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# THE EGYPTIAN

Read by Four Thousand Students, Faculty and Friends of the School.

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## CARNIVAL COM- ING MAY 23

### Campus Carnival to be Bigger and Better Than Ever This Year

Plans are being made to make this year's carnival the best one ever staged at S. I. N. U.

For the first time in the history of the carnival a full day has been allotted to the sport and fun, which this day brings. Some of the features will be a ball game, parade, and platform show.

The annual election of carnival king and queen will take place as per usual in chapel. Don't forget that these elections are supposed to pick the most popular boy and girl of the school year.

Mr. McAndrews will have charge of the carnival, which will be held on May 23 and with the aid of the committee is rapidly completing his plans for the show. Aside from concessions, etc., the following organizations have decided to participate: Socratic, Ag Club, Agora, Egyptian, Stumble Inn, Zetetic, English Club, Y. M. C. A., Sigma Alpha Pi, Cob's Band, Quirites.

In addition to these organizations there may be included stunts that will take place. Everyone on the campus must be attired in a costume signifying the carnival spirit or take the consequences.

### CHORUS CONCERT

There will be no Orchestra Concert this spring, but instead there will be a Chorus Concert. You have always enjoyed the Orchestra Concert because of the excellent music which it gave. It gave none of the rag-time or jazz that is so soon forgotten but only the best classical music. The Chorus will give good music that will be appreciated by all. We learn to appreciate good music by hearing good music. If we content ourselves with jazz, only, we are robbing ourselves of some of the best things in life, just as one would rob himself of the best in literature if he did not read some of the masterpieces.

Come out to hear the program. You can't afford to miss it.



D. B. PARKINSON, Ph. D.  
President of the S. I. N. U., 1897-1913

A rare tribute of honor was paid to one of Carbondale's most distinguished citizens, one held in affection by thousands throughout this section of the state who attended the Normal during the seventeen years he served as President, when the First Methodist Church unveiled a bronze portrait tablet Sunday, May 27th, as a testimonial of appreciation.

Coming to Carbondale with the establishment of the school in 1874 he has been continuously identified with the work of the institution and impressed his character and ideas upon thousands of students and made himself a great force throughout Southern Illinois. Being with the University for so long a period, he won his way into the hearts of thousands by the exercise of those qualities which have "made him a stimulating force among present, and pleasant memory with past associates."

While as students, we remember him as a man of energy, pleasantness,

magnetism, firmness, and earnestness, and yet through it all, and above all, we see in the wearing of his life, the golden threads of charity and courtesy, that charity that suffereth long and is kind, that courtesy which is

"To do and say,

The kindest things in the kindest way."

Cuthbert had been listening for half an hour to a lecture from his father on the evils of late nights and late risings in the morning.

"You will never amount to anything," said the father, "unless you turn over a new leaf. Remember it's the early bird that catches the worm."

"Ha, Ha!" laughed Cuthbert "how about the worm? What did he get for turning out so early?"

"My son" replied the father, "that worm hadn't been to bed all night, he was on his way home."

## OFFICIALS TO INVADE EGYPT

### June 1st Date Favored—Party of 100 Coming\*

State Senator Otis F. Glenn will pilot a party of senators, representatives and major state officers and their wives out of Springfield, probably June 1, for a run down to Murphysboro, a morning's inspection of the University and Carbondale, and afternoon at the proposed state park site at Fountain Bluff, a night and morning at the penitentiary at Menard and an up-river boat ride past old Fort Gage and into St. Louis.

It is possible that the expedition may elect to make the trip earlier. May 18th is the other suggested date. Weather and roads considered, however, there is a feeling in Springfield that June 1st would be the safer time to start.

Senator Glenn expects that fully 75 to 100 guests will make the journey with him into the heart of Egypt. The party plans to travel by traction line in a special car, leaving Springfield at a morning hour to put them in St. Louis for afternoon sightseeing.

The party should arrive in Murphysboro that evening at 6:30 via the I.C. on the Panama Limited. From the train the party will go to an elaborate dinner.

### Will Inspect College

After a night there with Senator Glenn and representatives and ladies of the city, the party will come by interurban to Carbondale early the next morning and inspect the Southern Illinois State University.

After noonday luncheon the dignitaries will go by auto to Leo Rock, over the general lay of the state hard road route proposed by Senator Glenn, Murphysboro to Leo Rock, and incorporated this week in the \$100,000,000 state appropriation bill.

Skirting the promontory from Leo Rock the party will scale the heights for a close-up look at the park site, time permitting, and a view of the scenic vicinity from that altitude.

On to Chester ahead of nightfall, dinner there, and a night and early morning stay at the penal institution at Menard, thence by boat to Old Fort Gage and up-river to St. Louis.

# ANNUAL SPRING CONCERT, MAY 17

## WEARERS OF THE U

## Basket Ball

Bailey, Ralph, '22.  
 Bailey, Paul, '15.  
 Baker, Guy, '15, '16.  
 Bell, Joe, '14, '16.  
 Birkner, Clarence, '22, '23.  
 Bridges, Roland, '23.  
 Brimm, John, '23.  
 Bryant, John, '22.  
 Brooks, Clyde, '17.  
 Carter, Donald, '14, '15, '16.  
 Crawshaw, Clyde, '23.  
 Entsminger, Tom, '15, '16, '17.  
 Entsminger, Robert, '14.  
 Etherton, Fred, '14, '15, '16.  
 Goddard, Glenn, '14, '15, '16.  
 Hamilton, Ralph, '14.  
 Hesler, Frank, '14, '15.  
 Hickey, Joe, '22, '23.  
 Hodge, Reed, '14.  
 Huffman, Nyle, '16.  
 Loy, Voris, '23.  
 McCormack, Lynn, '22.  
 McCormack, Max, '22.  
 Marshall, Sherman, '15, '16.  
 Putscamp, William, '15, '16.  
 Neber, Lawrence, '17.  
 Pabst, Fred, '14, '15, '16.  
 Renfro, Chas. '22, '23.  
 Renfro, Francis, '22.  
 Smith, Silliman, '14.  
 Thompson, Eric, '12.  
 Weiler, Joe, '16, '17.  
 White, Everett, '13.

## Football

Allen, Walter, '14.  
 Bailey, Paul, '14.  
 Bastin, Creston, '14, '15.

Baker, Guy, '16.  
 Bell, Joe, '15.  
 Brohm, Henry, '16.  
 Carter, Donald, '14.  
 Dowdell, Frank, '15, '16.  
 Douglas, Glen, '16.  
 Haminger, '16.  
 Goddard, Glenn, '14, '15.  
 Hesler, Frank, '14.  
 Hickman, Leo, '15.  
 Kayser, William, '14, '16.  
 Keith, Boroen, '16.  
 Lawder, James, '14, '15.  
 Loomis, Walter, '14, '15.  
 Lee, George, '14, '16.  
 Martin, Albert, '14.  
 Neber, Lawrence, '15, '16.  
 Pabst, Fred, '14.  
 Putscamp, William, '14.  
 Renfro, Donald, '16.  
 Schmulbach, Henry, '15.  
 Staubitz, Frank, '15, '16.  
 Stover, Curtis, '15.  
 Travelstead, Virgil, '14.  
 Wamen, Andrew, '15.  
 Weiler, Joe, '15, '16.  
 Weiler, Ray, '14.  
 Westerman, Albert, '14, '15.  
 Wiswell, Leslie, '14, '15.

## Track

Allen, William, '14.  
 Bastin, Creston, '15, '16.  
 Browne, Arthur, '15, '16.  
 Bean, '16.  
 Colyer, Raymond, '14, '15, '16.  
 Davis, Herbert, '15, '16.  
 Goddard, Glenn, '14, '15.  
 Hamilton, '16.  
 Lawder, James, '15.  
 Marshall, Sherman, '14, '15, '16.

Neber, Lawrence, '15, '16.  
 Nesbitt, Harry, '15, '16.  
 Nolen, Cecil, '15.  
 Putscamp, William, '15, '16.  
 Pabst, Fred, '15.  
 Schmulbach, '16.  
 Smith, Paul, '14.  
 Wilson, Clarence, '14.  
 Warren, '16.  
 Wilson, Rodger, '14, '15, '16.  
 Wiswell, Leslie, '14, '15, '16.  
 Woods, Alfonso, '14, '15.  
 Gaines, Earl, '14, '15.

## Cross Country

Bean, Everett, '15.  
 Goddard, Glenn, '14, '15.  
 Hayton, Raymond, '15.  
 Nolen, Cecil, '14.  
 Wiswell, Leslie, '14, '15.  
 Wilson, Rodger, '14, '15.  
 Wamen, Andrew, '15.

## Tennis

Hesler, Frank, '14, '15.  
 Hodge, Reed, '14.  
 Weiler, Joe, '15.

## Baseball

Birkner, Clarence, '22.  
 Collins, John, '22.  
 Heninger, '22.  
 Hight, Frank, '22.

Hanckley, Olin, '22.  
 McKemie, Tom, '22.  
 Miles, Benton, '22.  
 Mowery, Orville, '22.  
 Spangler, Earl, '22.

We received some contributions from former students last week. We are always glad to obtain them.

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Homer Corgan	Bernard Miller
Mae Davis	Zelda Thomas
Helen Fitzgerald	Alice Vessell
Orlean Thomas	

### High School Seniors

Florence Whitlock

THE OBELISK

### WHAT?

Spring Concert.

### WHO?

Mixed Chorus of S. I. N. U.  
 assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Tate

### WHEN?

Thursday, May 17th, 1923, at  
 8:00 p. m.

### WHERE?

Auditorium. Admission 35c.  
 Tickets on sale now.

# THE RADIATOR

## THE RADIATOR

A passer-by asked the first of three men whom he saw working upon a wall, the question, "What are you doing?" He replied, "I am laying bricks." He asked the second who was engaged in like occupation, "What are you doing?" His reply was "I am making ten dollars a day." Passing on to the third he put the same question, "What are you doing?" He replied in a clear, ringing voice, "I am building a Cathedral."

Which of these are you going to do when you pass from these classrooms?

We hope that each of you may find something useful to do out in the world; that you may lay brick and lay them well. We also wish

that you may receive a decent wage so that you may possess not only the necessities of life, but also many of its comforts and luxuries. But above all we hope that you may be a Cathedral builder—that you may realize that life 's an adjustment of your being to the highest ideals of existence.

Has it occurred to you, that in the last analysis your Alma Mater will prosper or fall as you succeed or fail? It will be judged by your achievements. You have learned to think for yourselves, to appreciate the value of an "open mind," and to accomplish all phases of life, everywhere, are asking for sane, constructive workers. May you go forth and use all your faculties to help and serve mankind well.

## OUR ORGANIZATIONS

It is not enough to know that the following organizations are here, but the fact that the students take advantage of them is the thing of which we are proud. Attendance at any of the meetings of these social units of the school is not compulsory as it is at some schools, nevertheless each of these organizations has a large number of members and many attend who are not directly affiliated as members. The students apparently realize that all the benefits of school life do not come from studies alone.

### Administrative

- Student Council.
- College.
- Seniors.
- Juniors.

### Normal

- Seniors.
- Juniors.

### High School

- Seniors.
- Juniors.
- Sophomores.
- ...Freshman.

### Departmental

- Agricultural Club.
- Quirites.

### Rural Club

- S. O. P. H.
- Art Appreciation Club.

### Dramatic

- Strut and Fret.

### Honorary

- ForAgorIII.

### Literary

- Agora.
- Forum.
- Illinae.
- Zetetic Society.
- Socratic Society.

### Musical

- Band.
- Chorus.
- Orchestra.

## Social

- Acacia.
- Sigma Alpha Pi.
- Alexander.
- Bond.
- Clay.
- Clinton.
- Crawford.
- Edwards.
- Effingham.
- Fayette.
- Franklin.
- Gallatin.
- Hamilton.
- Hardin.
- Jackson.
- Jasper.
- Jefferson.
- Jersey.
- Johnson.
- Lawrence.
- Marion.
- Massac.
- Monroe.
- Madison.
- Perry.
- Pope.
- Pulaski.
- Richland.
- Randolph.
- Saline.
- St. Clair.
- Union.
- Wabash.
- Washington.
- Wayne.
- White.
- Williamson.

## Welfare

- Y. M. C. A.
- Y. W. C. A.

"John," asked the teacher, "what is a synonym?"

"A synonym," said John, "is the word you use when you can't spell the other one."

## SPRING FEVER

Ah've done got spring fever,  
Jes' can't work atall.  
Mind adriftin' way out yonder  
Past the old brick wall.

Lirds a-chirpin' love song.  
Wind so soft and low,  
Ain't no use o'tryin'  
Fingers jes' won't go.

Lawsey Honey, but ah's lazy,  
Jes' adreamin' dreams  
Hear the grass agrawin' greener  
Long them little streams.

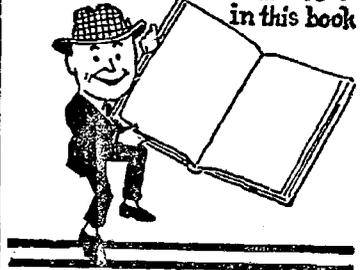
Ah'd like to take a fish pole  
An wander far away,  
Wouldn't even go no fishin'  
Got spring fever bad today.

A college professor of biology was one day discovered in tears by one of the students. When asked what the trouble was, he moaned:

"To think that the poor butterflies have to die every winter!"

Yes, but think of the poor frogs! They creak every night," said the student comfortingly.

**Do You Know?**  
that your Girls Picture is  
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## The Obelisk

### A SUNDAY AFTERNOON SOCIAL

A Sunday afternoon social was given last Sunday afternoon on Forest street at the rooming place of Minnie Maxwell. Those being present were Cay and Lera Randolph, Leah Leigh, Lulu Gullet and Theodore Sistler. Special music was furnished by Mr. Randolph, after which refreshments were served in the large dining room, by a girl, about fifteen feet square.

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## EDITORIAL



Do not be confined in your thinking to as small a thing as a text book. Do you belong to the firm of "Grin and Bear it?"

It is a good and safe rule to sojourn in every place as if you meant to spend your life there; never omitting an opportunity of doing a kindness or speaking a true word or making a friend.

The next best thing to knowing is admitting that you don't.

Old shoes are like old friends. Don't throw them away when you get new ones.

Our English teacher said, "He who hesitates is lost." She may be right, so we're not taking any chances.

We don't have to be bribed to be good. We are always good for nothing.

The most mysterious situation in the world is that of a girl who has the combination of audacity and innocence.

We are terribly unfortunate that we are not always our best friend's best friend.

If the girls took King Solomon's advice there'd be no flappers.

Even with our own "Specs" on we can't see how or why some people draw their conclusions.

The problem of the constant generation of our freshmen is a problem for the mentaphysicians to solve and correct.

Wonder if those fellows who do the violin by ear ever get the earache? They still keep talking about the Turkish atrocities, but we never could smoke that brand.

We all make great plans for saving for a rainy day, but the trouble is, we never think to do it till we hear it thunder.

Many of the fellows are taking dancing lessons now. They get the holds very well, but the steps are a little more difficult.

These one-man tops for Fords are very nice, but where in the world are we going to hand the right-hand tire when it shoots?

History professor wanted to know the other day if we were interested in contemporary history. It is all right, but we like modern stuff better.

The high prices paid to college lecturers are probably not paid so much for the good that can come from the lecture as for the personal risk that the lecturer is taking in delivering it.

### NORMAL ASSIGNED TO ALTON DISTRICT FOR TENNIS TOURNAY

The S. I. N. U. has been assigned to the Alton district for competition in the Little 19 tennis and golf championships. Unlike the previous years when all the colleges competed at a common district, the state has been districted into four sections so as to eliminate confusion and to allow the meets to be run off more systematically and with less time. With the Normal in the Southern district are Shurtleff, McKendree, Illinois and Blackburn Colleges. The district contest will be held May 18 and 19, such are the plans as made by the I. I. A.

Two singles entrants and one double entrant will compete for each college in the district meets. The winners of first and second place in each district contest will go to Jacksonville, probably June 2, to compete in the finals.

Entries from the S. I. N. U. are to be in the hands of Gerald E. Byron of Shurtleff college, who is manager of the southern district, by May 9. The Altonites will conduct the contests and assure all entrants to that district adequate provisions while they are visiting in the city.

The other districts and the schools assigned to them are as follows:

- Northern**
  - Lake Forest.
  - Northwestern.
  - N. Teachers' College.
  - Mt. Morris.
  - Wheaton.
  - St. Viator.
- Central**
  - Wesleyan.
  - Normal.
  - Millikin.
  - Knox.
  - Lincoln.
  - E. Teachers' College.
- Western**
  - Knox.
  - Monmouth.
  - Augustana.
  - Lombard.
  - Carthage.
  - Bradley.

The court drawings for the Normal students were made last Tuesday morning and are in use, weather permitting, from sun up to sun down.

### PERSONALS

Miss Eureka attended the Western Drawing Teachers' Association at St. Louis May the 3rd and 4th.

F. G. Warren delivered the commencement address at Christopher May 3rd.

Mr. Wham gave the Commencement address at Zeigler May 4th.

The class in third year botany went to Fountain Bluff Saturday to obtain specimens for their class work.

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## Barth Theatre

Tuesday, May 8th  
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Wednesday, May 9th  
Dustin Farnum in  
"THE BUSTER"  
Al St. John in  
"YOUNG AND DUMB"  
Fox Educational

Thursday, May 10th  
Charles Ray in  
"R. S. V. P."  
Pathe Comedy, "OUR GANG"  
Fox News

Friday, May 11th  
Constance Talmadge in  
"THE PRIMITIVE LOVER"  
Also  
Louise Huff in  
"A DANGEROUS PARADISE"  
DOUBLE PROGRAM

Saturday, May 12  
Wanda Hawley in  
"THE LOVE CHARM"  
Number 9 of "SPEED"  
Aesop's Fables  
COMING  
STRONGHEART in  
"BRAUN OF THE NORTH"



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Yesterday is passed, tomorrow never comes; to-day must be filled with good things, if we are to progress.

Here in this store we strive to make each day a successful unit in the months and years of our business. Each of your visits is a pleasant, profitable part of your friendship for this store.

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**A BOARDING HOUSE**

"Two O'clock," said my chum, as he closed the lid of his eight jewel Elgin with a click. "Two O'clock and no place to roost yet."

We drew near a medium sized brown house, which in spite of the immaculateness of the lawn—if a lawn may be immaculate—and the well trimmed hedges had resting in one of the beautifully curtained windows a white card on which was artistically printed, "Rooms and Board."

"We'll try here," I answered, turning in.

My chum held back. "Wait a minute," he said, "I don't quite like the looks of things. They are uncomfortably clean."

"Nonsense," I answered, "looks good to me."

I rang the bell, then noticed a cat sitting on the porch. Quick steps were heard approaching. The door opened and a sharp voice said "Good morning!"

The cat sprang from the porch and fairly flew around the corner of the house, and my chum stepped backward as I lifted my hat to a tall, thin sharp featured lady who stood framed in the doorway. She was past middle age and dressed in a light figured gingham dress, so stiffly starched it crinkled as she breathed. But it was without spot or wrinkle.

She smiled much, though somewhat mechanically as she led us thru a neatly arranged parlor into the last vacant room. I shall never for-

get my first impression of that room. Each piece of furniture stood exactly in place. The two straight backed chairs on either side of the small, neat but plain study table, stood as rigidly at attention as two German goose-steppers, being reviewed by their general. This table was so clean that the grains of the wood showed clearly. I was sorry for it and thought to myself it would be an act of mercy to cover its poor tender top with a nice soft plaster of grease and dirt. It seemed to beg for one drop of ink and "The Rich Man" begged for one drop of water.

After much bargaining we rented the room and paid in advance. Thirty minutes later when we returned with our trunks we found she had considerably tacked on the wall governing rules of her boarding house, originated and written out by herself. We unpacked our belongings, going on our tip-toes and talking in a whisper all the time.

Supper time came at last and was announced by a sharp knock and a sharper "Supper!"

The supper proceeded, the sharp-faced lady standing above the table and smiling as our appetites decreased. If a dish began to run low, all felt her keen eyes upon it and none dared to take more from it.

Day after day this went on. My chum threatened to leave me and hunt a new place if I insisted on staying on. Finally I consented and told him to break the news to the landlady. He never mentioned leaving again, but a far-away look came into his face.

One day when I came in, I found my friend in absolute despair. On inquiring the cause he said, "Oh, Love, a professor is to take his meals here from now on. More dignity, more stiffness, and I am getting so stiff now I can't stoop to lace my shoes."

"But who is he?" I sighed.

"I didn't get his name, but he is the new man come to be head of the music department of our High School."

"Oh, cheer up," I answered. "It ain't be much worse if that is any consolation."

Dinner was called. We took our places. One place was vacant. The Professor was late to dinner.

Slam! went the door, and we all jumped. In came the Professor, smiling broadly. "Darn, I feared I'd be late," he said.

The landlady cleared her throat. But she hesitated. It might be said the earth tumbled. Nothing happened. We felt instinctively a new era had dawned for us. Visions of free speech and natural breath floated through our minds. Surely we felt a heartfelt thankfulness for the Professor's "Darn."

Pupil—I want the "Life of Jullus Caesar."

Librarian—(absently) Brutus took it.



Agora, May 14, 1923

A surprise program and debate.

The Agora have begun to put their new principle in practice, and succeeded wonderfully at the meeting last night.

**THREE GAMES CANCELED ON ACCOUNT OF WEATHER**

Jupiter Pluvius with his torrential spring rains has cheated the Normal sluggers out of three home games. Two consecutive games that were to have been the seasonal openers for the home lot were called off on account of rains. Last Friday was set for the opening day, when the Maroons were to meet the Benton high team on the local lot, but an all night and all day rain forced the cancellation of the meeting. The preceding Friday, likewise, was scheduled for opening day and the Brown shoe factory team of the Murphysboro Industrial League appeared for action only to be chased home by a heavy down-pour. A practice game scheduled with the Division Office for last Thursday was also rained out. This game promised to enjoy a record attendance as it was announced that no admission would be charged. Imagine the sorrow that greeted the rain. Cambria will play here Friday.

**SOUTHERN ILLINOIS PREP TRACK MEET AT MARION**

The Southern Illinois prep track field and intellectual meet will be held at Marion this Saturday, May 12. Entries from every school south of the B. & O. are coming in fast and probably will exceed the number that competed at West Frankfort last spring. Carbondale Community High has entered a team for both the track and field competition.

**DUNN HURLS NO HIT GAME**

Ablly Assisted by Goforth, Recruited Twirler Blanks Division Office 1-0

Paul Dunn broke into the hall of fame last Thursday afternoon, when he was credited with a no hit no run game against the division office team. Dunn was ably assisted by Goforth at the receiver's box.

Failing to report for play the Division office nine forfeited the game 1-0 and Dunn and Goforth scheduled battery for the Maroons, claim credit for winning a no hit, no run game.

**PAPER FOR SPARKS**

The EGYPTIAN received a copy of Volume 1, Number 1, of Sparks College Life last week.

We are very glad to have them on our exchange list, especially because of our athletic associations with their college.



Joe H.—He's safe on third base.  
 Tiny—Who saved him?  
 To enjoy a baseball game as you should, you must understand the game. Tiny Herman will be glad to give you any information you desire about baseball.

S. H.

Maude Hood went to Miss Rue the other evening and told her why she didn't come in before one o'clock Sunday night.

M. H.—Miss Rue, the reason I didn't get in before one last night is that I went out with Lorimer Brandon.

Miss R.—I am glad you told me.

M. H.—I kept him up; it wasn't his fault.

Miss Rue—Well, my dear, I expected it when you left.

S. H.

Mr. Wise—Of course you went up the Nile?

Mr. Bluffer—You bet! And what a view from the summit.

Sara Baker, reading a paper handed in by one of her pupils in the English practice class, "My home town has about five hundred inhabitants including three well filled cemeteries."

S. H.

"They must have had formals in Biblical days—doesn't it say that the Patriarchs rent their clothes?"

S. H.

First One—Say, Pard, something funny happened to me last night.

Second One—Yes, that's so?

S. H.

Prof.—Where is the clutch in a car?

Stude—In the back seat.

S. H.

She—Oh, Watson, you English are so slow.

Watson—I'm bally sorry, m' deah, but I don't grasp you.

She—That's just it.

S. H.

From a diary of a debutante:  
 May—I've about decided not to get married, and I am going to bring up my children to do the same.

S. H.

First Girl—Whom was Winifred with last night?

Second Girl—Ray.

First Girl—Ray who?

Second Girl—Ray Dausman.

S. H.

The following conversation was overheard:

Ray Ham—Is it because you love

me, Anna, that you give me so much of your time?

Anna Payne—No, indeed! being a Senior College Student, I believe in specializing on one specimen.

S. H.

Mrs. Chastaine used the word "syncopation" in Method Music.

Margaret Edwards writes it "single patient."

S. H.

He—Do you object to kissing on sanitary grounds?

She—Why—no.

He—Let's stroll thru the Chemistry Lab.

S. H.

Freshman year—"A Comedy of Errors."

Sophomore year—"Much Ado About Nothing."

Junior year—"As You Like it."  
 Senior year—"All's Well That Ends Well."

S. H.

Prof.—What is the penalty for bigamy?

Stude—Two mothers-in-law.

S. H.

Mr. Hunsaker—If I should stand here and hold the ends of six two-by-fours, would I be doing work?

Student—You would think you were.

S. H.

Teacher—What is the difference between "I will go to the theater" and "I went to the theater?"

Pupil—The price.

Seven Ages of Women  
 Safety pins.

Hair pins.

Fraternity pins.

Diamond pins.

Safety pins.

Clothes pins.

Rolling pins.

S. H.

Miss Rue—Discuss Length of Rivers, Ruth.

Ruth Waddington—Well, the Rhine for example,—it flows in all directions.

S. H.

Frank Benton—(boastingly) Why, they make white mule in our town with so much kick in it that when you drop a raw egg in it, it is soon beaten to frosting.

S. H.

It was certainly a "Lucky Strike" when I found my "Camel," for with it I was able to carry my fair "Fatima" to "Chesterfield" to catch the "One Eleven" train before "Prince Albert" had a chance to cut in.

S. H.

Teacher—(in geology class)—

First age—Ice age.

Second age—Stone age.

Third age—Brass age.

What age do we now have?

Ruth Whitlock—Concrete age.

S. H.

E. Y. Smith (after receiving an "Oh! Henry" from John Hunsaker)—  
 "John, you saved my life."

Helen Etherton (close by)—"I wish I had a John to save my life."

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**CHANGE IN BASKET BALL RULES**

At the recent meeting of the national athletic boards a few relatively unimportant changes were made in the basket ball rules. Of the most important of these is the re-adoption of an old rule that was eliminated by the director last year. The other ruling is new. As to affecting the style of play the rules are unimportant, however, there is probability that they will affect the scoring department of the game in some respects.

The new ruling states that a man fouled attempts the free throw in case it is a personal foul. Technical fouls may be attempted by any member of the team. This ruling will eliminate the specialized foul thrower and necessitate the efficiency of every man on the team in this particular department of play. The second important change is that a player fouled in the act of shooting regardless of his position on the floor at the time the foul was committed is allowed two free throws. This is an old rule that was in vogue a number of years but was thrown out by the board last year and was not in effect during the season of '22-'23. The rules pertaining to fouls committed within the special foul zone were left unchanged.

**DATELESS NIGHTS FOR NORTH-WESTERN STUDENTS**

The young men at Northwestern University have agreed to join the young women of that institution in observing three dateless nights each week, according to an announcement made at the university recently.

The action was taken by representatives of fraternities and various other groups mainly in the interest of men



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students working their way through colleges who are not able financially to engage in intensive social life. It has the approval of President Walter Dill Scott of the university.

President Scott, in commenting on the voluntary regulation said: "The students and faculty of Northwestern wish the university to be an aristocracy of brains, not an aristocracy of money. We want to give the brains a chance to survive, instead of being submerged by excessive social activities."

The men took their stand also through the belief that fewer engagements

with the fair sex will result in higher standards of scholarship and more attention to the development of athletics.

The dateless night agreement was in conformity with a recent vote taken among the women by the Women's Self-Government Association of the University. This vote showed that the women believed that the limitation of dates, started last fall as an experiment, had been a success. They voted almost unanimously to continue the plan

Adella Mitchell, a former student here and sister of Miss Sarah Mitchell, is vice president of the Women's Self Government Association at Northwestern.

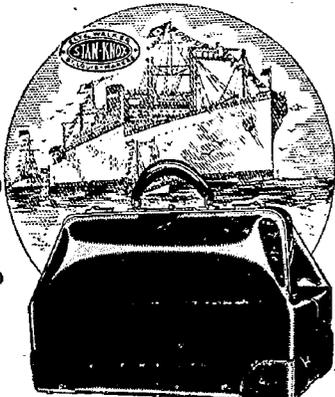
Overheard at Anthony Hall:  
Evelyn B. (studying chemistry):  
What is a catalytic agent?  
Helena C.: I don't know unless it's an agent for Cadillac cars.

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## Too Personal

Will Maggie Stout and Bob Walters teach the same place next year?

Ruth Muggie says when you walk in and announce that this class will not recite today not to yell it out or you will be killed in the rush.

Sue Ellen Lay says she was late to society because when she came in the door was shut.

Berna Miller has nicknamed a certain (?) person "It" this term.

Frances Goetzman doesn't know what to do this term since there are no basket ball games to liven up the monotony of school life, n'everything.

Harry (John Ridel) Allen and Lee (Napoleon) Ferrill had a fight last week. Harry hit Napoleon on the campus and Napoleon hit him on the spur of the moment.

Margaret Hill and Reba Hunter are big pals again this term.

Russell Clemens thoroughly believes in that song "In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to love."

Gordon Lacky says he likes school and classes best when the teachers are unexpectedly absent.

Jeanette Jones and Glenn Ayre play tennis almost every day at the ninth hour.

The campus is brightened up by nature this term, in the form of a few tulips and a lot of dandelions.

Our new fire escapes are being used as "shoot-de-shoot" to remove the plaster, etc., from that part of the third floor that is being repaired.

The "call of the wild" is heard every day on the campus about 12:15. This may be identified as an Anthony Hall dinner gong.

Is it true Wesley Asbury treats girls like he does his banjo?

### BAINUM LEADS BANDSMEN IN CONCERT

Zup Pleads for Stadium Payments.

(Taken from the Daily Illini.) Ambitious and more popular selections were both played with an unusually light and careful touch last night by the concert band under the direction of G. C. (Rusty) Bainum, assistant director of bands, in the weekly twilight concert.

The crowd rose and moved forward for the final community singing. Just before Loyalty was played R. C. Zuppke, otherwise known as Zup, rose and told the Illini clan that Loyalty meant paying up those back Stadium pledges.

### RIDICULOUS MISTAKES MADE

Famous Writers Make Errors That Cause Amusement

Not only amusing, but very fascinating to most persons are the strange blunders that have been made by the great in literature. Indeed it would seem that it is a part of human nature to chuckle when such blunders appear. Many a literary slip, however, is due to slipshod writing. Few writers, even those of great genius, have escaped these lapses.

Shakespeare, who was not a scholar, made many mistakes, but these are chiefly the introduction of persons or events out of their proper time. He speaks of turkeys in plays in times long before the importation of the first turkeys from America.

Worse than this is the anachronism in "Julius Caesar" in which Brutus says to Cassius: "Count the Clock." To which Cassius replies: "The clock had stricken three." Striking clocks were unknown to Caesar's time and for many centuries afterward.

A curious blunder was that of Chancer in his "Court of Love" in which he says that the throstle "sings as sweet a tune that Tubal himself the first musician could not equal it." He meant Jubal; for the moment he had forgotten his Bible.

It has been a delusion, especially on the part of poets, that the sunflower faces the sun. The lines of Thomas Moore are well known and often sung:

"As the sunflower turns on her god when he sets,  
The same look that she turned when he rose."

This is a blunder. The sunflower does not swing on the stem and once in bloom, remains throughout its existence facing the same spot in the heavens or on the earth.

Victor Hugo puts into the mouth of Charlemagne, in "Rymailot," the words, "You dream like a scholar of Sorbonne." That famous institution was founded in 1254, 450 years after the days of Charlemagne.

Errors in geography and fiction are numerous enough. Some of them are manifestly because of the author's ignorance or absent-mindedness. At times they are ludicrous. Trollope made his Andy Scott come whistling up the street with a cigar in his mouth, and Defoe assures his readers that Robinson Crusoe, before taking off his clothes to swim to the rock, took the precaution to fill his pockets with biscuits. Later in "Around the World in Eighty Days," Jules Verne brought his hero to his club in triumph just as the clocks of London were striking 10 minutes to twelve.

### FRATERNITY DANCE

The Sigma Alpha Pi gave an informal dance Friday evening at their house on South Normal avenue. Music was furnished by the "Original King Tut's seven-piece orchestra. Mr. Hotten and Miss Rue were the chaperones

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