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VETERAN LINE AND BACKFIELD TO FACE DEKALB TEACHERS

The SouthernSilver—which will face the DeKalb Teachers on Saturday—is one of the best to be produced by President Andrew in the last few years. Regardless of unfortunate circumstances the team has lost but two games during the season and both of these were the result of upsets. Only in the Shurtleff game were the Maroons outclassed. The SouthernSilver count among their victims within the conference, McPherson, Mount Morris, and Charleston. They have lost by narrow margins and in the most highly fought games to Shurtleff and Old Normal. They have defeated Cape Girardeau twice, decisive fashion, and have taken the measure of Springfield. This season has been a very successful one both from the standpoint of victory and from the standpoint of football material for future candidates from the freshman class.

SouthernSilver began the season with the height of prosperity. Only three lettermen failed to return. In the first two games of the season a captain and a stellar halfback were lost for the season. The following games were a story of injuries. Comparatively green material was used in an attempt to neutralize the loss of veteran performers. The novices played well and showed that they are ready to do the task which the veteran material on the sideline might have done.

DOC LINGLE HAS COACHED—SINCE THE FALL OF 1927

Loland Lingle came to S. I. U. as a faculty member in the fall of 1927, having previously taught and coached in the high school of his native city, Mt. During the seasons of 1927 and 1928, he assisted Coach Andrew in coaching the football and basketball teams as well as in instructing Physical Education classes. Lingle became track coach in 1928 and his teaching led to the Maroons annexing second place in the State Teachers College track and field meet. His track teams of 1929-1930, and 1931 won first honors in the State Teachers meet.

Coach Lingle completed work on his Master's degree at University of Iowa this year.

SOUTHERN TEACHERS PRESENT A STRONG ELEVEN FOR SATURDAY

CAPT. CANADA

Harry Canada will complete his fourth year of competition for S. I. U. with this Homecoming game. These two years Canada has displayed all-round ability which made him a valuable asset throughout the Little Nineteen conference. Last year he came within an ace of being named all-conference center on the first eleven. This year he looks fair to obtain that berth.

Canada's story is an interesting one. He came from Marion a mere stripling, taping the scales at only 155 pounds. After his first year he picked up weight and now aggressive Willam McAndrew is being named all-conference center on the first eleven. This year he looks fair to obtain that berth.

Veteran lettermen returning from previous years are McAndrew, McAndrew, and Phillip Wright, guards. Among others returning from the freshman class are A. J. Sikory, St. Louis, Missouri, and John T. Sikory, St. Louis, Missouri.

CAPT. PATTON

Capt. McAndrew is beginning his nineteenth year as director of Southern Teachers College football. As an all-conference center he has developed a great deal of respect among the players. This is his last season with the SouthernSilver and he is worthy of all the respect he has received for his remarkable ability on the field.

BASKETBALL PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR THIS SEASON

Prospects for the greatest basketball team to represent this college in years are good. Besides the return of all last year's lettermen, the squad of this season will receive many additions from the freshman class. The team this year will have no captain.

CAPT. PATTON

Capt. Patton has been a hard luck player throughout his college career. He came here from Carlyle rated high as a two-sportman. His luck in football has been of the worst type. During the first two years of competition he was forced to under-study the work of the great Eidahl. Last year he forced himself into many of the games and was going strong until an injury threw him on the sidelines. This season he was injury-prone and was forced to the sidelines for the first game on the schedule. Having a badly twisted knee, he returned to the game only in the last few minutes of the Old Normal contest. However his work up to date has been of a high enough type to satisfy the letterman of last season who saw fit to name him the captain of the backfield this year.

WORK OF INDIVIDUAL MEN OUTSTANDING FOR YEAR

Outstanding during the season’s play has been the work of Captain Canada. Working against the best of Little Nineteen could muster but one center in the line, he has yet to have met his peer. Above reproach has been the work of James Lauter in the backfield. He proved himself in many games the best blocker on the schedule. "Hippo" Brown has turned in his best year as a Maroon lineman. He has proved himself in the season's play. Wolfenbarger and Wimbish are going to make strong backs for the squad. Davison, of Johnston City, a member of the state champs of '28 will be out for the team. The schedule which follows for the season's play is as follows:

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- DEKALB BRINGS STRONG ELEVEN TO FACE MAROONS HOMECOMING

FRONT WALL AND BACKFIELD NORTHERNERS' STRONG POINTS

DeKalb promises to bring one of the best teams in the history of their school to play the Southern Teachers College football team. The Northerners have swept most of the opposition before them this season. This year they have not only conference games to contest but that to the North Central aggregation which broke a three year tie existing between the two teams. The Northerners boast one of the most aggressive lines in the conference and have succeeded in taking the ball on all the home games.

In Mustapha and Capt. Sutphin the Professor has two of the finest backfield men in the state. Mustapha, a basketball and track star, weighs nearly 180 pounds and seems to serve as captain. Carl Petterson at quarterback and Mustapha direct the play of the team. The boys whom they have done much in the noted punting and holding of the ball. Sutphin is rated as one of the hardest line plungers in the North.

No doubt the game will be one of the hardest to be fought on the local gridiron. Beyond settling the annual dispute which he has been a part of the Maroons, it may decide second berth in the conference. The team which DeKalb will face along with the northern teams and the scores are:

- DeKalb 12, Normal 0
- DeKalb 19, Milwaukee 2
- DeKalb 20, St. Louis 0
- DeKalb 25, Wheaton 0

PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN HANDS OF DI GIOVANNA

Vincent Di Giovanna is serving his third year as chairman of the Physical Education department. Di Giovanna did his college work at Springfield College in Massachusetts, after which he accepted his Master's degree at New York University. Although he has been here only a short time he has done much in advancing the Physical Education department. He has a genuine interest in the development of Maroons athletes. His teaching skill has led to the development of excellent tumblers and parallel bar men, but tumbling and parallel bar work have not been the only activities in which Mr. Di Giovanna has had an active part as a teacher.

The high school of Southern Illinois University, for the most part, has a teacher of physical education. Mr. Di Giovanna has added Coach Andrew and Mr. Lingle in making Carbondale's physical education department one of the best, if not the best in the State Teachers colleges.
INJURIES HAVE PREVENTED MAROONS FROM MAKING BETTER 1931 SHOWING

Backfield Turn Up Because of Persistent Hard Luck

Hard luck has kept the Southern Teachers from evincing the power they displayed so effectively last season. The elevens began the year with a serious handicap. "Bob" Doty, all-Missouri football teamer for three years, was lost to the squad through injury. The effect of sickness kept "Bob"Doty in two games, and McKendree on three occasions, Scott Field, who has followed these players throughout their careers, are not acquainted with the high quality of work which they have done for Southern.

Paul Swafford dons the gridiron regalia for the Maroons for the third time as a member of the regular squad. Jimmie has been recognized as one of the best players in the state and in this last season he has been playing great football especially in the blocking phase of the offensive game. Glenn Martin has played his last season with the Maroons. Undoubtedly this season should have been his best, but the unfortunate experience of breaking a leg kept him from displaying his wares for the largest part of the season.

Jim Johnson and Two Ten Willies returned to complete their work on degrees this year. Both were eligible for competition but came out for football. Homecoming will remember the sort of play they gave this past season. There is no doubt largely due to the leadership which they have received.

Basketball Schedule for Southern Teachers

| Dec. 8 | Arizona A. and M. (here) |
| Dec. 19 | Ohio's Swedes (here) |
| Dec. 17 | University of Tennessee (here) |
| Dec. 18 | University of Tennessee (here) |
| Jan. 7 | Arkansas Cardinals (here) |
| Jan. 8 | Centenary (here) |
| Jan. 15 | Cape Girardieu (here) |
| Jan. 23 | Charleston (here) |
| Jan. 29 | Cape Girardieu (here) |
| Feb. 2 | McKendree (here) |
| Feb. 6 | Charleston (here) |
| Feb. 12 | Charleston (here) |
| Feb. 13 | McKendree (here) |
| Feb. 20 | Marcomi (here) |
| Feb. 26 | St. Louis Teachers College tournament at Normal |

There is much material on the 1931 Maroon football squad that has not been seen by homecomers of the class of '31, and that the following are the freshmen on this year's eleven. Although plenty of veteran returnees returned for their final season of competition, freshmen have managed to clinch several positions on Mac's eleven. At end, Patterson proved to be the score of the left half of the lineup. Patterson holds the high spot on average. He has survived the bidding of the coaching staff, and has played a consistent hard driving game throughout the year.

Reeves in the line at guard has become regular. The new fellows have plenty of beef and drive to hold up the position allotted to him in the line. Reeves is one of the best line prospects in several years. He is a graduate of Cabot Normal Community where he participated in all of the major sports with success.

Due to the injuries of Patterson and Martin, Wimerly of Maroon was given a chance to show his stuff. Martin, with a knee injury which has come out through his last game for Southern.

A new character to face the homecomers this season. He has made a name for himself in Johnston City. Davidson has played at quarter and half back during the season. He has come through in recent games, and proved to be a worthy player for the Maroons. He has learned much of the football silver spoon.

Wolfehaven, the freshman, has given much of the football to the freshmen. Wolfehaven has returned to college, and has been disbanded for this year due to competition from the seniors.

The bulk of the year's record squad was freshmen material. Change for the Maroons in the future are bright.

New faces to the Homecomers of last year will be those of Marlon Willies and Stine. All three of the boys are well known to Homecomers of other years although they were not in the lineup last season. Willies has returned after a few years of hospitalization to plug up a hole in the backfield. "Hippo" Willies has returned to college for the '31 season and is one of the most valuable players on the eleven. McElwain, McKendree and Scott have to know all Southern Illinois football fans.