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SHAKESPEARE'S IMMORTAL TRAGEDY WILL BE PRESENTED TONIGHT AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

Students Will Be Admitted on Activity Tickets to Orson Welles' Version of "Julius Caesar"

Tonight at 8 o'clock in Shryock Auditorium the Southern Illinois Normal University Little Theatre will present Orson Welles' version of William Shakespeare's immortal tragedy, "Julius Caesar."

It is inevitable, said Welles, that Shakespeare would dramatize the assassination of the foremost man of all this world, in looking about for material, there are many story lines to choose from...

Commentators say the play is misnamed. Brutus should be its title, but Caesar's spirit ranging for revenge is so dominant up to the final moment that we are inclined to disagree...

Although the tragedy reaches a stirring climax at the end of Act IV with Antony's triumph and his glowing eulogy of "Mischief, thou art slayer yet, 'tis almost the last line of Brutus. The personality of Caesar is the focal point for every line of the play.

Julius Caesar is being done in a unit setting of a diversified formal design. The performance is characterized by vigorous interpretation, pace in acting that has been stepped up, and unusual lighting effects.

Following is the complete list of players and the character they are playing in the production: Julius Caesar, dictator of Rome...

Octavius Caesar... Marcus Antonius... Charles Hamilton... Aeneas Leodius... Clifford Southern... Senators

Publius... Jack Flannery... Populus Lena... Clifford Southern

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS WELFARE ASSOCIATION PUBLISHES NEWSPAPER

The first issue of the newspaper, Intake, official voice of the Southern Welfare Association, appeared last week.

On the front page of the first issue appears an article outlining the principles of the less-than-year-old organization in the paper, publishes interesting articles on the NYA, county welfare groups of Southern Illinois, and statistics on relief.

Members of the editorial board of Intake are Dr. R. D. Bowden, Carbonada, Ill., also president of the S.I.W.A.; Ernie D. Herring, Carbonada, Ill.; Duncan, Herring; James Gassaway, Eldorado; Floyd Reed, Marion; and Laifus Spiker, Harrisburg.

Dr. R. D. Bowden, head of the geology department of E. I. N. U., has had an active part in the S.I.W.A. and in the establishing of a newspaper for the association.

The subscription price of the Intake is one dollar per year for non-members of the association.

One of These Three Will Be Crowned Queen



Bonnie Niewald, Peggy Henry, Rosemary Oshel

CAA THREATENS WITHDRAWAL OF PILOT TRAINING Officials Say Airport and Building Needed

The Civil Pilot Training Program may be withdrawn from S. I. N. U. unless the college can acquire the Civil Aeronautics Administration that equipment here is satisfactory...

The requirements on which the college and flight contractor have been criticized are two. C. A. A. officials say the Marion airport, now being used as out-of-date, too far away and lacking in proper facilities...

At the present time the fuselage of the plane which the college uses for training pilot, is housed in a small shed on the south end of the stadium; the motors are now placed in the basement of Parkison laboratory, and the wings are located in the attic of the building...

The likelihood of obtaining a new airport probably near Clark Orchard lake seems to be more promising than the outlook for a building in which to keep the plane. There are some prospects that an airport constructed by W. P. A. help is not impossible.

At present applications are being received at the college to fill a Spring session quota of twenty primary instructors and ten secondary.

Former SINU Men Take Army Training

Four former S. I. N. U. men have finished their preliminary training in the Army Air Corps at Tulsa, Okla., and have been transferred to Randolph Field in San Antonio, Texas, for advanced training.

Only Two Cuts Allowed in College Assembly

By order of the Council of Administration, two cuts only are allowed in College Assembly this year. Students working four or more hours a day on the campus, or who are taking practice teaching at the time of assembly are automatically exempted.

ELDORADO SENDS LARGEST NUMBER FOR MATH MEET

Five hundred and eighty-six students and teachers representing 25 Southern Illinois high schools attended the fifth annual Mathematics Field Day held on the campus last Saturday.

Four hundred and twenty-eight students took the mathematics tests offered in first year algebra, plane geometry, advanced algebra, solid geometry, and trigonometry.

The career of Cornelia O. Skinner, appearing next Monday night at 8 o'clock in Shryock Auditorium, is the story of a young woman who refused to be satisfied with success.

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SOPH QUEEN UNKNOWN TILL DANCE TIME

Oshel, Niewald and Henry in Race For Honor

Who will reign as Queen of the Sophomore Hop tomorrow night? Only one man on the campus, Ralph Boulman, president of the sophomore class, knows the answer to that question.

One of these three girls, Peggy Henry, will be crowned at 10:45 by Boulman on a rostrum above the orchestra stand.

The Sophomore Hop, which will be eliminated by the coronation ceremonies, will have music furnished by Bernice Vance and his orchestra from the University of Illinois.

"Sweet Swing" styled by Bernice Vance, one of his slogans, is becoming one of the most distinctive orchestral styles in the middle west.

Music Majors Plan to Organize Club

Plans are being formulated for the organization of a music major club. All music majors interested met last Wednesday for a discussion of the type of organization that will best fit the needs of the students.

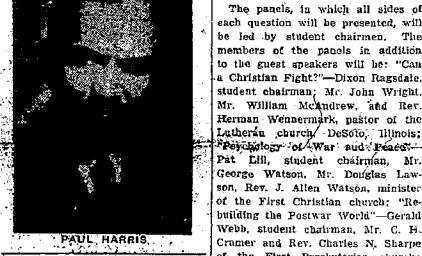
STUDENT CHRISTIAN COUNCIL WILL BRING TWO NATIONALLY KNOWN SPEAKERS TO CAMPUS

Don Smucker, Paul Harris, Are Scheduled to Appear on Three Day Peace Program

Two nationally-known speakers are being brought to the S. I. N. U. campus by the Student Christian Council for its conference on Christianity and War to be held in the Little Theater February 26, 27, and 28.

The conference will begin at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning with a meeting of the Peace Study Group, which originated the idea of the conference.

The panels, in which all sides of each question will be presented, will be led by student chairmen.



PAUL HARRIS

March First Is Date For Field Day in French

The college French club is rapidly completing plans for the French club field day which will be held on the campus Saturday, March 1.

The morning will be spent in contests, both for groups and individuals, consisting of recitation of poetry and prose, dictation, comprehension, and impromptu speaking.

A luncheon will be held at Anthony Hall, at which members of the college French club will act as hosts and hostesses.

Prizes for the contests will be awarded after the tea dance, consisting of French Bibles, hymn books, crossword puzzle books, games, and color prints of famous French paintings.

Christianity and War

A Conference Presented by the Student Christian Council of S. I. N. U. Little Theater, Feb. 26, 27, 28 Wednesday, Feb. 26-28--War and Christianity Individual

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THE AMERICAN WAY

By STEVE KRISFALUSY

The nation tomorrow observes the birth of the Father of our Country, George Washington, and regardless of what one thinks of the first President's ability as a general, president, or statesman, one cannot but admire his ability as a prophet in view of the present condition of world affairs.

During the past few days this column has born the brunt of several gripes regarding the projected basketball-team-trip to Mexico City—gripes which this column feels are greatly justified.

The meeting which is being sponsored on this campus next week by the Student Christian Council is one which should attract the attention of every student, especially since its occurrence is at such an opportune time.

EVEN though this column—in general—is in disagreement with the views of Motor Magna Henry Ford, it does agree with his most recent pronouncement that stupidity and greed have brought the present war to Europe, and that we can help to bring a just peace to Europe only by refraining from involvement and thereby maintaining our strength.

Basketeers Take \$1000 Vacation

So the basketball team is getting another vacation this year! Off to Mexico the first of next month for a delightful trip (with all expenses paid), a return game with Mexico City, and a refreshing rest from school work.

MALCOLM GODDEN GIVE WELL ROUNDED GROUP OF COMPOSITIONS

By EVELYN HACKETT

Appearing here last Friday in the second cooperative concert of the season were Malcolm and Godden, duopianists.

The first group of numbers, consisting of the familiar "Rondo in D" from Mozart's Sonata for Piano, "Just a Partee" of Sebasteck, written in the 18th century, but in the same vein as the Mozart Rondo, and two Bach selections, "Sleep My Safety Guard" from his Birthday Cantata and the more familiar "Poco and Fugato in D major, with the exception of a few scattered wrong notes was played very well.

The plants were very generous with their encores, playing Kreisler's "Rigaudon," one of the compositions the famous violinist originally composed under the name of one of the great masters of the classic era: "If I Were a Bird" by Handel, and the "Waltz" of Arensky.

With the exception of above mentioned blemishes and Malcolm's inability to strike a number of important chords in the Fire Dance, the program as a whole went rather well.

After the intermission the pianists changed places to allow the audience to view both men. They are toying many small cities of the United States, and are now in the larger music centers to see at least part of their share of good music.

Shuttle's Muddle

By DOROTHY SARCHETTE

I'm fresh out of inspirations, can't even think up a rhyme, my brain's a befuddled muddle cause the cells won't keep in time.

While doing in history class the other day I hazily recalled reading up a muddle.

Speaking of snakes. I was informed that the best of them do not meet at watering holes, only burrows.

The inhabitants of ancient Egypt were called mummies. Nero was a cruel tyrant who would torture his subjects by playing the fiddle.

The giraffe has such a long neck that it can see over its own ears, its body that it is absolutely necessary.

To Phyl with Mumps. One more week and two more days she'll be out of quarantine.

One more week and two more days Her fax will once more be in.

I'm very much aware that dogs do not look well on paper so by next week I hope the fog will have lifted.

WHAT THE STUDENTS ARE THINKING

ARE YOU ON THE TREADMILL?

Do college students have too much to do? Are some of us at S. I. N. U. participating in too many extra-curricular activities? This is a question that deserves some attention.

I think that the answer is definitely yes. I am scurrying from committee to committee, seeing this person and that person, writing stories for the Egyptian, cramming for exams, and going to dances, until I am almost a psychopathic case.

How was this situation brought on? By a fruitless seeking after prestige, a desire to be a BMOG (big-man on campus). I invited the smooth seniors with their long list of honors. I wanted to be people judge each other and say, "There goes Blank." I wanted students to look at me when I went into Carter's and have girls ask me to do favors for them.

I remember a certain remark a girl made when I was a freshman about a rather well known woman at Southern. "Mary Jones? Why, the only reason anybody knows her at all is because Joe Doakes went with her last year."

That was the kind of man I wanted to be, so big that even my friends would be important people. I yearned for limelight.

That was the reason I climbed onto the treadmill. It was perhaps a little easier for me than for most students, since I have been and am a chronic "joiner," a typical Babbit. I joined every thing on the campus that would take me, Sororats, Southern Knights, a professional fraternity or so, an organized house, the professional inter-fraternity council, a special interest club, and a few others that slip my mind at present.

This was all in addition to my regular courses and the fact that I have a job on the campus working about 80 hours a month.

Especially should it become obvious when you consider that I am trying to keep up socially. Take this coming week for example. I have two night classes, the Sophomore Hop, Julius Caesar, a movie, church Sunday night, and one public meeting to attend.

Of course I keep a day book of lists of to do. I try to keep it a week in advance and, looking at this week's, I find that I have thirteen people that I must see before Friday, eight meetings of one sort or another to attend, 2500 words to write, and about eleven odd jobs to do.

The trouble with me is that I did not specialize in any one activity and work to make a go of it. I spread myself out and tried to take in too much. I attempted to be in on everything on the campus, with the result that I am unable to handle anything.

But, on the other hand, I can't let go of anything. Drop a couple of my clubs? I keep records at one, and am working on a constitution for another. I am a program chairman of yet another.

The only conclusion is that I have got into something too big for me to handle and cannot escape. I am caught in the treadmill. And I am not the only one. Dozens of others are in the same position and none of us can see a solution, either for ourselves or for our fellow captives.

I confess myself baffled. I am already packing my bags to hunt for a cabin on Peace River, Canada, somewhere in the great North Woods, away from committee meetings.

BASKETEERS TRIP TO MEXICO HAS EDUCATIONAL, PUBLICITY AND GOOD RELATIONS VALUE

With the official sanctioning by President Fullam and the full approval of the Student Council, arrangements have been made for Southern's basketball team to travel to Mexico City for the international tournament early next month.

In this case, however, the project is not absolutely new, since Mr. Leoncio Ochoa brought his Mexican City basketball team to campus in 1937 and in 1940, and the Maroons visited the southern team in 1938.

The fact that the plan is somewhat unusual makes it a valuable one for several reasons. From the standpoint of the players, the trip will give them an opportunity to meet and know foreign people, their laws, customs, and beliefs will admittedly result in intellectual broadening.

ANTAGONISTS OF LEASE-LEND BEGIN TO FEEL SHEEPISH

Some of us who have opposed the lease-lend bill are beginning to feel a bit sheepish. We fear we have been "foxed." For while we have been led by Administration tips to harp about the likelihood of being drawn into war with Germany as a result of the power given the President, there has actually been very little danger in that area.

As a matter of fact, there seems to be grave danger in the East. It has long been contended by army and navy experts that Japan's role in the Axis program is to stir up trouble among English possessions in the Pacific. The British expect Japan to time her activities in that area with the German invasion of the Isles, and the Britishers would like nothing better than to see the United States square off with the Sun-god worshippers.

When an editor writes his opinion during times like these, he has but one consoling thought: he knows he cannot be proved wrong for at least twenty or thirty years, and by then nobody will any longer remember what position he took.

What Should a Christian Think of War?

What should a Christian think of war? What was Christ's attitude toward violence? Would Christ believe in aid to Britain if He were teaching today? Would He approve a young man's taking military training?

On one occasion he said: "I came not to send peace but a sword." Biblical authorities interpret this statement to mean that Christ advocated a sword against sin, against injustice, and against all kinds of wrong-doing.

There are others who feel it is unfortunate that so many different meanings can be attached to the sayings of Christ. These people think that perhaps they should take up the actual sword against people who are sinning, committing injustice and wrong-doing.

Did Jesus believe in violence? We have the story that He grew very angry in the temple once and became violent in rebuking the money-changers. He overthrew tables and chairs and ordered the men out of the building.

On the other hand, He is recorded as having said: "Resist not evil." He instructed his followers to turn the right cheek after being smitten on the left. He warned that those who live by the sword shall perish by the sword; that the nation that builds itself up by the sword shall be destroyed by it.

Life is full of disillusionments, but this one is too much: Webster's Revised Unabridged Dictionary, 1913 edition, contains neither the word camouflage nor the word marijuana.

George Washington, although successful as an executive, as a general, and as a statesman, is said to have been somewhat of a failure among the firsters sex. Maybe, his failure was caused by his inability to let a lie.

BOXING-WRESTLING PRELIMS THIS WEEK

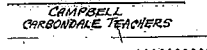
SPORTS SECTION

CHARLESTON-DEKALB WEEK-END CAGE FOES

Maroons Win 65-58 Tussle From Western Teachers Saturday Night To Record First League Win Of Year

Pine Shooting, Rebounding and Fast Break Headline Maroon Offensive; Sebastian and Campbell Lead Locals

The J. N. U. basketball squad checked up its initial IAC Conference win just Saturday night when they outlasted the Western Teachers at Macomb in a free scoring affair...



CAMPBELL SEBASTIAN LEAD LOCALS

The contest got off to a flying start as Pete Fulk, Western star, fired one through...

Immediately countered with three field goals, but the Maroons literally let loose with everything in their repertoire of offensive attacks...

I. I. A. C. NOTES

By BILL GAETZ

This year's I. I. A. C. race promises to become one of the most hectic battles that the conference has seen in many a campaign...

GYMNASTS DOWN HIGHLY TOUTED TURNER NORMAL

Southern's gymnasts again display of their prowess last Saturday night when they turned away Turner College of Indianapolis, Ind., by a score of 386 to 321.

Superiority of the Maroon bearers in all five departments is evidenced by the fact that the Teachers took first in every division, High scoring jump for all the events went to Roy Rylander, closely followed by his teammate, Captain Ralph Bishop...

Captain Bishop of the Bino gymnasts ran a close second to his teammate by garnering 112 points, taking first in the tumbling division, which was runner-up in three other events...

The visitors' attack was paced by Bastian, who collected 86 points, while his nearest rival, among his teammates, was Cookey, who amassed 71 points.

Following is a brief summary of the meet:

- Horizontal Bar— 1. Rylander, Southern, 2. Bishop, Southern, 3. Cookey, Turner.

- Side Horse— 1. Covington, Southern, 2. Rylander, Southern, 3. Webb, Southern.

- Flying Rings— 1. Rylander, Southern, 2. Bishop, Southern, 3. Cookey, Turner.

- Pommel— 1. Rylander, Southern, 2. Bishop, Southern, 3. Douchner, Turner.

- Tumbling— 1. Bishop, Southern, 2. Dunn, Southern, 3. Turner, Turner.

SINU BOXING-WRESTLING PRELIMS BEGIN TUESDAY

With the preliminary rounds of the boxing and wrestling tournament over four days off, the entries are still coming in, according to Leland P. Lingle, this year's tournament will be larger than ever before.

Most of the contestants in this year's tournament are new comers in the field of boxing and wrestling. In the 166 pound wrestling division...

- 115 pounds: John J. Whiteside, 125 pounds: Neal Kelso, Bucks Morris, James Allison, Folly Argus, 135 pounds: Henry Gier, Milford Blackwell, George Byrnesner, Duell Hagan, Bruce Chaffin, Donald Hill, Bruce Bradford, 145 pounds: Steven Major, Rex Dillow, Ralph Bishop, Roy Rylander, Paul Smith, 155 pounds: Chester Johnson, 165 pounds: Carroll Craig, Charles Morgan, Bruce Chaffin, Donald Hill, 175 pounds: Alva Dupree, Wilford Bethel, The entries in the boxing tournament are: 115 pounds: Walde McDonald, G. 125 pounds: John Russell, Claude Flood, 135 pounds: Jack Morgan, 145 pounds: Jerry McHugh, 155 pounds: Edgay Jones, Wilton Schmitt, Charles Lewis, 165 pounds: Harry Roberts, Alva Byers, Over 175: William Fraband, Bill Gulney.

ISNU-DEKALB TIE HEADS IAC CAGE SITUATION

Northern's Huskies shared the top rung of the I. I. A. C. ladder with State Normal's Red Birds this weekend, having lost to the Birds last week by a 40-30 score...

Friday, Friday night. It was the Panthers who earlier in the week replaced the Red Birds on the upper perch by defeating them 49-11. Northern now owns a season record of 12 victories against 3 losses...

Besides these confusing (unabated) defeats of the leading contenders by each other, other important action was underway. Western Bluest Carthage's title hopes by humiliating the Redmen, 52-49. However, Carthage's record of four wins and three lost still leaves them with an outside chance for a share of conference honors this year.

FACULTY WINS I-AM TOP RANKING, JAYHAWKS AND DEUCES TIE IN RED LOOP

Inter-collegiate basketball activities came to an end in the three leagues this week with the ever-lasting profs., the Faculty, in the top spot of the White League; the Southern Deuces and the Jayhawks tied for first in the Red Loop; and at press time the Blues were undecided since games which could produce a three-way tie for the lead were played last night.

Looking back, it is apparent that the most heated competition took place in the Red Loop. It was in this league that the unpredictable held sway. Starting out as a not too good a team the co-winners, the Jayhawks, went down in defeat in their first league venture when they were conquered by Carthage...

The pace of the league's hottest race will not be slackened this week. As George Washington's Birthday vigilance is renewed, the North-South feud as the S. J. N. U. Egyptians attempt to minimize Northern's Huskies. In addition, the Maroons take on the Charleston Panthers...

Schedule: Friday: Southern at Eastern, Berea at Elmhorst, Normal at Terre Haute. Saturday: Southern at Northern, Berea at Chicago Teachers, Normal at Indiana Central.

Standings table showing scores for Normal, DeKalb, Charleston, Carthage, Duke, Berea, and Elmhorst.

EVANSVILLE COLLEGE TO BE SEMI-FINAL FOE OF MAROON CAGERS

The Southern cagers play their semi-final home game next Wednesday night, February 29, when they will meet the highly touted Purple Aces from Evansville College, Evansville, Ind. This game, scheduled as the Mexico trip benefit affair, will undoubtedly be one of the best of the year...

A cinema, the "Flying Cadets," will be shown next Wednesday evening in Shryock Auditorium after the basketball game. The picture, which is being sponsored by the United States Army recruiting officers, will be free to everybody.

DeKalb And Charleston Cagers To Determine Maroon's League Chances In Weekend Clashes

Maroons to Be At Full Strength in Return Game at Eastern; Topranking Huskies Likely Stiff Competition

Coach McAndrew's Maroon cagers open their crucial tests in the IAC circles this weekend when they go on the road to engage the Eastern Teachers at Charleston...

As a result of the Maroon win over Western, optimistic rumors are being circulated in Eastern circles regarding the shooting prowess at Macomb which the Westerners deemed as the best they had faced this year...

John Sebastian and Fred Campbell, two great men who fly like planes in their share of carrying the brunt of the local attack this weekend. They will be materially aided, however, by Verdie Cox, Bob Corvell, and Bob Hunter...

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At Charleston, the locals will have their hands full stopping the smooth attack of the veteran Panther five. The South's return to the field last Friday will have their to-be-fetted trio of Henry Spurlin, and Suddarth and company, all anxious to uphold the name of the Eastern Blue and Gray.

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SPORTS SHORTS

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LARGE ATTENDANCE AT B. S. U. PARTY

Under the direction of Evelyn Franker, about 175 Baptist students carried out the theme of Valentine day at a party in the Old Gym Thursday last week.

Each person wore a paper heart but the Southerners did some famous couple, the object being to find the other half of the famous couple for a Lucille Dillow led the group in singing and Ray Koonce led several games during the course of the evening.

The highlight of the party was a skit given by Bill Purdie, Marlene Howard, Merrill Aldridge, Joyce Lancaster, and Glen Yarbrough. The girls' sextette, Alene Griffiths, Eugene Sutton, Evelyn Dill, Margaret Adams, Mildred Wilson, and Florence O'Neal sang.

Box score table for the game between Southern and Western, showing scores for various players like Cox, Church, Sebastian, etc.

Miss Florence Wade Will Speak to Y.W.C.A.

Miss Florence Wade will speak on "Character Development" next Tuesday evening to the Y. W. C. A. home. This event attracted a reading of Arkansaw's A. M. has a stipulation in his agreement that says he does not have to give a single game in three years...

CONSPIRATORS AGAINST CAESAR



Charles Hamilton and Paul Hale, who appear in the drama tonight as conspirators against Caesar, are veterans of the SINTU stage. Hamilton in the role of "Antony" has an assignment considerably different from his highly successful characterization of "Dewitt" in High Tor. Paul Hale, who has not been seen since Our Town, in which he brought forth special applause from the audience with his characterization of the old professor, will play the difficult role of Brutus.

What Do You Know About Little Egypt?

By BILL REYNOLDS
The National Defense Commission, headed by Bill Knudsen, has recognized the potentialities of Southern Illinois as an industrial area. The recognition is especially significant in view of the fact that an army inspection unit declared several years ago that conditions in Egypt were unfavorable for modern large scale factories. The National Defense Commission has recommended to the army that the negative report be reversed and it is expected that this will happen. Since the army at the present time is constructing plants on a nationwide basis for the manufacture of war materials, this reversal makes the outlook for Southern Illinois rather optimistic.

The chief credit for the action of the National Defense Commission should certainly go to Dr. John Bishop Parrish, assistant professor of economics at Southern. Dr. Parrish prepared and submitted to the commission a paper that demonstrates conclusively that Southern Illinois possesses a vast labor reserve which is available for defense work and is eminently suitable for such work.

This paper, which has been discussed in a previous issue of the column, shows that in the area with in 25 miles of Herrin there are more than 23,000 unemployed workers, that these workers are young and strong, that the labor supply is characterized by a high degree of mobility, and that a large percentage of the laborers are highly skilled. Dr. Parrish also pointed out in his study that a great number of women in the territory would be available for industrial work.

Mr. W. H. Harrison, head of the division of the National Defense Commission, informed Dr. Parrish and Mr. Roscoe Pulliam, president of S. I. N. U., of the favorable report of Mr. Pulliam and Dr. Parrish pointed out to Mr. Harrison that this was hardly true. Dr. Parrish pointed to submit to the Defense Commission and the evidence that Southern Illinois could become one of the greatest industrial centers of the entire middle-west. Within two months the paper on our labor supply was in the hands of every Dr. Parrish was named to the commission, with the results that I have mentioned.

Dr. Parrish has just completed another paper on the transportation facilities of Southern Illinois. Herrin was again selected as a convenient center for it. It is to be the central geographical center and the center of the density of population. Dr. Parrish shows Egypt compares favorably with any other section of the state. Five major railroad lines cross within 16 miles of Herrin and there is a veritable network of highways.

These two papers remove two of the major obstacles that have been preventing the industrial expansion of Southern Illinois. According to Rena Keller, congresswoman from this district, the third major deterrent to industry was removed in the construction of Crab Orchard-Lake. Keller declared in a speech to Southern Illinois, Inc., at their meeting last Tuesday, that the Dupont Powder company made a survey of this area in 1929 with the intention of establishing a powder plant. Keller said that the company was completely satisfied with Egypt as a site for a factory except for one thing. This region lacked an adequate and con-

Sophomore and Senior College Teams Wear Out Basket During Tourney

Excitement was king for a few hours last Monday when Bodes' Freshmen team was badly beaten by the Sophomores with a score of 52-23. After a very few minutes of play the sophomores began piling up the score and also the casualties of the Freshmen. Time out was taken while Margie Jacobs dashed down to the medical department to have a gashed lip attended to. However even gashed lips, sore feet, and bun knees didn't keep the Freshmen from taking a terrific beating.

The Senior college downed the Rat's Freshman team to the tune of 45-26 on Tuesday. Quite a number from the Bleachers were surprised to see such a close game among the Freshmen. Their passing was superb, and although some thought they needed a great deal more practice shooting baskets, they did manage to connect a few even while playing against stiff competition. The Freshmen again took a beating even as they team played the Sophomores; score 52-25. Need more be said? Part of the lack of victories on the part of the Freshmen was due to the fact that several Freshman teams were chosen rather than one team of the better players.

BASKETEERS' TRIP TO MEXICO CITY

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Though stated briefly, those three points may be significant among the arguments that Southern's athletic relations with Mexico be continued. With these main points in mind, President Pulliam, the Student Council, and Coach McAndrew are come out as early supporters of the plan.

On Wednesday of next week students individually will be asked to lend their backing when the Maroons meet Evansville College in a benefit game, the proceeds of which will be used to defray expenses of the Mexico trip. An admission charge of twenty-eight cents will be made and student activity tickets will not be honored on this particular occasion.

SOPHOMORE QUEEN UNKNOWN TILL DANCE

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which has been introduced by the rhythm section. The decorations for the Sophomore Hop will be as impressive as the coronation ceremony and the orchestra, according to Jennell Hamilton, chairman of the decoration committee, Washington's birthday, which falls on the same date as the Hop, will provide the theme for the evening decorations. The orchestra stand and the Royal vestrum will be left to resemble the grounds of Mount Vernon, Washington's home. The decorations of the platform, silhouettes of colonial figures will be displayed. Although these silhouettes will be in black and white, the color scheme will be red, white, and blue.

At promptly 10:15, the candidates for King and Queen will march across the gym floor to the coronation platform. The Queens will all be dressed in coffee, as will also the crown-wearers, who are the twin daughters, Jean and Joan, of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas E. Lawson. After the coronation the defeated candidates for King and Queen will act as attendants.

"The Undergraduate Homecoming" will consist of four full hours of dancing, broken only by this ceremony and specialty numbers by the band. Bob Stobbins, a handsome tenor, the three aces (a brass trio) and the three deuces (a vocal trio) will vary the program.

Yancey's band has played over WLL in St. Louis and WTVS in Champaign and is receiving radio popularity in Tennessee, Missouri, and Illinois.

The Hop is to be held tomorrow night in the men's gymnasium. Tickets are now on sale at 44 cents each. The dance will be from 8 to 12 o'clock.

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Keeping A Stiff Upper Lip

And getting one up on two different things, but Margie Jacobs, guard of the freshman team (captained by Margie Bodes) demonstrated to her teammates, opponents, and observers that the two can be worked together. It seems that Margie managed to stick out her chin a little too far in the direction of an opponent's elbow and before she knew it her lip was cut on the inside. She dashed down stairs, under orders, and soon dashed back. "I'm going back in; Dr. Hinzrich said I could play." The radiance of her smile was as bright as the sun on her face! She played the entire game, and an aggressive one at that. Ten points a lib for her!

After Anything But a Pointless Afternoon

Kay Isom's chums gave her a hoisty welcome as she paused to refresh after the St. Louis basketball tourney. The game of basketball Tuesday. As Kay entered Carter's, there was a general Da-da-da-da-da-da-da-Dahhhhh! and a flourishing yell. "Hi Point!" The reason of which was Kay's twenty-four point click of good baskets during the St. Louis basketball tourney.

"Dongola," as she is sometimes called, was really on the ball Tuesday, for during the first half alone she tickled the basket eight times for a total of fifteen points. And the rest of the whole affair was, that there was no more to be said. In the three were Misses either side of the floor. In the second half she let down a little and netted only ten points for her team.

Her shots were not easy ones either; by a long shot, but were in many instances skilful set-ups and what sort of set-up it was. As a result of her par-excellence playing (and cooperation from her teammates) she drew her team to a tremendous lead, and ended the game with the honor of being the high point participant of the evening's activities. So—"Hi Point!" Jerry Oatley says.

Has come a "wildly terror" on the hardwood. Tuesday evening in the Senior-college Freshmen 111 (Freshmen team) led by "Mouse" Ritz. Jerry dashed the leather through the net eleven times for a total of twenty-two points, and the honor of being the high point scorer in the game. Although Jerry has not been a too regular basketballer, her skills seem to be in good shape, and her techniques of getting around, fast, furiously, and safely are right there on the court with the best.

Because she moves a little slow at times on the tennis court and maintains a poker face, but others are beginning to call her Peggy because she is a sure-shot on the basketball floor. During her encounter Tuesday evening, Maureen Fender secured four points for her team, six points more than her nearest competitor. Considering that Miss Fender is a freshman, and was guarded by the senior, Bessie Eileen Clements and Joan Bodes, it is hard to give her a "severe cheer" in her honor.

The last game she participated in, Miss Fender managed twenty-two points against nineteen by her captain, "Mouse" Rutz. The guards in this battle, however, were not such seasoned players, and gave both Fender and "Mouse" an excellent chance to run up the score. "This is So Sutton!"

Was the by-word Tuesday, when Earlene Sutton was informed by her fellow-champions that they would be expected to play at the home of the national basketball net. The story runs, at least Earlene wishes that it would, and fast) that after Mrs. Mizzey happened to tell all those who took the test that Earlene that over-one had passed the test, she test the day before they who have decided with Mrs. Mizzey that they should all celebrate the next day with a Carter-coke party. However, instead of telling Earlene just what was going to hap-

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pen they "and just" what wasn't the practical. When the time came for the party, Earlene came with her white, her rule book, et cetera, with the full intention of taking the test. (Worked in the expected manner, she walked over to the Old Science building with the rest of them, all the time not realising the exciting laugh. The group managed to keep the whole thing under cover until the Old Science loomed to their left. . . and then . . . well, "This is So Sutton." Although it wasn't a practical, it was a practical joke. . . so we hope Earlene wasn't too disappointed. Scurf-Notes:

During the tournaments of this week the personal fouls were toned down somewhat from those of last week. In the game between the freshmen (Yates) and the Sophomores (Gallin) there was a total of eighteen personals and one technical. Eight of the personals and the single technical were charged to Gallin's team. In the encounter of Senior-college (Bynum) and Freshmen (Ratz) the fouls were at a minimum with a total of eight personals and two technicals. Three of the personals and the two technicals were against Ratz.

Out of these twenty-nine possible points, only eight were secured.

PRESIDENT PULLIAM TO SPEAK AT RURAL LIFE CONFERENCE

Kirkville, Mo., Feb. 16.—President Roscoe Pulliam, of Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale will be the principal speaker at the opening session of the thirteenth annual Rural Life Conference at Northeast Missouri State Teachers' College March 14. This conference is sponsored by Northeast Missouri State Teachers' College in cooperation with the State Department of Education and county superintendents for the purpose of giving the teachers and administrators of North-east Missouri an opportunity to consider together certain problems affecting the development and improvement of their rural schools and community life.

President Pulliam's topic for the opening session of the conference is "Developing the Rural Social Life."

President Walter H. Ryle of the Northeast Missouri State Teachers' College will be the principal speaker at the luncheon honoring the county superintendents of Northeast Missouri. The Rev. Quincy R. Wright, superintendent of the Kirkville district of the Methodist church, will address the afternoon session on "The Rural Church in a Changing Community."

The general theme of the 1941 gathering is "Improving the Rural Community."

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CORNELIA OTIS SKINNER



Cornelia Otis Skinner, who comes to the Shropok Auditorium on February 24 in a program of her original monologues, appears without, apparently, applying only heavy velvet draperies. She has toured through all but three states in the Union and to London, where she had four triumphant engagements.

MARGRAVE, BAND DIRECTOR, NAMES TEN REASONS FOR PURCHASING NEW UNIFORMS

In a recent interview Mr. Wendell Margrave, director of the college band, gave ten reasons why the band needs to purchase the new uniforms for which the Rally's Rally Committee has been sponsoring dances and activities.

- 1. The present band uniforms are seven years old and, although they have given good service, are beginning to be frayed and worn.
2. According to the criticism of some students and alumni, the present costumes are not flashy enough in color scheme.
3. It is a little difficult for this college band to maintain its leadership in southern Illinois when so many high school bands are better equipped.
4. Our band in new uniforms would be much more attractive when appearing at football and basketball games.
5. At present there is no provision for girls' uniforms in the college band.
6. Any regular member of the band spends throughout the school year an average of six hours in group rehearsals besides his individual practice—just as athletes are recognized by sweaters and letters, so would band members be honored by wearing new uniforms.
7. The appearance of our band was poor in comparison with that of Old Normal during Homecoming. Next year our band is invited to play as Normal's Homecoming football band.
8. There are a number of students

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Pulliam Warns Southern Illinois Will Face Worse Depression Unless Resources Are Used

Meeting of Southern Illinois, Inc., Discusses Possibilities of Getting Industries Here

Addressing Southern Illinois, Inc. Tuesday night in Carbondale, President Robert Pulliam of Southern Illinois Normal University stated that Southern Illinois is one of the richest areas in the state in natural resources. Here are all of the great oil fields of the state, some of the richest coal fields in the United States, and the only gray mines of any consequence in the country. In addition to these natural resources, Southern Illinois contains the third largest concentration of population in Illinois. Unless the resources of the south third of the state are utilized, Mr. Pulliam pointed out, we will have a collapse of business which will be more serious than the depression of several years ago.

Southern Illinois, Inc., met Tuesday at Carbondale, the establishment of defense industries in Southern Illinois. Approximately two hundred people attended the afternoon and night sessions. Other leaders appearing on the program were former Congressman Kent E. Keller; Charles E. Keller, W.P.A. administrator; Colonel Henry A. Kellogg, executive officer; A. L. Quinn, industrial and agricultural superintendent of the Illinois Development Council; Edward A. Kohler, N.Y.A. area director; H. G. Brainerd and John B. Parrish of the S. I. N. U. economics department; Eugene H. Galt, president of the Southern Illinois Municipal League; and Floyd Beach, a member of the Illinois Development Council.

"In the center of this area stands Southern Illinois Normal University," Mr. Pulliam said. "It is the only accredited four-year college in the south third of the state, and serving over a million people. Besides fulfilling its obligation to teach young people, Mr. Pulliam remarked, the college must carry out two equally important social functions. It must offer intelligent scientific leadership to the communities of this region and, in addition, carry on extensive research for the benefit of its people. Three immediate problems which the college faces in an attempt to carry out its program are the continuance of the Civil Pilot Training program, the establishment of a fully equipped trade school, and the facilities to offer scientific advice and help to organizations planning the economic rehabilitation of Southern Illinois.

At the present time S. I. N. U. is the only place in Southern Illinois, except Park Air College, where boys can receive training in aeronautics. Unless the college can get storage space for flight and training equipment and a better airport than the one at Marion which are being done, the economical flight training now available to Southern Illinois youth will be taken away.

According to national defense surveys who were in Southern Illinois recently, there is no single five-story fully equipped trade school in this area. Southern Illinois Normal University would be able to set up such a school. Mr. Pulliam suggested, it space can be provided for the equipment which has been offered the college.

Mr. Pulliam summarized the steps necessary to the continuation of the program of the college has been economic and social—with the following three slogans: "Parity for South-east," "Continue the Expansion Program," and a "Liberal Arts College at S. I. N. U."

Highlighting the afternoon session was an address by Kent E. Keller, who pointed out in his address that had Southern Illinois been able to furnish an adequate, constant supply of water for industries, we would have been able to get them in this area in the past. For example, the Dupont factory at Old Hickory, Tennessee, employing 10,000 people, would have been located in Southern Illinois if there had been an adequate supply of water available. However, today, we have that supply of water—75,000 acre feet of it—in Crab Orchard Lake.

Mr. Keller, explaining his theory of prosperity through employment, urged the people of this area to keep the zeal and individual inspiration for doing things. We must provide opportunity for those who do not have opportunities. It is one of the business man's duty to help the people who work around him prosper; too. We can't have prosperity with a \$7-\$8 miners' day and a fifty-cent farmer's day. In conclusion, Mr. Keller stated

SHALL WE REPEAL THE DRAFT LAW?

YES!

NO!

We do not need a large half-trained army. We are training a generation of militarists. Conscription violates the conscience of the individual. Peace-time conscription is the method of a dictatorship.

We need trained citizens for defense. We have been too soft; we need discipline. The individual has a duty to his country. Selective service is the democratic way to recruit.

What Do You Think?

Express Your Opinion at the Conference on Christianity and War, Sponsored by the S. I. N. U. Student Christian Council, February 26, 27, 28.

ROOSEVELT'S FOREIGN POLICY IS QUIXOTIC, BELIEVES FANER

"The foreign policy of the Roosevelt Administration is quixotic because, while committed toward achieving a just and lasting peace in Europe, it is seemingly motivated primarily by a vindictive feeling toward Nazi Germany," stated Mr. Robert D. Faner in a recent interview. "What is evident is that the statesmen of the forties have failed to learn from the lessons of the last war, or that they seek to overlook the fact that a lasting peace can only be achieved when one emotion is not too greatly involved. If those guiding the foreign policy of this nation are really concerned about peace and are really interested in bringing order out of chaos and confusion, then they should exercise all their efforts in bringing an end to the war raging in Europe instead of trying to inflame the people of this nation into a war temper; for this nation represents the only stable source upon which a new order might be built from the present wreckage which is the world."

Mr. Faner bases his opposition to the "lend-lease" bill on the belief that it eventually will lead us into war—a war for which he asserts we are unprepared both intellectually and physically. He believes that the proponents of H. R. 1776 are, in general, favorable toward war, and while recognizing popular opposition to our participation, feel that through a gradual involvement of American interests—just as in the last war—the people will be convinced that they cannot afford a Nazi victory, even if to prevent that victory demands our participation. For months now, propagandists have told the American people that their stake in the war is almost as great as that of the British. Reiteration, plus the specious prosperity which this bill will bring this nation, may eventually tone most of our people into the acceptance of war as the lesser of two evils.

Considering the predicted invasion of this nation by Germany if Britain capitulated, Mr. Faner is more willing to accept the testimony of such people as Major Al Williams, Hugh Johnson, Charles Lindbergh and numerous other military men rather than that of Colonel Knox, Secretaries Stimson and Hull, and above all Wendell Willkie. If the danger of that invasion is so imminent, then we should be primarily concerned with building up our defenses as rapidly as possible instead of depleting it by giving the greatest part of our materials to Britain. Even Colonel Knox admits the inadequacy in our defense, and his testimony in the Senate justifies the belief that we cannot afford to continue the present rate of "aid-to-Britain."

Further, if the assertion that Britain is our first line of defense is true, then, Mr. Faner believes, we should not hesitate one minute to enter the war. However, it is hardly a convincing argument that a nation as rich as ours must depend on others to protect it from a danger that is so far away. Such a propaganda technique in itself seems to defeat its own purpose, for after all, the American people do have a pride in their own achievements—which were decidedly accomplished irrespective of the rest of the world. And even now, the American people will not easily be hoodwinked into accepting a foreign protectorate. Like Senator Wheeler, Mr. Faner feels that if this is a war for democracy, as has been asserted, then this nation should be in the war right now, for we cannot afford the risk of a defeat for democracy. However, Mr. Faner is not willing to accept this version of the war. He believes that the war is another example of intrigues, age-old hatreds and age-old quarrels, aggressions, and power politics. The history of Europe is one of wars to keep old territories or to get new ones, and this nation will probably never be able to help England or France solve problems which they bring upon themselves—either through stupidity or malevolence. Not only are the American people as a whole opposed to bellicosity, but they differ by about 200 years from the Europeans in social, political, religious, and economic ideas. The chasm in all these respects is so great as to warrant taking the advice of George Washington and Charles Beard that nothing we can do for Europeans will add to either their, or our, well-being. The only thing this nation can do for the world is to remain at peace so that we may keep our democracy as an example, hoping that the rest of the world will profit by observation—for if we can prove to the rest of the world that our system of government is the best, then perhaps they might follow us in adopting some of our ideas, ideas, and institutions.

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By BEETROVEN.

As most of you already know, last Friday night was the evening of this winter term's cooperative concert. Not only are Malcolm and Golden fine pianists, but very interesting conversationalists and good ping pong players as well. And I might add that Golden has a terrific serve which your opponent had some trouble in returning. Besides ping pong, Golden likes deck tennis and basketball, and playing the cello for his own amusement. Malcolm on the other hand is a concert fender.

The pianists don't do any composing, but the two piano arrangements that they turn out are good to the last drop. Unfortunately, the arrangements are not published due to the insolence (pure laziness to you) of both men. However, they promise to set their downs on paper some day in the near future to allow a amateur pianist to amuse ourselves. Golden, not trying to discourage you aspiring concert artists, but giving out with a little friendly advice, remarked that what most young people interested in music needed today is a liberal education in music instead of trying to become concert pianists and practicing their usual six hours a day. How sad, but true. So far who do strive to reach the top do, and then all the publicity and glory when "holled down" doesn't add up to much cash. Yet a good many of us go on day after day working, hoping, and paying for that Carnegie Hall debut.

But in a more cheerful vein, let us hope that some day soon we can have a return engagement of Malcolm and Golden.

Grace Notes:
 Fritz Kreisler is writing a new zebra malar for Wisconsin University.
 Vernon Duke, who wrote the score for the Broadway hit, "Cabin in the Sky," uses his own name Vladimir Dukelsky when he writes serious music. He has recently completed a violin concerto. His sixth work, which has been accepted for performance by the Boston Symphony orchestra.

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Why Is Sixty Per Cent Of SINU Student Body Uninterested In College Student Council

Pat H. Tippy Makes Survey of Those Who Failed to Vote in Last General Election

By BILL REYNOLDS

Why is sixty per cent of our student body not interested in the Student Council? This is a question that Pat H. Tippy, major and history major, attempted to answer. Tippy, as a research project in a philosophy course, calculated a hundred questionnaires through the student body by a sort of Gallup poll sampling system, distributing the questionnaires between the four classes according to the Fall term enrollment figures. Only those students who did not vote in the last general election filled out questionnaires.

On the basis of the information collected in this way, some rather interesting facts were brought out. It was discovered that 56% of the student body are not familiar with the duties of the Student Council of this college nor its relationship to the administration. Tippy explained in his paper that this large figure is probably due to the great number of freshmen and sophomores who had no opportunity in their school career to learn anything of Southern's student government system.

Tippy also found that although 95% of the students polled think that Southern should have a student council and 85% have good intentions of participating in future elections, only 55% had ever voted in a student council election. Again, this figure can be laid to the freshmen and sophomores who answered questionnaires.

Question No. 9 asked those non-voters showed the most amazing results of all 68% of those polled were unable to name a single member from their class on the Student Council. Only three people from the whole group could name all four representatives of their class on the Council. This shows that not only the duties of the Council but also the people on the Council are unknown to the students who do not vote. "I cannot blame the non-voters for their lack of participation in elections. It would be absolutely pointless to vote for a person you did not know or did not feel a position that you know nothing of."

Some suggestions to increase the number voters were given in the "remarks" section of Tippy's questionnaire. A few of the better ones were:

1. Polls should be placed out of doors where they would attract attention.
2. More than one day of balloting

Entsinger Given Pin For Service to Delta Kappa Gamma

The annual birthday dinner of Delta Kappa Gamma, honorary education fraternity for women, was held Saturday, February 15, at the Statler Hotel in St. Louis.

Miss Mary Entsinger of Carbondale and a member of the Allyn Training School faculty, was presented with a pin of service in her retirement from the presidency of Delta Kappa Gamma. The new officers of the fraternity for the year of 1941 will be elected at the May meeting, which is to be held in Alton, Ill.

Two members who attended from Carbondale were: Miss Tina Goodwin, Miss Susie Oden, Miss Maud Mayhew, Miss Jewel Trulove, Miss Mary Stegall, Miss Charlotte Zimmerman and Miss Entsinger.

The guest speakers for the occasion were Director Rosa Parker, state president of Delta Kappa Gamma and Miss Jennie Wahler, Missouri state founder of the organization.

Sally Rand recently lectured a student group at SNU University of Minnesota on "The Value of White Space in Advertising."

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CAMPUS BULLETINS

REGISTRATION SCHEDULE

Students must appear for final registration Monday, March 17, and Tuesday, March 18, at the south door of the Science building, at the time assigned according to the alphabetical arrangement announced below:

- 8 a. m. Monday—M-C inclusive.
- 9 a. m. Monday—M-P inclusive.
- 10 a. m. Monday—Q-S inclusive.
- 11 a. m. Monday—T-Z inclusive.
- 2 p. m. Monday—A-B inclusive.
- 6 a. m. Tuesday—C-E inclusive.
- 9 a. m. Tuesday—F-H, inclusive.

Anyone who fails to appear in the above order will be subject to a late registration fee of one dollar. Exceptions will be made only in case a student is delayed by the college itself in the process of registration.

VACANCIES

Due to the recent increase in the circulation of the Egyptian, there are a few new vacancies on the circulation staff. Any interested persons should see Anna Hulha or Russell Harrison immediately.

ENGLISH MAJORS

Registration and check-up for English majors will be carried on in the English office by Miss Bowyer and Mrs. Krappe, beginning Monday, February 28, and closing Friday, February 28. All registrations should be made as early as possible within these weeks.

EGYPTIAN NEEDS HELP

The pressure placed on the EGYPTIAN editorial and news staffs by the drive for parity in appropriations for Southern, has opened a few new positions in these departments. Any one interested in joining the staff of the college paper should apply to the editor.

By order of the Council of Administration, two cuts only are allowed in the College Assembly. The number of students on unlimited cuts as well as any student whose absence may be necessary from College Assembly during the spring term, must apply for an excuse from the Dean of Women or the Dean of Men before the end of the winter term. Students working four or more hours a day on the campus, or who are taking practice teaching at the time of assembly are automatically excused.

Any excuse granted is good for one term only.

TUESDAY'S CLASSES

All Tuesday classes following registration will meet in the afternoon with the following schedule:

- 1:05-1:25—First period classes.
- 1:20-1:50—Second period classes.
- 1:55-2:15—Third period classes.
- 2:20-2:40—Fourth period classes.
- 2:45-3:05—Fifth period classes.
- 3:10-3:30—Sixth period classes.
- 3:35-3:55—Seventh period classes.
- 4:00-4:20—Eighth period classes.
- 4:25-4:45—Ninth period classes.

OPTP VACANCIES

There is still time to enroll in the Civil Pilot Training classes at S. I. N. U. The full quota allotted to the college of twenty primary students and ten advanced students has not quite been filled. For particulars see Dr. O. B. Young of the physics department on the third floor of the Parkinson building.

NOTICE SENIORS!

Any senior who is interested in the services of the Placements Office and who has not yet obtained the enrollment blank may obtain one at the Placements Office this week.

Two-Thirds Majority Think Schools Should Teach "Isms"

By Student Opinion Surveys

If democracy is to be safeguarded, it is imperative that every American college and university teach the youth of the nation the facts about foreign "isms" that threaten the world today. That is the opinion of a two-thirds majority of collegeans the country over, reflected in a scientific poll through Student Opinion Surveys of America.

The Egyptian is one of the sponsoring undergraduate newspapers that make possible the accurate measurement of American college thought. The polls are conducted locally by each newspaper by means of a representative sampling, and the national returns are then tabulated at the Surveys' headquarters at the University of Texas.

The European debacle has forced attention on a long-evaded problem: how to inform Americans of totalitarian ideology and at the same time not endanger our democratic institutions. "Stop teaching these 'isms' in our colleges" has been the demand most often heard. But men of great placement have questioned the wisdom of such a restriction. What do students themselves think about this, they who are actually taking the courses? Should the colleges continue to present "the facts about communism, socialism, nazism, and fascism?" When this question, Surveys interviewers approached a cross section of collegeans. Here are the answers:

YES, teach the facts....56%
 No, do not teach them....34%

It is in the comments made by students that one finds the real significance of this study. A definite two-thirds majority believes it is necessary that youth be told what these "isms" are about if we are to know what democracy really means—but this provision is often expressed: "It is important that only the facts be taught; we don't want any 'isms' being spread through the class room. College is primarily a place for instructors to teach, not to preach."

Students are not all of exactly the same opinion from one section of the country to the other. New England, for instance, is overwhelmingly in favor of continuing instruction on

Region	All	None
New England	32%	18%
Middle Atlantic	22	28
East Central	21	40
West Central	54	26
Southern	62	48
Far West	56	34

Jean Sabé, '37, Has Half-Time Teaching Job at Univ. of Ill.

Jean Sabé, '37, has a half-time instructorship in Spanish at the University of Illinois this term. Mr. Sabé, who majored in French here, has nearly completed his work for the doctorate in that field at Illinois. He has held graduate fellowships in French at the University during most of his time there.

ROOSEVELT POLICY IS QUIXOTIC

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Regarding the topic of recent emissaries to Britain, Mr. Fauser says he noted in Winston Churchill's speech of last week the overtones of Harry Hopkins and Wendell Willkie, as if gave evidence of being well-timed to speed H. R. 1776 through the American Congress, by emphasizing British reluctance to involve our nation, and thereby seeking to "slay the fears of many who consider the "lend-lease" bill as the last step in plunging over the brink into war. Well knowing that the American people are opposed to our participation, Mr. Churchill stressed the fact that Britain did not want our men—all she wants is our materials.

Another striking aspect of the whole war situation is the role of Wendell Willkie. Mr. Fauser cannot see why Mr. Willkie should be considered an authority on foreign relations, since up to his nomination for the Presidency on the Republican ticket he was evidently interested in nothing except business. It is difficult to compromise knowledge of a subject gained through years of experience and study with the idea that one can take a trip to Britain, have a two-hour talk with Churchill, pass out beer to the press, and then come back with all the answers. Such a thing might have happened in the "good ole days," but present-day concepts of education have erased an illusion of omniscience.

Concluding, Mr. Fauser states that if we are concerned with charity, as the "Aid-to-Britain" policy indicates, then he believes that charity begins at home. If we wish to preserve democracy in this nation we can best accomplish this purpose by having all the people realize that democracy in terms of political, social and economic values. And if we are really interested in democracy, then we must acknowledge the fact that democracy can only come from within, and not without—that we cannot have democracy on a Europe that has rejected it. If the last war made most of Europe totalitarian, then it would not be too presumptuous to believe that this war will only increase and accelerate the trend toward totalitarianism. If democracy is to survive, it is essential that there be at least one strong democratic nation—for democracy cannot very well exist in a world of prostrated nations, which, from all indications, will decidedly be the case if we enter the war. The United States can only realize the "arsenal of democracy" role by bringing the benefits of democracy to all of her citizens, and not by involving herself in a war which will deprive her of the "liberty" which is democracy.

Film Library Releases

Films that are to be in the library for the week of February 24:

- Automotive Services.
- Magnetic Effects of Electricity.
- Heat and Light From Electricity.
- Bring 'em Back Alive.
- Beetles.
- Batteries.
- Exploring the Universe.
- Earth in Motion.
- Oxidation and Reduction.
- Molecular Theory of Matter.
- Volcanoes in Action.
- Wearing Away of the Land.
- Body Defense Against Disease.
- Wheat Farmer.
- Persecution Group.
- Woodwind Choir.
- String Choir.
- Fuels and Heat.
- Light Waves and Their Uses.
- Electrostatics.
- Electrodynamics.
- Flowers at Work.
- Fungus.
- Colonial Children.
- Robin Red Breast.
- A Boat Trip.
- Gray Squirrel.
- Navajo Children.
- Adventures of Bunny Rabbit.
- Choosing Your Vocation.
- Olio Travelogue No. 1, 2, 4, 5.

Teachers may use any of the above films by coming to the film library office and arranging for the same.

Discuss Chemistry Text Books Here

At the meeting of the Southern Illinois Chemistry Teachers' Association last Thursday, fourteen high school chemistry teachers and two high school chemistry book salesmen held a vigorous discussion of the merits and demerits of several chemistry texts.

Dr. Van Lente was appointed chairman of the committee to make arrangements for the annual Chemistry Laboratory day to be held on April 19.

The chemistry teachers visited the other Science departments to cooperate on this laboratory day in projects similar to the Junior State Academy of Science. Possibly such a combined meeting could be held on the campus annually.

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