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Volume X

CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS, APRIL 30, 1930

LARGE INCREASE IN ENROLLMENT MARKS START OF MID-SPRING TERM

LATE REGISTRATION WILL BE Bryant-Aiken Close PERMITTED TO ACCOMODATE TEACHERS IN SERVICE

city achools will not be closed day if nece

mid-spring term hitherto has year. d students to the Southern Tenchers' College: this year cies. Teachen from all the state professor that he got--Appel 25, they could be seen a second to the in again in the fall, are souldoes of the opportunity. The Egyptian last been we At this rate the carring of a degree Many of the receive their degrees, are taking no essarily had responsible vacation at all, but coming to college as soon as their eight months of teaching are over.

is doubly important that those who are in the teaching profession, or mean to be in it, get their senior col- Roland Hayes Club lege diplomas at the very earliest possible convenience

In order to take care of this ne group of students, certain classes are that class once a day during the six ceks. There are other new classes being organized so that there is no

(Continued on Page Six.)

Dick Watson Leads

bers which were very interesting. A report was given of the Y. M. C. A. officers' training conference which was held two weeks ago at Chicago. John Martiney played a harmonica solo. All the boys took part in the Christ." This was led by Dick Wat- ed by the Socratic Literary Societyvoted to the Lake Geneva proposition and the retreat which the Y. M. soon Not so dumb, which is the talkie intends to make. There was a great version of the legitimate stage play aroused the boys interest. Until this present the last week of this term.

Successful Year

There has been quite a decided increase the enrollment of this school
during the last three days. No defias business manager are concerned,

has defined as business manager are concerned,

has do no timely subject matter. Difnite statement of the number of new it was last Wednesday that the ferent forms of verse were studiedstudents can be ascertained at the Egyptian was turned over to the new the ballad, the quantrain, the quintet. present time because enrollment is management, namely to Orville Alex- Afterwards original poems of the not complete. Many of the rural ander and James Storment. The members were read and discussed merit of these two, though extremely and the end of the week and in or is that the end of the week and in or is the end of the week and in or is the end of the week and in or is that the end of the week and in or is that the end of the week and in or is that the end of the week and in or is that the end of the week and in or is the end of the week a der to accommodate these teachers, leaders. Their's has been establish-

the with it a large number of worthy of receiving a gold medal signifying third rank in a national conng Tenchens' College editest am tions, are instead worthy of the tion and positionic of the sta-One set con dent back. --merties to make a paper that can be University Students holed upon with as much per

Of course, the managers have not alone been responsible for the meriication. They have nec- of Illinois com terious pub bers, those who were willing to take With the new certificating laws it ervision from the well-chosen faculty the natural vegetation and an nuls. advisors.

arranged so that they may be enter- Hayes Club entertained the student serve near Anna-Jonesboro. ed at the mid-spring term and half a body with a number of enjoyable se-purple azalea is ordinarily found in credit may be earned by reciting in lections. The first of these was the mountains of the East. Large was followed by a typical Negro spir-racers were also obtained. itual entitled "Who Swallowed Jon-Perhaps the climax of their trip by Penn, concluded the selections. Y.M.C.A. Meeting vented an encore. The club has sev-nois but have not been found for sev-The Y. M. C. A. program of last hope that they will continue to give as examples of animals who have lost eek consisted of a group of num-us these excellent chapel entertainments.

SOCRATIC PLAY CAST GUESTS OF THEATRE

Miss Trovillion and eleven of the Socratic members—the cast from discussion of "The Manhood of Dulcy, the spring play to be presentwere given complimentary tickets to son. The rest of the hour was de-the Barth theatre Friday evening, April 26, to see Marion Davies, in deal of Lake Geneva literature that the Socratics are getting ready to

ering them complimentary tickets.

Original Poetry Read by Members of Writers' Club

The Writers' Club had its meeting Normal Tennis Team Thursday, April 24, in the new Science building. The topic discussed Last week's Egyptian was really ized the good qualities of a clever

The significance of the club is is not the case with those out-going to publish a journal of high literary sion is given them to register ed by the publication of the past executive board for this undertaking includes:

> Editor-in-Chief. Donald Payne. Editor of Puetry, Helen De Editor of Creative Writing, Made he Reguill.

Min. Burhaur is the very offe adding of this club.

Thirty students of the University tion and a large numb etaff mem- ogy and Ornithology classes of Pro-Further, they have had excellent sup- Southern Illinois, making a study of no trouble in making it two straight.

Some of the most noteworthy of their findings were: The red buck- High School Contest eye, in full bloom at Horse Shoe Lake and the new forest preserve near Sings in Chapel Anna-Jonesboro, and the purple azales, in full bloom on the hills near Last Tuesday morning the Roland Alto Pass and in the state forest pre-"June," written by the poet Lowell specimens of the water mocassin, copand arranged by Schnecker. This perhead, spreading adders and blue

"Across the River," arranged came on the last day of their stay when they found blind fish. Blind The group was loudly applauded by fish have been known to occur in the the audience, but lack of time pre-caverns and springs of Southern Illieral new members this term and we eral years. They are commonly given an organ becausee of the disuse of that particular organ.

While they were at the State For est Preserve, the students inspected the site of the wild turkey pen. It is here that the state hopes to raise wild turkeys to turn them loose, so that n time Southern Illinois may again have the historic wild turkey distributed throughout the region.

"PETE" RAY, JUMPER,

The Normal track squad will be substantially helped by Alma "Pete" Ray, of Goreville, who entered school thinking of sending delegates this Mr. Jarrett for his kindness in tend-last year, excelling in the broad jump.

NORMAL TRACK TEAM PLACES SECOND IN OUADRANGULAR NIGHT MEET

Trounces Cape 4-1

Last Wednesday the Maroon tennis Last Thursday night under flood the year when they downed the Cape ished second in the quadrangular team four matches to one on the meet at Lebanon. The Maroon total clean sweep in the singles.

In the singles Muckelroy conquer ed Adams, 6-2, 6-3, and Litner turn- a had start when Wright placed only ed in a decided win over Pritchard third in the hundred yard dash. The by the same margin. Wilson won Normal sprinter was defeated a secother match from Poe in fine style by a score of 6-1, 6-3. Pritchard seemed to be the lender of the visitors, but all the players were Since Cape etty well matched safe houseig times players. Principri ber of beth o

ed with Ac and the Madelon and scient only victory for Cape 64, 62 and m and Principal T me Lines, 6-L 7-a. The last art as shown by the some was the Visit Southern Illinois and due on of the count.

ens were it gree er of visitors using the Animal Ecol- and students were present

This evening at Cape the team is fessor V. E. Shelford and Dr. A. R. playing a return engagement and Cann spent their Easter vacation in from the showing here, should have

Here on Friday A half inch was the winning margin.

Contest B of the Central Egyptian day, May 2. High schools participating are Elkville, Pinckneyville, Du Quoin, University High, Zeigler, and Sesser. University High has the following entries:

Girl's solo, "Thunder Waters" Cadman; Irene McLean.

2. Dramatic reading. Mary Ellen Woods.

Boys' Quartette-Seybert Phil-3. lips, Bob Wlecke, Harold Laney, Deward McLean; "A Little Close Harmony"—O'Hara.

4. Cornet solo, "Carnival of Ven--Clarke; Deward McLean. ice'

5. Boys' solo, "Out on the Deep' Lohr: Harold Laney.

MEMBERS OF STRUT AND FRET VISIT ST. LOUIS

Last Saturday two car loads of Strut and Fret members went to St. to 51 1/2. Louis to see the Ben Greet players in two of Shakespeare's best plays, the season. Shurtleff placed only Twelfth Night, and Hamlet. The fol- fourth in uthe four-sided meet at Mc-JOINS TRACK TEAM lowing members were in the party: Kendree last week and seems destin-Miss Trovillion, Emma Louise Brown, ed to make a much better showing Katherine Bellamy, Lena Mosley, Jan-ette Evans, Thelma Hatch, Leo aration for downing McKendree lataroused the boys interest. Until this present the last week of this term, kay, of Goreville, who entered school by the boys have given the confer... It is the wish of those attending at the mid-spring term, Ray was a Brown, and John Mitchell. The er on. The meet will afford Stratton ence little thought, but are seriously the Barth Friday evening to thank very valuable member of the team Strut and Fret members were glad to another chance at McBrian in the have this opportunity to see these quarter-mile run, a feature race in famous players.

McKENDREE IS WINNER BY VIR-TUE OF STRONG SHOWING; **MAROONS WIN 4 FIRSTS**

men met their first competition of lights, the S. L. N. U. track team finhome courts. The visitors were only was 52 points. McKendree won with able to split even in the two doubles 81 points, Cape was third with 13, matches and their opponents made a and Shurtleff a close fourth with

> The Southern Teachers gut ond time in the two-twenty by a small marrie Saunders and Mener of McKendree who won the are admittedly first, but a poor st did samething to bunding Wright.

Stracton finished first in the o -F 55m tion also saw has on our refer to THE BUILDING

Airm to at the two McLene instead the built. House of McLoud. ses to be a real star.

Watson won the high ju out going his limit, and Davis took the pole vault with Swofford in a three way tie for second.

Captain Bricker captured the discus with 135 feet, eight inches but did not place in the shot put which was won by Martin on his last throw.

Novotny of McKendree was high point man with three firsts and three Intellectuals will be held here on Fri-fourths. McKendree won every track event except the quarter which Shurtleff took.

The cold night air made warming up a problem and was clearly a handicap to record performances. SUMMARIES

100 yard dash—1st, Meyer, M.; (Continued on Page Six)

Track Squad Has **Busy Week Ahead**

This evening the Maroon track team invades the Eastern Teachers' stronghold at Charleston. In the last few meets with the Easterners competition has always been very strong. Last year ,due to the excellent work of Woll, Wright, and Byars, who gar-nered two firsts each, the Marcons came out on top by a score of 83%

Saturday the team meets Shurtleff in the second hame engagement of



NORMAL GYMNASIUM IS ONE OF BEST

court was sufficient for some time, er rooms. but about six years ago, separate Although it was evident that the Now we have one of the best gymcourts were desired for boys and \$150,000 would not be sufficient, the nasiums in this part of the state. It girls. An appropriation of \$150,000 architect was instructed to begin the will now compare favorable with that construction of the building. He had of any other college and the boys ed from the State Legislature, but it court on the second floor when the fine building by turning out some of

The first basketball team of this gymnasium desired could not be built gymnasium stood with only half of institution played before a cheering for \$150,000. The plans for the new th second story finished. In 1926 crowd on the third floor of the Main building included a regulation sized the General Assembly appropriated court for the boys with a smaller one \$20,000 to complete the building. Later when he Science for the girls, a battery of twenty Senator Wilson and Representative building was constructed, space was showers for the boys and fifty for Waller were especially prominent in allowed for a basketball court. This the girls, and a number of large lock- securing the required appropriations

Although it was evident that the soon became evident that the kind of funds gave out. For two years the the best basketball teams in the state.

for the building of this gymnasium.

Now we have one of the best gymfor building a gymnasium was secur- completed the first floor and the boys' have shown their appreciation for this

Agriculture Club Nominates Officers

Last Thursday evening the Ag Club held its regular meeting in the Zetetic hall at 7:00 o'clock. After the nomination of new officers for the next six weeks the following program was rendered:

Talk, Farming and Farm People, Mr. Dale Curry.

Reading 'Sposin Case, by Miss Ruth Miller. Music, Saxaphone solo by Mr. Har-

ry Garnet.

If you want to hear some real farm problems discussed from every side, just come to the Ag Club every time it meets.

Don't forget the big entertainments to be held during the Mid-Spring term. There will be the ice cream and strawberry social at the State Farm and doubtless other functions of importance.

Rapidity Hog

In days of yore, if anybody missed a stage coach, he was contented to wait two or three days for the next one. Now he has a spasm if he misses one section of a revolving door.

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Brush Boys' Quartet Sings to Socrats

The meeting of the Socratic Literary Society last week was another event long to be remembered in the history of the organization. Besides the orchestra performance the boys' quartet of the Brush school seventh grade boys, under the direction of Miss Hannah Morgan, sang a couple of songs, both of which were thoroughly enjoyed.

Mrs. Burke demonstrated-with the aid of Harold Graves how to make up a face to represent different characters. This is something that hose who are going out to teach English in high school, and coach plays will need to do. Mrs. Burke's demonstration was beneficial because it taught others to make up characters.

The play of the evening was Dregs, a tragedy. The story of it is: Har-old Graves, a kidnapper, has just kidnapped a little girl and brought her home. Bertie Hoopaw, his hitherto accomplice in crime, objects to stealng the child. This child proves to be one that has been recently adopted by a certain judge in the city. The motive in the kidnapping, of course, is to get a reward—ransom money. Bertie decides the hest thing to do would be to get Harold to sleep, and then take the child away perhaps to police headquarters. She gives Harold sleeping powder. Before he goes to sleep he tells of his life-the reason for his choosing

a life of crime-how he once had a little girl about the age that this little girl was, and how his wife left him for another man. Then came times that were indeed trying. Harold turned hold-up man, was caught. sentenced. When he came out he found that his child had been taken by a charity society, but he could find no trace of his child—his own flesh and blood, and though his father's heart yearned for the child, it did no good. He was a childless man. So his life of crime was thoroughly started. He just kept on. Now this crime, this kidnapping. . . . Then he goes to sleep. While he is sleeping Bertie goes to the child, utters a cry of horror. We think that the child is dead, but it proves not to be. Then in comes a policeman-Shelby Martin, and a "dick"-Earl Logan. Harold's crime is found out. But just as he draws his revolver, meaning to do violence, it is discovered that the child he kidnapped is his own child. Nothing can be done with a

CAPE TEACHERS EMPLOY **NEW ATHLETIC COACH**

man for stealing his own child.

Southeast Missouri Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau has employed a new football, basketball and track coach. George Flamank, one of the greatest athletes the University of Missouri ever had, has taken charge. Coach Courieux has been made ath-that he intended to do no n letic director and will also teach physical training. Cape, determined to have a good football team next fall, Prince and attendants, breaking down ave been having spring practice for he last month and are topping the he last month and are topping the ment. . . . Miraculously healed, seriod off by having Coach Gwinn Prince Henry marries the devoted Tenry from Missouri down for a veek's instruction.

A new stadium, built beside the field house, which was constructed ome years ago, will be dedicated by the Maroons when they go there for 1 football game next fall.

Dr. Beyer: "Is it true that you uwboys are bibulous?" Lariat Luke: "Hell, I ain't seen a Bible in 20 years."

Chorus Gives Cantata for Benton Club

On Monday evening the Commun. ity Chorus and several members of the McDowell Club motored to Benton to present the cantata, The Golden Legend, by Sullivan. The prograffi was held at the Baptist church under the auspices of the Music Club of that place.

The Golden Legend was given under the direction of Prof. Margrave. The soloists were: Mrs. D. S. McIntosh, Miss Bessie Bevis, Prof. D. S. McIntosh, and Henry Deers. The solos were sung in a very pleasing manner, and were enthusiastically received by the audience.

The chorus work demonstrated careful training and was sung with effectiveness.

In addition to the cantata several choral selections were presented by the chorus under the excellent direction of Prof. D. S. McIntosh.

Mrs. J. M. Marberry, serving as pianist, accompanied the selections in a talented and artistic way.

A very pleasing feature of the program was the reading of the prologue by Mrs. J. M. Neckers. The prologue tells the story of the cantata

The audience expressed its appreciation of the fineness of the program by their enthusiastic response. The story is: Prince Henry, of Ho-

heneck, lying sick in body and mind at his castle at Vautsberg, on the Rhine, has consulted the famous physicians of Salserno, and learned that he can be cured only by the blood of a maiden who shall, of her own free will, consent to die for his sake. Regarding the remedy as impossible, the Prince gives way to despair, when he is visited by Lucifer, disguised as a traveling physician. The Fland tempts him with alcohol, to the fastination of which he ultimately yields in such measure as to be deprived of place and power, and driven forth as an outcast

Prince Henry finds shelter in the cottage of one of his vassals, whose daughter, Elsie, moved by great comession for his fate, resolves to sacrifice her life that he might be restored, he prayers of her mother. Ursula, are of no avail to turn her from this purpose, and, in due time, Prince Henry, Elsie, and their attendants set out for Salerno. On their way they encounter a band of pilgrims, with whom is Lucifer, in the garb of a friar. He also is journeying to Salerno.

On reaching their destination, Prince Henry and Elsie are received by Lucifer, who has assumed the form of the Friar Angelo, a doctor of the medical school. Elsie persists in resolve to die, despite the opposition of the Prince, who now declares test her constarcy. Lucifer draws Elsie into an inner chamber, but the the door, rescue her at the last memaiden, and is restored to his rightful place.

The role of Elsie is taken by Honnold McIntosh; Ursula, the mother of Elsie, is sung by Miss Bessie Bevis; Prince Henry by Henry Deers, and Lucifer by Prof. David S. McIntosh. After the performance refresh

ments were served. The same program was given at the First Christian church, Carbondale, Friday evening, April 25.

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Narrator cut down cherry tree when he was but a child. Father (who is accused of having killed his wife) draws a bloody knife from his pocket, and starts toward narrator who is only a small boy. Lad know ing that he is meaning to kill him, runs out through the orchard, screaming, father close behind waving a bloody knife.

"Stop!" yelled my father.

But I heeded not. On I ran. On Father was almost upon me. . . . Now continue the story.

CHAPTER III.

I could hear my father's heavy breathing. If I could just keep out of his reach for a few more seconds he would be out of breath. But he was almost upon me. What to do! I could feel that bloody knife sinking into my back. Feel the cold steel deeper and deeper! O!

That just put me in high!

"You little devil!" Such words to come from one's father. On I ran. There was nothing else for me to do. Either that or die. And I didn't want to die. Didn't want to be murdered!

"Hear me!" This was a wrathful call. Wrathfull and full of vengeance. If he caught me! And he was almost upon me now.

Then he touched my back. That acted as a spur to my speed. I lurched forward. Even so his knife slit my shirt, and burned my back. I could feel the smarting burn of an open wound. I had to escape.

Then there was the fence! A high fence. Of course I could not jump over it. Father couldn't even do that. It was too high! And to get through In a split second I saw an opening just big enough to creep through. I ran staright for that. Father was almost within grasping distance of me now. But the gap in the fence. It was not big enough for father to get through. If I could but make it!

Then my legs were weak. I had over-exerted myself. I felt trembly as if I were going to faint. There was nothing for me to do but try Try my very level best. With a strong determination I put forth the last atom of my strength and made a final rush for that fence! I reached the gap. Dashed through. Dragged my weary body out of reach of father's garsp. Infuriated he stood wav-ing his knife and calling me names. Such terrible names! Horrifying! I had never heard such talk. Have never again heard anything that equaled it. But I didn't pay much attention. I had escaped him. He could not immediately get me.

Full well I knew though that the game was not over. There would be still other things to do. I had to keep on keeping away from him, and that would not be an easy thing to do. My father was not the kind of a man to give up easily. I knew that,

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so weary as I was, I began making my way on across the field lying just outside of the orchard. Father walked in the opposite direction to get over the fence. While he was out of sight I walked under a brush pile to

There, under that friendly cove, I lay breathing hard. It would only be a short time until father had returned to where he had lats seen me then the trouble would all begin anew. I quivered as I lay there wondering just what might happen. And what was I to do when night came? It would never do to go back to the house! Not at all! Now I was truly nomeless.

My wondering was cut short by the sound of footfalls. Footfalls and heavy breathing. Then, when father reached the gap in the fence which was but a little distance from where him! Kill him! Kill him! Kill him!" Gruesome song!

Then he called my name. "Mark, Oh Mark!"

me or not?

If he did discover me he'd kill me. too near out of breath now. And not choose much longer.

course he could catch me.

I tried to swallow, but my throat was dry. I could hear the muscles (To be

working in my throat. A large lump erose in my throat. It had to go down. Had to! I swallowed again No better results.

"Where'd the little brat go?"

still see that wild gleam in my father's eyes, and feel the sting of that knife blade! It would not do to answer him.

Some imp must have inspired my father, then, for he said, "Well, here's this old brush pile. I've been wanting to burn it for a long time."
Without any hesitating he brought
out a match and struck it. I heard its snapping and popping as if it had I lay under the friendly cover of been my death knell. Then he applibrush, I could hear him cursing. Mut-ed it to the dry leaves and they bebrush, I could hear him cursing. Muttering under his breath. "I'll kill gan burning furiously. I could smell thin!" he muttered. "Kill him! Kill the smoke. The heat was becoming him! Kill him! Kill him! Would it be better to He was making a little song out of it. dry brush or should I dash out? I attempted to run, there was one chance in a million. If I stayed in I held my breath. Would he find the brush pile there was a certain

Then the fire scorched me so I I couldn't run from him again. I was jumped. Father heard me. I could

father was older and stronger. Of At that instant rather saw and "There you are?" he howled and

(To be continued.)

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THE FOUR WINDS

The Four Winds is an organization of students of the University of Missouri, so named because its members hail from the four corners of the world. They come from Russian cabarets, Persian harems, Hawaiian pleasure-houses, and Jap-anese tea-gardens. The young people belonging to the Four Winds have delightful meetings and they are also learning to understand each other. We do not have such great differences among our students, so it should be easier for us to really know each other.

Charles Lamb once said, "I never hate anyone I know, If we want to have good neighbors we must be a good neighbor. If we want to have a good room-mate, we must be a good one. You can learn to get along with the whole world right here in Carbondale because, "Wherever you go you take your neighbors with you.

SPRING TESTS

Most of the student body have decidedly definite opinions on the common practice of surprise tests. Many of the teachers persist in compelling the student to read his assignment passing out little slips of paper for a brief summary of the designated material. Some of us wonder how an instructor can be so inconsiderate. And yet surprise tests have a certain invigorating effect on the average student. They touch a certain spring in us, cause a certain awakening response. How many times have we delayed "cutting" class on account of an undue curiosity to ascertain the result of one of these quizzes? We are compelled to admit that surprise tests have a rather wholesome effect on the majority of us.

KEEP OFF THE GRASS

Your childhood was haunted with "keep off' signs stuck around whenever you wanted to play. The officials put them on school lawns and in the parks. However, now that you are at college, you have escaped these restrictions. Some of the students take advantage of their freedom to romp about all over the campus. This is unnecessary because there are walks wherever there is any need of them. At this time of the year when the tender young grass is coming up, it is especially dis-astrous to walk on it. A green carpet of grass makes a vas improvement in the appearance of the college. Don't allow criminal negligence to rob you of its natural beauty.

TENNIS AT S. I. N. U.

Of all the athletic activities at S. I. N. U., tennis is the most neglected. It is neglected only in that it receives almost no financial support, for there are no end of followers of the game. At the present time one out of the four courts is in condition for play. This situation might be excused on the grounds that the spring repairing, which is customary on courts everywhere, has not yet occurred here. A spring overhauling is not a custom at S. I. N. U. but an innovation.

Tennis is the only sport in S. I. N. U. that may be engaged in by any student, of either sex, irrespective of ability to play. For that reason it should be the one most generously supported; but because it is more casual and less spectacular than the major sports, it receives the least support. We can say without bitterness, for the student body, like the school authorities, has fallen into the habit of directing all its attention to the

Football, basketball, and track are indispensable, but s sport conducive to the physical welfare of the entire student body is equally indispensable. The greater part of the revenue for the major sports is derived through a registration fee; a much smaller fee, added to the spring registration, would amply provide for the care. It is understood that further additions to the registration fee are undesirable; we suggest an addition in case the necessary funds are not available from some other source.

The senior jacket custom which was introduced by the senior class of 1929 at Augustana College will again he in evidence. The class met and selected a royal blue shade with the class numeral in yellow felt for this year's jackets.—Augustana Observer, Rock Island, Illinois.

The classic students at Carthage College have organized a new club known as the Classical Club. This is for the purpose of stimulating the students' interest in Latin and Greek Twenty-one of the majors and minors are eligible for membership. The club is to meet monthly.-Carthage Collegian, Carthage, Illinois.

Count ten before you speak and the subject will probably be changed.

If your highest aspirations only lead to police stations:

If your grandest invitations only end in jazzy jams; If your faculty relations, bolstered up

by wild creations. Crumble like a league of nations,

When you take you last exams; Then, girls, save your synconation

for better situations. And to the beauty parlor go.

And with coy solicitations, tell your profs your tribulations.

And with subtle imitations, use a little Clara Bow. Save your explanations to time of

meat privations. And never let professors hear your

Memorize history dedications, pro clamations, mathematics postula-

Make the faculty believe you know -Bradley Teck.

THE IDEAL SUITOR

In a ballot to select the ideal suitor the girls studying at the Women's School of Cooper Unions Chib through a special committee of fifteen lelegates, voted as follows:

He must be a good dancer an ave intellectual inclinations.

He must not wear red neckties. He must send flowers

He must not "neck" just for the

fun of it. His jokes must be funny and h ust never tell the same one twice

He must treat his wife as an equal. but not regard her as a "hot-house

-Parson's Portfolio.

COME ALONG FARMER

Come along, brother farmer. And listen to me; We are the producers, And we shall be free.

We toil all day long, From sun until sun: Come, join in a union And we'll make things hum

The milk trust, dear farmer, Just watch, if you please; They all are now ready To give us a squeeze.

We should all get together And make a request That they case up a little And give us a rest.

Our taxes are always As heavy as lead: Because, Mr. Farmer, We don't use the head.

READER'S BAIT

It is likely that when a student goes to the library for a few mo nents' recreation he will take a magazine and read a story. There is an inate fascination about a story that few writers of articles are able to marshall, and for that reason, articles often go without renderscles, too, that are good. Only today I found an unused English Journal in the pigeon-bale at the library. The issue is that of April this year.

The first article that attracted my attention is called Poetry Appreciation in High School, and was written by Howard W. Hintz. Before reading the discussion I turned to the "Who's Who Among Our Writers," a department of the magazine dealing with the contributors of the issue, to find out whose oninion the article contain. ed. There I learned that Mr. Hints is now an instructor in English in the College of New York City, also associate editor of Book Culture of America. Evidently the article is based upon a rather intimate and thorough knowledge of the subject. And so I found it.

Milton is discussed to some extent. The difference between a sonnet and an ode is mentioned. The question is raised, just how much should be taught to high school students concerning these differences? Is it enough to know that a sonnet is a form of verse containing fourteen iambia pentameter lines? Is that enough for even high high school pupils to know? Or, should the Petrarchian, Spenserian, and Miltonic forms of the sonnet, with the contributions of each, be taught in high school? These who are going out to teach English in high schools will find not only this article, but the magazine (which is a monthly publication, and which comes to the school regularly) very hlpful.

Creative Writing of Frehmen is the title of another article in the English Journal. Its author is Mildred Wright, a teacher in the high school at Evanston. Miss Wright took her masters' degree at the University of California-one of the outstanding schools for those interested in crea tive writing in the whole world.

In her article Miss Wright confin ed herself to the field of poetry also She did not venture abstract theoris ing about poetry composing in high school, did not even assume that all students could, with the proper training, produce remarkably good lyrics -a thing we so often read of, but which always leaves us unconvinced Rather, the article tells of a partial teaching experiment, and gives the results. The description is given carefully enough that a teacher, after eading the article, might perform he test in her own room, and check he results that Miss Wright obtaind. Here are the questions that sh attempted to answer:

- Would reading of a poem cruse pupils to think of similar or related experiences?
- 2. Can you, upon hearing a noew clearly state your reaction in s single statement? Can a high school pupil?

How vital these questionaires will be noted at once upon reading these articles.

It is just as resting, if you have en studying psychology, say, to turn



THE SPHINY KNOWS.

Who, waking up in Dean Wham's class and thinking he was in Agriculture, started talking about a

Who discussed the pheasants' revolt on a Modern History test

Who told Miss Shank that Ecudor got most of the rain during the rainy season.

Whose motto is, "Anything for Art."

Who "got lost" at Giant City Park. Give them credit for some brains; that's a better stall than 'We ran out of gasoline."

Who has a group picture, drawn by himself, which he labels, "Life As it is" (or some such descriptive title.)

Whom Anthony Hall wished a "Happy Easter."

AND WONDERS:

Where Clyde Smith got his roll-

Why Clarence Stevenson doesn't visit Murphy so much as he used

If Aileen Bowman and Marie Smith were shown any special favors at the dance Thursday after-

What Bon Brown said in a certain afternoon class that set Mike Sherritz and Helen Davison to giggling quite uncontrollably.

If the "Cuss" in Cuss Wilson's name cannot be partly explained by one who has watched him play in a tennis tournament.

Who told Miss Combs that the most important thing about this part of Modern History was the rise of the Bourbons or the middle class.

Why a certain two Anthony Hall girls get up at five o'clock some mornings and walk out Cemetery Ridge.

OVERHEARD AROUND. THE CORNER

"Say, Bill, what's all this I've been hearing about the Goat or Mule or something club. Do you belong to

"Me, oh no. But my new girl does. She's Chemistry's greatest gift to mankind, a blonde. But gee, she sure elieves in the Monroe doctrine."

"Monroe doctrine! What are you talking about?"

"Why the hands-off policy of

ourse. "Say, Bill, what's your new girl's

"Well, I call her Marcell, because

ne isn't going to be permanent."
"Oh yeah! Well, I want a dam with cash, so that I won't have to spend the rest of my life weighing my thumb at the Mangle Meat Mark-

"Well, for me, I'm going on the stage, so that I can spend my time at wild parties that last four nights and wake up in another country."

Anyone wishing dancing lea J. Ed. Holt at the University Cafe.

ed above and spend ten or fifteen minutes in really helpful reading as it is to spend that much time in read-

Journal of Chemical **Education Carries** Local News Item

The following is a notice taken from the Jorrnal of Chemical Education of May, 1930, concerning our new Science building:

"On February 26, the new Chemistry building of the Southern Illinois State Teachers' College, located at Carbondale, Illinois, was formally opened. In the forenoon a dedicatory address was delivered to the students by Professor J. R. Reedy of University of Illinois.

Reedy's address was on "Mysticism in Modern Chemistry." In the afternoon the laboratories were open for public inspection. In addition there were demonstrations and exhibits by students taking advanced courses in chemistry.

"The building is 78 feet by 175 feet and is three stories high. The entire second flour and part of the first are devoted to chemistry. There are five laboratories: one for begin ning freshmen, one for advanced freshmen and qualitative analysis, one for quantitative analysis and physical, one for organic and one for faculty research. These laboratories are all completely equipped and give ample facilities for handling the yearly enrollment in chemistry courses which is approximately 700 students.

There are five members on the teaching staff of this department. They are: J. W. Neckers, Ph. D., University of Illinois, head of the department; Geo. M. Browne, graduate field, Mass.; R. A. Scott, M. S., University of Illinois; T. W. Abobtt, Ph. Logan, B. S., University of Illinois.

Faculty News

Mr. Smith, who has been in the Holden Hospital for the past two weeks, is recovering very rapidly. Mr. Muckelroy attended the meet-

ing of the State Chamber of Commerce at Mt. Vernon last Friday.

Capt. McAndrews officiated at the White County track meet held at Carmi last Friday.

Miss Carpenter chaperoned repre sentatives of the W. A. A. at the athletic conference of American College Women held at Ann Arbor, Michigan, last Wednesday, Thursday and half the road to a woman motorist?

Miss Cox and Dr. Kellogg spent the week end in St. Louis.
Miss Fry visited Miss Springer,

former teacher at the Lincoln high school at her home in Chicago, over the week end.

Miss Lucille Sorg, of West Frankfort visited Miss Baker Easter Sun-

Mr. Gersbacher took his Plant Ecology class to Grand Tower over the week end to study plant succession of the limestone bluffs there.

Miss Burkett visited Mrs. Hollenberger Salter in St. Louis last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Batson and Miss Roy spent the week end in Chicago.

Miss Trovillion and Mrs. Mathis will judge the preliminary contests at the intellectual meet to be held at Christopher, Saturday, May 3. Miss Jonah and Mr. McIntosh will be the judges in the final contests.

Mister Wham (catching Dave Adamson and Victor Sprague matching pennies in corridor of Main Building): "Don't you boys know its wrong to gamble?" Dave: "Yes sir, and I'm sure paying):

ing for my sins."

John Mitchell Reads Play to Zetets

Following the orchestral music etic Society meeting, John Mitchell tomorrow evening at 6:30 in the par a story by the same name. The play means of music and addresses in cosdisplayed much of the literary and tume to portray the life and custom eral short plays written by there.

appreciation and expressed its desire for more of such music.

The concluding number was a 1eview or history of the song, My Old Kentucky Home, written by Stephen Foster. This interesting and rather ies of the old songs that he nas discussed. A few weeks ago he spoke concerning Home Sweet Home.

FRATERNITY WELCOMES SIX NEW MEMBERS

With the coming of the mid-spring term, comes six members of the Sigma Alpha Pi fraternity. These are James Reed, of Galatia; Alma Ray, of Massachusetts State Normal, West- Goreville; Howard Clarida, of Marion; Arthur Chitty, of Cypress; Holly Hunsaker, of Goreville; and Walter D., University of Illinois; and C. C. Hamilton, of Cave-in-Rock. The the boys expect to "get along" some

> Dyed in the Wool "What is your religion?" the suprintendent asked Porky Hall who was applying for a teaching position.

"Senior, sir."

"No, no, I said 'religion.'"
"Oh, 'religilon,' sir. I bey your
pardon. I'm a plumber."

Oue Vadis? Policeman (to a motorist who near

ly collided with Ruth Stiff): "Don't ou know that you should always give Motorist: "I always do when I find out which half the road she

Y.M. & Y.W. Sponsor Fellowship Banquet

The banquet sponsored by the which opened last Wednesday's Zet- Christian associations is to be held read an original play which he and ish hall of the Episcopal church. The Lena Mosley had written. It is called theme is World Fellowship, an at-Hunters in the Dark and is based on tempt being made in the program by dramatic ability that the school has of foreign peoples, and especially the come to recognize as characteristic thought of youth in far countries. of these two. This is only one of sev- The banquet marks the beginning of a program on this campus for world kendal Fugate gave the loowing spodwil, world vision, and world edselections on his violin: Cradle Song the Brahmi; Kwiawiak by Wieniawski; Orientale by Cesar Cue. His sister, Carroll, was his accompanist. This is not their first appearance before the Society, which showed its members of the associations.

Forum Debating Club **Elects Officers**

The Forum Debating Club met last Thursday at chapel hour for the pur-Phillips. This is the second of a ser-Guy Neal, President.

Venice Brink, Vice President. Secretary-Treasurer, Elmo Edwards.

Sergeant-at-Arms, Norwood Ad-

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Grades equal the following num ber of honor points: A-5; B-4; C-3; D-2; E-

At present the following is a list of those whose grades have been found to average 4.5 or better:

Alexander, Orville, 5.0. Adams, Norwood, 4.5. Bricker, E. M., 4.7. Bruce, Mary V., 4.5. Brown, Leo J., 4.8. Brown, Emma L., 4.5. Bonham, Evalynn I., 4.6 Brantley, Ruby Perrie, 4.5. Carter, Nita V., 4.6. Chesnut, William A., 4.5. Dean Willett, 4.7. Fietsam, Pauline M., 4.6. Federer, Jane, 4.6. Frey, Mildred C., 4.6. Culley Kathryn, 4.5. Havs. Naomie F., 4.7. Hankla, Georgia M., 4.7. Harriss, Arleen, 4.5. Kerstine, Katie May, 4.6. Marberry, Mary C., 4.5. Myers, Bernice, 4.8. Nolen, Anna Mae, 4.7. Nobles, Arthur, 4.5. Posse Fihel 45. Randall, Melvin G., 4.7. Rawson, Grace, 5.6. Rushing, Helen, 4.5. Simpson, Kate, 4.6. Scott, Samuel J., 4.8. Schlichtman, Mae, 4.5. Ward, Ralph, 4.7. Wachtel Harold E. 4.7. Wakefield, Vivian E., 4.8. Watson, Richard, 4.8. Woods, Margaret, 4.5. McArthy, Andrew, 4.8.

If there are any more students who have a 4.5 average or better turn name in to William McAndrew immediately.

Programs for Rural

On Saturday, April 26, at the various rural schools in conjunction with the Southern Illinois Teachers' College, there will be programs and basket dinners. The schools are not closing officially until the following Monday, but so far as all recitations are concerned, the last for the year will be in the forenoon of April 26.

Plans are to have at each school program in the afternoon, which will last from one to two hours. These will be made up of numbers chiefly by the students themselves, although the practice teachers in some instances, will have a part.

The programs are now planned, and practice has begun. It is expected that a large crowd will attend the festivities and entertainments.

Dr. Shelford, of the University of Illinois, brought twenty students of is the title of t ballad by Sarah Litthe Zoology Department down Friday, and with Dr. Steagall and Dr. Gersbacher, they spent the week end docompanied Dr. Shelford.

Among the Rural **Practice Schools**

The decision of the judges in our ecent exhibit of school work was as follows:

Art-First, Wagner; second, Glade; third, Buckles.

Penmanship-First, Pleasant Hill; econd, Wagner; third, Bridge-Fore-

Clay Modeling-First, Wagner; second, Pleasant Grove; third, Glade.

There is a great deal of illness in District 92 this week. Two children who had not missed a day this year, and two others were out part of the week who had a good attendance.

The second grade had not missed a day or a word since the third week in September until one of its members had to miss on account of illness this week.

The third grade is very proud of its young maples planted the last of Pebruary. They are in full leaf and looking fine.

Practice has begun for our last day programs. The children are working with much enthusiasm on their parts.

Foreville has had 100 per cent attendance for the past three weeks. Nine of the sixteen pupils have not missed a day this year. The sixth grade has the best record, three of the four pupils having perfect attend-

The boys hove felt the urge of Spring and have made more flower beds so that they will have flowers next fall when school opens.

Recent practices for the last day program have revealed unexpected talent.

The boys are interested in track meet. The seventh grade is trying for the requirements of the Junior Athletic Club.

READERS' BAIT

Of course one picks a magazine in accordance with what one wants to read. If he wants something cultural, he will not make a mistake if he picks Scribners'. In the April issue there is an article called As a Jew Sees Jesus. The author is Ernest R. Trattner, rabbi of the City Temple of Los Angeles. Rabbi Trattner is only 29 years old, but he has recently published his first book-Unveiling Practice Schools the Book of Books-which was chosen by the religious Book of the Month Club as outstanding in importance; rather a signal honor. The second book by the same author is now on the press. It is called The Autobiography of God. Startling titles. And his article will be found no less invigorating.

> Wherever we go we are going to hear the religious views of the Jews discussed: Jesus was born a Jew; never set foot on alien soil. This article by a Jew, is so enlightening that students everywhere will want to read it. Are you tolerant toward the Jews? Or prejudiced? Or are they wrong? Read the article and form a new decision, or add some pertinent angle to the idea you now

Star Reaper (Ballad of Kentucy) sey in the April issue of Scribner's magazine. It has that touch which writers a re urged to employ in their ing field work at Alto Pass. Miss work-human interest. Read it and Stein was with the students that ac- see how thankful you ought to be for your environment.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS TO HAVE HARMONICA BANDS

Twenty young women in the prim ary education class taught by Miss Kiedel will be equipped to direct harmonica bands in the schools of Southern Illinois next fall. By means of a self-instruction method, they are gaining ever-increasing skill in harmonica performance, Misses Noel and Fulkerson were the first two young women to be awarded the badges of merit.

Performing on the harmonica is only one phase of the accumulated wealth which these young women will have by the end of the term. A scrapbook made by each class member will be richly loaded with suggestions that will be a colossal advantage to beginning teachers. The forty or sixty pages of this book have mounted on them such helps as:

- (1) Illustrative materials for each of the subjects of the first three gredes.
- (2) Games and devices for motivating instruction.
- (3) Patterns for handwork and independent-occupation periods.
- (4) Patterns relative to the var-
- (5) Lists of poems, stories, songs, and pictures of masters suitable for each of the grades.
- (6) Supplementary reading lists exhibits free of charge. for each grade.
- the fundamental subjects.
- lessons taught by the critics of the first three grades.
- Lesson plans.
- dustrial firms and publishing houses The socialized recitation is the class that distribute teaching materials and procedure used.

Ten Marks of an Educated Man

He keeps his mind open on every question until the evidence is all in He listens to the man he knows.

He never laughs at new ideas. He cross-examines his day-dreams He knows his strong point and

plays it. He knows the value of good habits and how to form them.

He knows when not to think and wi.en to call in the expert to think for him.

You can't sell him magic. He lives the forward-looking and outward-looking life.

He cultivates a love of the beauti -The American Magazine.

"Watcha reading there, Scrofula?" "All about a wild night on the Moore."

"Sherlock Holmes, or maybe Thomas Hardy?"

"Nope. The Conquest of Granada."

"How did you happen to lose your iob?"

"Through hard luck. For ten years I was second assistant toast scraper ious seasons for arts and manual arts at the Biltmore, and then they go and install those darned automatic toasting machines."

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