MANY S. I. N. U. FACULTY MEMBERS PLAY

ACTIVE ROLES IN LOCAL CHURCHES

THESE INSTRUCTORS DO THIS LARGELY FOR BENEFIT OF COLLEGE STUDENTS

A canvas of the members of the Normal faculty reveals the following facts concerning the Sunday school work of S. I. N. U. instructors:

George W. Smith—Teacher of Men’s Bible Class at Christian church, has served as elder, chairman of the Official Board of the church, and moderator of the Sunday school.

Dr. G. W. Smith—Teacher of Sunday school class for girls in S. I. N. U., active in social, missionary, and other interests of the church.

W. G. Clouse—Elder, chairman of the Official Board of the church, moderator of the Sunday school.

Charles J. Prater—Superintendent of the intermediate Christian Endeavor Society, sings in the choir, plays the Sunday school orchestra, serves on finance committee of the church.

Bonnie Batson—Teacher of Sunday school class.

J. Henry Schreuder—Has taught Sunday school class.

Verna Gentry—Teacher of Sunday school class.

W. M. Bailey—Elder, chairman of finance committee of the church, clerk of the church, teacher of Sunday school class for S. I. N. U. boys, choir choirmaster.

G. W. Warren—Superintendent of First Baptist Sunday school.

T. L. Bryant—Assistant superintendent of Sunday school, has been teacher of class.

T. W. Fulls—Choir leader, teacher of men’s class.

E. G. Lents—Teacher of College men’s class.

R. E. Mackley—Teacher.

Dilla Hall—Chairman of Young People’s Union.

Emma Howe—Superintendent of (Continued on Page Six.)

Ag Club Holds Last Meeting This Term

Last Thursday evening was the last meeting of the Ag Club for this term; a splendid program was given.

The first number of the talk was given by Mr. Martin Schaeffer. Mr. Schaeffer gave a few facts about the students entering the College of Agriculture at the University of Illinois. He also told about the Ag courses given here for freshmen applying for a provisional course.

Miss Eula Brod gave a talk from “Jacob’s Whiskey” as a humorous reading. Miss Brod is surely a talented reader.

The talk, “Apple Bitch,” by Mr. Albert Wilson, was very instructive as well as interesting.

Last but not least was a piano solo by Mr. Dilla Hall. Everyone knows that Mr. Hall can make his solo very pleasing.

Mr. Smith Discusses Thanksgiving

The Secrest program for Wednesday evening, November 29, was as follows:

Reverend Louise Boyd.

Vocal Duet, Minnie Rose and Florence Young.

Mr. Smith. The reading had to do with the experiences of a Norwegian maid while traveling on a Pullman.

The vocal number was Just A Wearin’ for You.

Mr. Smith, in a different manner, told us of Thanksgiving. He traced the feast, not from the first American Thanksgiving which is annually celebrated, but from Bible times when feasting and fasting had general significance. From these old institutions the Thanksgiving feast had been developed.

Rehearsals for the coming term were elected. They are as follows: President, Omer Henry. Vice President, Ruth Cowan. Recording Secretary, Mamie Reesor. Corresponding Secretary, Shelby Martin.

The Forum met Thursday evening for the last time of the year and will be ready for presentation soon after the holidays.

FUTURE PLANS

Under the able leadership of President Bernice Easterbrook, the Forum plans to continue under new management for the next school term. They are planning for a year’s worth of presentations in the following order:

Easterbrook—Arms—Orville Alexander.

Plans are being made for an old time Secrest program. This meeting is being planned for December 11. Notice is to be given with an illustrated Whistler, a ram of paper, and a dozen well sharpened pencils. Each of the former members who attend the program is to be carefully criticized. Plans to be for the Secrest that evening and tomorrow. They said “good old times first hand.”

VACATION TO START THIS AFTERNOON

Of course we are all glad that we attended school last Saturday so that we will not have to come back after the festivities of tomorrow to take our spring examinations. We have new met all the requirements of the Normal Board and we are ready for the full term of 1929-1930. Four whole days with no thought of school are indeed welcomed by those who are now deluged with final examinations.

SCIENCE CLUB MEETS AT CHAPEL HOUR TODAY

The members of the Science Club will hold their regular meeting today at Chapel hour in Dr. Caldecott’s recitation room, and all students and teachers are invited to attend. It is the custom of the club to have one member in charge of the entire program. Today Mr. Peterson will talk about Iron and Steel—Their Refinement and Properties. This will be a valuable and instructive discussion and will be of interest to all who attend.

Cage Schedule for 1929-1930 Season

Dec. 7—St. Louis U. (there)

Jan. 11—Charleston (here)

Jan. 18—McKendree (here)

Jan. 24—Normal (there)

Jan. 25—Shurtleff (there)

Jan. 31—Terre Haute (here)

Feb. 7—Normal (there)

Feb. 8—Shurtleff (here)

Feb. 24—Piterville (here)

Feb. 15—Charleston (there)

Feb. 22—Hannover Col. (here)

Febr. Normal School Tournament

March 1—Probably at DeKalb.

Maroons Close Season with 12 to 6 Win at McKendree’s Homecoming

Zetets Have Party

For Last Meeting

The literary societies are looking forward to the occupancy of the new halls next term. We hope they will be available on the first meeting night, Dec. 4. The new officers elected last Wednesday will have the privilege of appointing the charge of the Zetets for the coming term are: President, Raymond Ketherton; Vice President, Mildred Oakes; Corresponding Secretary, Harvey Phillips; Recording Secretary, Margaret Armentrout; and usher, the outgoing president, Leo Brown.

After the little bit of important news, and a short report to the old gymnasium for a bit of fun, the Cyclones will be served as we have done in the past. The new team, which makes the final judging exceedingly difficult. There was much competition in boys’ football, and there were more than any one else in the class.

All members handed in their votes at the close of the meeting and a final committee went over the lists. Results of the ballots were started and the play will be ready for presentation soon after the holidays.

The results of the try-outs are as follows:

Fannie Cavendish—Marjorie Leach.

Jolly Cavendish—Dorothy Brand.

Anthony Cavendish—Leo Brown.

Gwen Oakes—Patsy Aydelott.

Herbert Dean—James Aydelott.

Kitty Le Mayne—Violet Loaster.

Perry Stewart—John Mitchell.


Della—Jewel Ferrell.

There are sixteen characters in the play. The minor ones such as the ball boy, chauffeur and nurse maid have not been selected.

LITERARY SOCIETIES DO NOT MEET TONIGHT

Neither of the two literary societies meet tonight. Other thoughts out of the way of the novices, tomorrow’s examinations will soon be over, then home sweet home, and turkey for the first time again. Many friends will forget even these two prominent organizations. But don’t forget that we will meet again the first Wednesday night of next term, under new officers, and just possibly in the new halls in the new Science building.

MACMEN AND BEARCATS BOTH SCORE ON INTERCEPTED PASS IN FIRST HALF

Normal ended their grid school in the first game of the McKendree Bearcats to a 12 to 6 score. The game was a first from start to finish. Both teams played freely and almost all of the Normal stars were carrying scars from the contest. The game was more like an episode from the French Revolution than a friendly grid match.

A Normal started nicely by making a first down, but then Shadowen interrupted a pass and gave McKendree the ball. The game then settled down to small gains and punts, until Latez carried a punt to McKendree’s twenty four yard line. At this point another pass was intercepted by Sparlin who rumbled for a touchdown. Normal again kicked off. A twenty-five yard clipping penalty set McKendree back and they punter. Normal tried a punt and a bad-averaged on the one yard line and have not ended after a Normal punt with the ball on McKendree’s sixteen-yard line.

McKendree started the second quarter by making a first down but a penalty and a fumble prevented further progress. After Latez gained five yards around right end, McKendree interrupted another pass. Normal took the ball and Bradshaw ploughed left tackle for thirty yards. Each stunt was to portray a holiday of its period. The October, November, December group won with a presentation of Columbus Day. They had the ship, Columbus, Indians, and the peace pipe, as well as the necessary situation and imagination of the audience. The crowning of the May Day queen in Old England was also especially clever as an unprompted stunt.

FORUM CLUB TO STAGE SPEAKING CONTEST

The Forum met as usual on Thursday evening. The speaking contest will be held in the near future. The subject will be Military Training in the United States. The contest will be open to all men who wish to enter. Contestants should be prepared to speak on any part of the subject which they choose, as they will be informed as to what phase they are to speak on, thus dividing the subject among the various speakers. All interested are urged to enter.

RENEWED INTEREST IN AGRICULTURE COURSE

Interest in agricultural courses has been already renewed. Most of the students who will apply for a provincial certificate in the spring will enroll in the new course. It is not only natural that they should have some knowledge of the basic principles of agriculture, but also that they will not forget even these two prominent organizations. But don’t forget that we will meet again the first Wednesday night of next term, under new officers, and just possibly in the new halls in the new Science building.

Regular Basketball Practice Starts

The final whistle of the football game at Lebanon last Saturday marked the close of the Maroons’ 1929 season. The end of the schedule in this sport means that for the next few months basketball will claim the attentions of both students and players. This week the squad which has been practicing for some time received several new members composed largely of fellows who were engaged in football. As regular practice gets under way, the newcomers will have a chance to show Mac what they can do and display their wares to the rest. It looks as if there are going to be eight letter men on the squad and from reports of the early practices some of the new ones are not to be laughed at. Short scrimmage games have shown some good moves held down with some very selected veterans.

Captain “Cuss” Wilson has been in charge of the early practice period and has thrown the new material for some time. He seems to think that some new ones are going to be put up and to keep going to prevent being shown up.

The first game is with St. Louis University at St. Louis, December 8.
CHRISTMAS 1929
The time has come around again to say, prepare your gift lists and fill them early, if possible. Every department in the store is in splendid tempo to solve your every gift problem as you will agree, after visiting this store. Stocks are at their fullest with the things to please everyone at prices you will want to pay. We expect to see you among our early shoppers.

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THE EGYPTIAN
With the Faculty During Vacation
Thanksgiving! That is the back-ground of everyone's thoughts—even in the midst of term examinations. The name that calls forth different images is the normal blessing of Thanksgiving and then of course turkeys and ham.
To the "Egyptians" it brought ex-citement as to how some of our teachers are contemplating spending their holidays.
Most of the teachers agree that after all, "there's no place like home." President Sherrod plans to enjoy a quiet vacation here at home.
Dean Wham expects to attend the educational gathering at Chicago, Friday.
Others who will be in Carbondale during the holidays are Misses Mary Estompeiner, Minna Fox, Thora Andera, Virginia Myers, Emma Frame, Sara Baker, Grace L. Burket, Frances Eberhage, Allan Carpenter, Dr. Cashwell, Mrs. Ora Rogers and Mrs. Edith Nun, Dr. Colyer, Petersons, G. M. Brown, W. O. Brown, Pierce, Pandee, Bryan, Lantzy, Eyer, and Bailey, Dr. Norris, Dr. Beyer, Dr. Holt, Dr. Necker, Dr. Young, and Dr. Thalman.
Mr. Cox's daughters, Dorothy and Margaret, will be home during the holidays.
Miss Crawford will be free from the duties of the Hall and expects to spend her vacation at her home in Jolnesota, Ill.
Miss Clark will go to her home at Carvill to see old friends and her family.
Miss Van Trump, also, hopes to go to her home in Braxton, Ky.
Mr. and Mrs. Hall will spend the vacation at Xenia, Ill.
Mrs. Burk will go to see Don and Philip.
Mr. and Mrs. Shroeder are going to go to her parents' home in Ohio, to visit his friend and spend their work in the classroom.
Miss Scott plans to visit her mother at Chicago.
Several of the faculty are planning to spend part of their time in St. Louis.
The rest of the time they will be in Carbondale. They are Misses Cox, Kallings, Power, Boyton, Mrs. Kellogg, Wright, and Mr. Muckleroy.
Mr. Fyfe is going hunting on Horse Sho Lake. He said he would probably eat bennies for Thanksgiving din-ner, but Oh! how he would feast on Friday.
Miss King and Miss Williams said they had not decided. They are wise to wait, but it's always a woman's privilege to change her mind, you know.
Misses Shank and Barbour are planning to spend Thanksgiving down in the Ozarks, where they grew real turkeys.
Mr. Warren will serve as referee in a football game Thanksgiving eve-ning between Mt. Vernon and Centralia at Mt. Vernon.
Miss Zimmerchek is going to 2nd the meeting of the National Physical Society at the University of Chicago.
Miss Jonah is planning to spend Thanksgiving vacation with friends in Detroit. We hope she brings some house back with her.
Miss Stein will be down to visit friends and do some work at home. Wolf Lake visitors.
Miss Baldwin will probably spend Thanksgiving with her uncle and cousins, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Terry, and other relatives at Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh will visit the Greenfield parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Honnold, near Paris, Ill.
Mr. Margrage is going to his home, at Thoens, Ill.
Miss Opal Stone will be the guest of her brother, John Paul Stone, at Champage, Ill.
Mr. Scott plans to drive to Omaha, Nebraska.
Miss Ivan plans to spend the vac-aition at her home at Coosettville, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cino are plan-ning to drive to Fairfield, Ill.
Miss Estella Roy will be the guest of friends at Chicago.
The big football men—objects of much female adoration and man-culose—admiration—could plan no better place to give than at a football game. Just any football game will do, Mr. Lingle said.
Cpt. McAndrew is going to office at a football game at Marion, Ill. Mrs. Chastain will go with a group of friends to Omaha, Nebraska.
Mr. and Mrs. Missey are planning to drive to Allerton, Ill.
The "Egyptian" is very sorry that not all of the faculty members and find out how they are planning to celebrate the holidays.

Sportsmanship
WITH APOLOGIES TO ST. PAUL
Though I have all courage to fight against any odds, and though I have the will to win, and have not sportsmanship, it profits me nothing.
Sportsmanship does not disappoint its parents' home and its friends, and poor work in the classroom.
Sportsmanship envies not sportsmanship vaunteth not itself, it is not puffed up.
Sportmanship playeth hard to win, that the game may be worth the battle of the opponents.
It doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh no more victory, is not easily provoked, thinketh no me-tefactorious, doth not cradle-ride, is not in dirty rhetoric, but rejoiceth in fair play, beareth the responsibility of the team's morale, believeth in the team as a whole, keepeth for victory to the very end.
Sportsmanship remembereth to bestow worthy goals in life, and to determine to attain them, that the days of anony-mous parents may be honored.
Sportsmanship never faileth; but willeth there be bruagets, they shall fall; willeth there be blitters, they shall not win; for we know not what the next play shall bring and a game is not over until the last whistle.
When the game is over sportsmanship is not ashamed of the day's victory, yet coveths to avoid too much display; when the game is over, and doth not alight and find faults.
LaFere Van Meter.

Inquiring Reporter
WHAT DO YOU EXPECT TO DO THANKSGIVING?
Spaptay Flurried assured me that she in-tends to study diligently during our Wolf Lake vacation.
"I could not neglect my school work under any conditions. A serious-minded student will take advantage of this opportunity to do extra study-
ing," Spaty promised.
Slava Gately, political boss of the underworld gang of S. I. U., will Vis-it in his home town.
"A short Carbondale's loan will be impossible," Slatka spoke modestly, "think how great will be Marion's rent."

Jimmy Norris gave me some interesting news.
"Mrs. Gately and I am spending Thanksgiving at my home in Fair-held," he admitted after much grililg.
These boys have a habit of keeping their phones a secret, what with a campus overrun with un-namedly-revels.
When I questioned Helen Schrem, she sighed, "Oh, Tah's coming again."
And you know what that means?
Porky Hall said, "During this va-cation we are going to practice on any dancing. Aesthetic dancing rarely receives such appreciative atten-tion as does the football team book when last danced. We who possess genuine delight in presenting it before those who understand real art."
I was especially curious about Car- men Dickey's plans. To my surprise he generously offered to give the press any important de-velopment.
"I shall spend this holiday as I spend all my leisure hours—reading and philosophizing. Perhaps from my great experience I shall write a book called The Psychological Workings of a Man's Mind." Carmen is a wonder.

Take my advice: Select one of those campus neophytes and follow his plans if you wish to have a successful Thanksgiving vacation. How about it?

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Fresh: Well, a librarian fined me two cents!

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The following books of general interest have recently been added to the Wheeling Library collection.

Beard C. A.—Whither Mankind.
Boloe, E. L.—Looking Backward.
Clark, J. L.—Trails of the Husted.
Bible, B.—Condemned to Devils Island.
Wilkins, G. W.—Flying the Arctic.

Readers' Bait

A trip to Egypt. It no longer was a mere fancy, as rapidly disappearing as the mist of the blue that retreated from the Nile delta when the sun appeared, but an actual fact. Somehow, facts always give me keen pleasure; but none, I assure you, have given me more than the knowledge that a great desire was to be realized—that I was to see Egypt with my own eyes. And so A. Edward Newton took his wife to Egypt. The story is told in the November issue of the Atlantic Monthly.

In this travelogue one finds first-hand information concerning the Niles and the ever mystic country surrounding it. The land of glamorous love, the home of the dusky, passionate women, all of them and more are described in Newton's fascinating account.

If you attempted to enter three universities and were turned away from them, one after another, would you have stick-in-the-mud-ness to go to the public library and read there, and be your own teacher? More, suppose you couldn't take a book to your room. The librarian held you to the rule, and there was but one way in which you could have something readably for week ends—by going to the great, Dr. Edward Everett Hale, a director of the institution, and asking him to make provisions for your getting a book out for the week ends, would you have nerve enough to appeal to such a great man to help you? These are some of the things that Hamlin Garland had to face. These, together with a number of other incidents, are related in the October issue of the Bookman. The article is called Roadside Meetings of a Literary Nomad.

But now there is a different story to tell. Garland has won gloriously, in his article, he relates his red-letter days, and incidentally he tells of some that were not so red.

Visitor: And do your shorthand pupil do well?
Principal: Wonderfully. Just think, thirty-five of the fifty I sent out last year have already married their employers.

In a Theatre-Our: Labor, what? I can't find anything about the play in this program.

Usher: Sorry sir, but we have to make room for two new ads.

Bud (after the game): Don't take it so hard, Bud; anybody's liable to fumble.

Bull: Yeah—but think of my future as a bond salesman.

TRAVEL

Beacon, S.—Worlds Within Worlds.
Nichols, R. B.—Star Spangled Banner.
Scarbrook, W. B.—Magic Island.
Walker, W. E.—Worlds on Our Legs.

BIOGRAPHY

Beveridge, A. J.—Abraham Lincoln.
Buck, H. G.—The Story of Virginia.
Krupit, E. G.—Thomas Jefferson.
Kipling, F. A.—Emerson and Thoreau.

FICTION

Aldrich, R. B.—Lantern in Her Hand.
Batson, R. H.—Substitute Jimmy.
Benedict, F. B.—Little Clown Lost.
Bromfield, L.—Strange Case of Miss Annie Spragg.
Brown, K. H.—The Father.
Burt, E. N.—Clock's Feather.
Byrne, B.—Destiny Bay.
Chapman, M.—Happy Mountain.
Christie, A.—Seven Silly Mystery.
Cottrell, D.—Singing Gold.
Deeping, W. O.—Old Fribus.
Fournier, A.—The Wanderer.
Freeman, H. W.—Joseph and His Brethren.
Gibbs, H.—Harm.
Hayward, D.—Mary's Daughters.
Hudson, J. W.—Abe Pierre's People.
Kyne, P. B.—Tide of Empire.
Lewisohn, L.—Island Within.
Lindseth, J. C.—Silas Bradford's Bay.
Lowell, J.—Crade of the Deep.
McFee, W. M.—Pilgrims of Adversity.
O'Brien—Best Short Stories of 1918.
Propper, M. W.—Strange Disappearance of Mary Young.
Roberts, A. M.—Peter Victorious.
Sedgwick, A. D.—Dark Rester.
Thompson, S.—Battle of the Horsens.
Van Buren & Bemis—Thanksgiving Day in Modern Story.
Wells, H. G.—Mr. Bitterworth at Ramsgate Island.
Wharton, E.—The Children.
Wilde, H.—Riproducible.
Young, E. H.—Visar's Daughter.
Young, P. B.—My Brother Jonathan.

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BOOK REVIEW

"THE WORLD ON ONE LEG" by Ellery Walter

BY MILRED D. KOSLHSTEDT

If you’re feeling “down on your luck” and think the world is all against you, let me introduce you to Ellery Walter, the twenty-two-year old Missouri man. The World on One Leg is not about you. Rather, it is a story of what can be accomplished when you’re convinced that you are much more fortunate than you imagined.

Ellery Walter writes a graphic account of his travels around the world on one leg. His story is heartening because he shows unequivocal optimism and will power.

The young author tells us of his early life in the following words:

"The strength of my legs was my greatest handicap. I was born without tibiae."

By the age of fourteen, Ellery was able to walk on his toes, and by twenty, he could walk without the aid of any artificial limbs. He was able to travel around the world on one leg, and his story is one of perseverance and determination.

Without a doubt, this is a story of triumph over adversity, and it serves as a valuable lesson to us all. It reminds us that with hard work and determination, we can overcome any obstacle.

And so, dear reader, we should not give up. There is always hope, and there is always a way to overcome our challenges. So, let us all be inspired by Ellery Walter’s story and strive to achieve our dreams, no matter how difficult they may seem.

THE SPHINX KNOWS:

Why Ellis Mc Robinson is known in the "Vanishing American."

He who said that the elusive slave was a law introduced by the Yucatan people.

Who broke George Porter’s ball?

What print engaged in the following banner:

1st Prof: There is romance among bacteria. (Or did he mean bacteria among romance?)

2nd Prof: O, dar be-elll-

AND WONDERS:

If Mr. Lentz was serious when he said that his band in Mexico is nearly as bad as it is in Chicago.

If anyone agree to this quotation from Goldman’s She Stoops to Conquer:

"Women should never be dated."

Anxiously,

AMPHIBIA.

Dear Little Amphibia—

You have an inferiority complex. You are superior to most freshmen because you used several capitals in your recent letter.

The gentleman of whom you speak is well known on the campus. He is a great deal better looking than you. He is more polite, more considerate, and better dressed.

Bill Baker has an edge on Carmen. Carmen is a bit of a brute, and Bill Baker is hot for fancy stuff, which is the younger generation’s lighter.

My Ye-ye King

O tell me do you know-know John Anderson, my Joe-Jo? How can you play the piano? He does just everything! He keeps it on the go-go, high up and down low-low—O, I do love him so! He is my ye-ye king.

Extra! Extra!

The big mystery has been solved. The strange letter, "S. O. A. T. T."

And for Grand Order of Anti-Tend-Sisterhood. A hard-hat letter says: "What did we do wrong? We delayed one of the campus sheiks to get the dope, and we were after the Sphinx—Sisterhood. She told us and her young man about the meeting. She then demanded that we unseat the largest sailboat while Miss Squipas began back."

It is beginning to understand what it’s all about. Let’s begin on the goal posts.

The why have goal posts at all? asked Mildred Gump.

"Then there wouldn’t be anything to stop, over you, isn’t?” Katy Dix explained.

"Oh, you there would,” Mildred ruminated. "The why support the school gives them."

And so on, far into the night, till Katy Dix found her on the sofa, at least, so Sophie says.

Sepulchral Advice to Silent Sufferers

Owing to the number of hopeless cases affairs, the Sphinx has been asked by the S. T. to come to the aid of these unfortunate creatures and give them the benefits of her infinite wisdom.

Dear Soph,

I am a freshman. But I am different from most freshmen. I am so different that I get a little nervous each fall when I am reminded that I am a member of the sixth class."

I am a little frightened, and still I am different from most freshmen. I am so different that I get a little nervous each fall when I am reminded that I am a member of the sixth class.

Is there anything you would like to talk about? If so, please write to me. I would be glad to help you."

Glad to hear from you,

Anony.

THE END OF THE TERM

Today is the last day of the term, and this fact gives us something else to be thankful for. Students and faculty members alike are tired of their classes and will welcome a change. This is more than true for resolutions. During the past twelve weeks we have made mistakes, we have not studied as we should, and we are all resolving that during the next term we will profit from our mistakes and do the best brand of work we are capable of. Such an attitude is only natural.

However, we must realize that if we are to do better, our resolutions must be backed by a larger and more efficient amount of work.

Most of us have discovered by this time that no college course is a snap; that we can’t “get by” by merely attending class; that the amount of good we get from any course is directly proportional to the amount of effort that we put into it; and if we have failed, we have only ourselves to blame. The students who haven’t learned these things have probably faken so badly that they will be forced to withdraw from the school or do so voluntarily, and it is for better for all concerned that such should be the case. We can’t remedy our mistakes now. The best we can do is to profit by them and be very dumb indeed.

It takes very little effort to raise an E to a D or a B to an A. The only thing necessary is a determination to do better. We have known what is expected of us, and this is the time to improve our work. Let’s start in now and make these teachers give us more A’s and fewer E’s than ever before!

THE THANKSGIVING VACATION

Thanksgiving is here! What a lot we have to be thankful for! We may well be glad that we live in an age where education is so universal that we can all share in it. Our parents worked and sacrificed so that we could go to college. They are giving us a chance that most of them did not have, and we must justify their faith in us and their dreams for us.

On this Thanksgiving Day, I hope that each of us will take a moment to think about what we are thankful for. Thanksgiving is a time to reflect on the good things in our lives and to give thanks for them.

We shall soon be going home for the vacation. There will be turkey and cranberries and pumpkin pie for dinner. Everything will be planned for our pleasure. It’s a grand and glorious day to relax and plan all the things you will do while you’re home! You are likely to have every waking moment taken, from the big game Thursday morning to the Thanksgiving dinner before you start back. It’s most probable that the way your parents will look forward to your coming home.

Now, of course we don’t mean to suggest that Dad is the best boy to talk to. Thanksgiving dance. But there is probably something that they hoped you would join them in, whether it’s a Sunday church service, as afternoon call, or an evening talk around the cozy fireplace. Give them a chance to get beneath your hard, laughing surface to the real you—your plans, your troubles, and your joys.

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University High
English Classes
Have Projects

Last Monday Silas Marner again
mourned the loss of the gold and was
regarded with suspicion by the village
ers at the Rainbow. Godfrey Cass
came to his new home with his brother Dustan, and Eppie once again
restored a man's faith in God and man.

All of this took place when the two
English II classes of the Senior high
school dramatized the story Silas
Marner. Without costumes, without
make-up and without the practice the
students stepped upon the stage as a stu-
dent sat reading the part, and the six
acts took place upon the stage as the
reader stopped to tell the audi-
ence what she was reading. First the
Cass brothers quarreled over the
money Godfrey had given to Dun-
ae, then the audience saw the villagers
at the Rainbow and laughed at their jokes when the pale Silas enter-
ed. Next Daily Witcher and a little
son Aaron visited Silas in his little hut.
Then again the audience laug-
hed as they saw Nancy and Eppie
and heard Priscilla's speech to the
Miss Gumm. The scenes turned back
to Silas' past and Daily Witcher
made her second visit to Silas.
In the last act Godfrey and Nancy
summoned the four others to ask for Eppie, but received a firm refus-
al. The house was opened and the
characters slipped back between
the pages of the book to wait until some other class could
start. The project for this term in one
of the third year high school English
classes will be given Tuesday, the
fifth period.

The project consists of a dramatiza-
tion of several of the characters from The Prologue of Chaucer's Can-
tury Tales.

Each member of the class has been
assigned a character from the Pro-
logue. In carrying out the projec-
to the students will represent their char-
acters and give special reports which
will deal with life during the time of
Chaucer. Each student, as his char-
acter from the Prologue is being
represented, immediately after the
person is finished, he will proceed
with his special report. The
characters and their special reports
are:

The Knight—A biography of Chau-
cer.

The Squire—An account and de-
scription of the Pilgrimage then
to the tomb.

The Nun—Who was Thomas A.
Becket and why was he pillaged
made to his tomb?

The Yeoman—The Life of the Yeo-
man and Sir Thop.

The Friar—Monstrous Life at
Chaucer's Time.

The Parson—Education and School
Life at that Time.

The Merchant—The Life and Busi-
ness of a Merchant During the Middle
Age.

Thanksgiving Proclaimcd is the
title of a short play written by the
English IV class. There are eleven
scenes in this play, all of which are
quite well done. The element of
surprise is handled quite skillfully
and the dialogue, although no per-
tected in the fullest sense, nonethe-
less manages noticeably of that dis-
tract. The story has to do with the
giving of Governor Bradford to pre-
m the Pilgrims to initiate the first

Unborn Martyrs,
There is an Ant
in Anthony Hall

Once, long, long and long ago there
was one ant in Anthony Hall; you
see, it was long ago. At first glance
the word might give the misleading
impression that there is still only one
ant, but—well, go ahead and think of
it if you want to.

Owing to the presence of this nuis-
sance, Anthony's roommates have re-
sorted to absolutely inhuman tactics:
Finding that ant paste is absolutely
useless, they have in desperation
sprayed the ants of all the tables and
door knobs. Imagine a poor ant's
embarassment when he wiggles him-
self to death in a vain attempt to
free himself from the bonds of Life.

In my estimation, things have come
to a beautiful pass. Something must
be done. I cannot deny that the place
should be rid of the pests, but heaven
forbids its being done in such a gull-
ily way. I am raising a cue way
money to Piccola Pete or Lowell
and they will take up our cause, and,
insanely, their music is planned.

Many are the weary hearts and
frustrated stomachs that would feel
relieved of their size of relief if they knew that
some local pied piper had the insects
following him in the general direc-
tion of the local campus fountain.

Unsuccessful of the bloody, under-
headed purpose in the mind of
the Master, this Canton Public
would gladly approach their watery
knee, dancing to the accompaniment of
the general March. It would then be
only a matter of minutes until the poor
things would be looking through
molecules of H20 at the suspension
of "home talent" as he took the
ward from the gate of the Hall.
There would be no squabbling over
the sum.
A. D. must have relief, and
the very quick. I speak of Anthony Hall
as A. D. because not only is it an
arbitrary delusion, but it also figure-
quite prominently in this date "busi-
tness."

But we must remember the
ants. There is one last resort: If anyone sees the Zombie class walking
around with an unoccupied look
on their incorporeal face, you might
tell them about General Nuisance, the
fellow in charge of the army which is
at present invading the dormitory.

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"No, thanks, I have one of my
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seen until the very last, and then in
a rather unexpected manner.

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English IV class.

BOOK REVIEW
(Continued From Page Four.)

Evelyn manages to finance it.
"The World On One Leg" is an
inspirational, biographical travel book.
One is constantly aware of the un-
doubted spirit and high hearted bravery
of a lad who, in spite of twenty
operations and all sorts of hard
knocks, can still go on gaily and say:
"See, I've had all the lucky breaks.

Yet this time. But I'll make
it yet."
Success must surely crown
the efforts of one who does not ren-
ounce defeat.

Alumni News

CHRISTOPHER

Mr. Olin B. Rogers, Principal of
the Washington school attended the
football game at Champaign between
the Army and Illinois.
Miss Ethel Pfanz gave an interest-
ing talk before the P. T. A. meeting
Thursday evening on "The Habit of
Good Reading."

Helen Yanus Gale, Ruby Cockrum,
and Valla Porter went this week end
visiting in Chicago.

Miss Hilda Marlow, the fourth
grade teacher at the Washington
school gave an interesting address
before the Young Woman's Club last
week on "Lincoln in Illinois."
Mr. Geoffrey Hughes, Principal of
the Lincoln Junior High school took
his basketball boys to Du Quoin Fri-
day night and won from the fact Du
Quoin boys by a score of 16 to 14.
Katherine Tygett, Fern Jordan, and
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There's Strength
In This Sheer Hosiery

Every woman likes sheer hosiery be-
cause it adds to the attractiveness of
her appearance, but a lot of women
don't wear it because it makes them
feel they don't wear well. That idea can be
set aside for now we carry a line of All
Silk Chiffon Hose that has the neces-
sary degree of strength to resist day
in and day out wear.

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