Teachers Lose Hard Fought Game To Preachers

34 STATES GRANT DEGREES, ONLY TWELVE DO NOT

Illinois Normal Schools In No Danger

Rumors have been spread abroad that the granting of degrees is to be taken away from the Illinois Normal schools; but we feel perfectly sure that the progressive state standing by revoking the granting of degrees.

Illinois has always been classed among the progressive states, especially along scholastic lines. These states are mainly: Massachusetts, New York, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Kansas, Colorado and California. Above all these states grant degrees to the graduates of their normal schools, with the exception of the state of Wisconsin, which is rapidly revolting against the blue law. Twenty-four other states are following the same plan. Only 12 states do not grant degrees. They are: Maine, New Hampshire, Connecticut, New Jersey, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Alabama, Wisconsin, Arizona, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Vermont and Rhode Island, and have no normal schools.

The 14 states which either have normal schools or have given to the governing boards the right to confer degrees are backward in facilities for preparing well qualified teachers. The other 34 states represent an enlightened and progressive policy in the preparation of teachers.

President Brown of the Ohio State University, Wiss., normal said: "The preparation of teachers is a distinctly professional problem. Colleges with academy requirements are such that very few elementary teachers can profit by them. It is true that elementary teachers need academic background, but they need that background professionalized."

- Only normal schools do this, and as the demand for better trained teachers is increasing, state normals are becoming the main source of training. The privilege of granting degrees is rapidly making the normal schools into professional teachers' colleges. Good public schools are not possible without competent teachers who are well prepared for their work.

The conferring of normal degrees

ANOTHER MILE-POST

Half of the winter term is now over; half of the school year is over; and about half of your credits are either made or not made. How do you stand at the passing of this mile post? If you are not pleased with the results of your work in the last eighteen weeks now is a good time to turn over a new leaf. The poet said, "It is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all." So you may have tried and failed, but still you are better off than if you had not tried. It is not how hard you fall, but how long you stay down when you fall. Put out a greater effort with the coming of this new life of spring and make the last half of the journey more successful.

SCIENCE OF HAPPINESS

Men are merely taller children. Honor, wealth and splendor are the toys for which grown children pine; but when, however, accumulated, leave them still disappointed and unhappy. God never designed that intelligent beings should be satisfied with these enjoyments. By His wisdom and goodness they were formed to derive their happiness from virtue. Moderated desires constitute a character fitted to acquire all the good which this world can yield. He who is prepared, in whatever station he is, therewith to content, has learned effectually the science of being happy and possesses the alchemic stone which will change every metal into gold. Such a man will smile upon a stoop while Alexander at his side sits weeping on the throne of the world. -Timothy Dwight.

Rio De Janeiro wants a New York policeman to reorganize its force. We might spare a few of our crooks for him to work on, too. -New York Herald Tribune.

Mount Troedshyllfustwich, while in Wales, has begun to move toward Cardiff. This seems to be the horizontal of a crossword puzzle. -New York Herald Tribune.

The Silent Policeman

The latest addition to the police force of Carbondale is a man of iron who stands in a shining green uniform walking long, warning flashes at the traffic that passes the corner of Main and Illinois streets. Very considerate he is, too, for, when he is about to change his signal for "Stop" or "Go," he announces "Traffic Change," and even grandfather, who is a little slow on shifting gears, has ample time to prepare for quick obedience to the next command.

Mr. Cadis Adams is helping the citizens to understand the silent policeman. It has been necessary to do some explaining. On Friday a truck driver who had been waiting for some time did not take advantage of the red of the way signaled. Mr. Adams, in his customary friendly fashion, said: "Hey, you can't read?" "Oh, yes, uh, ah can read, uh, but not to do much good." All day Saturday there were groups of men standing in front of Bridges store and in front of the bank watching the newest guardian of traffic. The silent policeman was Carbondale's latest stunt and everyone was anxious to see whether it would continue to work. To watch it was almost as fascinating as to watch a steam shovel excavate the new silt. There was a certain aesthetic enjoyment also, for the gaudy red and green made a noticeably clean and vivid spot of color in the drab winter street. Tie bystanders had several good chuckles over the perplexities of drivers unaccustomed to the new system. Frequently a motorist who wished to turn had a hard time deciding whether to govern his actions by the signal facing him or by the one facing the street into which he wanted to turn. Once or twice a neighbor driving in from the country would become so interested in the lights that he would hold up the stream behind him until recalled by honks and shouts. The weather was pleasantly mild so that one could watch the free show as long as wished. We venture to say that many a younger took an hour to get the pound of butter be easily followed.

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For some unknown reason Ritchie failed to contribute any field goals. Johnson and Hickey went in at forwards in the last six minutes of the first half.

Carbondale's first five again renamed positions and a hard fight continued throughout the half. Until the last few seconds of the game it was decided for no time did McKenzie lead more than five points. Carbondale called time out with a minute and forty seconds to go. McKenzie scored a field goal and began a thrilling rally, but it was slowed by a two-pointer from Newcom. The game then ended twenty-two to twenty-seven.

To the spectators, this game was very interesting and exciting, but to the technical eye there were many examples of both good and bad playing.

Fright and Sattgast showed up well in stopping a fast-breaking three men offense. Hartley and Mungar worked well together. Mungar scoring heaviest. For some unknown reason Ritchie failed to contribute any field goals. Johnson and Hickey fought hard while in the game.

After the game the Methodists entertained their visitors, with a splendid moving picture of the Carbondale-McKendree football game. It was slowed down to a speed that could be easily followed.

For some concealed cause the team, during the last week, is not playing up to form. It may be due to warm weather; if so we hope for weather will change. It may be due

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THE OUTLOOK

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The Deserter, Decatur, Ill.: We found your paper a very interesting one last week. We are very anxious to see your next issue and find out what the success of the two detectives will be.

To the McRendree Review, Lebanon, Ill.: Your team has proved a very successful one so far.

To the Preakness Flying, Preakness, Ill.: A very curious group here awaits the acceptance of the challenge given by the seniors at your college. We are looking for the reply soon. Your basketball team has been a very victorious one so far and we wish you success in the rest of the games.

To the Pine, Honolulu, Hawaii: Your editorial section in the last edition proved to be a very interesting one.

THE EGYPTIAN

Attention, students! and all others who like a real musical comedy. The American Legion have started rehearsals for "Klaine," a dainty, fascinating and irresistible musical comedy, to be produced for two performances, matinee and night, February 10th at the Barth theatre. According to all reports this will be a second edition of the Folies, others say it will be better, but the fact of the matter is it is sure to be a whirlwind of plot and melody and all else that goes to make up a real musical comedy production.

"Klaine" is a production well suited with special scenery, lighting effects and costumes right up to the minute. Over 100 local players will take part in the show, and the rehearsals are being conducted by a professional director of Detroit, Mich.

In order that all students of the normal will have an opportunity of seeing this delightful production the Legion will give a special matinee Thursday, February 10th, for students, and the price will be reduced for students to fifty cents. The regular admission for the evening performance will be $1.00. The play comes to us well recommended by the press and by individuals in various parts of the country, and it is expected that it will be more than worth the small price of admission.

JOKE

Mrs. Smith—Give the class a definition of chair, Mr. Taylor.

Riley Taylor—A chair is a movable seat with attached back and legs.

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SUBSCRIBE FOR THE OBELISK

Everyone is expected to subscribe for the Obelisk. Surely there is no individual who does not have some good qualities. One quality which is salient in the well thought of student is the spirit of helpfulness. Is there a student who is so base as to think his support unnecessary? A school publication can be continued by its entirety by the staff. The student body as a whole must be willing to take its share of the burden.

I wish to inform you that the 1925 Obelisk staff is in action. Each individual member of the staff contributes all possible time and effort that his book may be the best that has ever been edited by the students. Should the staff work away and wear itself out when it knows there is not the proper support behind it? A staff that can do this is indeed an "Abraham Lincoln." Should it be subjected to such drudgery without it is necessary?

"Be not like dumb driven cattle, Be a hero in the strife."

There are 1,000 students in this school. If there is one so dull that he cannot see the burden that the staff must bear, he needs some mental training. Must we go outside of school to get help? Cholagie might borrow money from King George to buy socks with.

The staff does not ask you to visit the book store to make it: but, after we plan and make it, we wish you would buy it. If you haven't a spirit of helpfulness, for "generous sake" get it.

BUSINESS MANAGER

Miss Found: Now there are a lot more pronouns in that sentence. Pick out any one of them and tell us about it. Which one will you take?

Fred Jingle: I'll take you.

REGULAR NIGHTMARE

Miss Harding, at the breakfast table, "I had the queerest dream last night."

Girls: "What was it?"

Miss Harding: "I dreamed Anthony Hall had adopted a baby and its name was Henry Hammond."

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CANDY KITCHEN

Interviewing Reporter Talks to the Members of the Dairymen's Association

The question: "What do you think of our school?"

Where asked—Lower corridor of the Main building.

The answers:

W. S. O'Hara, president of the association, Paris, Ill.: As I sat in chapel this morning and saw the large student body the thought came to me, what a wonderful opportunity the folks of Southern Illinois have in your school. It is a fine school and I'm glad to have the chance of visiting your campus.

S. J. Stanard, vice president of the association, Springfield, Ill.: My grip on the school is the large number of good looking girls here. I have been acquainted here for twenty-five years, but I was surprised at the cooperation the association received with the Agricultural department. We certainly appreciate the courtesy given by the faculty and students.

George Caven, secretary of the association, Chicago, Ill.: It is an inspiration to see so many young people in da up to date institution preparing themselves to teach the things that make this the best country in the world.

Hugh G. Van Pelt, Waterloo, Ia.: There is certainly a wonderful school here. I was impressed with the students' faces when I talked at chapel this morning. They seemed interested in the work and what was said.

E. J. Wiley, J. B. Ford Col., Wyandotte, Mich.: Oh, I don't know—I haven't had the opportunity to see it. The agriculture department here is fine and I notice a lot of interest in the display. In fact, there has been more enthusiasm shown here than at any meeting of its size I know of.

F. B. Astroth, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.: You folks have a real establishment here. I noticed you haven't type of boys and girls who are always getting into mischief. I mean they are here for real business.

R. E. Caldwell, Blotchford Co. (formerly from Purdue University): I think the school is fine. But 1 don't like to see the girls wear two pairs of hose at one time. This is my second trip here and I was certainly impressed with your fine auditorium. But I don't think the visitors have been shown around enough. A committee of students might have been appointed to show the visitors about, so we could have had a better idea of the school. There is a fine, large student body here and some mighty dignified faculty members.

P. C. Garner, Harvester Co., St. Louis, Mo.: School is fine! We have received every courtesy possible while we were here. Everyone was accommodating and the majority of students were mighty fine.

L. Schwartzkopf, J. B. Ford Co., St. Louis, Mo.: I have been coming here for many years and think it one of the best conducted schools I know of. Also one having the best sanitary conditions—I visited the kitchen and dining room at Anthony hall, so I know what I'm talking about.

R. F. W. Carrillo, Harvester Co., East St. Louis, Ill.: Wonderful! Great! I'm a product of Egypt, so naturally told by the questions that they asked.

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SPEAKING OF VALENTINES

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AN INSPIRATION

What an inspiration the life of Abraham Lincoln is. He was the foremost of statesmen, the first of Americans. Of all great men in history, there are few who hold a place so dear in the hearts of American people as does Lincoln. His life was not one of luxury and happiness. He was reared amid hardships and privations with social prestige or influential friends. He climbed to the highest pinnacle of fame by a wonderful intellectual power which was inspired by a mighty purpose and a great cause.

As a man in public office, he was one of the people. High and low, rich and poor were among his friends. He had gone thru all the phases of life and understood the needs of the people.

At times his fame rose step by step while at others it rose by giant leaps at a time. There were many obstacles in his path, but he met them with a will to overcome and never gave up to failure. He had the power to look into the future with a clear vision and see the real purpose of life. The irritating concerns in his career did not bother him. He did not pick out the smooth and easy road to success, even when he had a chance, but put forth an honest effort to accomplish big and difficult tasks and he did them. Faith, hope, patience, and a strong will were always with him in his work. He said that he wanted it said of him, that he always plucked a thistle and planted a flower where he thought a flower would grow. Surely this statement gives the real feelings and actions of the great man.

THE EGYPTIAN

The idea of a school paper as a regular periodical publication for the first time was conceived in the fall of 1916. The Egyptian was launched as a monthly publication under the editorship of Claud Vick, '17, and the business management of Arthur H. Smith, '17, and C. H. Nichols, '17. The next year Arthur Brown, '18, was elected editor-in-chief and Raymond L. Duke, '18, business manager. A high standard of excellence was maintained by the Egyptian during the first two years of its life. Like most of the student interests, it failed to survive the war's drain upon the school and publication was suspended in the spring of 1918.

In 1920 the student council revived the idea of a school paper as one of its first acts. This council provided for the raising of a subscription for a weekly publication, the choosing of a name, the election by popular vote of an editor-in-chief and election by each class of a member of a board of directors. The result of that action is the paper which is now offered the student body.

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THE STROKE OF JUSTICE
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The hour was come, the Nation's crucial hour;
A crisis of the world, a turn of time;
The ages' hope and dream.
And one undaunted soul, sinewed with power,
Freedom's anointed, rose to height sublime,
Imperial and supreme.

And, lifting high o'er glowing multitude
His sovereign sceptre, smote with such a stroke
The chain of centuries,
That earth was shaken to its farthest rood;
That millioned manacles asunder broke,
And myriad properties...

Because, in one immortal moment,—men;
Free with the free in all the rounded earth,
Redeemed by martyr blood;
To stand with faces to the light again,
Attaining, through their resurrection birth.
To human brotherhood.

LIFE

The young man led for a heart,
The maid for a diamond played;
The old man came thru with a club
And the sexton used a spade.

LOGICAL

May Anne Dietz: "I spilled a little
Of that acid on my hand and it surely
did smart."
Grace Ebling: "Why not drink
some thee?"

HOW TO DASH OFF YOUR
METHOD ENGLISH COMPOSITION

1. Select a piece of your roomie's paper.
(never your own, because you'll need this for useful purposes).
2. Think of what you had for breakfast, and refrain from kissing about it.
3. Place the floor, nervously chewing your pencil or typewriter, as the case may be.
4. Try to think of the latest indiscretions or dummblow saying of the faculty.
5. Write a few lines about the weather.
6. Adjust your window blind and think about the next school dance.
7. Chase all visitors out, so that you may concentrate.
8. Write a few lines about the weather.
9. Sing yourself a daut from Henry Evanleld.
10. What was that they had in the soup the other day?
11. Write a few lines about the weather.
12. When did Shylock say he was going away to the board meeting?
13. Write a few lines about the weather.

Mr. Smith (in Method History calling on Ralph Knight):
"What do you remember about yesterday's lesson?"
Ralph K.: "I don't know."
Mr. Smith: "What do you know?"
Ralph K.: "I don't know."
Mr. Smith: "If you were teaching and the pupils asked you a question, what would you tell them?"
Ralph K.: "I don't know."

HUMOR

ICHABOD CRANE'S RIDE

Ichabod was mad at Brom Bone, So he set out for home alone:
He saw the tulip tree boom big and tall
Before him like a garden wall.

His knees grew weak, he felt his heart
From side to side in his body dart.
Mournfully the wind did blow
As over the bridge Ichabod did go.

Some bushes were by the side of the road,
And gunpowder, with his frightened soul
Jumpped laterally in here.
Both wild with fear.

When lo! out of the bushes came
An object. Ichabod knew its dreadful fame.
"Tusa a Hessian, a headless horse.
Who are you?" Ichabod managed to say.

Ichabod was trembling from head to toe;
He looked to see where the Hessian would go.
When lo! he saw a dreadful sight.
Something that made his hair turn white.

The Hessian held his head on high.
And threw it at lekville with a dismal cry.
But when it hit the master's head
And knocked him down to a dismal end.

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The Alumni Bulletin

Frank Smith received a letter from Benton Miles, who is teaching in the Commercial Department in the High school at Troy, Ill. He reports that his work is interesting.

Othel Eaton is enjoying the mid-year vacation with his parents and friends in Carbondale. Othel reports university life very enjoyable.

Burnett Shryock, who has completed his university course at Illinois, is spending a few days with his father and mother.

While pondering over the Alumni notes we chanced to glance over toward the auditorium and to our surprise there stood Deneen Watson and Grace Eagleson visiting as in the good old days. Mr. Watson is a student at the U. of I.

To the readers of this column: This is one department that can not be kept up by mere cleverness, but by knowledge. Our knowledge of what our Alumni are doing is limited to a great extent to what they write us.

So do us a favor: Let each reader of this department write us a letter of news at his earliest convenience.

Mr. Ben G Merkle, '23, is teaching in Freeburg. He attended the Carbondale-McKendree game Friday.

"Doc" Brandon, who is a student at the U. of I., is visiting home folks.

The officers for the year 1924-25 shall be the officers of the Alumni Association of the Illinois State Normal University; for the year 1925-26 shall be the officers of the Alumni Association of the Southern Illinois State Normal University; for the year 1926-27, shall be the officers of the Alumni Association of the Eastern Illinois State Teachers' College; for the year 1927-28, shall be the officers of the Alumni Association of the Northern Illinois State Teachers' College; for the year 1928-29, shall be the officers of the Alumni Association of the Western State Teachers' College; and so on in the above order.

Executive Committee

The executive committee of the Federation shall consist of the president, vice-president and secretary of the Alumni Associations of the above institutions.

Time of Meeting

The regular annual meeting of the Federation shall be held during the meeting of the State Teachers' Association. The time and place to be designated by the president of the Federation.

Amendment

The president may call special meetings whenever he deems it wise at a place easily accessible to all.

Work of the Federation

The officers of the Alumni Associations will carry on whatever work is laid out for them by the executive committee of the Federation.

FAMOUS HEARTS

Have a

Nell

Chicken

Take to

William S.

Thelma

Candy

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trouble

ed

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ANTHONY HALL
Florence Cohen spent the week-end in Newton visiting friends.
Eleanor Thomas, of East St. Louis, visited her sister, Adele, last
week-end.
Mildred McCormick spent the week-end visiting with Mary Loomis at
Akron.
Emma and Mary Sturm spent the week-end visiting with their
parents at Urbana.
Dorothy Pech spent Sunday with Millie Pinkham and Mrs. J. H. Hartvall, of Marion,
visited her granddaughter, Thelma, Sunday.
The girls who were away for the week end were: Genevieve Owen, Ola
Guzet, Edna Young, Alberta Kohler,
Kathie Love, Mary Wilson, Mildred Bone, Hut Jackson, Miriam Don
Little, Ross Short and Edith Mathis.

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ORGANIZATIONS

Y. W. C. NOTES
The Y. W. C. A. was well attended
Tuesday evening and several inter-
ingest numbers were given.
The play, "Cujo's Dilemma," was well
given, showing some of the im-
portant fields open for the girls to
look forward to today besides getting
married. This was thoroughly enjoyed
by everyone. All girls are
invited to attend the meeting each Tue-
sday evening at 6:30.
The Y. M. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. are
going to have a big supper at the
Presbyterian church next Tuesday
evening at 6:30 instead of the regu-
lar meeting. Get your ticket, come
and enjoy yourself.

EPSILON BETA NEWS
The house was almost deserted last
week-end as many of the girls went
to their homes to visit with friends
who were home between college ses-
terms.
Miss Alberta Trachler spent the
week-end with her folks at De Quoin.
Miss Elizabeth Weinberg visited
with Misses Edna and Mary Doolin
at Benton.
Miss Ruth Hersley spent the week-
end at her home in Harrisburg.
I was also destined with her folks at
Quin
Miss Lucille Taylor and Genevieve Hart-
well visited in Marion.

The S. O. P. H. met last Wednes-
day night and our new officers took
their respective places. The officers
were:
Ruby Ice, president.
Abbie Wood, vice president.
Ruby Raino, treasurer.
Mildred Watson, secretary.
Thelma Hart, chairman of Social
committee.
The S. O. P. H. have many pleasant
things planned for this term. So all
old members come out to our next
meeting and bring a new one.

ART APPRECIATION CLUB
Last Wednesday Night the Art
Appreciation Club held its regular meet-
ing. Miss Maud Riley gave an inter-
esting talk on the life and work of
Zulagha, Spain's most famous artist.
The story of the opera "Carmen" was
told by Miss Mary Jones and was
greatly enjoyed by those present.

This term is being devoted to
the subject of Spanish Art and Music.
This is a very interesting subject to
study and those present enjoyed the
program very much.

"SPEEDY" WALKER
BRINGS TOTAL TO 45
Elmer E. Walker, assistant coach
of athletics at Chester, Ill., refereed
two games of basketball for Coach
Forest's team last weekend.
Mr. Walker has been refereeing
about a number of games this season
and has made, for himself quite a
record. This brings his total number
this season to forty-five.

ROBERTA MacCRACKEN
NEW NAZI PRESIDENT
After the debate on Monday night,
Feb. 8, the illume elected officers for
the next six weeks. Roberta Mac-
Cracken was elected president, Ada
Dale vice president and Thelma Hart-
well secretary-treasurer.
The club has been fortunate in get-
ing good "pep" officers this year
and we hope that these new officers
may continue to advance the stand-
ards.

HIS NAME IS I "W"
Every newspaper throughout the
country has been mentioning the
strangeness of the shortest name in
the world. A Chinese student of
Johns Hopkins University bears the
single name of Mr. "I." It is peculiar,
but the peculiarities doesn't lie in the
fact that his name is "I," but in the
fact that the name is grammatically
correct. Maybe by the time we have
graduated from college we shall each
be calling ourselves "Mr. I." Why, I
happen to be going down the corri-
dor yesterday noon, when I noticed a
distinguished looking personage near-
ing (and don't think me nery
please) I immediately sprang the
question of "What's your name?"
and after I had the distinctive
"ME". Now, there you are. Miss
Bower would tell you never to put a
formal of the objective where the sub-
ject should be, so why do you col-
lege students continue to do it? You,
see, quite readily that this does
get the personal to the name of
"I," but was so unaccustomed to
speaking correctly that he used the
objective case of "ME."

And there is a whole family of
"MEs" in school here. After I had
so unexpectedly met this older
ighbor I inquired around among
others to meet with the same
answer of "ME" each time.

Johns Hopkins University prides it-
self in having one person by the short
name of "I," but haven't learned the
grammatical construction of the
name, and still say, "ME." Are you
one of the family? Then change your
name, but mind, now, don't go to the
other extreme and get it "EGO."

DO YOU BELIEVE THIS?
William Robinson, a young student
from London School of Economics,
made a visit to our colleges here in
America, and then went home and said some things about us. Maybe
they are true and maybe they are
false. At any rate it is well to get
other people's opinion of us.

He said in part: "In England you
are in the university to develop
yourself, in America you go to
the university to distinguish yourself.
In America a boy is always endea-vouring
to attain some outward sign of
achievement-to make the college pa-
lace, to make one of the great soc-
cities, to make the football team.
The center of gravity is in the world
of action far more than in the world
of thought.

"I found that everyone in America
could use a typewriter and drive an
automobile. I found that the ap-
plied sciences, such as medicine and en-
graving and agriculture, and the vo-
tational studies such as law, are at
their best taught and learned far
better than in England. But when it
comes to what we may call be con-
trast, the world of art is quite the
opposite way. The American
though.

Although one meets students who
very obviously show promise of
becoming great chemists, great
dentists, captains of industry, and
the like, one rarely if ever meets
one who has been declared to be a
Darwin and Beethoven, a Shelley."

We might say in passing, that this
foresaid English student was over
here only five months-one semester
mind you. Let's not take the opinion
of a foreigner who has seen an Amer-
ican university only five months out
of the twelve. We must smile when
he says everybody over here can use
a typewriter and drive a car. You
never hit your life. Mr. Mortar-Boll-
John, and that's that. We've
worked early (while you were yet
shooting) to own an aeronaut type
writer and we've worked early and

WINNERS IN THE MENTOR
CROSS WORD PUZZLE

The book and author cross word puzzle in the February Mentor has
caused all kinds of excitement in the English classes. The instructor of
the Third Year English class placed the puzzle on the board and incidentally
mentioned that the first one to solve it
would get honorable mention in the
Egyptian. Having glanced at the
cross word puzzle a few moments in
the office, she knew that she, herself,
would work it down. To her surprise
encyclopedias, literature, and Who's
Who before the little squares could
possibly be filled; and she was sure
the class would be working solving.

Certain fans in the class started
calling out. They buried themselves
in comes in the stacks. They nosed
about in modern and ancient fiction,
magazines, newspapers, dictionaries,
et.cetera. They searched with the
above in mind with a Yale scholar getting his last bit of data
for his Ph. D. thesis. And they fin-
ally treed their last author!

Perhaps you wonder at all this re-
search. We ask you, as face to face,
could you answer right off the bat.
"Name of an Italian lady given to
a play by an American writer who
was born in Italy and died there?"
"Pseudonym of an author of an ex-
tremely popular story said in Califor-
nia which has been called the 'Uncle
Tongue' of the Indians?"
"Of course when it comes to such as "Fa-
mous first poem by a noted Ameri-
can" or "The brother of Amelia in
Vanity Fair" anybody could answer;
but who would think of "the" as an
article to an article much used by
writers?"

The Winners, Isabelle Johnson and
Charles Faulkner, made a special trip
Thursday night over to the home of
the instructor to inform her of their
feat. Friday morning Ruth Stearns,
Thelma Shackleton, Nan Moore and
Phyllis Mayes sat in the solved puzzle,
and later in the day Lucille Parrish and
Marie Hasier.
Dr. Bradbury at Work

Dear Alumni, Former Students, or Other Friends of President Shryock and the S. I. N. U.: This is a communication you will be happy to receive. It is to give you a privilege which you will instantly desire—that of contributing to a fund for the painting of President Shryock's portrait.

The official action looking to this enterprise was unanimously and enthusiastically taken at a meeting of the Alumni Association, January 23rd, 1925. At this meeting provision was made for the appointment of a special portrait committee to handle all business detail. Miss Grace Burket, the present secretary and treasurer of the Association, was elected custodian of the fund to be raised.

The painter chosen to do the work is professor C. E. Bradbury of the Art Department of the University of Illinois, an accomplished artist of wide experience in portrait painting. The cost of the portrait will be $750 for the painting, with an additional outlay of perhaps $50 for appropriate framing. The time set for the unveiling of the portrait is the coming June commencement, at which time the fifty-fifth class of the school will be graduated.

The time for this enterprise is opportune, while President Shryock is in the full tide of his professional career, in perfect health, and with the appearance, personal and professional, which his host of admirers and friends would like to see preserved on canvas. The honor which is conferred in this manner has never been more richly earned. President Shryock is now serving his thirty-first year as a member of the faculty and his twelfth year as president of our Alma Mater. The twelve years of his presidency have been a three-hundred percent increase in the enrollment of the school, and a six-hundred percent increase in the size of its annual graduating class, together with a transformation of the school into a Teachers' College of the first rank of which development we recognize as due to President Shryock's rare charm as a teacher and lecturer, his equally rare power as an executive, and his painstaking devotion to the financial success of this undertaking is of course assured from the beginning, but as a means of producing the finest and most satisfying effect in our attempt to honor President Shryock, it is hoped that all contributions may be sent in with the utmost promptness. If possible, on the day that you receive this, or in any way hear of the undertaking, mail in your contribution. It may vary from $1.00 to $5.00, as you choose. Send it to Miss Grace Burket, Carbondale, Illinois. She will promptly receipt you and place your name in the list of donors.

Once more soliciting a prompt and liberal response such as befits the signal merit of the man who has done so much to advance the worth and prestige of our school and all who have attended it, we are,

Very sincerely yours,
R. E. BRIDGES, Chairman.
GEO. D. WHAM, Secretary.
GRACE BURKET, Treasurer.
ADA CALDWELL.
MARY CRAWFORD.
O. M. KARRAKER.
JOHN E. MILLER.
R. E. MUCKELROY.
HOWARD WALKER.
W. W. WILLIAMS.

Bear Cats
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...to lack of spirit: if so we can remedy this by coming out and by yelling when we come out.

Our next game is with Charleston.

What do you say? Let's go.

F. G. P. Newcom 10 1 2
Mangier 2 1
Hecht 1
Isom 1 1
Carter 1
Martin 1
CARBONDALE F. G. P. Hartley 2 2
Magner 1
Ritchey 2
Sattgest 1
Pratt 1
Hickey 1
Johnson 1

ASTONISHER TO B. B. FANS

Fishel's swift blue and orange pir skin tossers of Carterville held a speedy Marion quintet to a no goal hit and made them succumb to a defeat of 4 to 3. The game was fast throughout and each team displayed some good coaching qualities. Neither team was able to penetrate the defense of the other. The blue and orange were the proud possessors of the only hooped basket from the field during the game. A large crowd witnessed the contest and the score of basketball fans accompanied the visiting team from Marion. They displayed by the loyal rooters the blue and orange was something that any team is always proud to have back them.

The scientist who predicts that some day we shall live on air doesn't seem to have observed how many people have been living on hot air for years. —Columbus Record.

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Silent Policeman
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control of the streams of traffic that flood our none too wide streets. Our citizenship proves itself when a dozen cars at a time wait patiently for thirty long seconds at the mere flash of an electric light, whether Mr. Adams be standing behind a telegraph post or not.

COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL
DEFEATS ANNA,
STILL LEADING

Carbondale added another victory notch to its string when Anna went down into defeat at the hands of the Community High school five here Saturday. There was comparatively no trouble in winning by the score of 34 to 18.

This gives Carbondale ten victories and only one defeat—that to Marion here a week ago Saturday night.

In the last few minutes of the game Coach Woodruff pulled out two of his regular team men, Lutz and Red McGowan, and gave Neeley and Deck a whirl at action.

Half led the team at scoring with six baskets and two free throws. Red McGowan, the other forward, three baskets for second. Lewis McGowan, at guard, Bridges at center and Hell at forward played the whole game. The Anna team was accompanied by a peppy gang of rooters, but Carbondale was too powerful for them.

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