I became interested through personal experience with labor conditions and working at different professions."

He is a tall, dark, serious man who speaks with a musical, lilting accent and expresses himself in short sentences and forceful restatements.

Mrs. H. W. Shryock Dies Here Monday

Less than a year after the death of her husband, the late S. I. T. C. president, H. W. Shryock, Mrs. H. W. Shryock died at 10 o'clock Monday night at her home here. She was 73 years old. Death came as a result of a heart attack. Mrs. Shryock had been troubled with heart ailments for several years, and since January 1, 1935, had been virtually bedfast as a result of a fractured hip, suffered in a fall.

The funeral is being held this morning at 10 o'clock at the Oakland Cemetery, with the Reverend Charles N. Sharpe officiating. If the weather is inclement, the services will be held at the Presbyterian church. Burial will be at Oakland, where Mrs. Shryock is interred. The procession starts from the funeral home at 9:45.

Honorary pallbearers are F. M. Hewitt, E. E. Mitchell, J. D. Dill, J. E. Mitchell, G. W. Wham, Dr. J. W. Burrow, C. E. Felrich, and Everett Eitherton.

Mrs. Shryock was born Jessie Barnett in Olney, Illinois, on December 17, 1862. She attended public schools in Olney, and was employed by Mrs. Shryock in 1886. She had always maintained an interest in young people, and had served as patroness of the Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority chapter on this campus from 1925 until the death of her husband last spring.

General county canvassing committees for the S. I. T. C. stadium drive have been set up during the past two weeks, largely as a result of the activity of Captain William McAndrew in contacting county superintendents and alumni of this school.

Several County Committees Set Up in Stadium Fund Campaign

Superintendents and Principals Serve As Chairmen

SEEK PERMANENT ALUMNI ORGAN

Such Is Long-Time Objective of Drive

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McDOWELL CLUB TO SING ON WSM PROGRAM FRIDAY

A group of members of the McDowell Club will leave for Nashville, Tennessee, Friday, where they will appear on the S. I. T. C. program which is to be broadcasted over station W.S.M. in the radio station at the George Peabody College in Nashville. They will sing three numbers as follows:

"Cherish Song"—P. S. Tschakowsky. "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee" from "Sleepers, Wake"—Johann S. Bach. "What We Do Me"—traditional Scotch melody arranged by Noble Galt.

The members who will make the trip follow: Sopranos—Frances Tangany, Ruth Hicks, Mary Lee Dixon, Jewell Medlin, Vivian Johnson, Joan Chaudron, Mrs. Timothy Boehm.

PROJECT GETS FINAL WPA APPROVAL

State WPA Office Also Gives Assurance

Probability that work on the S. I. T. C. stadium would begin sometime during this term was expressed Monday by President Roscoe Pulliam, following receipt of a letter from Kent E. Keller, United States Representative from this district.

"The letter, which contains the information that the project has been approved by the Washington office of the WPA, follows in its entirety: 'As you undoubtedly know by this time the stadium project for a grant of \$60,529 has been approved by the Washington office and a warrant for the amount was signed by the Comptroller-General on March 11 and is now either in the state or district office. The official project number of the stadium is 6854,4735, approved by Presidential letter No. 1450.'

Enrollment Of 1300 Recorded

Last Friday evening the S. I. T. C. spring term enrollment figure stood at 1300. The total last year for spring term reached 1365. It is expected that the latter figure will be equalled or exceeded before registration definitely closes.

Entertainment Course To Be Continued Summer Term

Students who will enroll in the summer session will have the opportunity of securing the Egyptian and attending an entertainment course. Neither of these have been offered previously. A special committee, consisting of Dr. W. C. Swartz, chairman, Dr. J. W. Necker, business manager, Dr. B. W. Marvin, Dr. C. H. Cramer, Dr. C. E. Mitchell, and David S. McIntosh, has been appointed to take care of the summer term entertainment course.

Hetherington Gets Rotary Loan

The first S. I. T. C. student to receive aid from the recently established Student Investment Fund created by the Carbondale Rotary Club is Gene Hetherington. It was announced yesterday that Hetherington was the recipient of the \$25 loan for the spring term. Merit as well as need is a determining factor in the selecting of the recipient of Rotary aid.

One Application For A. A. U. W. Loan

There has been one application to date for the A. A. U. W. scholarship loan. It was announced last week that \$1000 has been granted to a junior from the basis of scholarship, personal ability, and promise of teaching integrity.

Mu Tau Pi Will Initiate Virginia Spiller Tomorrow

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"ROMEO AND JULIET" AND "HAMLET" PLAY TO PACKED HOUSES LAST WEEK

Amusing Accidents Mar Matinee Performance; "Hamlet" More Effective

Before packed houses in Shroyok Auditorium last Thursday the Avon Shakespearean Players presented "Romeo and Juliet" and "Hamlet."

Despite a run of bad breaks and some amusing, if unfortunate, accidents, the matinee performance of "Romeo and Juliet" was well received by the large audience.

A commendable and interesting presentation, modern, yet not flippant in tone, of interlarding the plots of the English bard brought about a great appreciation by an audience certainly not steeped in the Shakespearean tradition.

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History Instructors Here May Attend State Convention

Several members of the S. I. T. C. History department are considering attending a program and luncheon which is to be held at Peoria on May 2 in connection with the spring meeting of the Illinois Historical Society.

Further back on the lower floor, it seems that unity among the spectators during the play's appearance. Juliet Falls From Balcony Juliet clattered noisily down from her balcony following one of her love scenes with Romeo, thereby bringing cries of laughter from the fidgety members of the audience.

The Avon Players have been on the road in the present unit for about eight years, playing mostly in the South. They call Atlanta, Georgia, their home office.

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Acceptance Will Probably Be Next Week

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Additional Repair Work To Be Done On Campus Buildings

Probability that bids would be accepted by April 15 is the continuation of remodeling and reconstruction work on the campus by Edward V. Miles, Jr., business agent of the college, this week.

The work which is planned under this continuation of the project calls for improvements in four phases: the Old Science building; Wheeler Library and the creating of an auditorium and class room on the second floor of the Old Science building.

Included in the work to be done in the Old Science building is the installation of a new gymnasium floor, new tile floor in the men's and women's shower rooms, new waterproof walls in the shower rooms, and a stairway leading from the first floor of the gymnasium to the balcony.

The floors will be laid in the first floor entrance and on the second floor corridor. The building will be scaffolded and repainted throughout. Flooring on the second story will be reinstalled and new wiring will be installed in the gymnasium and the second story. Two new rooms will be created from the present physics laboratory.

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In addition to writing Mr. Adamic has another great interest—education. As he became engrossed in this subject he leaned over the seat and energetically explained what it means to him.

"People are in a mess," he exploded. "The world is all messed up. People don't know what they are doing. Facts are crammed into their heads—that's all they know—they are mere shadows." And he went on to explain the theory which constituted his evening lecture.

As he talked, the varying moods which he felt found expression on his face. In this brief time the diverse feelings of joy, sorrow, hopelessness, and thoughtfulness were reflected there while he spoke, capturing impulsively with his head and hands, he concluded his explanation saying, "I have written an article on the subject which I wish you would mention. It is called 'Education on a Mountain' and will be published in the April issue of 'Harris' magazine.'"

Having finished his discussion Mr. Adamic was asked, "What is your opinion of labor conditions in the Southern Illinois coal belt as they stand now?"

"How do they appear to you?" he returned. "I haven't been through here in three years." He then spoke of the article which he wrote on the subject and which appeared in the March 25, 1934 issue of the "Station."

Will Continue Lecturing "Now is there anything else you would like to know," he inquired politely as the eleven o'clock bell method is being advocated as having greater safety. If the appropriation remaining is not sufficient to care for all of these phases of the work only those portions which are regarded as most necessary to the college will be carried out. However, it is reasonably certain that work will be commenced soon after April 10.

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He arose, slung his brow overcoat over his arm, and placed his greenish-gray hat on his head as he strolled out of the auditorium. A keen observer, interested in everything around him, Louis Adamic is a unique figure among the modern prophets of tomorrow. His charm lies in his impulsive manner of speech and fleeting, ironical humor. Even those who consider his solution of the present difficulties fantastic must acknowledge and admire his sincerity in his beliefs.

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KAPPA PHI KAPPA INITIATES FOUR

At a meeting held on Thursday night four new members were initiated into Kappa Phi Kappa. These initiated were Russell M. Nolan, head of the Economics department, Fred E. Lauder, Cartersville High School critic, Troy Hawkins, Principal of a Herrin grade school, and James W. Saffner, Carbondale, Illinois, and a junior in S. I. T. C.

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# LOUIS ADAMIC, IDEALIST, TELLS OF EDUCATIONAL POSSIBILITIES

## Looks to Education to Lead World Out of Chaos

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### Urges Development of The Aesthetic Qualities

Louis Adamic, lecturer, observer, and critic of modern social and economic problems, explained his idealistic solution of present day troubles to the crowd which gathered in the Shryock auditorium Thursday night to hear the speaker brought here by the American Association of University Women organization.

In his address, entitled, "Why Lies the Future of Humanity?" Mr. Adamic expounded his theory of education as a means to make humans realize the best way to live and bring the world out of the present chaos.

Speaking in an unusual style, distinguished by vivid descriptive passages and unexpected insertions of American slang for emphasis, Mr. Adamic's sincere and earnest interpretation of his theory held the attention of the audience from the beginning to the conclusion of his speech, regardless of

the listeners' personal beliefs on the subject.

The writer, who attained recognition by his books recording his experiences as a laborer in various types of occupations, began his address with a description of the world situation as he sees it. For this audience he painted a picture of mankind, sordid and hopeless in every detail.

"I am one of those people who believe that the business of human living has not yet begun," he commented. "The masses of men are still caught in the night, and they stumble about like sleepwalkers, driven by vague, twisted dreams, oppressed and torn by nightmarish, hysterical, jittery, vainly unconscious as to what is happening to them, what they are doing, although few are awake and afraid, the masses still remain in the dark, living without themselves."

Here Mr. Adamic gave a more concrete description of the situation in which people of today find themselves. He spoke of the bewildered feeling to which they are subjected. Although they are for the most part misfits in their jobs, he believes firmly in their potentialities. "A great many men and women now are living who are full of potential power, full of incipient high qualities which are not developed," he stated.

Blames Administrators for Lack of Imagination

For this state in which the world finds itself today, Mr. Adamic blames the politicians, the soldiers, the technologists and the traders. He says that these people lack the spark necessary for correct living, the trait of creative, positive, long range imagination.

Launching into this theory, Mr. Adamic explained: "The chief distinction between man from other creatures in this world is his divinely, positively, positive imagination. Man has in him a bit of God. But the trouble is that he has never given it a chance."

Thus, to extract the world from the present chaos, Mr. Adamic recommends that artists be substituted for the politicians, schemers, and technologists, whom, according to his belief, the colleges and universities are producing. "Education should be producing people whose values will be qualitative and not quantitative."

# S. I. T. C. DEBATERS CLOSE SEASON AGAINST WASHINGTON U. APRIL 2

## Spiller and Walker Will Be Southern Representatives

In the final forenoon tilt of the season Virginia Spiller and Mildred Walker, S. I. T. C. debaters, will meet Washington University in St. Louis on April 2. They will uphold the affirmative of the question, "Resolved, that the United States should cooperate with the League of Nations in the economic matters provided in the Covenant of the League."

Last Wednesday representatives of McKendree College met at S. I. T. C. team in a non-decision debate in the Auditorium of the Allyn building. Roy Grabel and John Oppitz of McKendree captured the victory in the Supreme Court question, while William Browning and Allen Buchanan defended the negative.

The visitors were accompanied by their coach, Dr. Earl W. Hayter. All the debaters were entertained at a dinner after the debate.

lative; people who will be eternally modern and as such distinguished not by what they will know, but by what they will do with what they know."

To evade the happiness which he believes will be attained not in the present but in future generations, Mr. Adamic stated that the people educated as artists should occupy the center of life, that they should become the directors of human affairs, occupying the high places in this country.

### Education Must Develop Emotions

Placing upon education the responsibility of producing these artists, Mr. Adamic then listed what he considers the aims of education. "Education," he asserted, "should develop young people into artists whose lives will be artistic, whose lives will be the artistic approach. Education must begin to realize that man will have to learn to follow ideals and ideas instead of one another. It must develop the emotions as well as the intellect."

Education must bring some people," he continued, "to the realization of what they are fit for, what their jobs are, what exactly is the way in which they are unique, what sort of artists they are."

In describing the traits which the youth must possess he predicted that they must become consumers of the world, able to differentiate between the politician and the artist; in addition to being sensitive, they must also be calm, decisive and strong enough to face the world and be able to cope with the adverse conditions which they may encounter. The lecturer ended his address with a plea to give the artist in the human a chance.

The interest which Mr. Adamic aroused in his listeners manifested itself in the open forum which followed the best of interest when those who desired to meet the lecturer were given the opportunity to converse with him. In the discussion he stated his belief that the ultimate goal for human happiness will be achieved through collectivism. He again emphasized the major rule which education must play in the change, saying, "Students could bring about the change. Even now there is a great deal of discontent and misery among the teachers everywhere. It is a widespread thing in the colleges and universities. It is education which must produce people well-organized within themselves who will in turn produce the change."

## S. I. T. C. Debate Club Is Admitted Into State Group

At the Illinois Intercollegiate Debate Tournament on March 13 and 14, the S. I. T. C. Debate Club was admitted into the Illinois Association. The annual state tournament was held at Bloomington and Normal with Illinois Wesleyan and I. S. N. U. as hosts to the nineteen colleges entered.

Defeat captured the team in the women's division where teams from eleven colleges debated the League questions question. Wheaton was victorious in the men's division, in which thirty-four men's teams decided the fate of the Supreme Court.

The trophies were presented to the winning schools at a luncheon Saturday at Fell Hall. The debaters' coaches, and judges were guests at a reception on the preceding evening.

Representing S. I. T. C. in the tournament were four teams: affirmative, Mildred Walker and Earl Pennington; negative, Evelyn Miller and Virginia Spiller; affirmative, Lowell Samuel and Vernon Hicks; negative, William Browning and Allen Buchanan.

These teams were coached by Dr. Charles D. Tenney, Wendell Margrave and Dr. Tenney were judged in the tournament.

This is the first year teams from this school have entered a tournament, but their ability was demonstrated in that they won decisions from four colleges.

# Faner to Begin Duties as Dunbar Sponsor Tuesday

Robert H. Faner, who has consented to be the Dunbar sponsor, will begin his duties next Tuesday at the society meeting in the Allyn building. He will deliver a short talk in which he will give a brief outline of his plans for the future.

The society had its regular meeting last Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the Allyn building assembly. The event of the evening was a talk on "Native American Poetry," given by Dr. Charles D. Tenney of the English department. His talk centered around "Hill-Billy" poems that contained many musical passages. He read poems depicting life in the hills of Georgia. After his talk, different members of the society asked questions concerning his topic.

# Washington University Speakers Address A. A. U. W. Meeting

Mrs. Starbird, dean of women of Washington University and Miss Ingram of the Nursing school were guest speakers at a tea given by the A. A. U. W. Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ingram was born in China, where she spent the early years of her life. She was, therefore, well able to present a picture of the various types of Chinese women. She feels that Chinese women cannot yet be discussed because they vary so much in different sections of the country and in status of social standing. However, Miss Ingram expressed the belief that it makes no difference in what social standing the Chinese women find herself, as she is content with that position which makes for happiness for all Chinese women.

Mrs. Starbird discussed attitudes that are considered important among college students.

# MOVIEING AROUND WITH RADIO NOTES

## By Anthony Venegoni and Virginia Cummins

"Top Hat," "Roberta," and now, "Follow the Fleet" and "Ginger Rogers" to be the masters of that malleable art, dancing. You can have your Eleanor Powell, Bill Robinson, Ruby Keeler, and Hal LeRoy, Astaire and Rogers are still tops, and their latest picture, "Follow the Fleet" is the best Astaire and Rogers story material firmly entrenched the team as first rate among the "flicker" dancers.

Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire seem to bring something different to their dances. I don't know what it is; whether it's that Noel Coward look in Fred Astaire's face, or that "Just try it, big boy" look in Ginger Rogers, but it is different from the run of the mill tap dances that we see so much. The interpretation of "Face the Music and Dance" was a challenge to anyone's artistic sense.

Harold Lloyd has made very few pictures lately, but whatever he has made, has been good. "Milky Way" is the usual Lloyd film—little innocent boy knocks out big, bad bully—result: Innocence becomes famous—leads to big financial success. "Dances a Jolt to Bring Her Down to Earth." Whatever is lacking in the originality of the plot is made up by the freshness and sincerity of the acting in this film. It takes one back five or ten years, when one, as a child, could scarcely wait for one Harold Lloyd picture to another.

People have always felt that underneath it all, Jean Harlow wasn't so bad. There must be something good about her. "Wife Versus Secretary" proves that with a sympathetic side Harlow will give interest from the beginning and holds it to the end.

This play is of that very sophisticated type, packed full of dual-meaning lines. There are grand clothes, beautiful apartments, and luxurious offices. One always, however, the film must not have been edited very well. In one scene between Gable and Myrna Loy in which even "Joe College" could learn something new about "smooching." Myrna Loy made an error in English which seemed very incongruous to the rest of the setting—"When is holding on to who?"

It's hard to say why one dislikes George Raft. Maybe it's the knowledge that he has to stand on a stool to make love to a lady because he is so short; maybe it's hard to say, but he does gain one's wholehearted distrust and worst wishes. "It Had to Happen," his latest, tries to make Raft appear sympathetic. But it is so "wish-washing" that it falls utterly. Rosalind Russell, however, does a good job. She had time to share honors with Raft.

# RADIO NOTES.

The Columbia Broadcasting System has arranged for three broadcasts of major interest during the month of April. A magnificent Prime Sunday service from Jerusalem is the first of those on April 5. The second is the Easter benediction of Philip Pius XI from Vatican City. The last is DeWanda Roosevelt's address to the Young Democrats of Maryland, from Baltimore.

The Easter program from the Vati-

can will probably be heard at 8:30 A. M., EST. The benediction is to be given from the balcony of St. Peter's Church. The Sistine Choir and a description of the Pappal procession will also be presented on this Easter program.

The famous Crimean War ballad, "Abdul Amrui Amir" was "revived" by Frank Crumit over the Columbia network Sunday. The song has a very colorful history, and Mr. Crumit was responsible for the first recording of the story of Abdul. Rex Ames Williams, noted writer, suggested the idea to Crumit. Before this the song had been merely a legend handed down by word of mouth. Mr. Crumit took the suggestion and his "recording" sold more than 2,600,000 records, and is selling yet.

The final concert in the weekly series of "Understanding Opera" was presented over the Columbia network on Sunday. The program consisted of selections from four American operas. "Nabucco" by Victor Herbert; "Shanevitz" by Charles Wakefield Cadman; "The King's Henchman" by Deems Taylor; and George Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess," were played by Howard Barlow's Symphony Orchestra.

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The Egyptian extends sympathy to Ernest Shryock, of the S. I. T. C. art department, in his bereavement caused by the death Monday of his mother, Mrs. H. W. Shryock. Mrs. Shryock was the wife of the former president of this college, who died last April 11.

# S. I. T. C. Graduate To U. of I. Board

Orville M. Karraker of Harrisburg has been named by the University of Illinois board of trustees as the new president of the board. He replaces Walter W. Williams of Benton. Mr. Karraker was graduated from S. I. T. C. in the class of 1935.

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Faculty News

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Tenney spent the week-end in St. Louis. While there they went to see "Dodsworth."

Dr. Richard L. Boyer made an address before all the civic clubs of Johnston City at a Public Relations dinner meeting sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club.

During Spring vacation Mrs. Dorothy Muszey visited the Physical Education departments of several colleges in Texas, Texas Christian University in Fort Worth, the Southern Methodist University in Dallas, North Texas Teachers College and the College of Industrial Arts in Denton where those visited.

Miss Luella Denny from Canyon City, Colorado is visiting her sister.

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SEVERAL COUNTY COMMITTEES SET

(Continued from page one) T. C. has been accompanying Mr. McAndrew on the trips to their respective counties. Faculty Members Volunteer Assistants

Several faculty members have volunteered to serve as assistants to the general county committee in the various counties. These instructors and the counties for which they will serve are as follows: Wayne county, W. G. Cisar; Jefferson county, R. E. Muckelroy; Perry county, John I. Wright; Franklin county, Dr. M. M. Steegh; Jackson county, Dr. R. A. Scott; Union county, W. O. Brown; Saline county, R. M. Nolen.

The names of about 18,000 former students of this college are now on file at the stadium office. This is the larger part of the \$2,000 names on the record at the President's office of persons who have been registered here. The work of obtaining these names is being carried on steadily with two FSA students working in the administrative office every hour.

The complete list of all alumni of this school who are now teaching in Illinois has been received from the office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in Springfield. This list includes approximately 2500 names.

Another general letter to the alumni will be mailed this week to tell them of the progress of the funds drive thus far.

Cooperation from the scattered groups has been extremely good, with pronounced activity in Chicago, St. Louis, Springfield, and Washington, D. C.

The report of the Springfield collections will be made at the meeting of the Southern division of the Illinois State Teachers here this week. The report will be delivered by Miss Vera A. Crain, who is in charge of those collections. President Roscoe Pulliam and Captain McAndrew will attend the annual dinner meeting of the Chicago Egyptian Club April 11. At this dinner a special table will be reserved for alumni of Southern Illinois Normal University.

Mueller Heads Washington Activity Activity in Washington, D. C., has centered around Alina D. Mueller, who is in charge of the collections. Dr. Mueller is a former student of this college. Among the Washington contributions is a check for \$10 from Dr. Clarence Hodge and his wife, formerly Jane Warren. Both are alumni of this school.

KNECHT ELECTED AG CLUB HEAD

During a brief meeting of the Agriculture club last Thursday night, Walter Knecht was elected president. He replaces Dale Hill, president for the last two terms. Loren Hardy was elected the vice-president. H. E. Muckelroy, sponsor of the club, gave a brief talk at this meeting.

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Why has this school such an abominable library system? Of course, we all know that the library is too small, due to the reserve system, to accommodate students who have to study in the library. We know that the library is too poorly arranged to give the students ample room and privacy, which are necessary for satisfactory work. We know that the library is rather poorly stocked with books. But those subjects have been discussed to great length before among the students. Such faults can not be laid upon the shoulders of the people who are at present in charge of this school.

Surely the purpose of a college library is to encourage the use of books. Our library not only fails to encourage the student to avail himself of its resources, but it imposes such regulations that the average student loses interest in attempting to do individual work. Do you think that the Southern library is functioning as it should?

I have stated my ideas concerning the facts of the S. I. T. C. library, I wish that someone would point out to me the errors in my statements or join in an attempt to obtain a DECENT library and library service which would be attractive, rather than repulsive, to the student.

Sincerely, CHAS. W. MATHEWS

LOST AND FOUND

Illinois white gold ladies wrist watch with black ribbon bracelet. Lost either in Shyrack Auditorium or between auditorium and car parked in the circle, Thursday night, March 19. Reward. Mae Abel, phone 301, 807 W. Schwartz St., Carbondale.

Few additions to the collection of lost articles in the President's office were made the past week, and there are the usual gloves, books, pens, and pencils.

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I. S. T. A. PROGRAM WILL EMBODY NEW FEATURES

(Continued from page one)

State of Mississippi; member of State Teacher Training Survey, Alabama; and General Education Board Fellow, National Education Association. An all Southern Illinois high school band of ninety pieces will give a concert Friday afternoon at 1:30. The band will be under the direction of George McDermaid from Westport.

The general program follows: General Sessions—Shyrack Auditorium, Thursday Morning—9:00 Call to Order—Floyd Smith, Retiring President.

Invocation—Rev. M. P. Schoedel. Address of Welcome—President Pulliam. President's Address—W. R. Main.

Report of Secretary—May Hawkins. Report of Treasurer—M. L. Hunt. Report of Financial Secretary—George McDermaid.

Auditing Committee—Chairman's Report. Report of N. E. A. Delegate—Floyd Stahl.

Report of Illinois Teachers Protective Association—E. N. Powers. Mark—Harrisburg, Harmsworths—Fred Wanderlic, Bernon Lynch, Edward Lee and Brother Taylor.

Address—"The Place of Physical Education in a School Curriculum"—Dr. James A. Stinson.

The Nominating Committee will meet in the south second floor room of the Auditorium at the close of the Thursday morning session.

Friday Morning—9:00 "The Teachers' Pension and Other Laws"—T. A. Reynolds. Report of Nominating Committee—Chairman.

Report of Resolutions Committee—E. E. Heston. Report of Public Relations Committee—Elliott Fullerton.

Report of Constitution Revision Committee—Bruce W. Merwin. Report of Legislative Committee—A. Walker.

Report of State Executive Committee—S. E. Sullivan. New business. Address—John A. Wieland.

Friday Afternoon—1:30 Music—Southern Illinois All High School Band. Address—Fred L. Hestler. Address—"The Modern Teacher Looks Ahead"—Charles W. Knudsen.

Pulliam Speaks At Teachers' Meet President Roscoe Pulliam gave a talk at the Teachers' Institute meeting at Effingham last Friday. His subjects were "The Fundamental Principles of Teaching," "The General Economic Background of School Finance," and "Some War Poems."

Notre Dame has instituted a two-year course in Graduate Apologetics.

New Features In Summer Term

The opening of the eight weeks summer session on June 3 will see a great number of departures from tradition. For the first time an extension course and an Egyptian are being offered. There will also be a three-day conference for teachers and school administrators, which will be held at the college beginning Wednesday, June 17.

Quitting from the summer session bulletin, "a program of lectures and group discussions, which will be open to anyone who is interested in education whether he is registered as a student in the summer session or not, will be provided. An added feature of this conference will be an educational exhibit by the publishing companies of books and other materials of interest to teachers." The details of this conference will be announced later.

Regulations governing classes are much the same as those of last year. Classes will meet five times a week.

There are \$11.25 for persons who sign the agreement to teach, and \$12.57 for those who do not.

Types of Philosophy, 300, the new course being taught by Dr. Charles D. Tenney, will again be offered during the summer session.

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