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# THE EGYPTIAN

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## FIVE MEMBERS OF FACULTY TO ADDRESS ACADEMY OF SCIENCE

DRS. BAILEY, YOUNG, MERWIN, STEAGALL AND MR COX SPEAK

Five addresses will be given by members of the S. I. T. C. faculty at the 25th annual meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science to be held at the University of Chicago, May 6-7, 1932.

With the exception of the University of Chicago and the University of Illinois, no school in the state has a larger representation on the program than this college.

Of the teachers colleges in the state, other than S. I. T. C., Normal and Charleston are to be represented. Four addresses will be made by members of the Normal faculty, and one will be made by a Charleston representative.

Mr. F. W. Cox of the Geography department, will address the Anthropology section of the topic, "Southern Illinois as a Focus for Primitive Peoples Because of Geographic Factors." He will be followed by Dr. Bruce Merwin who will speak on "Some Aligned Siouian Sites in Southern Illinois."

In the botany section, Dr. W. M. Bailey will speak on his doctoral thesis subject. The topic of this address will be, "Some Structural and Metabolic Effects of Physiological Predetermination."

Dr. O. B. Young will address the Physics division on "An Investigation of the Wehnelt Cathode Explosion."

As a second address, Dr. Bruce Merwin will speak before the Psychology and Education section on "Tendencies in College Chemistry Courses."

Dr. Steagall will represent the Science Club on the Council of the Illinois State Academy of Science.

## MAUREEN WEBB TO HEAD D. S. E.

At a special meeting called last Tuesday evening, members of Delta Sigma Epsilon elected officers to serve during the ensuing year. Maureen Webb of West Frankfort was elected president. Miss Webb, who will be a senior next year, has been active in Delta Sigma Epsilon for the past two years. In addition to being a member of Delta Sigma Epsilon Miss Webb is also a member of Sigma Iota Chi at Hardin College.

Other officers elected at the same meeting are:

Vice President, Rita Braum  
Recording Secretary, Kathryn Cavella.

Corresponding Secretary, Kathryn Lentz.

Treasurer, Rhoda Mae Baker  
Historian, Elisabeth Dill  
Sergeant, Jane Warren.

## "Martha" Climaxes Musical Attempts of Previous Years

Nothing has been spared to make the production of "Martha" the most brilliant entertainment ever presented on the S. I. T. C. campus. The opera will be presented at the Shryock Auditorium the evening of April 21.

Considering the rather limited extent of the stage equipment, the fact that four different scenes are used in the production, is in itself, a remarkable achievement. The art classes, however, have done much toward increasing and generally improving the settings. They have made new separate sets for the opera, and permanent scenery has been added to build up the top of the stage. Act IV, which is the Forest Scene, promises to surpass anything that S. I. T. C. has ever attempted.

The costumes are elaborate and colorful. Some of the costumes are being made by Dean Woody's classes; the remaining outfits are being rented from an eastern costume company.

The principals, chorus, orchestra, and directors have been working tirelessly for the past two months in order to make the performance of "Martha" an epochal event in the musical history of the college. The music is, without exception, the most difficult ever attempted by the Music department. A chorus of forty and an orchestra composed of twenty-three musicians will assist the cast of principals.

The charge of admission will be fifty cents. The tickets have been on sale this week at the Business office. Students who sell six tickets can obtain one free ticket for themselves.

Chaplain, Evelyn Hodge.  
Representatives to the tenth annual convocation of Delta Sigma Epsilon which will be held in Buffalo, New York, during August, were also chosen. Maureen Webb and Kathryn Lentz were selected to represent Alpha Delta chapter at this national meeting.

The officers whose terms end within the next month include: Helen Crisp, who has served two years as president of the sorority; Helen Dollins, who has been vice president and pledge captain; Marie Gummershimer, recording secretary; Evelyn Hodge, corresponding secretary; Elsie Strothman, treasurer; Jane Warren, historian; Kathryn Cavella, sergeant and Ruth Berry, chaplain.

The formal installation of the new officers will take place in the near future.

## Kappa Phi Kappa, New Campus Frat.

CHARTER SECURED THROUGH ACTIVITY OF THE EDUCATION CLUB

The Education Club of S. I. T. C. was very much gratified to receive notice April 8 that the Kappa Phi Kappa Professional Education Fraternity had voted to install the Education Club as a chapter of the national organization.

Kappa Phi Kappa is the largest undergraduate professional education fraternity, second in size to the Phi Delta Kappa, which is a graduate organization. It was founded at Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire, and embraces at present forty-four chapters, mostly east of the Mississippi, in state universities and prominent liberal arts colleges. One of the largest chapters is located at the University of Illinois. The last chapter was installed at the I. S. N. U. at Bloomington, Illinois.

The purpose of Kappa Phi Kappa's stated in its constitution as follows: "Kappa Phi Kappa shall be a professional education fraternity, the purpose of which shall be to promote the cause of education by encouraging men of sound moral character and recognized ability to engage in the study of its principles and problems. For the furtherance of the above purposes the fraternity shall emphasize among its members social intercourse, scholarly attainment and professional ideals."

Kappa Phi Kappa is primarily an organization for liberal arts colleges. Prof. Riverda H. Jordan, councillor, of Ithaca, N. Y., wrote: "When we

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### NOTICE! ALUMNI!

This year's Obelisk will have a full-page, four-color process reproduction of an oil painting of President Shryock. This picture of President Shryock was executed specifically for this purpose and has never appeared in any form before.

The Obelisk staff feels that the alumni will be especially eager to secure the 1932 Obelisk because of this new picture of Mr. Shryock.

Other features of the 1932 Obelisk are: 272 pages—fifty pages larger than last year; a large and expensive color section; a feature section containing new and entirely original art work; a different and more comprehensive faculty section; more individual and more group student pictures than the Obelisk has ever contained heretofore.

## FIFTY-THREE STUDENTS TO BE AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP LETTERS

Representatives Attend State Meet of Women Voters

The local branch of the Illinois League of Women Voters sent six student representatives and the faculty adviser, Miss Hilda A. Stein, to the New Voter's Conference held at Bloomington on April 8th and 9th. This conference was sponsored by the Illinois League of Women Voters and the Illinois State Normal University, and was a meeting solely for college voters. It was the first since the establishment of the League that a State meeting, such as the one held last week end, has ever been attempted.

Approximately seventy-five young women, representing Leagues from Illinois College, the University of Illinois, Bradley Polytechnical College, Normal University, Northwestern, Eastern Illinois Normal University, and Southern Illinois Teachers College, attended the conference. The representatives from S. I. T. C. were: Winifred McCue, Lucille Eckert, Mary Winks, Gertrude Clark, chairman of the local group, Helen Crisp, Mary Eleanor Helm, and Miss Hilda Stein, faculty adviser. Miss Frances Etheridge also accompanied the group. Excluding Old Normal representation, S. I. T. C. had the largest delegation at the meeting.

The program, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, Friday afternoon, included: three addresses by Mrs. W. W. Ramsey, past president of the Illinois League of Women Voters; a round table discussion led by Miss Stein, and a Mock Party Convention led by Mrs. Florence Fifer Borber, Illinois Senator, 26th District. The program in detail, follows:

**Institute**  
Fell Hall, 2:30 p. m., Friday.  
You and Your Government—Mrs. W. W. Ramsey

**Dinner**  
First Presbyterian Church, 6:00 p. m., Friday.  
The Door of Opportunity—Mrs. (Continued on Page Six.)

LIST OF 45 STUDENTS GIVEN LARGER THAN THAT OF LAST YEAR

The names of fifty-three members of the student body have been suggested for honor letters for scholarship during the fall and winter terms of the past college year. This number is seven greater than that of last year and is one of the largest lists to be awarded since the inauguration of the system.

The list for honor letters for activities has not yet been compiled. However the award committee is spending its entire time at the present preparing the list. Organizations and faculty sponsors should cooperate.

During the last six weeks of the spring term the numerals will be given to both scholarship and activity students. Captain McAndrew will award the letters in chapel.

Abshier Carolyn	4.5
Arnold, Richard	4.5
Bailey, Lowell F.	4.5
Bonthall, Paul L.	4.6
Brady, Constance	4.5
Brown Lee J.	4.7
Carson, Clara E.	4.5
Crisp, Helen	4.6
Cummings, Margaret	4.5
Crowe, Fannie May	4.7
Conte, Katie V.	4.7
Dill, Elisabeth	4.8
Dilow, Konrad C.	4.8
Goings, Victor P.	4.6
Graves, Allen	5.6
Greer, Howard E.	4.8
Hall, Kenneth G.	4.5
Halter, Selma	4.5
Hartley, Freda	4.5
Halle, Oval L.	4.5
Hanson, Earl	4.6
Holland, Carlos W.	4.7
Howe, Gladys I.	4.8
Henry, Virgil	4.7
Hartline, Velma P.	4.5
Hill, Margaret	4.8
Hankla, Georgia M.	4.5
Johnson, Isabelle	5.
Keller, Mary Esther	4.7
Lawreck, Marguerite	4.7
Loudon, Elnora Louise	4.5
Lewis, Anna Lelia	4.5

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## TRI SIGMA ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Alpha Nu chapter of Tri Sigma elected officers for the 1932-33 college year last week. Frances Matthews was elected to head the organization through the next three terms. Miss Matthews is a resident of Carbondale and a charter member of Alpha Nu. She has been active in the sorority since its founding and was instrumental in bringing the chapter national recognition.

Other officers elected at the same time include:

Vice president, Jane Rose Whitley.  
Corresponding secretary, Kathleen Coffee.  
Recording secretary, Florence New-

Treasurer, Zora Mae Locke.  
Rush captain, Mary Nancy Felts.

These new officers are to be installed during the early part of May.

The retiring officers include: Betty Furr, president; Jane Federer, vice president; Mary Nancy Felts, corresponding secretary; Frances Matthews, recording secretary; Evelyn Bell, treasurer.

To the retiring president, Betty Furr, goes the honor due the actual leader in the movement to found a college chapter of the national sorority, Sigma Sigma Sigma. The remainder of the retiring Tri Sigma officers are all charter members of the organization.

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## CLUBS - SOCIETIES - ORGANIZATIONS

### Tri Sigma

The Tri Sig house girls were entertained with a picnic at Miss Carpenter's cottage, Midland Hills Country Club last Thursday night. Miss Baker, one of the faculty advisers, was hostess. The guests included: Jane Rose Whitley, Zora Mae Locke, Lucille Lynn, Florence Crossman, Lucille Edgar, Mary Nancy Felts, Kathleen Coffee, Juanita Richardson, Miss Baker, and Mrs. Turner, house mother.

Zora Mae Locke visited in Chicago last week end.

Heleen Kuebreth of Herrin, was the house guest of Lucille Edgar last week end.

A committee has been appointed to complete arrangements for the spring formal dance to be held April 30. According to tentative plans, the dance will be given at the Midland Hills Country Club.

Plans for the annual Tri Sigma Founder's Day celebration which is April 20, are being completed.

### MU TAU PI SHORTENS

#### LENGTH OF PLEDGE TERM

The matter of constitutional amendments provoked a lively discussion at the evening meetings of Mu Tau Pi, April 4. Proposals to shorten the length of the pledge term and to decrease the initiation fee were made.

Plans concerning the pledge party held Thursday evening were completed, and a committee to take care of the induction service was appointed. At the meeting last Monday afternoon, further amendments were discussed.

### NOTHING DEFINITE DONE CONCERNING ZETET PLAY

The Wednesday meeting of the Zetetic Society was of special interest in that a one-act play, A Cup of Tea, was presented. The performance was coached by Will Adams, a member of the organization. The cast included Lillian Sistler, Jane Rose Whitley, Leo Brown, and Paul McRoy.

The entertainment of the evening was completed with vocal selections by Harold Bailey and piano music played by Louise Southall.

No conclusion has been reached concerning the choice of a spring play, but the committee reported that actors would be chosen solely through tryouts. Only members of the Zetetic Society are eligible to the cast.

### BOOMER AND BAILEY

#### ADDRESS Y. M. MEETING

An address by Mr. Boomer entitled My Idea of a Young Man of Today was the chief interest at the bi-monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. held last Tuesday night. Mr. Boomer strikingly contrasted the youth of today and the youth of former days. A brief speech by Dr. Bailey supplemented Mr. Boomers' talk.

At the business meeting, the organization considered the matter of sending a delegate to the Geneva Conference which will convene in the early summer. No direct plans were concluded.

### Faculty

Among the faculty members who attended the performance of "Mourning Becomes Electra" at the American theatre in St. Louis, April 9, were: Miss Shank, Miss Krause, Miss Power, Miss Barbour, Miss Jonah, Dr. and Mrs. Cramer, Miss Husband, and Miss Woody.

Mrs. Bruce Merwin entertained a bridge club composed of the wives of faculty members Thursday, April 7. Mrs. Van Lente held high score.

Miss Hilda Stein and Miss Etheridge motored to Bloomington Friday to attend the Woman's League of Voters conference.

Miss Martha Scott spent the week end at her home in Chicago.

Miss Kay Fox visited in Campaign last week end.

### Anthony Hall News

Dorothy Kunze had as her week end guests, Jean Walker and Arabela Priefenboch of Marissa.

Mary E. Danham spent the week end at her home in Ridgeway.

Margaret Ann Cummings and Georgia Sniderwin were guests of Miss Jonah at her apartments last Thursday evening.

Miss Crawford spent Saturday in Jonesboro.

Alberta Wright and Elizabeth Law is spent the week end at their home in Shawneetown, Illinois.

### H. S. CLUB VISITS MEETING

#### OF COLLEGE C. OF C.

A large representation from the West Frankfort High School Chamber of Commerce attended the regular meeting of the S. I. T. C. club Thursday night.

The West Frankfort club, although newly organized, is a very active one. All of its members display great interest in the welfare of their club.

The program of the evening presented by the guest club, included several very interesting numbers.

Talk, "Our Club," Idell Partain. An Office, a Poem, Helen Sadosky. Talk, "Choosing a Vocation," Josephine Urbit.

"Giggling Lizzie," Doris Hayes. Vocal solo, Frances Oakes.

Talk, "Factors of Success," Zaria Caldwell.

Tap dance, Lawanda Taylor.

Play, "Let's Make a Budget"—Opal Auten, Tony Vai, Violet Meredith, Louise Jemison, Dario Tovi.

After the program Leon Lauder was elected to fill the vacancy left by Miles Brandon's resignation. Mr. Brandon works in the evening and this necessitated his giving up the office.

The club's plan for a bus trip to St. Louis was sanctioned by President Shryock. The date is not settled as yet, but will be announced soon.

### For Domestic Peace

Teacher—Yes, children, one of the duties of the lord high chamberlain was to put the king to bed.

Willie (who has observed things)—And did he have to think up excuses to tell the king's wife?

### A NEWSHOUND FACULTY BOUND

As I ventured into the history office, Dr. Beyer strode out of it.

"About that story you said you'd give me—" I began.

"Sorry, old thing, but I've got to referee a boxing match at Marion in half an hour," that historian insisted. "See Miss Power or Dr. Tenney, won't you?"

I dashed for the steps to the third floor, for I knew Miss Power would be leaving. On the landing I met her.

"Miss Power, Dr. Beyer said—" "Come in tomorrow morning, won't you? I'm having a French tea this afternoon, and I'm late now."

Continuing to the English office, I found Dr. Tenney, my second possibility, at the telephone.

"You say you'll have time to bowl awhile? All right, I'll be down at the alley in ten minutes."

His enthusiasm at the prospects of bowling made me see that an interview with him would be useless. In despair, I started for the Cafe, but on seeing Dr. Peacock, I made my fourth attempt to get the story.

"Dr. Peacock, could you tell me anything about an important news story that concerns the faculty. Dr. Beyer said—"

"I'm sorry," she said wearily, "but I'm on my way to the grocery store. The Italian Club is coming for dinner tomorrow, and if I don't go after the canned biscuits now, we won't have any."

On such a stirring plea I let Miss Peacock pass. Margrace came to my mind, for he always knows everything. I heard him playing in the music room, and I hurried back for him. All hope was crushed, however, at seeing him in white ducks, a racquet under his arm.

"I'm off for a tennis match, on account of Dr. Cramer asked me," he beamed. "Why don't you find some one and come out too?" he pleasantly suggested.

"I've a news story to get," I explained, leaving him.

For my positively last encounter, I decided to try Dr. Neckers. He had always seemed stable to me, and I was quite sure I'd find him in his office. Breaking into his sanctum, I caught him reading a book of baseball rules. Once again I broached my question.

"Oh!" he said, "It's just this. We, the faculty baseball team, beat Section H of the students yesterday afternoon. And we want you to print a story on it so the students don't get the idea that we have no outside interests!"

### C. OF C. LAUNCHES PLAN

#### FOR TRIP TO ST. LOUIS

The Chamber of Commerce has launched definite plans for a trip to St. Louis to be taken either the first or second week end after mid-spring registration.

The group will visit the Federal Reserve Bank, Ford Assembly Plant, Arena, Jefferson's Memorial, Shaw's Garden, Forest Park, Armour's Plant, the Fox Theatre, and probably a few other important and interesting places.

The party will leave Mr. Bryant's at five o'clock in the morning, arrive at St. Louis at eight. They will spend the day touring the city with an efficient guide.

The round trip will cost \$1.50 and will provide adequate accommodations. Anyone interested is requested to see Mr. Bryant.

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### 124 Students to be Graduated From Two Year Course

Following is a list of the two-year graduates who have applied to the Normal School Board and who will be graduated with certificates pending fulfillment of the requirements:

- Abshier, Carolyn Payne.
- Allen, Gladys.
- Allen, Ruth.
- Anderson, Doris E.
- Anderson, Mary.
- Avis, Dorothy Vernon.
- Bales, Oneida Joyce.
- Barstis, Mary.
- Bonner, Gertrude.
- Boone, Winifred G.
- Briesacher, Leta.
- Brown, Loraine.
- Brown, Myrtle J.
- Butler, Louisa Eustotia.
- Caldwell, Margaret.
- Calhoun, Fondle.
- Casperson, Inez.
- Chitty, Arthur L.
- Clark, Daisy.
- Corgan, Hazel Marie.
- Cornett, Hal Bourne.
- Corzine, Mary E.
- Davis, Frank E.
- Dietz, Helen Agnes.
- Bonham, Mary Evelyn.
- Dunn, Edna.
- Durkes, Amy Lill.
- Edgar, Juanita Lucille.
- Ertelt, Melba Marie.
- Etherton, Ruby V.
- Farthing, Susan L.
- Fricke, Arthur Henry.
- Fulenwider, Juanita.
- Fults, Marie.
- Gambill, Fay.
- Garnett, Harry Venoy.
- Granau, Carolyn.
- Gray, Howard.
- Greer, Chester Laverne.
- Grubb, Jennie.

- Gruetzemacher, Ada.
- Gummersheimer, Marie.
- Hagler, Alma Genevieve.
- Hanagan, Francis Patrick.
- Hands, Thelma R.
- Hapeman, Elaine.
- Harbison, Georgia Montafae.
- Hardin, Ruth Alene.
- Harris, Phillip B.
- Hart, Ellen Irene.
- Hartley, Leara.
- Hatfield, Ruby Joy.
- Hinkle, Leland C.
- Hoffman, S. Belva.
- Hooker, Ottilee.
- Huffman, Helen.
- Jenkins, Beulah E.
- Jobush, Jeanette Louis.
- Keller, A. Lorene.
- Keller, Marjorie Louisa.
- Kelley, Mary Esther.
- Kelley, Margaret Lucille.
- Kessel, Ethel Anna.
- Koethe, Vera Ruth.
- Kraper, Pearl L.
- Lafoon, Bernice Maud.
- Looney, Darethey Eva.
- Loudon, Elnora Louise.
- Lovelace, Woodrow.
- Loverkamp, Earl A.
- Mangis, Helen Louise.
- Martin, Dorothy Lenore.
- Martin, Robert Burton.
- May, Edra Vermelia.
- McCain, Nora Ellen.
- McCall, Luella.
- McClerren, Anna Mae.
- McCullum, Esther.
- McKelvey, Doris E.
- McKibben, Marian R.
- McLean, Elizabeth Irene.
- Morrison, Pauline.
- Munsell, Marjorie Ellen.
- Murray, Olive Estelle.
- Nichols, Edna.
- Niksch, Edwin.
- Otrich, H. Don.
- Palmer, Daisy.
- Penny, Emma Ophelia.
- Perkins, Grace Lillian.
- Plotts, Pauline M.
- Pressley, Dorothy.
- Pressley, Virginia.
- Purtill, Johanna Moore.
- Quillman, Edith Irene.
- Reeves, Julia Catherine.
- Robinson, Essie Mae.
- Robinson, Iva Mae.
- Robinson, Nadine.
- Rogers, Helen.
- Romack, Lester L.
- Romanus, Charlotte Henrietta.
- Schaubert, Viva Inez.
- Schifferdecker, Ruby.
- Shook, Virginia R.
- Simmons, Benjamin L.
- Smith, Ralph Paul.
- Spore, Lela Geneva.
- Stefanoff, Dorothy Donna.
- Stenzel, Gladys Edythe.

- Stokes, Kathleen R.
- Strothman, Elsie Helen.
- Tabing, Fay.
- Tanner, Esther Mae.
- Thane, Verneita.
- Trout, Ethel M.
- Viers, Cora E.
- Waller, Delbert A.
- Wayman, Helen I.
- Whitman, Dorothy.
- Wooton, Edith.
- Wormley, John.
- Young, Marjorie.
- Zebos, Blanche Ida.

#### "Double" Plagues Premier

For a brief space Premier MacDonald of England lay under the dark suspicion of quarreling with a shop-keeper over a pound of butter. It was reported that the premier, accompanied by his daughter, rebuked the tradesman for stocking only Danish butter. Before Scotland Yard could be put on the case it transpired that the customer was Dr. E. Collis, professor of public health at the University of Wales, who bears a striking likeness to the premier and is an old friend of his.

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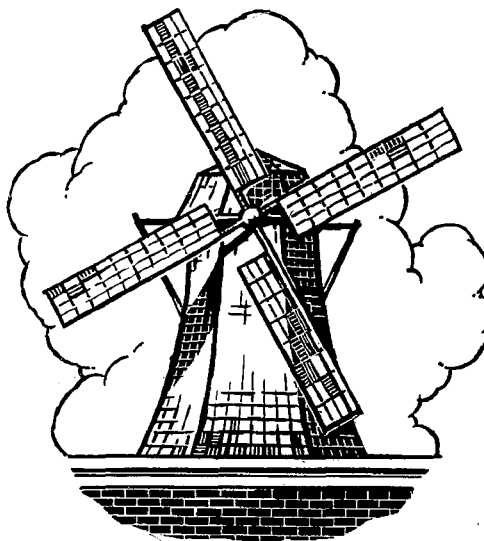


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## THE PLACEMENT

Through the announcement made in the edition of the Egyptian which appeared March 30, our publication was informed that this weekly had been given second place by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. This announcement was particularly interesting because no publication of this college ever has rated so highly in this national competition. Perhaps some brief observations drawn from the judges' detailed reports will interest the Egyptian readers as well as the staff.

With a possible maximum score of 1000 points, the thirteen editions of the paper judged were awarded 835 points. A fact as gratifying as it is pathetic is that with only fifteen additional points, the Egyptian would have rated first place. In general appearance, we lost seventy-five credits. In the matter of news content (a division in which the content of news stories, sport news, and feature articles was considered) we rated 310 of 350 possible points. We were penalized twenty-five points in regard to the constructiveness and effectiveness of editorials; but we received no penalty at all as in other years for preaching and hackneyed subjects. We received only thirty out of fifty points because our humor is not entirely of local origin.

The judgment of which we are most proud is that in the section headed, "General Considerations," we held a perfect score. This rating conveyed such commendations as: "Publication seems to be work of students"; "Gives good impression of school, but not through exaggerated boasting"; "Seems to fill function of a school publication."

The staff of the Egyptian sincerely hopes to improve the paper as much in the coming school year as it has in the past. The score sheet shows that our faults are minor ones. With the cooperation of the student body, the paper should certainly rate first place in the 1933 contest.

## EXEUNT

College days are almost over for many. When you are gone, which teacher will you remember? Will you remember the one who taught because of a sense of duty, or the one who was interested in your work and tried to help you see its possibilities?

Each kind of teacher has good qualities that are worthy of remembrance, but the one who now tries to help students see their possibilities will remain longer as a living memory. He will remain because of the spirit he put into his work and his interest in the great majority of students.

As future teachers those who are leaving school will come into contact with boys and girls who are students just as we are all students now. These young people will be confronted with the same problems as we face now. As future teachers, we must regard the interests of the great majority of students as our interests—regardless of their triviality—because a good teacher's influence in the shaping the destinies of the younger folk reflects his success.

## Between the Lines

By B. M. G.

Back in the days

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Of happiness

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And drunkenness

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When everything

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Including even

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Life itself

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Was an imitation

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Of immorality

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The punishment

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For being bad

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Was truly good

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For in the history

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Of this school

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There are records

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Showing that when

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A man gave vent

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To the animal

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Within himself

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And acted like

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A camel

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Or if he did

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Wax amorous

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In public, or

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Concerning pro—

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He needs must write

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A letter to

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The "sky pilots"

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More commonly known

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As "Powers that Be"

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And confess to them

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His iniquity

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And must assume

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A "fourth-dimensional"

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Look in his eye

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Then read his confession

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Before chapel

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Thus taking the place

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Of hymn number

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One-forty-eight

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And in the day

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When temperance

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Is temperate

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And narrow boards

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Make narrow planks

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Let us all thank

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What gods may be

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That both ends have

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Not met yet.

## SCRIBALOVE

It's a shame that the teachers had to keep their middle names secret all these years. All our one hundred and forty seniors should have published their names long ago. If we had only known that these seniors had such fancy little words and high-sounding syllables tucked in their cognomens, how much more interesting they would have been. Wouldn't it have been fun to see Scott Arnold talking to Ann Waisath. Tut, tut. And we can just hear Waldo Willis crooning to Margaret Hankla. Then there were those darling little initials. Just what does the "G" in Kirchhoefer's name stand for? Maybe it's Gerald. That's a cute name, Clarence Gerald. Whoops, my dear. Then those two V's in Lois Mallory's title. Figuring those out is worse than solving for X. But all the same they look artistic.

In spite of our tears for the departing seniors we are wondering what kind of a freshman class we're going to have next year—when all the freshmen are upperclassmen and a new crowd of rustic lads and lassies take their place. And will the new freshmen girls be beautiful and dumb or dumb and beautiful. Next September will hear again the melodious strain of "Freshmen-who-h-a-v-e-not-taken-their-physical-examination-please-do-so-at-once." And just about that time of the year someone will reiterate the faded-summer-love idea, and the football prospects will be good. And if the depression lasts all summer and teaching positions are still hard to get, we may have a few students doing post-graduate work. And everything scholastic harks back to little things financial, and each one reminds us of the other like Siamese twins. And it's all a melluvahness, and if you know a better life you can't go to it.

It seems there is going to be intramural track competition in just a little while. That ought to be good; only we don't like track. It seems that cinder path activities are strained. That is, every man in the galaxy of track heroes has been forced to strain his muscles, his lungs, his nerves, and goodness knows what in order to win. And that's settled.

We've heard it said that the faculty really did have a good baseball team; that Doc Van Lente is a bad actor in the pitcher's box and Cramer is a hard man to stop. But they have some weak players on their nine and that makes it bad. And furthermore, there are some other teams in this baseball tournament. Dan Foley wallops a neat home run in a pinch. And there are some good hitters on nearly every team. It looks as though there may be a little excitement yet.

The Ford V-8 makes its appearance. Quite charming too. However, we're not buying any cars yet. We're just waiting until Austin puts out a V-16. And if things continue at the present rate coaster wagons may have 32 cylinders in 1940.

Then there is the theory that more nuts fall in the spring than in the autumn.

And with the coming of spring the air is warm, and the windows are open, and the neighbors are students, and the students are noisy, and the lessons are hard, and the lessons are long, and it is spring, and the neigh-



## THE SPHINX KNOWS:

I wish I had a pair of white shoes.

Estelle O'Leary has a three-track mind, but one track is bigger than the rest.

If you want to keep your respect for our judicial system, don't read Upton Sinclair's Boston.

And if you don't know how to course and want to learn, read Masefield's Evelasting Mercy.

Dr. Cramer wants to know if the I. C. ever killed anybody out here.

The next worst thing to riding horseback is swinging on a grape vine, as far as sore muscles go.

A lot of people thought they were voting for an honest candidate the other day, and really they were voting for "Meanie" Merz.

Margaret Ann Cummins can tell you how it feels to have a mouth full of lye.

## THE SPHINX WONDERS:

What is the Woman's League?

If you've heard the rumor about a stable of riding horses that's to come here.

How Jeanette Spalding manages to be cheerful all the time.

If you know how much fun it is to play bridge on the floor.

If you ever heard of anyone's being reprimanded for being too friendly.

Who the girls are who sit out in the car in front of the book store.

Why it is that preachers' daughters are always the best cheaters at cards.

## Delta Sig

Kathryn Cavella and Lois Mallory attended the performance of "Mourning Becomes Electra," presented at the American theatre in St. Louis Saturday.

Mrs. Junior McClure of Cairo, the former Juanita Clanton, visited at the Delta Sig house last Friday.

The Delta Sig spring formal will be held on April 23 at the chapter house. At the present time, the committee appointed to arrange details of the dance has revealed no definite plans as to decorations or orchestra.

Helen Crisp, Mary Eleanor Helm, Gertrude Clark, and Miss Hilda Stein were representatives to the convention of the State League of Women Voters held at Bloomington, Illinois, last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Winkler, formerly Elma Spiller, visited at the chapter house last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Winkler, both graduates of S. I. T. C., are living in Cicero, at which place Mr. Winkler has a teaching position.

Margaret Reynolds of Vienna was a guest at the Delta Sig house last Friday evening. Miss Reynolds attended S. I. T. C. during 1929 and is at the present time employed in the offices of C. I. P. S. at Vienna.

bers are noisy, and our lessons go undone. (Blank verse) Notice the rhythm, the reasoning, and the repetition.

SCRIBALOVE.

## SOUTHERN FACES STRONGEST LITTLE 19 TEAM IN OLD NORMAL SQUAD

WINNERS IN CONFERENCE TO  
MEET SOUTHERN HERE  
APRIL 16

The coming meet between Southern Teachers' College and Old Normal, to be staged Saturday, April 16, will bring one of the strongest track teams in the Little 19 Conference here to seek a victory at the expense of the Maroons. To say that the Normal team is picked as the favorite would be putting it mildly. Old Normal has retained her best men from last year, while the gaps in Southern's ranks are wide and frequent. Normal has already shown her strength on two occasions, while the forces of Lingle are as yet practically untried.

State Normal won the Little 19 indoor meet at Napierville, March 12, with a score of 44 points. The half-mile and the mile races were both won by one man, the brilliant Hutton, who is one of Normal's most consistent scorers. The 60-yard dash was taken by Johnson, with Murry, another Normal man, in second place. Hubbel added to Normal's score by tying for second in the pole vault. Fricke, another Normal distance man, won the 2-mile run, and his teammate, Hutton, came in second. Normal placed third in the 8-11 mile relay.

Old Normal came away from the first annual Armour Institute meet with the prize of third place. Twenty-six universities and colleges came together in this meet, which was won by Indiana University, Big Ten champs. The University of Chicago placed second, and the presence of Normal as a winning team among these schools has added greatly to her prestige.

In the Armour meet, Normal ran second to Indiana in the two-mile relay and also in the college two-mile event. Furthermore, Normal won the college 880-rely and the college mile relay. The relay team taking these events was composed of Nichol, Mitts, Murry and Johnson. Normal's two-mile team consisted of Fricke, Wallace, Bremer and Hutton. Murry took second in the 70-yard dash, and Fricke picked up a fifth in the mile.

In view of the above facts, and considering the talent coming that has not been mentioned, Saturday's meet is going to be a hard go for Southern Teachers. Some of the best individual talent to be seen here this year will appear in this dual meet.

### WHO'S WHO IN TENNIS

The tennis tournament has not yet begun, but the following men have already started practice. This year's varsity teams will probably be selected from this group:

Clarence Stevenson (Capt. and manager), Carbondale.  
Lawrence Springer, West Frankfort.

George Sinks, West Frankfort.  
Glenn Thompson, Cypress.  
Ivan Stone, West Frankfort.  
Eugene Baysinger, Carbondale.  
Clarence Pierce, Christopher.  
Stanley, Myers, Mt. Vernon.  
Walter Syfert, Jr., W. Frankfort.  
C. J. Henley, West Frankfort.  
Roscoe Cooke, Carbondale.  
Paul Brimm, Creal Springs.  
William Peterson, Carbondale.

## Track Season of "Little Nineteen" Gets Under Way

Monmouth, Ill. — Intercollegiate competition in track among the colleges of the Little 19 conference promises to be especially keen this year. Results and records of the indoor meets points to a big field of unusually good competitors. The outdoor season is getting under way at once with all teams engaging in duals or some of the big meets. The climax of the season will be the annual conference meet at Monmouth, May 20-21.

For the second year in succession and for the third time in five years Monmouth College will be host to the nearly 400 competitors who enter the meet representing the 22 colleges of the conference. The facilities at Monmouth for handling the meet are unsurpassed in the entire state. The quarter mile oval with a 220-yard straightaway eight lanes wide, is in excellent condition. The gymnasium, opening onto the athletic field, is a modern structure completed in 1925. H. L. Hart, Director of Athletics will manage the meet and Dr. T. H. McMichael, president of Monmouth College, will likely be honorary referee.

Illinois Normal, winner of the indoor championship at North Central is the early favorite with such fine performers as Johnson, Murray, Nicols, Mitts, Fricke, Wallace, Hutton, Hubbel and Bremer. Lambert Redd of Bradley the outstanding individual of the meet last year, is expected to take high point honors again.

North Central, Illinois College, Bradley, Elmhurst, and Wesleyan, all showed considerable strength in the indoor meet and must be counted in the running for high honors. Carthage has not had an opportunity to demonstrate the strength of her team, but Coach Lewis Omer has some fine material among the old men and a group of freshmen that set splendid marks in high school. Knox is expected to be strong again this year with considerable new strength from last year's freshmen.

Monmouth fans are optimistic about their favorites as the Scots seem to have more strength than they have been able to muster for a number of years. Most of the regulars of last season are back in competition and have been joined by a number of sophomores from last year's good freshman squad.

Other schools in the conference who have the nucleus for strong teams in two or three stellar performers are hoping to discover and develop the strength that will place them near the top in the big meet. It is expected that new contenders for top honors will be available before the conference meet rolls around.

Arrangements for the meet are being rapidly lined up under the direction of Mr. Hart. His experience in running the same meet twice on Monmouth Field in four years, make it possible to arrange facilities to even greater advantage.

Every effort is being made to provide comfortable accommodations for spectators as well as competitors and a large crowd is expected to witness the feature event.

## TEACHERS WIN SEASON'S FIRST MEET AT CAPE

SOUTHERN ROMPS TO 75 TO 55  
VICTORY OVER CAPE  
INDIANS

Teachers College opened the track season Monday afternoon by taking the first meet from Southeast Missouri Teachers College at Cape Girardeau by a score of 75 to 55. The Carbondale team came home with nine first places, eight seconds, and seven thirds. Jim Reed became high point man for the Southerners by bagging 10 points, while Hubbard, of Cape, took 13 points for S. E. M. T. C.

### Brown Sets Record

Paul Brown of Carbondale set a new record for the javelin by a sensational throw of 193.8 feet. This better Brown's old Teachers' College record by 18.3 feet. Since the requirement for Olympic qualification in the javelin is only 190 feet, Brown has placed himself in the ranks of Class-A competition, and at the same time set a Teachers' College record that will probably stand until he breaks it again, which should be soon.

### Pierce the Dark Horse

Clarence Pierce of Christopher, a new star on the Southern horizon, won the broad jump. His leap of 22 feet was too good for Neiman, who won the broad jump at the Missouri U. indoor meet a few days ago. Pierce, who is a sophomore, and in his first year of varsity track, is one of "Doc" Lingle's most promising finds in years. Schrade repeated his traditional performance by placing third in the event.

### Other Southern Stars

Davidson, Southern star and sophomore, burned the wind in the 440 to beat the pack for a time of 53.5. Robert Reeves, promising freshman of Carbondale, won the high jump from veteran competition to take his place as a leading man. James Reed, of Harrisburg, took first place in both the mile and the half mile runs. Emil Wiggins, surprising sophomore of Eldorado, took first in the two-mile trot with a time of 11.9. Johnson of Benton, and Bauder of Christopher, took first places in the pole vault and the shot-put respectively.

### Cape Wins First Places

Cape men placed first in both the high and low hurdles, and their speed demon, Tucker, took the dashes from Carbondale's Wright, who placed second in the two events. Cape won the relay with a time of 3.47, and cheered Hubbard's discus throw of 123.4 feet.

In view of the fact that the Southerners defeated this team last year by a score of 85 1-3 to 45 2-3, it is evident that Lingle's present aggregation is not quite up to par. With a tough Normal team in the offing, it behooves the Southerners to make a special effort to hit the old stride or Carbondale Teachers' fine record will not be preserved throughout the season.

### Summary

(Note—The men are listed in the order of their places, (S) denoting S. I. T. C. and (C) denoting S. E. M. T. C.)

100 yd. dash—Tucker (C), Wright (S), and Neiman (C.)

1 mile run—Reed (S), Seabaugh (C), and Piper (S.)

220 dash—Tucker (C), Wright (S), and Neiman (C.)

High hurdles—Hubbard (C), Mas-

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### WHO'S WHO IN TRACK

The Egyptian presents below the letter men who are out for track this season. They represent the basis of this college's hopes for winning the fourth consecutive Teachers' College championship. The men are not listed in the order of their estimated ability. (The figures in parenthesis represent the letters.):

Carl Wright (3) senior, sprints, Carbondale.

Glenn Martin (2) senior, weights, Fairfield.

James Reed (2) junior, mid-dist., Harrisburg.

Gerald Davidson (1) sophomore, mid-dist., Odin.

George Stanley (1) sophomore, pole vault, Marion.

Richard Watson (2) senior, high jump, Carterville.

James Lauder (3) senior, javelin, Carterville.

Paul J. Brown (1) sophomore, javelin, Carbondale.

Albert Patton (1) junior, javelin, Carlyle.

James Smith (1) sophomore, javelin, Carbondale.

Walter Schrade (3) senior, broad jump, Benton.

Emil Wiggins (1) sophomore, dis-

### TRACK SCHEDULE

April 16, Illinois State Normal at Carbondale.

April 22, Cape Girardeau Teachers at Carbondale.

April 29, McKendree College at Lebanon.

May 6, Shurtleff College, Eastern Teachers, and McKendree College at Lebanon.

May 14, State Teachers meet at Macomb.

May 20-21, Little 19 meet at Monmouth.

May 27, Shurtleff College at Carbondale.

tance, Eldorado.

Paul Swofford (2) senior, pole vault, Benton.

Webb Johnson (1) sophomore, pole vault, Benton.

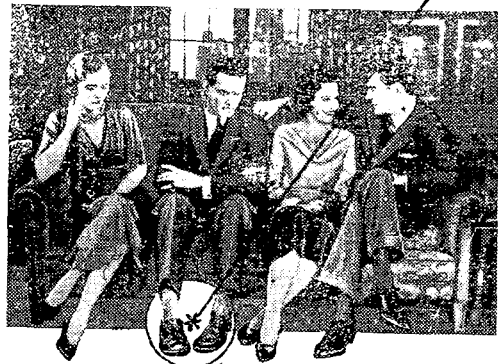
Robert Martin (1) senior, hurdles, Carbondale.

Vernell McRoy (1) sophomore, mid-dist., Marion.

George Porter (1) junior, high jump, Murphysboro.

The track scores of Teachers' College will probably be made by about a half dozen of the above men, together with several promising freshmen.

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**EGYPTIAN SCORES SCOOP ON WORLD**

The Egyptian, maintaining its steadfast policy of following the trend of the times, has again made a "scoop," to use the journalistic vernacular, on all the collegiate papers of the nation. Everywhere one hears and sees the word, "contest." The present vogue of all efficient establishments is the conducting of contests. It is now the pleasure of the Egyptian to announce that it too has decided to sponsor a like rivalry, open to both faculty and students.

In the past a few minor contests have been managed by the Egyptian, mostly along experimental lines. The present contest, however, shall be maintained upon an elaborate scale. The pecuniary rewards will be of such sufficient size that even the most sedate of our doctors will be enticed to enter the contest. If the monetary element is no allurements, then undoubtedly the challenge offered by the contest to one's skill and learning shall be.

The contest is such that the deep-seated concentration is required. In reality, it is a battle of intellect, combined with cleverness. In truth, it is the contest of the century, the first of its kind ever to be conducted by a college paper. It is doubtful if any other school will be capable of sponsoring such a mammoth project. The combined financial and intellectual resources of the entire Egyptian staff and its sponsors were necessary to form this contest.

The purpose of this intellectual vieing is to secure an adequate slogan for the Egyptian. The winning slogan shall adorn the front page of every issue after it is selected. All copyrights, patents and proceeds derived from theatres, novels, etc., shall be the property of the paper. For example, if the idea of the slogan is ideal for the plot of a novel, the writer must compensate the paper only for the use of the slogan. All rights in the slogan are relinquished by the owner of it when he turns it in to the paper.

The rules of the contest are neither complicated or simple. Neither are they foolish. The words in the slogan are limited to 20,000, no more, no less. Each word must not contain over two syllables, or one vowel. Words of less than ten letters are barred. Foreign words, phrases, diphthongs, and words used in other countries are not to be used. Profane words are intelligible, as are any words to be found in Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, other than the restriction that each word must contain the letter X four times, the rules as concerns the words are closed. The rules are compiled by a committee of one inmate at a famous state institution of Union County.

Only a few rules govern the eligibility of the contestants. People without hair on their head can not enter the contest, also people who are not bald headed. Those who

**Mu Tau Pi Pledges Five New Members**

Mu Tau Pi conducted its first ceremony to pledge new members last Thursday evening at the home of Donald Payne, president of the fraternity. Pledges, including Egyptian and Obelisk staff members, were Alice Draper of Metropolis, Leora Hartley of West Frankfort, Jane Warren of Carbondale, Earl Hanson of Carbondale, and Ray Heitman of Steelville.

Mr. Payne addressed the group, emphasizing the intent of Mu Tau Pi to further journalism on the campus. He added that the club also provided a social medium for those who are interested in college publications. The pledge term, a period of four weeks, will be climaxed by an initiation service and a banquet for which plans are not yet completed.

The five pledges will increase the number of Mu Tau Pi members to twenty-one. The constitution provides that all students taken in shall have completed one year of consistent work on either of the college publications.

The second rush season of the calendar year will begin the seventh week of the fall term.

have been guillotined are afforded special preference in the contest.

Any member of the faculty or student body who can comply with our simple rules and restrictions is welcome to enter the contest—not only welcome, but urged, entreated, begged, implored, even requested, to do so.

The prizes are of interest to all contestants. The first prize consists of a season ticket entitling the holder to free bathing in Lake Ridgway, any day between the hours of 6:00 a. m. and 6:00 o'clock in the morning. The ticket remains in force between the months of November and February. A cast iron bathing suit, a pair of lead water wings, and a cement life saver belt will be donated gratis to the winner. Also a toy pulmotor.

The second prize consists of a free trip around the world. The only provision to this prize is that the winner deposit \$100,000 with the paper to defray expenses of the trip. A concrete raft will be used for the voyage.

The third prize consists of two Mexican jumping beans. A pole may be attached to each, and the winner will thus have two desirable pogo sticks. Perhaps the paper will sponsor a pogo jumping race at a later date. Who knows? or cares?

The remaining 997 prize winners will each receive a free copy of the Egyptian upon the receipt of ten cents from each individual.

The contest closes on the second Tuesday of the sixth week in November. We are expecting the student body and faculty to enter the contest en masse.

**KAPPA PHI KAPPA NEW CAMPUS FRAT. (Continued from Page One.)**

were first organized we had no thought of entering any teacher-training institution, as our purpose was to encourage and make more popular the work of the Departments of Education in Arts Colleges." One or two charters have been since granted to teachers colleges. The election of the Education Club of S. I. T. C. was questioned until the board of trustees and the national council saw the high standard of liberal arts work being offered at S. I. T. C. One of the trustees, the Hon. William John Cooper, U. S. Commissioner of Education, had first-hand knowledge of our situation through his visit here a year ago.

The acquisition of the professional fraternity is also in line with the better standards and increasing prestige of S. I. T. C. as an institution for the training of teachers. It is probably the most important organization that has ever been brought to this school.

The membership of the new fraternity is composed at present of twenty out of the thirty-seven members of the Education Club. The basis of the membership of the Education Club has been probable success as a teacher, as estimated by several members of the faculty and student club members.

The women at S. I. T. C. already have chapters of national educational sororities, Delta Sigma Epsilon and Sigma Sigma Sigma, but this is the first national educational organization for men on the campus.

**FIFTY-THREE STUDENTS TO BE AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP LETTERS (Continued from Page One)**

Miller, George F. ....	4.6
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Newman, Elizabeth ....	4.5
Prosser, Phyllis J. ....	4.5
Ross, Audre Mae ....	4.6
Sigler, Margaret L. ....	4.6
Simmons, Violet L. ....	4.6
Shenk, Viola Ruth ....	4.7
Thompson, Ralph ....	5.
Thurmond, Lorene R. ....	4.5
Viers, Cora ....	4.6
Watson, Richard E. ....	4.7
Warren, Jane ....	4.5
West, Wilson W. ....	4.6
Willis, Walter W. ....	4.6
Wintersteen, Marjory ....	4.5
West, Elizabeth Anne ....	5.
Young, M. Marjorie ....	4.6
Zellers, Ruth ....	4.5

**REPRESENTATIVES ATTEND STATE MEET OF WOMEN VOTERS (Continued from Page One)**

W. W. Ramsey.  
Round Table: The Work of the College League—Leader, Miss Hilda Stein.

Institute  
Thomas Metcalf Building, 9:00 a. m., Saturday.

You and Your Vote—Mrs. W. W. Ramsey.

Mock Party Convention—Leader, Mrs. Florence Fifer Borher, and Northwestern Co-ed Civic League.

The local League of Women Voters is a unit of the Young Women's Christian Association and was organized on this campus early last fall by Miss Emily Taft.

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**TEACHERS WIN SEASON'S FIRST MEET AT CAPE (Continued from Page Five.)**

teller (C), and McAfoos (S.)  
440 run—Davidson (S), Dalton (C), and Johnson (S.)  
2-mile run—Wiggins (S), Davis (S), and Kinchloe (C.)  
Low hurdles—Masteller (C), Hubbard (C), and Brown (S.)  
880 run—Reed (S), Chandler (S) and Seabaugh (C.)  
Discus—Hubbard (C), Bauder (S) and Martin (S.)  
Pole vault—Johnson (S), Stanley (S), and Stroud (C.)  
Shot-put—Bauder (S), Martin (S) and Barni (C.)  
High jump—Reeves (S), Krus (C), and Hubbard (C), Watson (S.)  
Broad jump—Pierce (S), Neiman (C), and Schrade (S.)  
Javelin—Brown (S), Smith (S), and Neiman (C.)  
Relay—(C.)

**Socrats Decide not to Sponsor Dance**

A trio from Marion consisting of Ralph Smothers, Paul Smothers, and George Stanley featured the program given by the Socrats last Wednesday night.

During the business meeting it was decided not to have a dance, since so many other organizations were planning such social events. The society announces that its spring banquet will be held in the near future. Plans were made for a guest night to be staged April 27. A report on the spring entertainment committee was given by Clarence Arnold.

The program given was:  
Vocal solo, Bert Ebbs.  
Reading, Paul Harrelson.  
Piano solo, Alberta Wright.  
Extemporaneous talks, Clarence Arnold, Ray Snider.  
Popular numbers, Ralph Smothers, George Stanley, Paul Smothers.

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