Maroons Defeat Arkansas Aggies 21-17 in Listless Game

Timely Shots by Valentine Clinch Victory in Final Few Minutes of Play

Worn-out and crippled the Normal loop bounds were forced to their limit to gain a 21-17 victory over the touring Arkansas Aggies on the home floor Monday, Feb. 5. The game was slow but interest was kept alive by the closeness of play and even scoring. Up until the final few minutes of the victory of the encounter was still in doubt, and only after Slats had punctured the hoop from afar was the victory really on ice for the Whirlers.

The Normal played listlessly and was not up to their usual form, playing more in the manner that they did at Sparks than in their usual form. However, the team was weakened by the loss of Chance, and were worn out from the crowded number of games they were playing. The victory was a dear one for the team as Captain Allen, running guard, received an injury that will keep him out of play for several games.

The Aggies showed a marked improvement over the first meeting of the teams this season when the Normal surprised them on their own court and home court. They employed a strong defense that worried the Normal forwards and held their scoring to the minimum. Their sportsmanship and fair play made a hit with the local fans.

The game began with three of the normals warming the bench in order to save them as much as possible for the Cape series. Valentine, Bailey, Tiedler, Hamilton and Allen started for the Normal. After seven minutes of play with the Aggies leading 4-0 on the rest of the first string, Captain Allen looped one from near center, tying the score. Allen was injured and replaced by Smith. Close playing and guarding resulted in the Normal leading by a measly margin of two points at the end of the first half, the score being 1:1. The Whites maintained a lead throughout the remainder of the game, although the Aggies were right on their heels and close threatening to step in the toe. The final few minutes of play found the Normal laboring ahead with a one point advantage, the score standing 17-16, the visitors were fighting desperately.

Social Events of the Week

February 7 the faculty entertained the Seniors at Anthony Hall. The early part of the evening was spent in really getting acquainted. Everyone entered with the right spirit and was Jovial, excepting a penalty for remaining on the same floor more than three minutes proved to be a good one. Mr. and Mrs. Tate and their acompañist, Mrs. Whitenton of Herrin, gave a short musical program. This added greatly to the evening's enjoyment.

Later delicious refreshments of ice cream, cakes and coffee were served, after which the guests departed reporting the evening a very enjoyable one.

February 9, the Juniors were entertained by the faculty. The evening was spent in much the same way as the previous one.

On Wednesday night a large crowd of first and second year students, chaperoned by Miss Williams, Miss Cox, and Miss Graves, gathered in the Gym for the first class party this term.

One of the principal events of the evening was the contest between the two classes for the free page in the EGYPTIAN for their class history.

The contest was conducted by Rev. Meyers, manager of the EGYPTIAN, and assisted by the presidents of the two classes. Asah Smith, first year president, and Bertha Middleton, president of the second year class.

The freshmen classes have already shown the school that they had as much spirit as anybody else in school and this was further shown Wednesday night. They entered into the social activities as successfully as they had been together and yelled last term, and as they yelled in choral. Many new games were played under the supervision of Miss Graves. Everyone seemed having had a good time, and hope they may have another soon.

The third and fourth year students enjoyed a similar affair Thursday evening.

Snider Gets Appointment to Naval Academy

Again has honor been bestowed upon our school, when Honorable E. F. Dennison, Representative of the 25th Congressional District, conferred the appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland, upon Leslie Snider.

Leslie is a highly esteemed young man of the Junior class. He was a graduate of the U. S. H. S. class of '22. At present he is continuing his studies and coaching the U. H. S. baseball team. He will enter the Academy in June, and with him go the wishes and hopes of all his friends that he will make good as a Naval Officer.

George Wilson, another S. I. N. U. boy, from the class of '20, was awarded the Naval appointment. Wilson is succeeding extremely well. "Buckles" was advertising manager for the EGYPTIAN at the time his appointment was conferred.

Forum Triumphs over Agora 11-10

Forum—Ayre, goals 3, free throws 3; Merkle, Harper, Garth, goals 1; Kennedy.

Agora—Sherrets, Sandford, free throws 1; Purdie, Bowers, Watson, Armbrust, goals 1; Walker, Dexter, goals 2, free throw 1; Crandle, Neely, Fishel, goals 1.

Reference—Eb. Etherton.
PRIZES OFFERED IN ESSAY CONTEST

The Institute of International Education are conducting an essay contest on the subject of "The Cancellation of the Allied Debts." The prizes are for the three best essays, $150, $100, $50. The contest closes March 15, 1923. The conditions of the contest are:

1. The contest is open to any undergraduate student in any college or university in the United States. By "undergraduate student" is meant one who, in a college or scientific school, is doing the work prescribed for the degree of bachelor, or its technical equivalent.

2. The essays must not exceed 5,000 words (a length of 3,000 words would be preferable) and must be typewritten, one side only of plain paper of ordinary letter size (8x10½). (3) Each essay should bear a nom de plume which should be included in an accompanying letter giving the writer's real name, college, class and address. Both letter and essay should reach Margaret C. Alexander, Secretary of International Relations Clubs, Institute of International Education.

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4. The award of the prize will be made May 1, 1923. (5) For additional information address the Secretary of the International Relations Clubs.

M. Coue: Has Us, Guessing N'est ce pas?

We would like to know is whether Monsieur Emile Coue is sprouting wings yet. If he practices what he preaches and says, "Every day, in every way, I'm getting better and better," surely he must feel angelic and physically perfect. He surely has never a pain, never an ache, for he chases them away with his clever (?) little sentence. We can't help but wonder if M. Coue ever mashed his finger while changing an automobile tire, and if he sat down on the curb-stone and began calmly to say, "It is going—It is going—" and then after about twenty repetitions, "gone!" And yet he says the pain will disappear. We couldn't think of the little verse the other night when we bumped our head on the door, and we have "doofy" about ANY verse helping it—unless it be BLANK—BLANKETY-BLANK verse. About the only thing we approve of in M. Coue's method of cure is that it is so delightfully inexpensive and the upkeep is absolutely nil.

PHILIA SUMBOULA'HEGAN

A few weeks ago a number of students banded themselves together and organized a boarding club, now known as "Philia Sumboula." Its organization is similar to that of some of the boarding clubs in the other large universities. Its adopted constitution and by-laws are very much like those used by the two literary societies, only that the time, place, purpose, etc. of meeting are entirely different.

At the first business meeting the following officers were elected to serve through this winter term of school:

John Hunsaker, President.
Edward Zeier, Vice President.
Coren Waller, Secretary-Treasurer.
W. Eugene Armentrout, Chorister.
Benjamin G. Merkler, Sergeant-at-Arms.
John A. Bigham, Jester.
Jesse J. Deen, Maecot.

Students desiring membership in this organization should see one of the officers or call at the home of Mrs. J. J. Groer, 605 S. Normal Ave.

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Florist—Ask your name, please?

August—Never mind that, I'll know.

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HIGH AND HIGHER CRITICISM

(By Louis Yeedler, U. H. S. '20, now attending U. of L.)

There is one group of the genus Homo which has never been made the object of psychological research, though such a study would be not only edifying, but interesting. I refer to that mutely clans of morons, statisticians, and budding Ph. D’s, who gratuitously give us the reactions of their minds on the margins of library books. This group is a very large one, to judge by the disfigured books, has been entirely overlooked by those interested in classifying the human species. Undoubtedly the proudest anxiousness beset these geniuses with their glasses, even to the point of worrying the characters of their choice. The students were interested, but the chief reason is, I think, that those interested considered that they had already been pigeonholed. In defining idiots, imbeciles and morons they presumed they had done thorough justice, as the annotators would of necessity fall into one of these groups. This view, while true enough overlooks the fact that in calling a man an idiot you have not shown just what is a particular idiocty happens to be. And this point is very important, especially in such a conglomeration as this.

Anyone who haunts the semi-liters must be aware of the multifariousness of these anonymous annotators. They are not confined to the narrow bounds of sex, either male or female, and nation. In my bibliophilic ramble I have seen notes in feminine handwriting, masculine handwriting and what appeared to be the handwriting of infants. I have seen notes on Kafka containing glaring orthographical mistakes, notes on Edgar Allan Poe containing such esoteric mouthfuls as ichthyophagous. I have seen erudite comments in Latin on the “Novem Organum” and pugnosophical jests on “Gargantua” in the original.

Their notes take manifold forms. The amut fan, with commendable reserve usually confines himself to sublimations and occasional “Oh hoys” and “Hot stuff,” though I have seen lengthier and more saucious notes written in a large, babylon hand, unaccustomed to such strenuous literary exercises. Unfortunately these are usually censored by some succeeding reader less pruriently inclined.

The statistician with meticulous care prints his comments in the margin by means of brief remarks and signs consonant with their inability for sustained effort to satisfy their productive instincts.

We must of course except the amut peddler from this statement. He is moved by no egotistical motives, but by the fraternal desire to help his kind along the dirt road of their desire. He and his fellows are not interested in art, or books, and merely wanders through the less interesting parts of a story hunting for the risque lines that appeal to their love of the licentious. A tedious task it is, searching through pages and pages of highbrow stuff for the juicy spots.

Whatever their reasons may be, I wish someone would do something to stop them. Can’t the University require entrants to pass the intelligence test of a twelve year old? They not only deface good books, but what is much worse, bore me. Their criticisms are usually, nay, always, asinine, their statistics are often wrong, and inevitably stupid, and by the scarlet shade of Boccaccio, I do not have to have salacious passages pointed out to me by buffoons who have probably never heard of “Madamisselle de Maujpin.”—The Illinois Magazine.

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Man's life is only a short procession of time which flies by in a hurry, never to return. One life is all that is ours to live, so why not make the best possible use out of it. The direction we take in our chase depends upon the location of the end of the rainbow, and the speed with which we move towards that end depends upon the kind of treasure we expect to find. Does the end of our rainbow lie in the right direction? Does it lie in the direction of kindness, love, sympathy, truth, honesty and a strong character, or does it lie in the direction of unkindness, hate, cruelty, untruth, dishonesty and a "dish-rag" character.

What is the treasure we are seeking at the end of our rainbow? Is it gold, possessions, glory, success, and ease, which shall all be left behind, or is it service to fellow men, contentment, happiness and the promise of the hereafter? Let us view our lives carefully and so locate the end of our rainbow and determine the treasure, that we may strive diligently to reach that end, and that the world may be better for our having lived.

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HERRIN ENTERTAINERS COMPLIMENT S. I. N. U.
Mr. and Mrs. Tate and companion, Mrs. Whittenberg, were favorably impressed with S. I. N. U. and the student life in general around our school. The entertainers were here Wednesdays and Thursday nights for the faculty's reception to the Juniors and Seniors. and were entertained at Ander lady Hall. At both parties they were delighted with the appreciative audiences.

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Our idea of the results of Prof. Peterson's new Radio Set is a collision between a truck load of empty milk cans and a freight car filled with live geese.

S. H. 

Miss Tovillon—Have you read frickles?

Elizabeth—No, I have brown ones. 

S. H.

I saw a sign in a hardware store that said, "Cast Iron Sinks." 

"Well, anybody knows that." 

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S. H.

Miss Cox—What is fluidity?

Helen Blake—Well, when a person speaks fluently he is unconscious.

S. H.

Sarah—Felts—What are the advantages of a merchant buying early?

Mabel McDaniel—To avoid the risk.

Mr. Colyer—What are the industries of Canada?

Joe Kenyon—Fishing and catching lobsters. 

S. H.

Mr. Warren—Are you looking for trouble?

Lura Channen—Yes, I'm looking for my geometry. 

S. H.

We read "there are 56 miles of hair on the average woman's head" which leads us to pray that every mile of it stays just where it is. 

S. H.

August Meyer enlightens us by saying, "Whenever I have a theme to write, I go up to the attic because we have composition roofing."

S. H.

Alfred Purdy—I have a splinter in my finger. 

Miss Hickson—It's a bad idea for some people to scratch their heads when they think. 

S. H.

Dear Doctor: I recently broke my glasses and can hardly see. Will I have to be examined all over again? 

"Benjamin Merkel." 

Doctor—No, just your eyes. 

S. H.

Mr. Smith—What were the causes of the Revolutionary War?

Homer Buchanan—It had something to do with automobiles but I don't understand just what. 

Mr. Smith—No! that was before automobiles. 

H.B.—Well, it said it was on account of unjust taxes.

Mr. Smith—When we look at this chair we think the legs as legs of the chair, but really they are legs of the rest of the chair. It takes them to make up the chair. 

Carrol Moore—Geet! the legs of some of us don't belong to much then.

S. H.

Norvin Julian—Are these four wedding rings all you have in stock? You have a whole tray of engagement rings.

Mr. Casper—Yes, sir, but it will take that whole tray of engagement rings to work off the four wedding rings. 

S. H.

"Hello! I want to order a box for tomorrow."

"What size?"

"There will be six of us in the party."

"But they come only in single sizes—well, we'll have to have it made special."

"Is this the Earth?"

"No, this is Huffman's."

S. H.

An Excuse.

A little boy had been absent from school and the teacher sent him home to get an excuse from his mother. He came running back to school and handed the paper to his teacher. This is what his mother had written: "Please excuse my Tommy for being absent. He got wet in the A. M. and had to be dried in the P. M."

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1-Lordy 29-Chicken-leg
2-Buddy 30-Hank
3-Cresote 31-Dank
4-Pittsburgh 32-Biscuits
5-Chuck 33-Pat
6-Rans 34-Brocksie
7-Teddy 35-Grease
8-Ham 36-Bluebird
9-Shorty 37-Tweet-tweet
10-Napoleon 38- or tweeter
11-April Joe 39-Greasy
12-Fresh Air 40-Horny Air
13-Gates 41-Jelly Bean
14-Prunes 42-Bird
15-Pee-Wee 43-Pad
16-Neutral 44-Piege
17-Slate 45-Snookie
18-Longshot 46-Sears
19-Sally 46-Molasses
20-Lob 47-Peg
21-Grass Widow 48-Doc
22-Happy 49-Gin
23-Happy 50-Pitche
24-Fish 51-Little
25-Skeezel 52-Ken
26-Pete 53-Happy Jack
27-Blackcat 54-Chick
28-Chicken 55-Stumbling

GOSSPY CHATS ABOUT THE LATEST BOOKS AND THEIR AUTHORS

"The Cathedral"—Walpole.

Now that we learn for certain that Hugh Walpole is to be here as one of the lecturers at the Southern Illinois Teachers meeting, we'd better get acquainted with him. First, we should be familiar enough with his latest and best book, "The Cathedral" so that if we should have occasion to have words with His Majesty, we should be able to talk intelligently about his best work. Wm. Lyon Phelps says that "The Cathedral" is by all odds his best book and he knows, Walpole has the power of magic. He perceives the full wonder of life, and he shows it to you as an artist sees a hundred shades of rose and purple and gold where the ordinary eye, glooms at sudden grey alone.

The story of "The Cathedral" is placed in a small cathedral town in England long before the war. It begins on a wild October evening and the course of events related occupies some eight or nine months. A multitude of things happen to the Archbishop. He was essentially a good man but just the kind of man who is doomed. The book portrays the utter downfall of this great Archbishop. We meet him at a moment when he touches what was perhaps the acutest sensation of happiness and greatness he ever attained. He is a penetrating, a merciless study of a man blinded by his own conceit, incapable of understanding anything or anyone opposed to him. Oh men, why ARE you so conceited? There are other characters in the book— there is humor and there is sympathy and graciousness; also the wild, sweet breath of young and happy love. So read it.

THIS MEANS YOU have you got a funny rhyme?

Send it in.

We'll accept it any time, Send it in.

Something that occurs to you, If you know a joke or two, We would like to hear it, too, Send it in.

Do you know a list of news? Send it in.

Surely there is naught to lose, Send it in.

It will make us laugh some more, (Maybe it will make us roar.) Don't make anybody sore—but Send it in.

-Egyptian, 1921.

(A return to an article of the Scrap Heap of Nov. 14, 1922.)

"ODE TO A JELLYBEAN"

Blissings on thee, Jellybean, Commonly known as a cigarette-fund, With the "patent leather" hair, With thy "bells" worn as a pair, With thy wild and desperate ways, And thy "sweet-complexion" craze, With thy "just-so" coats and ties, And thy love for telling lies, From my heart I grant thee shirts; Glad that I was born for skirts.

THE VOICE OF THE STUDENTS

Just a little addition to this Department and with hopes that my father, along with others, will read it.

Do you remember when in college, In pursuit of certain knowledge, How the pocketbook grew thinner Unless you were a winner, And put your watch in soak— Dad, I'm broke.

Did you ever have that feeling? When your pockets, they were squeezing For that certain kind of single That made your old blood tingle, And you couldn't buy a smoke— Dad, I'm broke.

To these words I'm not opposed, "Son, you'll find a check enclosed." So, dad, I know you will remit, And I'll be waiting for it, It will set me on my feet, I repeat— Dad, I'm broke.

Mr. Frank Smith, Care of the Egyptian. My dear Frank: I was heart broken when you cut your "a la Rudolph" sideburns for they were my joy and inspiration. I only went to chapel that I might gaze upon them. They made you look worldly and sophisticated. You were my ideal of a man of the world.

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MAROONS DEFEAT ARKANSAS
AGGIES 21-17 IN LISTLESS GAME

(Continued from Page One.)

perately and it was anybody's game.
Valentine's timely shot from the mid-
dle of the court spelled victory, how-
ever, and another basket marked the
conclusion of the game.
Valentine led the scoring for the
Normal with three baskets and nine
free throws. Brooks netted two
field goals and Carter one. Carter's
guarding was a feature of the game
and he seemed to be the only man
on the team that was playing up to
form.

McCain was the individual scoring
star for the visitors with a total of
three baskets. Sanderson scored two
field goals and five free throws. Holt
scored one field goal.

U. HIGH PREPARING FOR TOURN-
AMENT

The U. High Basketball team is
getting in order for the tournament
and are beginning to work together
as a well oiled place of machinery.

Although they lost to Johnston City
at that place Friday, they displayed
marvelous ability at passing and
stealing but were still a little weak
shooting. They started to Johnston
City in car but ended up at the High
School on foot, a muddy and sorry
looking hunch. Having got stuck about
three miles out they had no other
choice but take off their shoes and
socks, roll up their pants legs and
"walk" to the gym, arriving there in
time to start the game at 2:00 p. m.

They advanced through Flower's
fort to meet the foe, but being de-
edrawn they made their retreat on
a spring wagon. The Cardinal and Gray
have been resting all week.

The schedule calls for only two more
games, February 17 against Murphys-
burg and February 24 against Carville.
Both games will be played in the
Normal Gym. March 1, 2, and 3,
they go to the district tournament
at Murphysboro and then intend to
renew themselves in the minds of
their "few" loyal supporters and go
on state. Will they?

Helen Rosa Lee was born August
17, 1899, at Carbondale, III. She at-
ended the S. I. N. U. through all
high school life, graduating from the
U. I. S. in '18, and the Junior Col-
lege courses in '22. She was the
daughter of Ralph Alton, now of St.
Louis, also a former student of this
school. She died on Feb. 8, 1923,
after an illness of nearly a year.

None of the people who came in
contact with Helen could ever for-
get her. In class work, athletics and
all other activities she was unques-
tionably active. She was also a member
of the Baptist church. She was one of
the people who never seems to get
tried or discouraged and it was a con-
stant joy and inspiration to be with
her. With such a person death is
never the end—no one can truly die
whose memory lives on in the hearts
of all her friends.

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Here and there you will find a person
who is too busy to bother with what
seems to them a mere trifle.

This is true of not only individuals, but
some institutions as well.

With us, nothing seems too small or trifl-
ing. The smaller things are given as
much attention as the larger ones. The
purchaser of a 25 cent article is given the
same attention and courteous treatment
as the purchaser of a $25 article receives.