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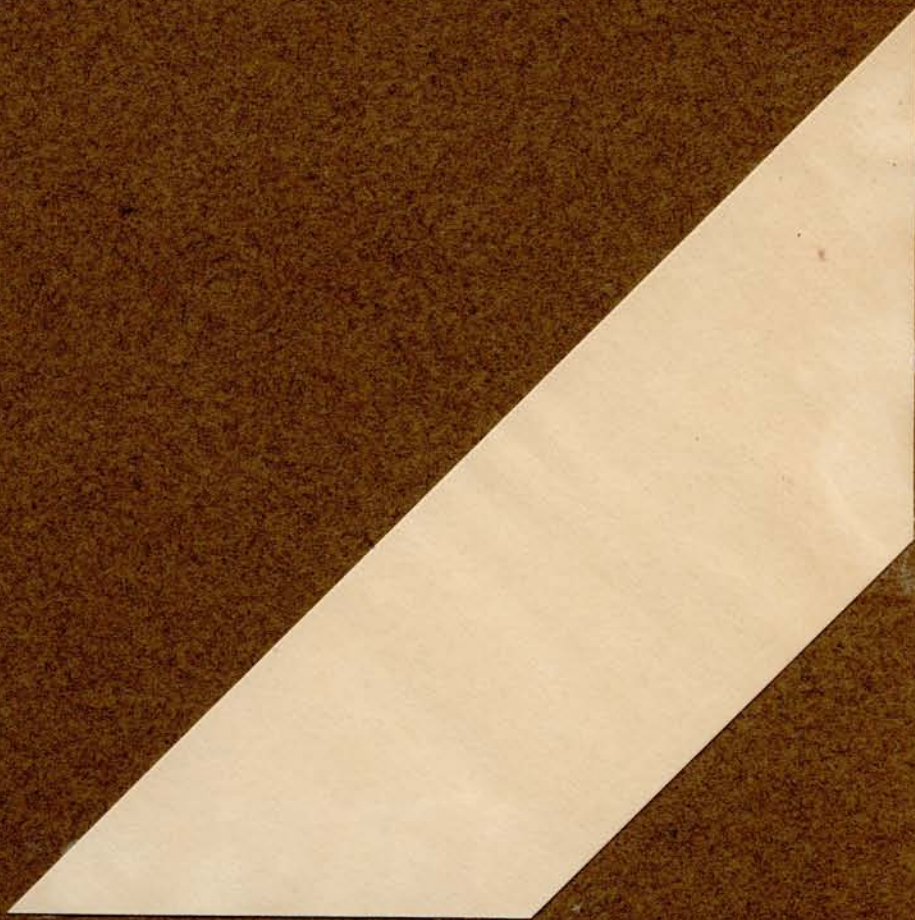
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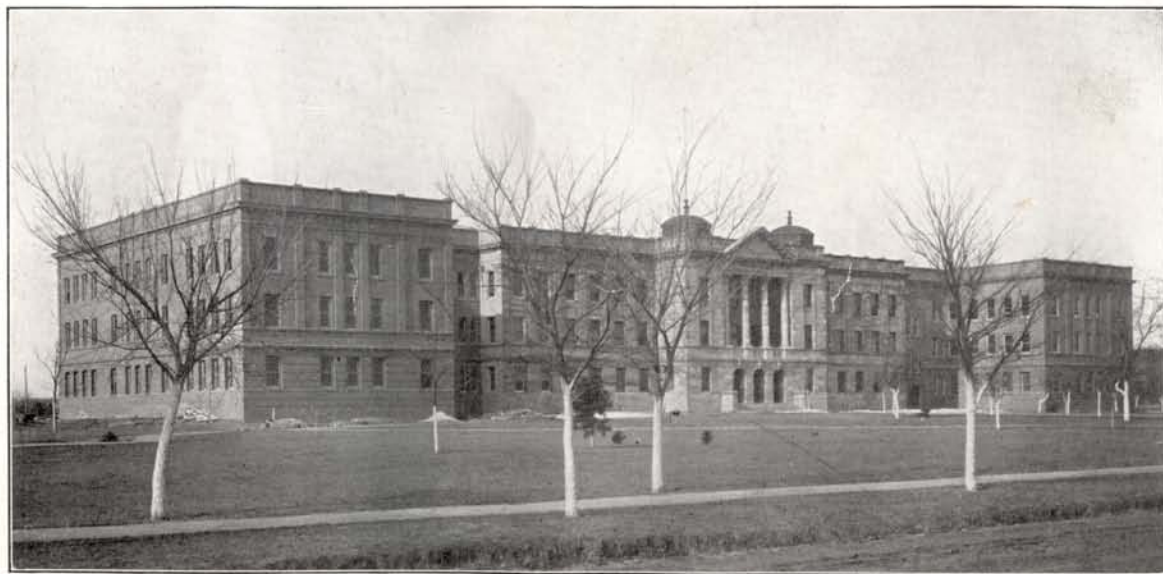
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## COLOR SONG.

A far, in the sea where the greenest leys run, find the sweeping hills dip to the plain. Rise the gray storied walls of the  
 Oh proud be thy future, enduring thy fame, As the years on swift current roll by. Never dimmed be the lustre that  
 Then raise we our voices on pinions of song, Alma Mater thy praises to sing; Through the years as they come and the

Home that we love Alma Mater we hail thee a giant Neath thy shade we have gazed over valley and plain. On the  
 banner bespeaks. That now floateth so proudly on high Thy sons and thy daughters for truth and the right, Stand  
 years as they go May thy glories enduringly ring And the colors that stand for the truth and for Worth Still

scenes that enrage the eye. And our hearts thrill with pride as the Blue and the Gold, Proudly floats against the purging sky.  
 ever till time shall grow old, Enlured round their hearts with dear memory's chains The loved banner of Blue and of Gold.  
 What as the years are unrolled, And we'll cherish wherever we wander on earth, Our loved banner of Blue and of Gold.

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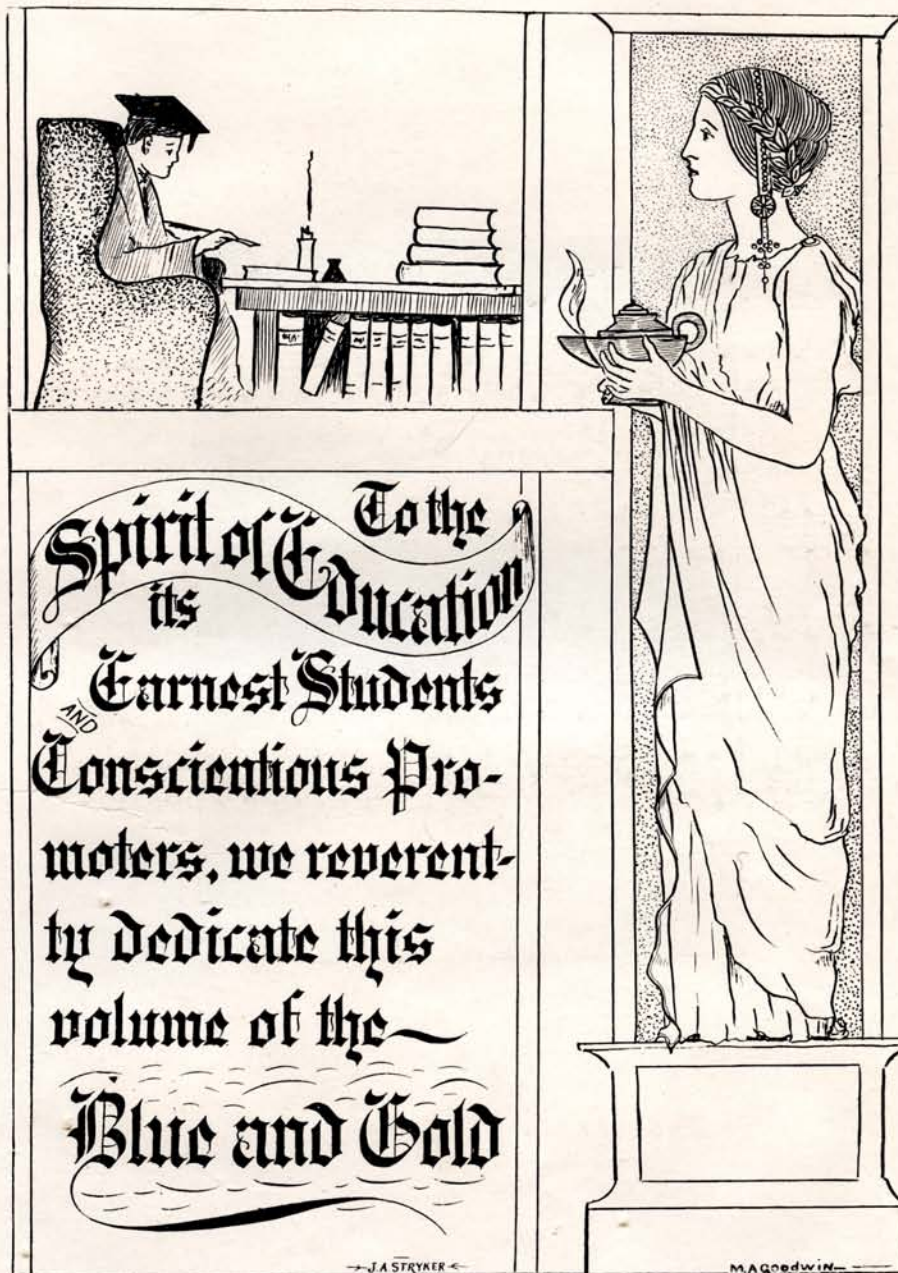
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## Foreword

It is with pleasure that we present this, the third volume of "The Blue and Gold," to our faculty, schoolmates and alumni. We have no apologies to offer, or excuses to make. We have labored earnestly and conscientiously, and if it can serve to instill one whit of greater loyalty to our Alma Mater, we shall feel that we have been repaid for our efforts.

We are aware that perhaps you could have done the work far better, and offered a much more worthy production. We appreciate your willingness to overlook our faults, however, and trust you may profit by our mistakes. If, for instance, you have received a little "rub," or if some one else has a more prominent place than you, just laugh it off.

We trust that when you look at this volume in days to come it may bring back sweet thoughts of your college days at good old K. S. N., and paint memory pictures that will be pleasing to you.

The staff wishes to express a hearty appreciation of the general spirit and support of the faculty and student body in our work; also to the various reporters and assistants, to whom much of the success of our annual is due. Especially do we feel grateful to Miss Smith for her timely advice in the art work, and to Prof. Patterson and his stenographers for their work in preparing the manuscript.

Here's to the Blue and Gold, our Alma Mater so dear! May it prosper and grow to see large numbers of young people pass out to life's work, better for having learned to love our colors, is our parting word.

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF.

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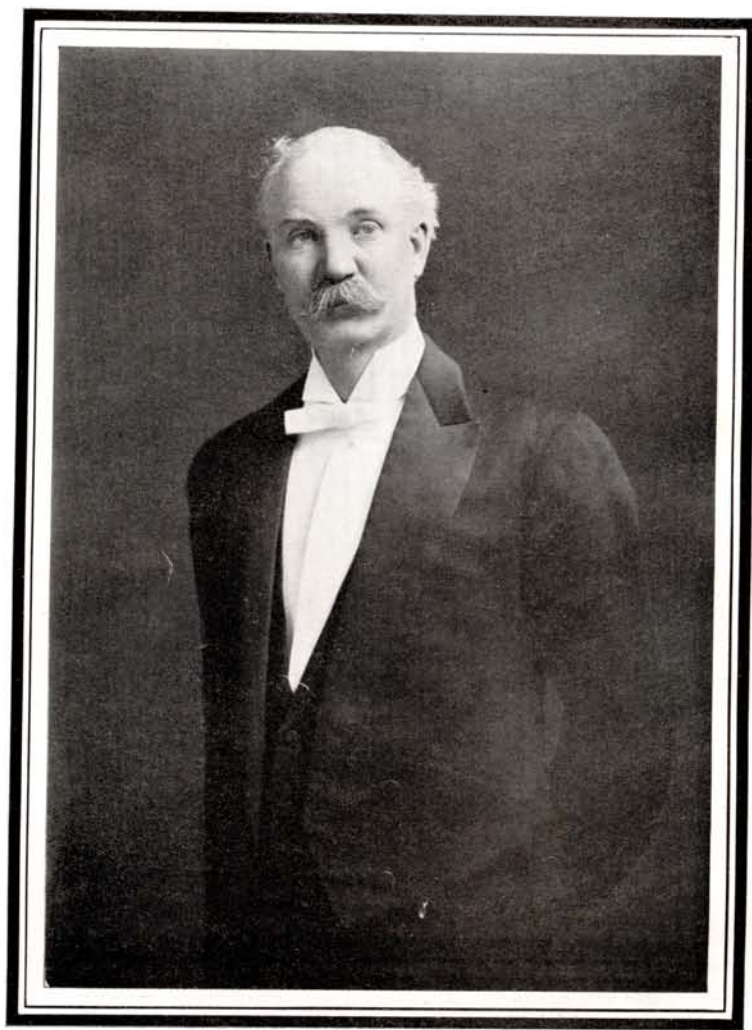


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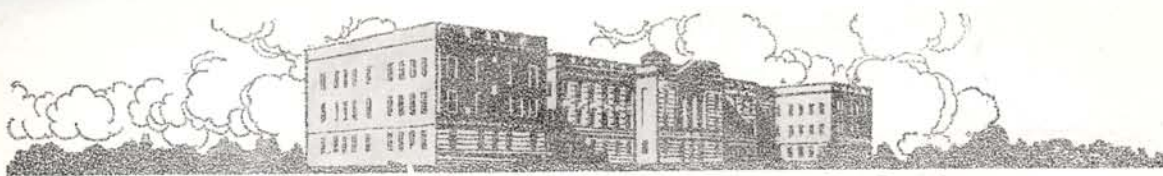
President A. O. Thomas was born in 1863 on a farm in Mercer County, Illinois, removing with his parents to a prairie farm in western Iowa when he was ten years of age. As a boy, his opportunity and means to secure an education were very limited. With a hard struggle he made his way through the public schools. Later he was enabled to attend Amity College, at College Springs, Iowa. Later he attended the Western Normal, which was established at Shenandoah, Iowa. Here he completed both the commercial and scientific courses. He afterwards returned to Amity, finishing the course in philosophy there. Here he took a post graduate course of three years, the major subject in the course being sociology and the two minor subjects being psychology and history of education. He took examination for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy under Doctor Littlejohn of Edinburgh, Scotland.

Graduating in 1891 President Thomas came in the fall of that year to Cambridge, Nebraska. For two years he was principal of the schools at Cambridge, three years superintendent of the city schools at St. Paul, and five years superintendent of the city schools at Minden. He was elected superintendent of the city schools, Kearney, in 1901, and was holding that position at the time of his election to the presidency of the Normal.

The growth of the Normal in the seven years of its existence, from the few to many hundred, and the condition of the school, firmly established at the present time, speaks highly of the ability and power of President Thomas.

However, President Thomas' success as an educator and executive does not lie alone in his education nor splendid achievements of hand and head, but his constant eagerness to serve others. He is never too busy to give a cheery word and glad smile to aid the homesick and discouraged. Never too busy to hear of the distresses of others and help with words that will inspire new life and desires. His warm personal feeling and interests toward the students win respect and the admiration of all. He has an unbounded confidence in humanity. Patience is his great virtue and he is optimistic at all times. He rejoices with the fortunate, but can sympathize with the unfortunate as well.

Can a school help but succeed and grow not only in numbers but reputation and renown through the state and nation with a man like this at the wheel? This is the secret of the success of K. S. N.



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## The Faculty



**William A. Clark**

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

**W**ILLIAM A. CLARK, Dean of the Faculty, is a graduate of the Normal University of Lebanon, Ohio, with degrees of A. B. and Ped. D., Harvard University with the degree of A. M. and University of Chicago with the degree Ph. D.; taught four years in country schools, was four years teacher and principal in high schools, eleven years instructor in college and university, five years in State Normal, four years President of the State Normal at Peru; was elected to his present position upon the establishment of the school after making thorough and special preparation for the subjects of his department. He has held many positions of honor; among them the vice-presidency of the National Education Association.

**W. R. Snodgrass**

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS.

**W**. R. SNODGRASS is a graduate of the Southwestern State Normal School of California, Pennsylvania, taught six years in district schools and twenty years as principal and superintendent of leading city schools in Nebraska; was superintendent of the city schools at Wayne when elected to the Normal school faculty at the opening of the school. Professor Snodgrass is a careful student of educational methods, has made special preparation for teaching mathematics and has achieved distinction in his chosen field.







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**C. N. Anderson**

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND ECONOMICS.

**C**. N. ANDERSON is a graduate of Lombard College with a degree of B. S. He has also studied in the University of Nebraska and in the University of Chicago; he has specialized thoroughly in his chosen subject, taught two years in rural schools, two and one-half years in Normal schools, eight and one-half years as principal and superintendent of city schools. He is the author of the Manual on State examination questions and answers in United States History and holds high rank among the teachers of history and economics; he was elected to his present position upon the establishment of the school.

**Miss Alma Hosic**

DEPARTMENT OF GERMAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

**A** LMA HOSIC is a graduate of the State Normal School at Peru and from the University of Nebraska with the degrees of B. A. and M. A. Besides her thorough preparation in American schools, she made special study of her chosen subject in Hanover, Germany. She taught two years in rural schools, six years in city schools and for three years was assistant in the University of Nebraska. She is thoroughly devoted to her profession and is an inspiration to those who come under her instruction. She was selected for the subjects she teaches upon the organization of the school.





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**Miss Gertrude H. Gardner**

DEPARTMENT OF LATIN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

**G**ERTRUDE H. GARDNER of the department of Latin Language and Literature, is a graduate of Wesleyan University with the degree of B. L. and of the University of Nebraska with the degree of B. A. Besides her research in American schools, she has made special study in foreign lands. She spent a summer in the country of the early Latin civilization and brings to her classes the inspiration of her sources in the subjects she teaches. She taught several years in leading Nebraska High Schools where she won distinction and was elected to her present position upon the establishment of the school.

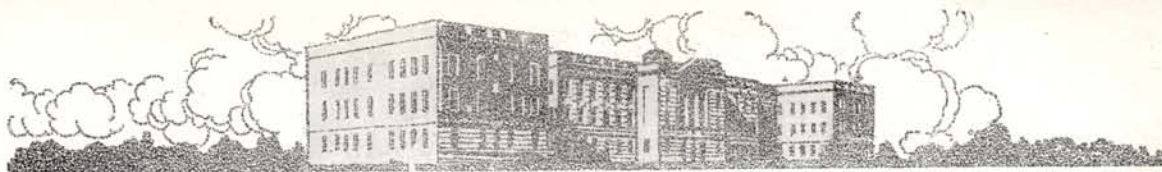
**Miss Marion C. Smith**

DEPARTMENT OF ART.

**M**ARION C. SMITH made special preparation for the work of her department in the University of Nebraska, in the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, the Chicago Art Institute and the Handicraft Guild of Minneapolis. Taught five years in city schools, several years in colleges, has traveled extensively among the South American Republics and was employed as Art Director in the public schools of Chili, South America. No teacher of this subject understands more thoroughly the needs of the public schools. She is an inspiration to her classes; was elected to her present position upon the establishment of the school.







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### Herbert D. Sutton

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES.

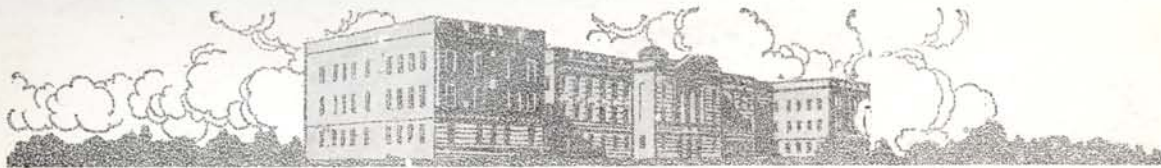
**H**ERBERT O. SUTTON received his education in the common schools of the state of Nebraska and in the Nebraska University, from which institution he bears the degree of B. S. For eight years he was teacher of science in leading high schools of the state where he acquired distinction, not only for his able instruction, but for his ability to equip and build up a department. He is a complete master of the subjects under his direction and was chosen to his present position upon the establishment of the school.

### Miss Lydia Salgren

ASSISTANT IN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES.

**L**YDIA SALGREN, director of biological laboratory, is one of the early graduates of our own institution. Her special qualities soon brought her to the attention of the various members of the faculty under whom she studied. She had extensive and successful experience in teaching before being selected for her present position three years ago. She is painstaking and obliging and has won the esteem of the students with whom she labors.





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**A. J. Mercer**

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY, AGRICULTURE  
AND MANUAL TRAINING.

**A**. J. MERCER is a graduate of Bethany College, West Virginia, receiving his Bachelor's degree; received his Master's degree from the University of Nebraska; taught two years in country schools, four years in high school, ten years as principal and superintendent and seven years as college instructor and president. He has made an exhaustive study of the subjects he teaches; has done a large amount of research study; is exceedingly versatile and never fails to inspire interest. He was elected to his present position upon the opening of the school.

**Oscar W. Neale**

DEPARTMENT OF ARITHMETIC, CIVICS AND  
SCHOOL LAW.

**O**SCAR W. NEALE received his education in the public schools of Ohio and in Denison University; spent two years as teacher in rural schools, five years as teacher and principal of city schools; four years as county superintendent of Lincoln County, Nebraska. He has unbounded love for the school room, implicit faith in humanity and is always ready to lend a hand. His methods in subjects he teaches are fully abreast of the times. He was chosen to this department upon the opening of the school.







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**Mrs. Grace E. Steadman**

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC.

GRACE E. STEADMAN received her preparation for the work of this department at Delaware, Middletown, and Cincinnati, Ohio; spent sixteen years as church and concert soloist and teaching elocution, music and physical culture in the public schools; she understands thoroughly what needs to be accomplished in her subjects in the schools of the state; her splendid personality, her rare ability and her fine enthusiasm exert a marked influence upon the students of her department.

**Miss Eunice Bothwell**

READING, ELOCUTION AND PHYSICAL CULTURE.

EUNICE BOTHWELL is a graduate of Drexel Conservatory, Chicago, where in connection with her work in Expression and Dramatic Art, she took a special course in Reading and Physical Culture. She also did special work in the Toledo School of Expression. She has had marked success as an entertainer, having been connected with a School Lyceum Bureau for several years, and also in her connection with the Normal the past year.





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**Benjamin H. Patterson**

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

**B**ENJAMIN H. PATTERSON is a graduate of a full four-years high school. Based upon this he has completed two years of commercial work and two years of normal methods in commercial branches. He taught in the common schools of Iowa before taking up his work as a commercial teacher. For four years he has been in charge of the business department of Brown's Commercial College at Champaign, Illinois. He has a pleasing personality, possesses high ideals of character and has displayed marked ability as a commercial teacher. He has just been called to the head of this important department.

**John H. Stryker**

PENMANSHIP.

**J**OHAN A. STRYKER secured his education in Franklin Academy and also at the Zanerian School of Penmanship at Columbus, Ohio; he graduated from this school with high honors and is regarded by Prof. Zaner as one of the finest products of his school. Mr. Stryker has attained eminent success as a teacher of penmanship in the Normal. He is thoroughly imbued with the spirit of his work and has readily built up large classes in penmanship.







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**George J. Van Buren**

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION.

**G**EORGE J. VAN BUREN is a graduate of Epworth Seminary and of Cornell college. From the latter institution he graduated in 1904 with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering. He is a fine athlete, was considered the best all around athlete in college and made three championship teams. After graduation he taught in Drury College one year; was two years principal of Tuscola (Illinois) high school, after which he took up the work of physical education and has made special preparation for the work as director. In athletics he has been exceedingly successful and has won in many contests over coaches of renown.

**Miss Carrie C. Ludden**

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES.

**C**ARRIE E. LUDDEN of the department of Biological Sciences, completed her course of study in the Lincoln High School and made special preparation in Biology in the University of Nebraska. She has done extensive research work in her chosen subjects under Dean Henry B. Ward of the University of Illinois. Her thoroughness and systematic methodology secure for her high standing as a teacher in her chosen subject. She was first elected as assistant in this department but on account of the splendid ability she displayed was placed in charge at the earliest opportunity.





**George N. Porter**

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH.

**G**EORGE N. PORTER received his education in the common schools of the state and in the University of Nebraska from which institution he graduated with a degree of B. A. Taught two years in rural schools, two years in city schools and nine years in the State Normal at Peru before being elected to his present position upon the establishment of the school. He specialized thoroughly in English and Literature, is a thorough student of methods of instruction, is thoroughly posted in the field of letters. He is also a vocalist of splendid ability and is director of the Normal band.

**Miss Mary Crawford**

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH.

**M**ARY CRAWFORD is a graduate of the State University of Nebraska. She holds the degrees of B. Ed. from Peru and B. A. from the University. She has had special training for her subjects in the University of Chicago. She achieved success as a teacher in the public schools of the state before she was chosen to her present position at the opening of the school. She is a thorough student herself and never permits her students to "drink from the stagnant pool."







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**Miss Marion Williams**

DEPARTMENT OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

**M**ARION WILLIAMS was placed in charge of the Domestic Science Department upon its establishment a year ago. She is a graduate of a four years' course in Domestic Science of the Agricultural College at Manhattan, Kansas; she bears a degree of B. S. She is especially fitted for the work of this important department and the progress of the classes in Domestic Science during the first year has amply demonstrated the wisdom of the Board of Education in choosing her. The success of this department exceeded the expectations of the authorities of the school.

**Miss Sara L. Garrett**

REGISTRAR.

**S**ARA L. GARRETT, registrar, received her education at Valparaiso, Indiana, Callahan College at Des Moines, Iowa, and the University of Nebraska. She is experienced in all lines of public school work, from teaching to administration. Nine years principal at Manning, Iowa, principal of the high school Spearfish, South Dakota, and at Norfolk, Nebraska. She was also principal of schools at Rushville, Nebraska. For four years member of the State Examining Committee for Life Certificates, four years Secretary to Chief Justice Silas A. Holcomb of Supreme Court of the State of Nebraska. She was elected to her present position upon the establishment of the school.





### Miss Alice Corinne Stanley

SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT.

**A**LICE CORINNE STANLEY, secretary to the President, received her education in the public schools of Adrian, Michigan, Raisin Valley Seminary, the Detroit Business University and New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Art. She has specialized in all forms of business practice and in the Spanish language. She was one of the first to be called to a position in the State Normal School and assisted the President in the work preliminary to opening the first term. Her education in business and professional lines amply fits her for the systematic work and responsibilities of her present position.

### Mrs. Bessie Snowden Black

ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

**M**RS. BESSIE SNOWDEN BLACK is a graduate of the Kearney High School, later attending the Western Normal College where she completed the business course. She is experienced in all phases of commercial work and is expert in her special line. She has not only engaged in her profession, but has been a constant student of up-to-date business methods, attaining a degree of skill seldom reached by operatives in her line of work. She was called to her present position during the summer of 1911.







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### Miss Anna C. Caldwell

SUPERVISOR OF KINDERGARTEN.



ANNA E. CALDWELL is a graduate of the Minneapolis Froebel Kindergarten Normal School, the Northwestern Conservatory of Music, Minneapolis and Wilder College, Minnesota; she also did special work in the University of Minnesota; is experienced in rural schools, private schools, colleges and is especially equipped, not only in Kindergarten instruction, but also in music, physical culture and art. She stands high in Kindergarten councils of the United States, is a popular institute instructor. She was elected to her present position upon the establishment of the school. Miss Caldwell has just returned from six months sojourn in Europe where she visited and studied Kindergartens.

### Miss Etta Brown

SUPERINTENDENT OF OBSERVATION AND PRACTICE.

ETTA BROWN is a graduate of Highland Park College with the degree of M. Di. She took special work in Drake University, in the University of Nebraska and in the University of Chicago. She taught two years in rural schools, eight years in high schools, was superintendent of Cherry County, Nebraska, for nearly seven years. Besides studying educational methods in her own country, she has traveled extensively in foreign countries and made special study for several months of English Training Schools. She is a thorough judge of educational methods and results. She was elected to her present position upon the establishment of the school.





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### Miss Cora D'Connell

GRAMMAR CRITIC.

**C**ORA O'CONNELL is a graduate of the University of Nebraska with the degree of A. B. Her high standing in the state is attested by the responsible positions she has held, a popular institute and junior normal instructor, teacher and principal of leading Nebraska high schools and a member for several years of Nebraska's Board of Examiners for professional and life certificates. She has traveled extensively in foreign countries and has made a thorough study of educational methods and systems. Her ability as a teacher and as an organizer is well known.

### Mrs. Sarah A. Brindley

PRECEPTRESS AND MODEL TEACHER.

**S**ARAH A. BRINDLEY has special charge of the ladies' Dormitory and gives work in methods in connection with the observation school. She studied in the University of Chicago and in the Chicago School of Education. She is a constant student of educational methods and ranks as one of Nebraska's leading lady educators. She is a popular institute instructor and her services have been widely sought in Nebraska and adjoining states. That she is one of Nebraska's meritorious teachers is attested by her twenty-five years in the public schools of Columbus. Her high ideals of character and her general culture make her a valuable adviser for the young ladies under her charge.







**Miss Catherine Hicks**

INTERMEDIATE CRITIC.

**C**ATHERINE HICKS is a graduate of the State Normal School of Peru and did splendid work in the University of Chicago, equipping herself not only in the practice of teaching in the Model schools, but also in the special methods of instruction. She had successful experience before being assigned to this work upon the establishment of the Normal. She is a thorough student of methods and keeps fully informed in the progress of her profession.

**Miss Edna Colvin**

**M**ISS EDNA COLVIN is a graduate of the Arapahoe high school, spent some time as a student in the University of Nebraska, and later graduated from the Denver University with the degree of Bachelor of Science. Before going to Colorado Miss Colvin taught as principal in the Beaver City High School, later entering the schools of Denver, Colorado, where she did pedagogical experiment work, first with the backward pupils in the building, and then with the precocious children who otherwise would have been compelled to mark time. She was called to her present work as grammar critic in June, 1911.





**Miss Charlotte Lowe**

PRIMARY CRITIC.

**C**HARLOTTE LOWE is a graduate of the Pupil Teachers' College of Liverpool, England; has special training in the Normal School at Peru and also in the Albany Normal College, Albany, N. Y. Taught seven years in Liverpool and five and a half years in America before being elected to her present position in 1906. She has traveled extensively in European countries, is well informed, not only in American but in European methods of instruction and management. She is a popular institute instructor. Her intelligent enthusiasm is contagious and leaves its impression upon every pupil in her department.

**Miss Agnes Knutzen**

ASSISTANT IN KINDERGARTEN.

**A**GNES KNUTZEN is a graduate of the Kearney High School and also of the Kindergarten Department of the State Normal. She is experienced as a primary teacher; she understands thoroughly the methods of instruction and the ideals to be attained in her department of the Normal and is able to render valuable assistance.







**Miss Anna V. Jennings**

LIBRARIAN.

**A** NNA V. JENNINGS, librarian, received her academic education in York College, in Colorado summer school and in the State Normal school at Peru, from which institution she is a graduate. She completed the course in the University of Illinois Library School and received the degree of B. L. S. She has visited many of the world's most famous libraries and is well known in library circles of the United States. Her splendid fund of information and her methodical ways make her especially valuable in her assistance to the students. She was chosen to her present position at the beginning of the school.

**Miss Ethol Langdon**

ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN.

**E** THOL LANGDON, assistant librarian, is a graduate of Wesleyan University. Her special preparation for library service was made in the Library School of the University of Illinois. She is a teacher of successful experience in Nebraska high schools. On account of her special fitness, she was recently chosen for the position she holds from a large number of well prepared applicants. She has already demonstrated her ability and has become popular with students and faculty.





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**Mrs. Ella Colvin Thomas**

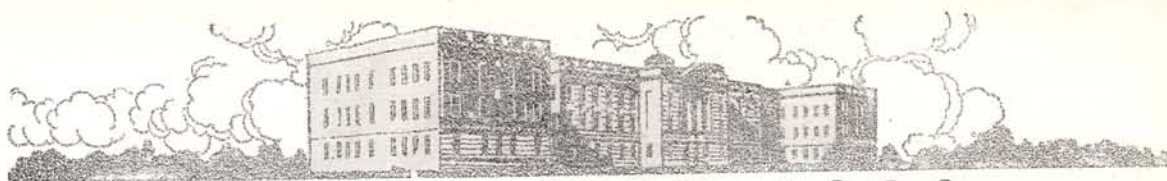
**M**RS. ELLA COLVIN THOMAS is a product of Nebraska. Her father was a pioneer of the Republican Valley, having preceded the railroad into that country. She is a graduate of the Arapahoe high school, spent some time in Cotner University and graduated from the Kearney Normal, specializing in English and German. She has completed the course leading to degree of Bachelor of Education. She began her teaching in the rural schools of Furnas County, and continued as primary teacher in the public schools of Cambridge, Nebraska. She is substituting in the English department during the absence of Miss Crawford.



**Miss Dorothy Kautz**

Assistant Librarian During the Absence of  
Miss Langdon.





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**J. E. Schott**

ASSISTANT IN PHYSICAL SCIENCE.



**R. E. Kirk**

ASSISTANT IN PHYSICAL SCIENCE.



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Miss Selma Hult  
ASSISTANT IN PHYSICAL SCIENCE.



R. D. Waltermire  
ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN.



George E. Ritchey  
ASSISTANT IN AGRICULTURE.



# SENIOR





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**Prof. M. R. Snodgrass**

CLASS ADVISER.

In the fall of 1909 the class of 1912 then known as the sophomore class organized and elected as their adviser Professor Snodgrass who has faithfully filled the office from that time until its graduation.

He has been a constant friend of the class, and has advanced every move which has been made for its uplift and betterment.

During the three years of his career as adviser he has always been ready with a helping hand to aid whenever assistance or advice was needed, and it has been a source of satisfaction to the members of the class to know that in case of a doubt or difficulty they could turn to him and receive ready advice.

The class appreciates the valuable assistance of the professor, and wherever a member of the class of 1912 is to be found, there also will be found a heart having in it a warm feeling for the professor who has so ably guided them through those three years of College life.



## SENIOR CLASS SONG

Oh, the sun shines bright on the dear old Normal walls  
'Tis spring time, the students are gay.  
The Freshmen and Sophomores go merrily around  
And the Juniors are happy all the day;  
But the Senior Class goes quietly about  
So thoughtful, and pensive, and sad.  
For the time will soon come when the partings must be said  
Then our Alma Mater dear, Farewell.

Weep no more, oh Seniors, weep no more today,  
For we'll sing one song for the Blue and for the Gold  
For the Alma Mater dear which we love.

We'll be seen no more in the class-room and the hall,  
A walking, a talking, in haste,  
For other duties have fallen to our lot  
And to do them no time will we waste.  
We will sit no more on the campus 'neath the trees  
And talk of the days that will be,  
For a year from now we'll be scattered far and wide,  
Away from our Alma Mater Halls.

Weep no more, oh Seniors, weep no more today,  
For we'll sing one song for the Blue and for the Gold  
For the Alma Mater dear which we love.

The Junior Class soon will mount up to our place,  
And in Senior Classes enrolled,  
We wish them joy in the station they assume  
In upholding the Blue and the Gold.  
We wish them success throughout their Senior year,  
In studies, in duties and play;  
And we'll think of them then when the time will come to say  
Oh our Alma Mater dear, Farewell.

Weep no more, oh Seniors, weep no more today,  
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### CREDIMUS

That education is an affirmative process of living, whereby an immature person, through guidance and suggestion of more mature persons, is elevated into the race, becoming a participant in the common race consciousness and living an enriched, beautiful life. Education in the broader sense consists in all the forces of environment which mould the life of the individual. The highest function of education is to aid in development of love for humanity and the Deity.

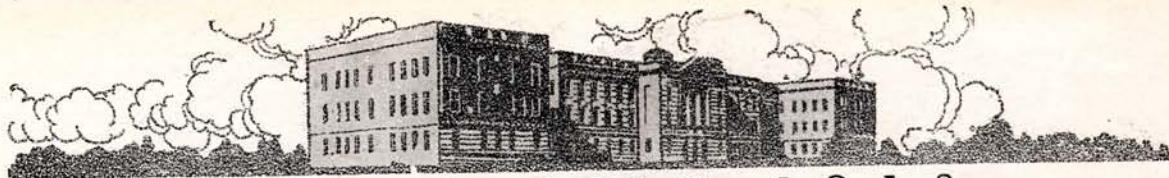
That in every child there are infinite possibilities; and the future of every child depends on how these possibilities are developed through education. The child is active in education. He is conscious of his growth only as he attains certain ends toward which he has been striving.

That the teacher consciously guides and helps the child find life in its fullest sense. The Deity is the greatest Teacher. The teacher's work gives character to the state through the lives of its educated citizens. The teacher's duty is to instruct and to discipline. The teacher must live himself in order to help others find life.

That the curriculum should contain those branches of study which have cultural, disciplinary, and practical value. It should contain the best materials for life—enrichment, that have come to us through civilization.

That the result of education should be to make men and women mentally, morally, physically and spiritually sound, with a broad outlook in life—with a sympathy for humanity and a determination to make the world better.





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 D. A. Sawyer  
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 Helen Woolworth  
 Fern M. Eads.  
 Elizabeth Cummings.  
 Matilda Strasser  
 Blanche Wise.

Jennie Courad.  
 Margaret M. Grem  
 Genevieve Parkhurst  
 Albert Seardslee  
 Helen Cotton  
 Lillian L. Mason  
 Inez M. Cone.  
 Mary Elizabeth Scott  
 Elsie Goodfellow  
 Hannah Dunlap  
 Faye Edwards  
 Vera D. Fitzgerald  
 Violet Bogan.  
 Pauline Gale  
 Catherine Hackmann.  
 Fred C. Brown  
 J. E. Schott  
 J. E. Essert  
 Ada E. Wilson  
 Emma C. Brown  
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 Mary Evelyn Gardner  
 Irma Arline Green.  
 Myrtle C. Thygesen.  
 Ruth Houghawout  
 Mabel E. Wilson  
 Helen M. Lynch.  
 Mabel A. Martin.  
 Lewis Olmsted  
 Edward Skue  
 Geo. E. Ritchey  
 Hazel G. Minshall  
 Hazel L. Wheeler  
 Eunice J. Wilson  
 Ella Engberg.  
 Louise Vroman  
 Sylvia Merrill.  
 Guy E. Busman.



Alice B. Allbee, North Platte, Nebraska.

After graduating from the Ponca high school Miss Allbee attended the Junior Normal at North Platte. Since entering this school she has taken membership in the Aspasians, the Latin Club, the Culture Club and the Y. W. C. A.

Affections are as tho'ts to her  
The measures of her hours;  
Her feelings have the fragrance,  
The freshness of young flowers.

May Anderson, Fort Collins, Colo.

A graduate of Fort Collins High School; after teaching for six years in rural and city schools, she came to our Normal and entered its school life at once by becoming a member of the Aspasians, the German Club and the Y. W. C. A.

A mighty little maid  
With length of shining tresses,  
And all her class mates know  
That knowledge she possesses.

Verna Barrett, Hastings, Nebraska.

After graduating from Hastings she taught two years; then she came to Kearney. Here she had very little time for anything but lessons, so the Y. W. C. A. was the only organization that secured her name on its roll book.

"Yes, she's a Trojan! hard to beat  
Bright with intelligence, and fair and smooth;  
Her cheeks all radiant with the beams of youth  
Mounting to a transparent glow."

Elbert Beardslee Lexington, Nebraska.

After attending the Lincoln and Cozad High Schools, he finally graduated from Lexington. He taught for two years in the rural schools. He has a membership in the Emanons, the Y. M. C. A., and in the Athletic Association, and holds the office of Vell Leader in the Senior Class. He is also Athletic Reporter for the Antelope.

The Seniors all of Beardslee tell,  
And when he says so, they must yell;  
He makes a dandy rah! rah! man,  
He helps out everywhere he can.





## BLUE & GOLD 1912



Violet Bogan, Minden, Nebraska.

Viola was graduated from the Minden High school. She entered the Normal last summer and has become a member of the Catholic Club, of which she is President. She is also President of the Juanita Club and of the Girls' Glee Club.

"Her hair is like the curling mist,  
That climbs the mountain sides at e'en.  
When flow'r reviving rains are past  
An' she has twa sparkling rogueish een."

Fred E. Brown, Minden Nebraska.

Fred graduated from the Minden High School and has attended Boyles Business College. For two and one-half years he held the position of "school-master" in rural schools. In this school he has taken up membership in the Y. M. C. A., the English Club, the German Club in which he served as Treasurer, the Boys Glee Club and the Oratorio. He was also Athletic Editor of the "Blue and Gold."

The days are getting longer,  
The close of school is drawing near;  
But Brown just keeps on hustling  
In his lessons, don't you fear.

Sadie Reye Brown, Blanca, Colorado.

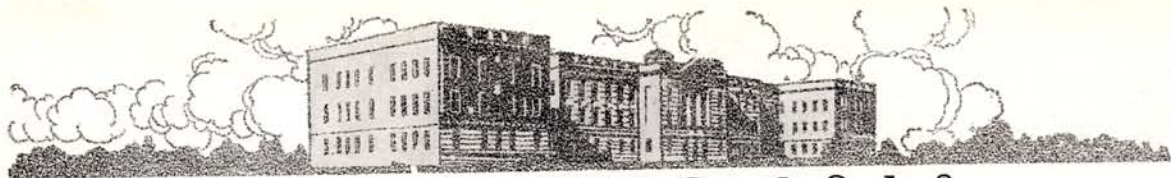
President of the Latin Club, Vice President of Aspasians, Cabinet Member Y. W. C. A., Secretary Culture Club, Glee Club, Oratorio. She has had two years experience teaching in country schools. Graduated from the Minden High School.

"Her ever tone is music's own,  
Like those of Morning Birds,  
And something more than melody  
Dwells ever in her words.

Guy E. Burman, Axtel, Nebraska.

Y. M. C. A., Emanons, Latin Club, Tegner Society, English Club, Athletic Association, U. N. L., Normal Quartet, Class Editor of Blue and Gold, Oratorio, Editor of the Antelope. A member of the first basket ball team for two years and a member of the 1911 champion base ball team. Has taught in rural schools one year and has attended Axtel High School and is a graduate of the Holdredge High School.

A prince he is, blue eyed and fair—  
Great Tho'ts, great feelings come to him  
Like instincts unaware.



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Loretta Burns, St. Paul, Nebraska.

Catholic Club, Latin Club, President of Teachers' Debating Club, Shakespeare Club, Glee Club, Has attended the St. Paul Normal and has completed the Teachers' Course and Elocution Course in the Fremont Normal. She has had two years teaching experience in village and high schools as teacher and assistant principal.

Dainty, neat, quite free from care;  
She likes whate'er she looks on,  
And her looks go everywhere."

Lillie M. Cole, Osceola, Nebraska.

Miss Cole entered the Normal the middle of last semester. She is a graduate of the Osceola High School and has attended the Fremont Normal. She has been actively engaged in educational work for several years both as teacher and county superintendent.

Uncommon things and rare  
were her delight,  
Nor ceased she from studying  
day or night.

Inez M. Cone, Oxford, Nebraska.

After graduating from the Oxford High school, she attended the Ward Seminary in Nashville, Tennessee. In our school she has shown musical tastes and ability by joining the Girls' Glee Club and Oratorio.

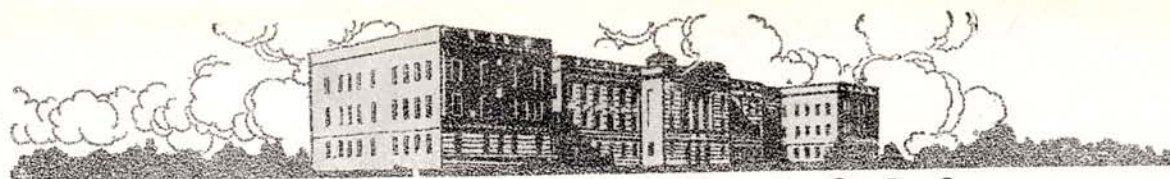
"Her glossy hair was clustered o'er her brow  
As all the sons of Priam.  
But bless you! She's a world too sweet  
For just a fussie school-marm.

Jennie Meredith Conrad, Kearney, Nebraska.

After graduating from the Kearney High School she entered the Normal and since has spent most of her time studying. She is a member of the German club.

She is so very quiet,  
This lassie so demure;  
But still beneath her quiet way  
There's the love of fun for sure.





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Emma Owena Crow, Idaho Falls, Idaho.

A graduate of the Idaho Falls High School. She came to us last year as a Junior. She became affiliated with the German Club, the Y. W. C. A., Girls Glee Club, Oratorio and Aspasians for which she is pianist. She also took her place on the Girls Debating team for 1912.

Of Emma Crow

We all must know.

She makes the youngsters stand around,  
And when she shakes her head at one,  
Believe me, there is not a sound.

Helen Cotton, Kearney, Nebraska.

She attended the Council Bluffs High School, graduated from the Kearney High School, and has taught one year in rural schools; a member of the German Club, Girls Glee Club, and the Y. W. C. A.

"She's pretty to walk with  
And pretty to talk with,  
And pleasant, too, to think on."

Elizabeth Cummings, Kearney, Nebraska.

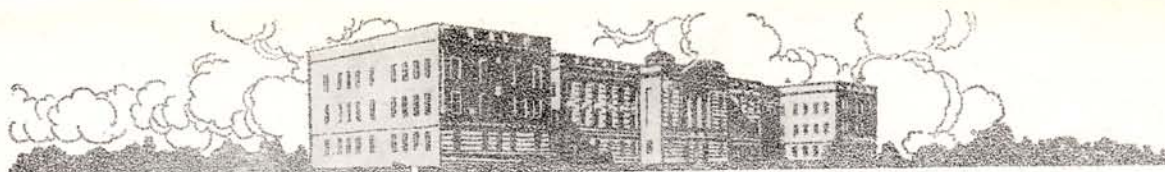
Elizabeth entered the Normal from the eighth grade and has since had two years teaching experience in rural schools. The Oratorio, Girls' Glee Club, Y. W. C. A. and German Club have her name on their list of members.

"She never studied to be fairer  
Than nature made her; beauty cost her naught,  
Her virtues were so rare.

F. W. Deyke, Columbus, Nebraska.

English Club, Glee Club, Y. M. C. A. Last year he was president of the Emanons and this year he very ably fills the position of president of the Senior Class, and History Club. He was also a member of last year's debating squad as well as a member of the Senior basket ball squad this year. Athletic reporter for the Blue and Gold. During his course at the Kearney Normal he has been a hard worker and a good student deeply interested in all school affairs. His teaching experience includes four years at Grand Island. He has attended Addison Seminary of Illinois five years.

"He is one in which the elements are so mixed  
that nature might stand up and say to all  
the world,  
'This is a man.'"



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Dessie Dow, Kearney, Nebraska.

Dessie attended Peru Normal but finally came to Kearney. She is a member of the Y. W. C. A.

"The light upon her face,  
Shines from the wondrous depths of her soul,  
In meekness, patience and love."

Hannah Dunlap, Hastings, Nebraska.

When she had graduated from the Hastings High School, she attended the Hastings College for a while but finally drew rein at Kearney. She displayed her athletic skill by making the Girls' Basketball Team, and being elected Capt. of the Senior Girls' team. She is also vice-president of the Epsilon Beta.

"Brown laughing eyes and dusky hair,  
A typical athletic girl;  
She plays the game with grace and care  
Is witty, clever, practical."

Ruby Durische, Wood River, Nebraska.

Ruby graduated from Albion High School and was a teacher in rural schools for three years. When not studying she spends her time in working for the German Club of which she is president. She is a lover of music and poetry.

A jewel rich and rare within,  
As told you by her name:  
By the sweet soft strains of her violin,  
She'll win success and fame.

Fern M. Eads, South Omaha, Nebraska.

Fern is a graduate of the South Omaha High School. Since entering Normal has displayed exceptional literary ability, and was elected President of the English Club. She also has a membership in the Y. W. C. A., the Latin Club and the History Club.

"Her eyes are blue and calm as the sky in  
serenest noon  
They are foundations of thought and song."





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Faye Edwards, Alexandria, Nebraska.

Faye came to us immediately after graduating from the Alexandria High School. She is one of the Epsilon Betas.

"A bonnie fair haired lassie,  
Gentle, happy and demure."

Ella A. O. Engberg, Axtell, Nebraska.

Miss Engberg graduated from the Edison High School, and has attended Peru Normal, also the Holdrege Junior Normal. She has taught in both rural and city schools, and is noted for her orations in Chapel in behalf of woman suffrage.

"A daughter of the gods, divinely tall  
And most divinely fair."

Ralph F. Essert, Grand Junction, Colo.

Boys' Glee Club, Oratorio, Band, Y. M. C. A., Emanons, U. N. L., Athletic Association, Debating Squad, football star for two years, member of the first basket ball team for two years as well as a member of the champion baseball team of 1911. Member of the Athletic Board and Antelope Board of Control. He was also captain of the Senior basket ball team this year. Has attended the Western High School, Peru Normal and Wesleyan University.

A whole soul lad from the golden West,  
In athletics and science he ranks with the best.  
There's mischief alurk in his big blue eyes;  
Provokes our mirth in class; his own can disguise.

B. Agnes Faught, Cozad, Nebraska.

Agnes graduated from the Wood River High School, and then attended the Lincoln Business College. After teaching for two years in city and rural schools she came to Kearney, and took up active membership in the Dramatic Club, the Latin Club and the Y. W. C. A.

With many a social virtue graced  
And yet a friend of solitude,  
The music masters she has faced  
Her music, as herself, is great, I'll allude.



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Vera Delphine Fitzgerald, McCook, Nebraska.

After graduating from the McCook High School she attended the McCook Junior Normal, and then taught for a year in a city school. She is a member of the German Club and of the Catholic Club; for the latter she is secretary.

She's a right happy little maiden,  
As full of joy as the month of May;  
She's always sparkling with brightness;  
Or—is it the diamonds ray?

Ella Fortna, Octavia, Nebraska.

"The Other One." Ella has attended the Octavia and David City High Schools, and at Normal took a place at the side of her sister in the Aspasi-ans, the Y. W. C. A., and the Glee Club and is also a member of the German Club.

A more industrious mortal you scarce have ever met,

And therefore, as is proper, she doth good markings get.

Minnie Fortna, Octavia, Nebraska.

Minnie attended the Fremont Normal, and has taught one year in rural schools and two years in city schools. She soon found her place here among the members of the Aspasi-ans, the Y. W. C. A., the Glee Club and the Latin Club.

"And oft heard defended:

'Little said is soonest mended.'"

Salie Fox, Cedar Rapids, Nebraska.

Latin Club, Oratorio, Glee Club. Graduated from the Cedar Rapids High School.

Tho gay as mirth, and curious though sedate,  
As eloquent polite, as never elate,  
Profound a reason and justice clear,  
We know then, Salie is near.





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Pauline E. Merrian Gale, Omaha, Nebraska.

Y. W. C. A., Secretary Dramatic Club, Epsilon Beta, History Club. Has attended Cincinnati High School and graduated from the Omaha High School.

"I saw that round her eyes her tresses fell,  
Which were blackest none could tell;  
And then, as suddenly, my sight  
Was blinded with a smile so bright."

Mary Evelyn Gardner, Shelton, Nebraska.

She graduated from Shelton High School and since coming to Normal has become a member of the Y. W. C. A., the Jaunita, the Culture, and the Dramatic Club.

She is quiet and retiring,  
Still she's fond of merry making;  
She has sweet and winning wiles,  
A "gardener" in the land of smiles.

Elsie Goodfellow, Ashland, Nebraska.

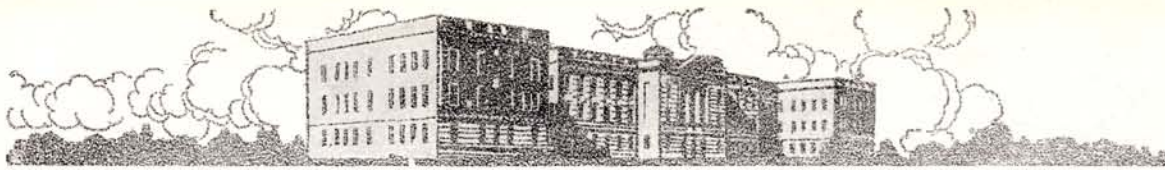
After graduating from Ashland High School and spending a summer at Peru, Elsie taught for two years, then came to Kearney. Her name is on the role book of the Oratorio.

A stylish little maiden, this  
You will not doubt.  
Her winning smile, her pleasant way,  
'Tis Elsie this's about.

Irma Arlene Green, Kearney, Nebraska.

Epsilon Beta. Graduate from the Kearney High School.

'Tis she of the golden hair and twinkling eyes  
so blue,—  
Her lady friends are many, and her "man-y"  
friends not few.



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Margaret Marie Grieve, Lexington, Nebraska.

She graduated from Lexington High School. Is a member of the German Club and of the Y. W. C. A.

Margaret is every inch her height in happiness,  
Always with a smile of gladness.

Gladys Grabill, Roseland, Nebraska.

Gladys was graduated from the Roseland High School, and has taught for one year. She is president of the Juanita Club, and she is a member of the following organizations: The Y. W. C. A., Kindergarten Bund, Culture Club, and Girls' Glee Club.

'Tis Gladys that is ever busy  
Studying or doing for another;  
But still she has the time  
For us all to know and love her.

Mary Grady, O'Neill, Nebraska.

Miss Grady comes to us after having attended O'Neill High School, Peru Normal and St. Mary's Academy. She has also taught for several years. She is very studious, so has not had much time for anything but study. She is a member of the Catholic Club.

"Gentle and low, an excellent thing in woman."

Catherine Hackmann, Shelton, Nebraska.

She attended the Benson High School, but graduated from Shelton. Because of her athletic ability she was for two years a member of the basket ball team, and was sargeant-at-arms for both the Epsilon Beta and the Dramatic Club. She also claims membership with the Y. W. C. A., German Club, Girls' Glee Club, and Oratorio.

In basket ball she's widely known,  
She's athletic from the start;  
And if muscle counts in this old world  
She's sure to make her mark.





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Daisy L. Hall, Nelson, Nebraska.

Miss Hall graduated from the Hastings High School, and has taught for three years in city and rural schools. She is a member of the Tegner Society, The German Club, the History Club, and the Y. W. C. A.

A most polite young lady,  
She's tall and stately, too;  
And when you do for her a favor  
She answers thus: "Thank you!"

Ruth Haughawout, Kearney, Nebraska.

Ruth has brightened three high schools with her smiles, namely,—Genoa, St. Edwards and Cedar Rapids. She has taught for one year in rural school. She is an Epsilon Beta.

A merry little midget  
With a happy, jolly way;  
Her heart is in the Junior Class,  
But who can chide her, pray?

Elsie J. Hoffstrand, Bertrand, Nebraska.

After graduating from the Luther Academy, she taught fourteen years. She is a member of the Y. W. C. A., the German Club and the Tegner Society.

She can talk on divers subjects;  
Her knowledge of books is wide.  
She's acquainted with Hugo and Tolstoi,  
And De Morgan and Dickens beside.

Stella M. Krause, Genoa, Nebraska.

After graduating from the Genoa High School and attending Bellevue College she taught for five years in rural schools. She is a member of the German Club.

She keeps us always smiling  
With her manner so unique;  
She is always bright and happy,  
Still, her manner is most meek.



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Leona Kuhn, Kearney, Nebraska.

Leona graduated from the Kearney High School. She is a member of the German Club.

A very quiet maiden,  
And her thoughts are very deep;  
Her brain's with knowledge laden,  
She of Theory knows a heap.

Helen Mae Lynch, Bridgeport, Nebraska.

Helen came to us after having attended the Pawnee City Academy, Tarkio College, and the Northwestern Conservatory of Minneapolis. She has taught one-half year in Bridgeport. She entered into the school life of the Normal by joining the Aspasians, the Y. W. C. A., the Girls' Glee Club and the Oratorio.

She can talk like a whirlwind  
And sing like a lark;  
She's a jolly good companion,  
And at Math, is quite a shark.

Ethel A. Mackey, Eustis, Nebraska.

She has attended the Eustis High School, Franklin Academy and Grinnell College (Iowa). She has taught three years in city schools. She is affiliated with the Y. W. C. A. and the History Club.

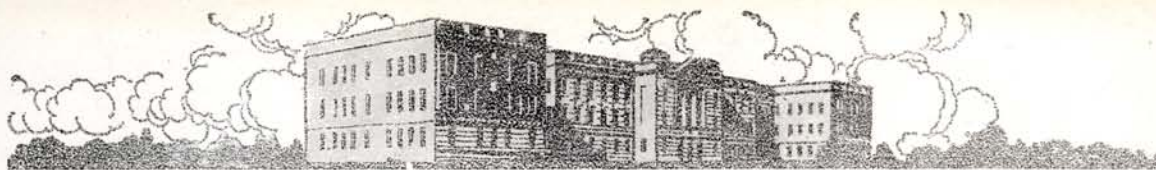
She's smiling, ever smiling,  
Always has some greeting bright;  
Still, she studies like a Trojan,  
And works hard from morn till night.

Harry P. Magnuson, Gothenburg, Nebraska.

Harry Graduated from the Gothenburg High School, attended the University of Nebraska, and taught two years in rural schools before coming to Kearney. He is the able Editor-in-Chief of the "Blue and Gold," and President of the Emanons as well as of the Tegner Society. He is also enrolled with the Y. M. C. A. and the German Club.

He is so very brilliant  
That to look at him hurts one's eyes;  
He's great in Math, and Psychology, too,  
And in Theory's most "wondrous wise."





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Mabel Frances Martin, South Omaha, Nebraska.

Mabel graduated from the South Omaha High School, and since coming to Kearney has joined the Tegner Society, of which she is secretary, the Y. W. C. A., and the German Club.

A Scandinavian maiden,  
Fair haired, with eyes of blue;  
She's always jolly and happy,  
And a student, industrious, too.

Lillian Mason, Hastings, Nebraska.

She has attended both High School and College at Hastings, and has taught for a year and a half in rural schools.

She came to us late in the season,  
And impressed us well from the start;  
She's quiet, sweet and retiring,  
And willing to do her part.

Maud McBee, Naponee, Nebraska.

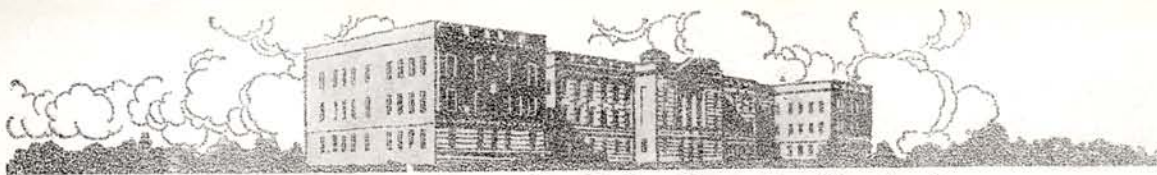
She is a member of the Y. W. C. A., Aspasiens, Latin Club, and History Club. She has had four years' experience in rural and city schools as teacher and assistant principal; has attended Bostwick High School and Franklin Academy.

She studies,—ever studies;  
Keeps her work "up" to the mark;  
She's an extremely busy little "Bee,"  
But hugely enjoys a lark.

Lena Merrill, Minden, Nebraska.

Miss Merrill finished her work in the Kearney Normal at Christmas time and is now teaching in the Lincoln schools where she has the principalship of one of the ward schools. She has been teaching in the Lincoln schools for several years, but took a leave of absence to come and finish her work for a certificate at the K. S. N. While here she was a member of the English Club. She has taken work at the University of Nebraska.

Here is a happy maiden,  
Gifted, without a doubt.  
Her success is very certain,  
For she has it now, in part.



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Hazel G. Minshall, North Platte, Nebraska.

Secretary and Treasurer of the Epsilon Beta.  
North Platte High School claims her as an alumna.  
A very busy girl.

We love to see her smiling,  
This girl of the golden hair;  
She's tall and slender, and graceful too,  
A maiden most charmingly fair.

Julia May Munger, Hershey, Nebraska.

She is another who finished her work during the first semester. She has taught in the Talmage, Hershey, and Stromsburg schools, and at present is principal of the Central City ward schools. She is a graduate of the Howard High School, and has attended the Peru Normal, University, and University School of Music.

She is graced with many talents,  
She can dance, work Math, and sing;  
And many a heart has she captured  
By her merry laughter's ring.

Genevieve Parkhurst, Lincoln, Nebraska.

She has attended the Ashland High School and Wesleyan University.

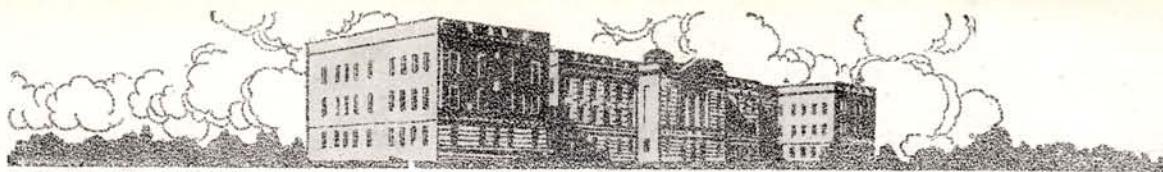
She has a fondness in her heart  
For soldier lads, they say;  
Is that why she gazes eastward  
Toward the halls of the K. M. A?

Churhoo Park, Sinchun, Korea.

He is a member of the Y. M. C. A. and Emanons; taught his native language for two years in the Korean schools, Hastings and Lincoln. Has attended a Korean high school, Hastings College, and University Place High School.

He comes to us from the far, far east.  
He is learning our Yankee ways.  
Some day he'll go back to the land of his birth  
And tell of his Normal days.





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Vera Pool, Harvard, Nebraska.

Y. W. C. A., Latin Club, President Aspasiens.  
Has attended Wilton Junction, Iowa, and Guide  
Rock High Schools.

A perfect shark at Latin;  
She in English knows a heap.  
She can talk like a streak of lightning;  
She's a student hard to beat.

Everett L. Randall, Gibbon, Nebraska.

Glee Club, U. N. L., President Dramatic Club,  
Vice President Y. M. C. A., first semester, Attorney  
General Emanons, member of the debating team,  
Sargeant-at-Arms of Senior Class, Oratorio, Ath-  
letic Association, Business Manager of the Antelope,  
graduated from the Gibbon High School.

He's little, but he's mighty;  
Always willing to assist.  
And when "Billy" says "Get busy"  
His mandate none resist.

Walker M. Ramsey, Hastings, Nebraska.

He is one who can "come back." Two years ago  
he attended the Normal, and since then has taught  
as principal in the schools of Springview and  
Schauppsville, Nebraska. He entered school at the  
beginning of last semester to finish with a good class.  
He is acquainted with Trumbull High School, Hast-  
ings College and Academy.

He is of a midget stature,  
But his head makes up for that,  
He's a very brilliant laddie,  
And for high grades he "stands pat."

Clara Smith Reeder, Columbus, Nebraska.

Epsilon Beta. She has taught in the Columbus  
High School, and is a graduate of the Sargent  
School for Physical Education, Cambridge, Mass.  
She has also attended the University of Nebraska.  
Entered the Normal at the opening of the second  
semester.

Of manner gentle,  
Of affections mild;  
Game for a walk,  
Tho' the weather be wild.



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George E. Ritchey, Huron, South Dakota.

President English Club and Y. M. C. A. first semester. Secretary Athletic Association, Vice President Local History Club, Member of Emanon and Board of Control for the Antelope. He has had one year's teaching experience as director in the Normal agricultural laboratory. He graduated from the School of Agriculture, University of Nebraska.

Three years ago from the state just north,  
There came to Kearney Normal a boy of sterling worth;  
Always so courteous, so noble and true,—  
None but a "Goodwin" is George Ritchey's due.

Ida Ruggles, Los Angeles, California.

Epsilon Beta, Y. W. C. A. She has had two years' teaching experience; is a graduate of the McCook High School; has attended the McCook Junior Normal and the University of Nebraska.

Such a little girl seems out of place  
When in cap and gown she's seen;  
But her place in our affections  
Is in no way small or mean.  
But alas! When commencement is over  
To part with her is our fate,—  
For she leaves Nebraska's prairies  
For the "Sunny Orange State."

D. A. Sawyer, Polk, Nebraska.

Y. M. C. A., Emanon. He has had two years' teaching experience; has attended the Orleans and Seattle seminaries; entered the Normal shortly after the opening of the second semester.

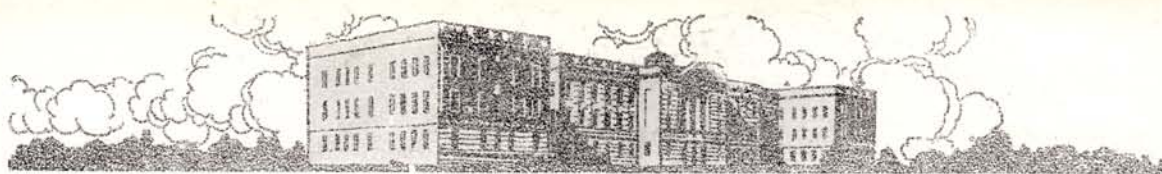
If a face can be worked for a future,  
The story presumptuous is,—  
He'll achieve success upon the strength  
Of his pedagogical ideas.

J. E. Schott, Silver Creek, Nebraska.

Emanon, English Club, member of the Debating Squad, President Athletic Association, Business Manager of the "Blue and Gold." He is a valuable assistant in Prof. Sutton's laboratories and has one year's teaching experience in rural schools to his credit. A "star" on the football team for two years; is also a basketball shark. Graduate of Silver Creek High School.

In the chemistry Lab. a Senior presides,  
In the cause of science,—and good order besides.  
This dignified orator of the 1912 lot,—  
This athlete, this student, is John Edward Schott.





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Elizabeth Scott, Ashland, Nebraska.

Aspasian. Has one year's teaching experience, in Cass County; graduated from the Ashland High School.

Elizabeth Scott, so tall and fair,  
To attend the State Uni. doth prepare,  
In spite of the determination of a certain  
young man  
To turn her from this purpose,—if he can.

Edith Shoe, St. Paul, Nebraska.

She has attended the St. Paul High School and Normal College.

Who is the girl whom everyone admires,  
With the captivating smile and the merry blue  
eyes  
To those who know her 'twill be no surprise  
When they learn that this girl is just Edith  
Shoe's size.

Edward Shue, Axtell, Nebraska.

Emanon, Y. M. C. A., Latin Club. He has had one year's teaching experience in graded school; has attended the Axtell High School.

His solemn face and saintly air  
Doth oft deceive the unaware;  
But when there's anything to do,  
We'll bank on you, our Edward Shue.

Emma Elma Snyder, Cambridge, Nebraska.

Y. W. C. A. Has taught in city and rural schools. She is secretary of the Senior Class and formerly was chairman of the Y. W. C. A. social committee. Graduated from the Cambridge High School.

From a thriving western village  
Came our classmate, Emma Snyder,  
All who know her love and praise her,—  
May success crown all her efforts.



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Susie Stoetzel, Scotia, Nebraska.

Aspasian, German Club, Y. W. C. A. She has taught one term in rural schools. Has attended Scotia, Scribner and Kearney High Schools.

She spreads round that silent spell  
That makes all spirits love her;  
And all the prophets do foretell  
Great success for Miss Stoetzel.

Matidla Strasser, Wood River, Nebraska.

General Secretary of Y. W. C. A., Corresponding Secretary of Local History Club, Vice President Senior Class, Aspasian, Glee Club and Oratorio. Last year by her forceful arguments, she practically won the debate from Peru. She is a hard worker; and when any thing is to be done she is there. She has attended Grand Island College.

A maid with eyes of deepest blue,  
Gentle, fair, and ever true.  
Should e'er a class forget a lass,—  
Believe us, Matilda, it won't be you!

Sarah A. Thompson, Lanark, Illinois.

Y. W. C. A., Latin Club. She has taught successfully in rural and city schools in Illinois, Indiana and Nebraska. She has attended Lanark High School, Central Institute, School of Education, and the Art of Clay Modeling School of Chicago.

Sarah Thompson came to Kearney Normal from the Illinois state.

Her chief ambition is the young to educate.  
She wears a thoughtful expression and is very sedate,

Which explains the fact that she is working for a teacher's certificate.

Myrtle Thygesen, Kearney, Nebraska.

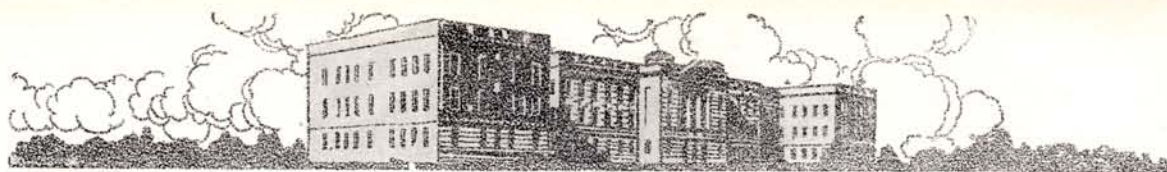
Y. W. C. A., Chorus, Glee Club, German Club, Latin Club. Graduate of the Kearney High School. In our city, Myrtle Thygesen resides.

She has a dignified appearance and is jolly besides.

She has hopes to find some children on which to inflict her knowledge,—

But she won't do this until she has finished college.





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Caroline Vermillion, Kearney, Nebraska.  
Y. W. C. A.; has taught in Harlan County;  
and is a graduate of the Alma High School.  
One of Kearney's own fair daughters  
Is Caroline Vermillion;  
And it's no exaggeration,—  
She's one girl in a million;  
Always working, never shirking,  
She would succeed in a teaching career,  
But,—some man with an eye for value  
Will most surely interfere.

Louise Vroman, Gothenburg, Nebraska.  
English Club, Epsilon Beta, Pianist in Orchestra.  
Has taught two years in rural schools of Dawson County;  
graduate of the Gothenburg High School;  
a brilliant scholar.  
Louise Vroman began to chatter "coo"  
In Gothenburg, Nebraska, about 1892 (?)  
She came to Kearney Normal, for teaching is  
her bent,  
The fulfillment of which lofty aim  
Some classmate may prevent.

Olive Watts, North Platte, Nebraska.  
President Kindergarten Bund; Y. W. C. A., G. G. Club;  
graduate of the North Platte High School.  
Her features are a sea of smiles aglow with  
life and pleasure;  
They radiate for miles and miles as no one  
can measure.  
How long to teach she has not decided,  
But we know of a young Iowan in whom she's  
confided.

Kate West, Hayes Center, Nebraska.  
Epsilon Beta, Y. W. C. A. Has graduated from  
the McCook High School, and has attended the  
McCook Junior Normal and State University.  
Tall, sedate and prim,—  
Her smile is sweet and winning.  
That, my friends, is the reason why  
A certain lad's head is swimming.



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Lewis Weisel, Alexandria, Nebraska.

Dramatic Club, U. N. L., Senior Class basketball team, Senior Class Treasurer and Reporter, Advertising Manager of "Blue and Gold." Has attended Peru Normal and has two years' teaching experience.

We're glad that Lewis Wiesel came to Kearney seeking knowledge;

He has brought good cheer to classmate(s) and victory to the team.

When we say he's hopelessly entangled,  
It's not financially we mean.

Hazel Wheeler, Hastings, Nebraska.

Epsilon Beta, Y. W. C. A.; three years' teaching experience; graduate of Hastings High School and has attended Hastings College.

Quiet, retiring and bashful

She appears when first you meet her,—

But later on we see her worth,

And we have to rise to beat her.

Mabel Wilson, Alexandria, Nebraska.

Epsilon Beta; graduate of the Alexandria High School.

Mabel Wilson,—an Alexandria lass,

Is a jolly girl belonging to the Senior Class.

She takes domestic science, and is very proud of it;

Speaking of this worthy act, we wonder whom 'twill benefit.

Eunice I. Wilson, Doniphan, Nebraska.

Y. W. C. A., Aspasian. Has had four years' teaching experience; attended the Doniphan High School and Grand Island College.

If life is what you make it,

Life for Eunice will be bright;

For she's studious, conscientious,

Quick to choose and do the right.





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Ada E. Wilson, Alexandria, Nebraska.

Secretary and Treasurer of Kindergarten Bund, President Epsilon Beta; a graduate of the Alexandria High School and has attended Peru Normal.

She is dainty, sweet and modest,—  
A friend to everyone;  
She will not endure false statements,  
And chides when it is done.

Blanche Wise, Hayes Center, Nebraska.

She has had several years' teaching experience in various high schools of the state. Has attended Wauneta High School and Fremont Normal; entered the Normal at the opening of the second semester.

From the southwest corner of our state  
Comes this Senior of whom we relate;  
Knowing her virtues, we are sure she will rise.  
If you want to see the girl, just look for  
Blanche Wise.

Helen G. Woolworth, Kearney, Nebraska.

Glee Club, Secretary of English Club, Y. W. C. A., German Club, a member of the Senior Class basketball team. A graduate of the Kearney High School.

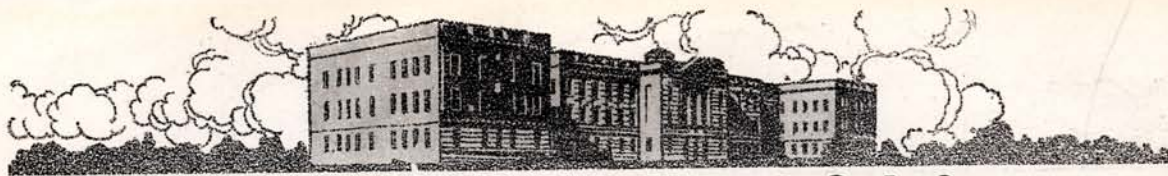
Helen Woolworth's faults, is any she possesses,  
Are surely overshadowed by her manifold successes.  
A friend to every one,—we vote her a good classmate;  
Winsome,—loving,—no one doubts she will be  
a good helpmate!

Louise Zwick, Eustis, Nebraska.

Aspasian, Secretary German Club, Y. W. C. A. Has taught three years and has attended Eustis High School and Wesleyan University.

A little "Deutschen" maiden  
With a wealth of dark brown hair.  
There's a twinkle alurk in her eyes of blue  
That gives her a jovial air.





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## Senior Class History

Our present efficient Senior Class, it may surprise one, had a very meager beginning in September, 1908. There were several who were really Freshmen, but the class was not organized. Of course no one makes known that he is a Freshman, except when occasion demands it.

However the next year we began to be known. Our class numbered about fifteen, only two of whom are members of the present Senior Class. Our beloved Prof. Snodgrass was chosen class adviser, and from that time to this we have kept him in that capacity. Lamont Stephens, who is now taking a course at the State University, was chosen President.

We selected our class colors, lavender and white, and designed our pennant in the Sophomore year.

Although we were few in numbers, with such a leader, and a "Sampson" to "Guy" us along, great things only could result. Time passed so pleasantly that we did not realize the year was coming to a close until the time arrived for decorating our famous "May Supper" table.

We had by this time developed a good taste for the knowledge for which we hungered, and now began to look for "real banquets" in the Junior year. The year finally arrived and our numbers as well as our ability had increased. We then numbered nearly sixty, and rivalry with the Seniors ensued. We knew there must be either a lament or a Lamont in the chair, so Stephens was again inaugurated.

Many were the pleasant gatherings we enjoyed, and too soon the year ended.

But the Senior class is always the climax of the whole course. Our class is the largest which has ever graduated from the Kearney State Normal and is without doubt the best. It consists of eighty-one members and Frederick W. Deyke presides over this large number. There are a great number who belonged to the Junior class of last year, but some dropped out and many new ones entered. We are still a very serene and dignified body, as is always expected of Seniors.

We shall certainly make a success in every walk in life, judging from the different vocations and symbols represented. A "Gale" is always present which keeps us on our way, and we even have a pair of "Shoes" to aid us in the walk. If either of these are disabled, a "Hackman" is ready to assist us. It is well for us to "All-bee" "Wise" but it will not come amiss if we are "Green" once in a while for we are all "Goodfellows." However if a battle should ever need to be "Faught," we have a "Billy" and a "Fort-na" at hand and we are as cunning as a "Fox," so we have no "Fear."

Not long ago a "Kuhn" said to Ralph Essert, I "Saw-yer" standing in the "Hall" talking to Kate West. Ralph said, "I don't care if you did she's a "Daisy" and anyway I was just asking her what "Cotton" and "Wool" are "worth," because I must report that in class." "An-der-son" went away without asking any questions.

It is not very pleasant to arise at the first "Crow" in order to get to Geography class in due time, but we have no cause to "Greve." We have a "Wheeler" who can take us up to the pleasant "Pool" in the "Parks" when summer arrives, and a "Gardner" who will supply some of the eatables. "Olives" and "Cones" will also be served.

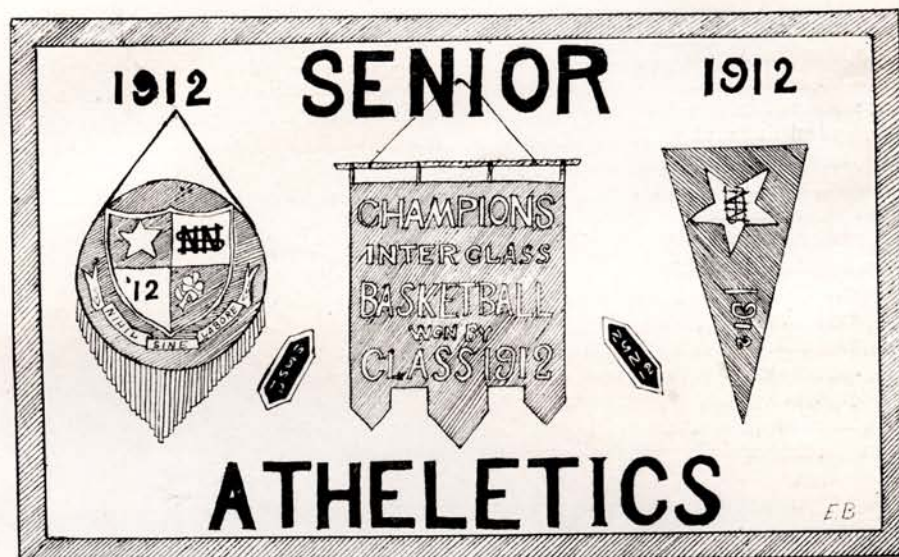
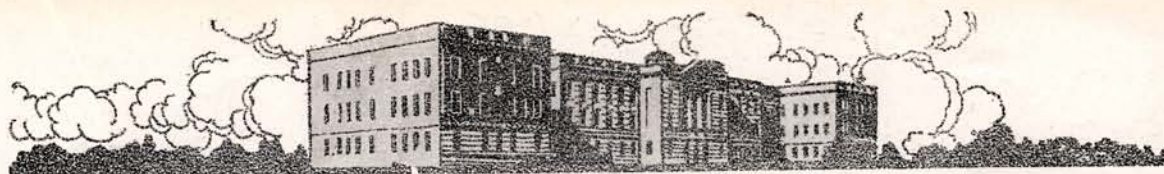
Our "Reeder" delights us at our class gatherings, and "Violets," "Ferns," "Daisies," "Mabels" (May-bells), "Lillies" and "Myrtles" are used for decorating purposes. One precious gem, the "Ruby" is always seen on these occasions.

Several of our number will also soon enter "matrimonial bliss" judging from the number of "sparklers" we see.

Surely with a Gardner, a Hackman, a Burr-man, a Reader, and a Mason represented, every indication is for success.

Three cheers for the class of 1912.





## Senior Basket Ball

The boys basket ball team, representing the Junior class of 1911, opened the season by defeating the Sophomores to the tune of 54 to 4.

In the second siege they took on the Freshmen, winning from the beginners by the large margin of 53 to 16. In the final spasm the champions "to be" cinched the pennant from the Seniors in a well fought game, by a curtain dropper of 22 to 16. Essert, Toole, Burman, Ritchey and Schott did the fancy manipulating of the ball in professional style through the season. To show that there was some class to the champions four of the five players were represented on the Normal's first team. The general line up for the season was: Ritchey, Center; Essert, right forward; Toole, left forward; Burman, right guard; Schott, left guard.

With the opening of the season of 1912, the Senior class was represented in the class games by four of the players of 1911, consisting of Ritchey, Schott, Burman and Essert. The new recruits Weisel, Dyke, Beardslee and Shue were available and each showed up in good form in the games in which they participated.

The first adventure was with the Sophs. The husky second year men handed them 17 points in this encounter and pulled out 25 for themselves. The main reason for the severe drubbing was that the Senior's main-pill tosser, Essert, severely sprained his ankle early in the first half and had to give way to a some what in-experienced player. The loss of Essert was plainly shown in the following games.



A week later it was plain to be seen that the Senior sterling's were not in the swim for the rag as they dropped a pretty exhibition of the winter pastime to the Mamma boys of the first year, to the mournful melody of 22 to 14. The Freshies were assisted in this premenade by a few members of the first year's commercials. The grand finale of these mighty combats was laid between the sterling Seniors and the plucky Juniors. In a hard fought, fiercely contested and bloody battle the honors were evenly divided in the first skirmish, but the Juniors put on more war paint and at the close of the massacre marched off the field with 13 unlucky scalps dangling from their belts leaving only half a dozen souvenirs for the graduate men.

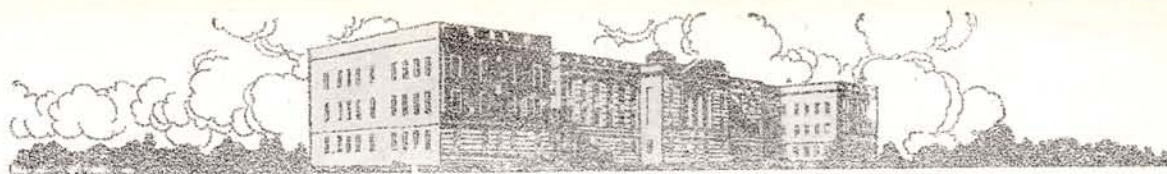
In the Senior line up for this season, Deyke at center was a tall one to meet; Weisel at right guard was as agile as a cat; Beardslee at right got his man and the ball each time; Essert at left forward put the ball through the basket like a charm; Burman at left guard was at "the pickings" all the time; Shue and Ritchey at center in their respective games were on tiptoe at every opportunity; and Schott showed that he knew the position at right guard as well as a profesh.

In all the games the boys showed their gameness and vigor in sensational playing from the first whistle until the gong rang.



Schott, Ritchey, Weisel, Essert, Beardslee, Burman, Shue, Dyke.





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Fitzgerald, Zwink, Hackman, Dunlap, Eads, Ruggles.

### Senior Basket Ball-Girls

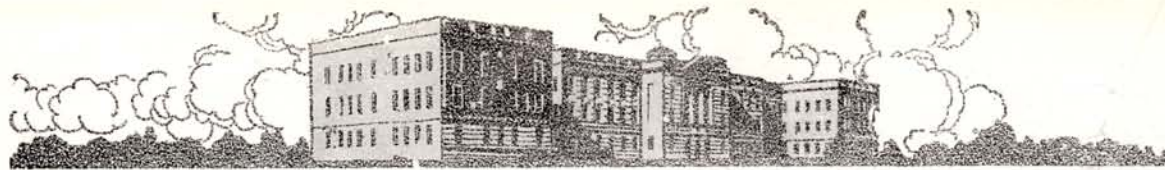
In 1910-11 the Juniors, now Seniors, won the school pennant. The Junior girls won every game. Catherine Hackman, Ellice Chesemore, and Emma Crow played center. Elizabeth Jeanette and Julia O'Connor were the forwards who never missed a goal. Helen Woolworth and Gladys Graybill played guards. Of this number, Miss Hackman is the only one who played on the Senior team the past year. Of the 1910-11 class games, the Junior-Senior game was the most exciting and when the final score was announced, all knew that the pennant had been won by the Juniors.

The Senior team of 1911-12 was as good a team as when the class were Juniors and won every game except the Junior-Senior, which shows that the Juniors had a good team this year.

Hannah Dunlap and Fern Eads played centers on the Senior team. Miss Dunlap is a level-headed player, one of those who are quick and yet take time to calculate and she knows how to get the ball and where to put it to the best advantage. Fern Eads, as second center, played an excellent game.

Team work is essential for the forwards and the Senior forwards, Catherine Hackman and Vera Fitzgerald certainly do team work. Accurate goal throwing is also characteristic of these forwards.

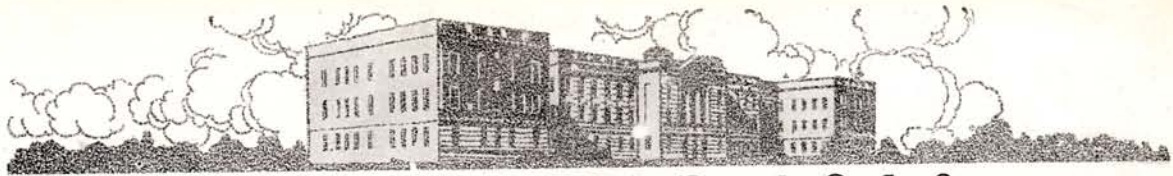
The Senior guards were Ida Ruggles, Kate West and Louise Zwink. Miss Ruggles got valuable training in practicing at the Nebraska University. Quickness and persistency are characteristic of her playing and also of Miss West's playing. Miss Zwink is not an experienced player but she is level headed and knows where the ball should go. As a whole, the Senior class is accurate, quick and bound to win.



### Senior Stunt







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### A Senior Class Party





## Class Organization

F. W. Deyke .....	President
Matilda Strasser .....	Vice President
Emma Snyder .....	Secretary
L. W. Weisel .....	Treasurer
E. Randall .....	Sergeant at Arms

Colors—Lavender and White.

Flower—White Rose.

## Yells

S-E-N-I-O-R, Senior!  
That's the way we spell it!  
That's the way we yell it!  
Don't you hear us?  
SENIOR! SENIOR SEN-I-OR!

Hipity Hipity Hus.  
The point we'll not discuss,  
But nevertheless, we'll have to confess,  
There's nothing the matter with us!  
SE! SE! SEN! IO! IO! IOR.  
S—E—N—I—O—R!!!

Give them the ax, the ax, the AX!  
Give them the ax, the ax, the AX!  
Where? Where? Where?  
Right in the neck, the neck, the NECK!  
Right in the neck, the neck, the NECK!  
There! There! There!

S-e, S-e, S-e-n  
I-o, I-o, I-o-r  
SENIOR.

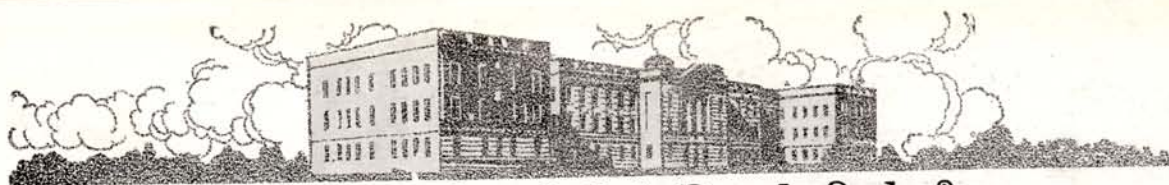




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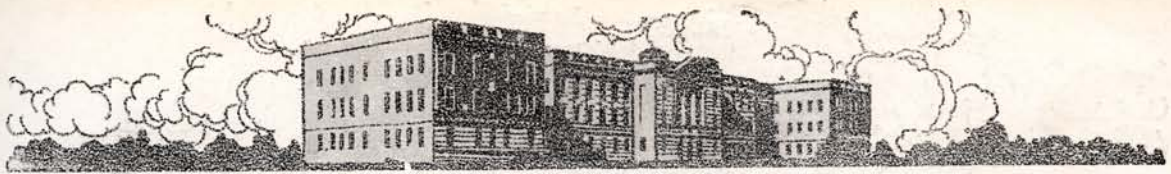
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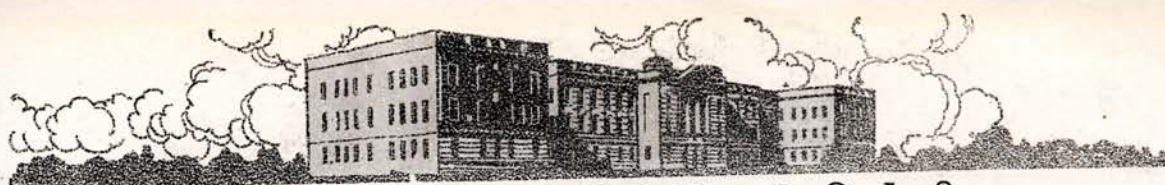


**Miss D'Connell**

Miss O'Connell, Junior class adviser, has been the guiding star of the class since it was organized.

She is ever ready to extend a helping hand. Her originality and practical advice have endeared her to the whole class. Their future is secure with her at the helm.





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### Jolly Juniors

Prof. C. A. Murch.

Air: Jolly Students.

#### I.

You may talk about your Senior class with solemn cap and gown,  
Who from their lofty pedestal upon the world look down;  
They're deeply psychological and when they make their bow  
Upon the Chapel rostrum we expect they'll tell us how  
We ought to differentiate the wherefore from the whence,  
But when they get their sheep-skins safe  
And peregrinate from thence  
They'll be just common school ma'ams  
And will teach the young idee  
To store their pericraniums with simple A, B, C. But we are

#### CHORUS.

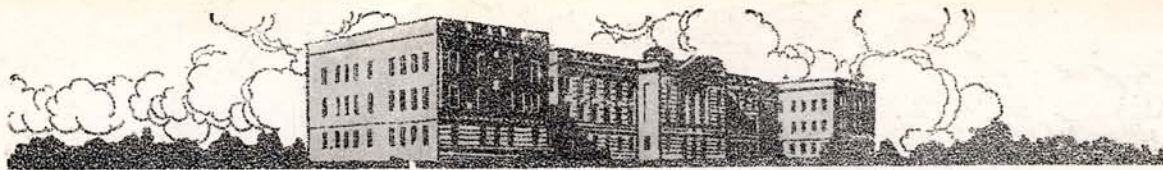
Jolly Juniors and our hearts are light, put care to flight!  
Hail to the Yellow and the Brown  
And hail the Blue and Gold of Alma Mater dear  
Rah! Rah! Rah! Hear the Jolly Juniors cheer.  
For we are Jolly Juniors and our hearts are light, put  
care to flight!  
Hail to the Yellow and the Brown  
And hail the Blue and Gold of Alma Mater dear  
Rah! Rah! Rah! Hear the Jolly Juniors cheer.

#### II.

But oh! these Jolly Junior joys will all too, soon be past  
And of our Jolly Junior joys we shall see the last!—  
And when to ancient history we hand the Juniors down  
As solemn Seniors then must put on the cap and gown.  
Then bid dull care be gone tonight and let our voices sing,  
To celebrate the praises of our Alma Mater sing,  
And tho' no longer Jolly as the Juniors bye and bye  
We yet may find some chance to be quite Jolly on the sly, For we are

#### CHORUS.

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### Junior Class Officers

President .....	Raymond Kirk
Vice President .....	William Birkelbach
Secretary .....	Ethel Strasser
Treasurer .....	Norvin Holzmark
Sergeant at Arms .....	Glen Jones

Class Adviser—Miss O'Connell.

Flower—Yellow Rose.

Colors—Yellow and Brown.

YELL

J—J—Jun

I—I—Ior

Junior.





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Ruth Arnold. As every one knows Ruth talks, eats, sleeps and lives in Basket Ball; she is captain of the class team, and is a star player. She is also a good student and a model Junior.

Clara Bartle. Clara first began to make herself heard in St. Paul, Nebraska. She is a graduate of St. Paul High School and College. She was scared stiff, when she went over Froebel's Bridge, but she survived, and now she is a loyal Kindergartner.

Ruth Batie is of very retiring disposition. For culture and dignity, ambitious Sophs. are advised to model after her.

Marie Berry comes from South Omaha. Is a member of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet, Kindergarten Bund and D. O. Society.

A stylish lady—to this we all will own  
Her winning smile, her pleasant way  
To every one is known.



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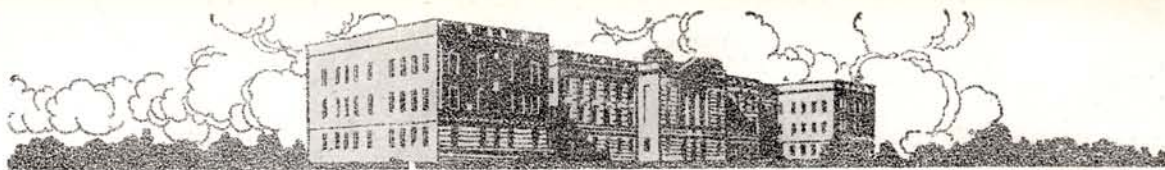
Wm. Birkelbach was born in Germany. He followed the calling of the sea for five years, but came to Kearney in 1911, to be vice president of the Junior class. Has been around the world twice, serving as quarter-master the last trip. He is a member of the Emanons, Latin and German Club and Y. M. C. A. and class representative on the Annual Staff.

Albert Bischel, Kearney, Nebr. K. H. S. 1911. German Club, Emanons, Y. M. C. A., Glee Club. Your picture taken while you wait.

Gertrude Bloom, the Golden-haired Venus of the Latin play. She is liked by all, and is an honored member of the class. She belongs to the Latin, German and Catholic clubs.

Perley Brown's home is at St. Paul, Nebr. Member of the Latin club and Y. M. C. A. "Night after night he sat and blurred his eyes with books."





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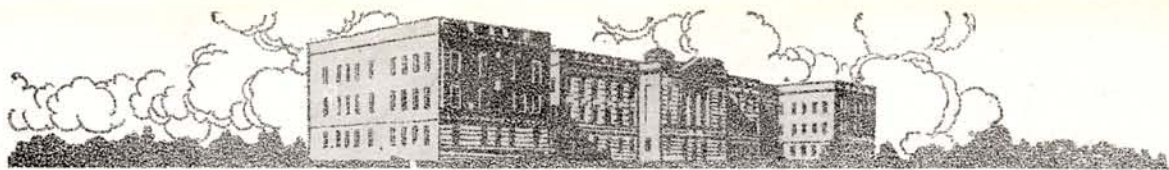


Archie Burford, "Spike," Ogalalla, Nebr., O. H. S. 1911. Captain of the class basket ball team. He knows everyone and everyone knows him.

Ethel Burmood is a product of Wood River, Nebraska. She is an enthusiastic Junior and we all agree that "Bunch" will make a mighty fine school Ma'am.

Clark Cameron is a Kearney boy. He is a member of the Latin and Catholic clubs and has high athletic aspirations. Doc has the mind of a philosopher, thinks much, but is too modest to give expression to his thoughts.

Raymond Campbell, home town McCook, Nebr. He leads a very strenuous life indeed for he belongs to the Latin club, Glee club, Y. M. C. A., Emmons, Normal Band, Sub. first foot ball and second basket ball teams.



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Paul Cavenee. "Spot" is the social lion, the man, who has an inexhaustible supply of smiles.

He is specializing in Elocution and we look forward to the time when he will thrill vast crowds with his dramatic art.

Member of the Emanons, Y. M. C. A., Pres. U. N. L.

Inez Cark, McCook, Nebr., McCook H. S. 1909.

Enthusiasm and vim predominating characteristics.

Bessie Conley. This flaxen-haired lassie lives at Cozad, Nebr. A graduate of the Cozad High School. One of the workers in the Y. W. C. A.

Marjorie Cross thinks she descended from the nobility. Her present home is in North Platte. Her name is not an index to her character. She is a very promising student.





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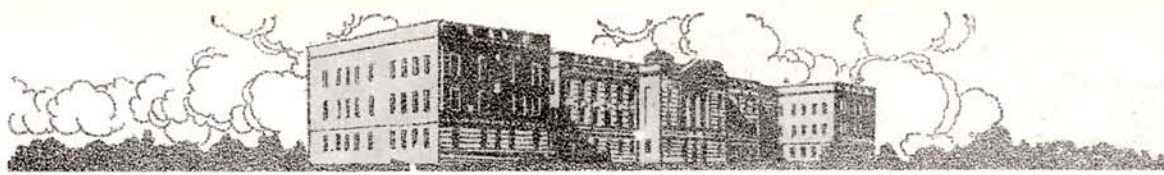
Marry Curry, Atlantic, Iowa.

She is so full of pleasant anecdote,  
So rich, so gay, so poignant in her wit  
Time vanishes before her as she speaks.

Vivian Dillman comes from Curtis, Nebr. A member of the German club, Y. W. C. A. and Glee Club. She doesn't believe in taking life too seriously.

Margaret Dryden hails from Farnam, Nebr. She is strongly interested in Y. W. work, and can always be depended upon to help where she is needed. Her watchword is "duty."

Rosalie Dryden is a conscientious student and a member of the Y. W. cabinet. She is of a calm, quiet bearing which wins the esteem of her classmates.



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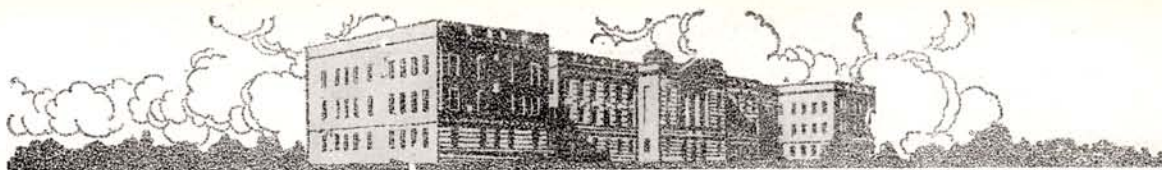
Blanche Fieldgrove is a Sheltonite. Member of the Latin Club and played an important part in the Latin play.

Alice Fitzpatrick. This is another Junior who is fond of having a good time. As second center on the class basket ball team she has contributed her share to the success of the team. Her favorite color is "Brown."

Ethel Gallaway. A graduate of Overton High School. Ethel is a member of the Y. W. C. A. Her motto is "You never know so much, but that you can learn more."

Mary Gibbon is a pioneer member of the class and aspires to become a Latin teacher some day. She is a member of Latin, Aspasian and Glee Clubs. She is very proud of her Welsh origin.





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Ada Graham comes from Gibbon. She is specializing in History, but frankly admits she prefers domestic life to teaching.

Earl Hammons comes from Gibbon whither he wends his way at each week's end. Plays in the Normal band.

Who knows what turmoil those shy glances will cause in some fair maiden's heart!

Eda Hanisch has never been known to have the blues. She belongs to the German club and plays second center on the basket ball team. Her home is in California.

Lena Hauke lives at Wood River but came to Kearney to join our illustrious class. "Work is my recreation."



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Ethel Hill is a graduate from the North Platte High School. She is a member of the Latin, German and Glee clubs. A quiet little maid who delights in books.

Ellen Hinshilwood, graduate of Fullerton High School in 1910. Is an active member of the Y. W. and Secretary of the Aspasiens. Besides her rare shopping ability, she is noted for her popularity among the girls. Her mouth is adapted to two things—smiling and candy eating.

Norvin Holzmark "Hozy," is noted for various things but he makes himself heard best in his capacity as yell-leader. He plays a fine game of basket ball and is one of the Juniors that can always be depended upon to help out in every undertaking. His chief affliction is heart trouble.

Mrs. Clarissa Houston lives in Kearney. She is specializing in English and History. Gifted with wit and versatility.





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Amy Jack, Eustis, Nebr. A member of Y. W.,  
Aspasians and the Latin club.

"For she was just the quiet kind  
Whose natures never vary,  
Like streams that keep a summer mind  
Snow-hid in January."

Gertrude Johnson. A graduate of Luther Col-  
lege of Wahoo in 1911. The only way that one can  
account for her sweet winning ways is that she is a  
Swede. Is a member of the Aspasian Debating So-  
ciety, Tegner, and also of the Y. W. C. A. Her  
home town is Sutton, Nebraska.

Glenn Jones comes from Geneva. Is Sergeant at  
Arms of the Junior class. "Casey" is the pet of  
the Normal. Age?—Guess, and add two years.

A bright little boy, full of fun everywhere.  
No, we won't say a word as to color of hair.

Alice Jorgenson. She has been called the "Cheer-  
ful Dane." She is a good student and takes a wide  
awake interest in everything about her. Incidental-  
ly, she is one of our promising Domestic Science stu-  
dents.



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Ruth Karlson. Graduate of Gothenburg High School. A quiet miss. Belongs to the Kindergarten Bund and Tegner.

Anne Kepler, Broadwater, Nebr.

German Club and girls basket ball team. She has proven herself a noble defender of the class and school on the B. B. field.

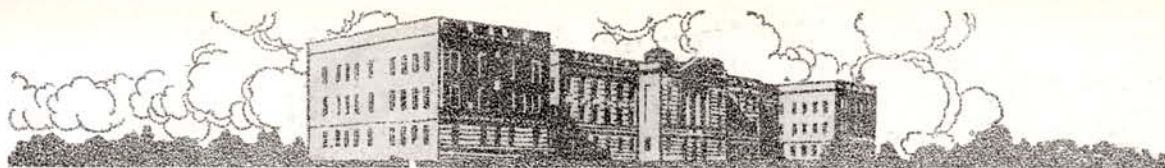
Florence Kerr. Home town Aurora, Nebr.

Is a graduate of the Aurora High School. Belongs to the Y. W. C. A. Her fairest virtues fly from public sight.

Mable Kerr, graduate of Aurora High School. Member of Y. W. C. A.

"My tongue within my lips I rein,  
For who talks much must talk in vain."





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Raymond Kirk, President of the Junior class, member of the debating squad, assistant in the physical science laboratory, member of the English club, Emanon, Y. M. C. A. and German club.

"He is wont to speak plain and to the purpose."

Harry Knott comes here from Gibbon to which place he returns every Friday night to see Ma and Pa. He can talk, but he maintains an eloquent silence most of the time.

Grace Koch comes to Kearney from Millard. Belongs to the History club, Y. W. C. A., D. O. society and is captain of girls' first basket ball team. A good all-round Junior.

Glennie Leskey is a North Platte girl. She is a member of the German club and an excellent student.



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Ralph Lichty, Carleton, Nebr. Member of Y. M.,  
German club and chorus.

I hope to be about to be  
And hope my hopes will not be hopeless.

Etta Loewenstein, Kearney, Nebr. K. H. S. 1911.

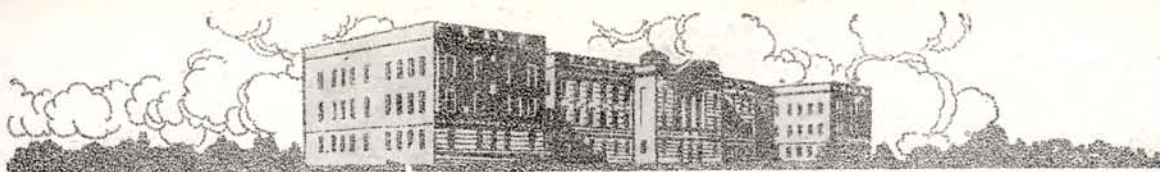
Her delight is Domestic Science, in which ~~she~~  
wishes to specialize.

Irma Lynch, a graduate of Bridgeport High  
School. She is a warbler in the Girls Glee Club and  
is a great favorite among her schoolmates.

Zella McConnaughey, Gibbon, Nebr.

Belongs to German, Latin and Glee Clubs.  
"I have heard of the lady and good words went  
with her name."





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Ethel McVey is the class beauty. She is taking the Kindergarten course, but from appearances will not continue long in the work. She is a member of the Y. W. and the Glee club. Her home address is North Platte.

Merle Makeever is a graduate from the Stromsburg High School. She is a member of the Glee club and the German club. "Small but mighty."

Laura Marshall comes from Eddyville. A member of the Latin club. Likes to mislead the boys by pretending she is Lora.

Lora Marshall, Eddyville, Nebr. A member of Latin club. Likes to mislead the boys and "others" by pretending she is Laura.



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Jennie Martin claims Shelton, Nebr., as her home town. She graduated from Shelton High School in 1911.

Severe and youthful brows, with shining eyes.

Della Morrison is a Kearney girl. She is a member of the Aspasian, German and Glee clubs, also of the chorus.

All sorrows and trouble disappear  
When this fair maiden doth appear.

Flora Moulds, Lexington, Nebr. Member of the Latin club. "An excellent lady to walk with and talk with."

Ellen Murphy hails from Callaway. She is a member of the Aspasian and a good worker in the Y. W. C. A. With her, each golden minute has its purpose.





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Alice Nicholas of Mason City, is one of our debaters. She is president of the Y. W. C. A. and is an active member of the Latin club and Aspasian.

To know her is to love her,  
To name her is to praise."

Alta Patterson lives near Kearney. She graduated from Kearney High School in 1911.

"Turn my thoughts from human love."

Matilda Petersen is a member of the D. O. society, debating squad, Kindergarten Bund, Tegner, and Y. W. C. A. Cabinet. Headquarters at the "Dorm." Minden is her home. You will probably hear from her in the future—Wait and see.

Leslie Peebles graduated from the Kearney High School in 1904 and entered this class in 1911. He has greatly assisted the publishers of Durrell's trigonometry by correcting the answers in the text.



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Laura Penny is a graduate from the Sargent High School. Her bright eyes and sunny smile win her many friends.

Claudia Phelps, Central City, Nebr. Latin club. "She speaks, behaves, and acts just as she ought."

Effie Phelps, Central City, History club. "I never knew so young a body with so old a head."

Miriam Pool. Home town Harvard, Nebr. Came to Kearney two years ago. Is a member of the Aspasian Debating society and also of the Y. W. C. A. The greatest trial of her life is keeping quiet during study hours.





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Bessie Porter's home is out in the wild and wooly west at Bridgeport. She belongs to the English and Aspasian clubs.

"She wears the smile that won't come off."

Maude Redding completed her high school course at Beresford, S. D. She seems to think Kearney Normal good enough for her.

Emma Reyner lived at Broken Bow until a year ago when she moved to Alanson, Mich. Member of the Aspasiens, Culture club and Y. W. Main characteristic is her energy. One of the talented daughters of the "Sniggles family."

Genevieve Reece, Columbus, Nebr. Says she doesn't belong to anything but the Kindergarten Bund and K. M. A.

"The world grows rosy when she smiles."



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Maude Rees. She is a bright girl, quick of wit and a favorite with all. Her worth will not be questioned when it is known that she was unanimously elected President of the Culture club.

Besse Richey. Home town Norfolk. Belongs to the Glee club and Der Deutsche Verein. "She is an excellent sweet lady and exceedingly wise."

Edward Ritchey, Euron, S. D. Latin club. Appointed to the U. S. civil service as teacher in the Philippine Islands.

You doubtless know Ed., who courage did take,  
To talk to a girl once, with never a break,  
A straight half minute he talked, but I'll say  
He has never been strong, to this very day.

Ethel Rusher. One of the dignified young ladies of Green Terrace Hall. A Domestic Science star. She receives so many letters during the week that it requires all her mathematics to figure out the number.





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Alice Robinson, Kearney, Nebr. K. H. S. 1911. Belongs to the Latin club. A student of whom Kearney Normal will be proud.

Grover Rost stands high in the class as his six feet, two inches will attest. He is a member of the debating squad, Y. M. C. A. cabinet, Tegner, Latin club and Emanons. Axtell boasts of being his home town.

Lena Rowell has been with the class from the beginning. She is vice president of the Aspasiens, belongs to the German club, Glee club and chorus. Is the first lady of the class. Not least among her accomplishments is her rooting at basket ball games.

Flolda Sample was a member of the Belgrade High School. She belongs to the Aspasiens and delights in "Educational stunts."



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Marian Sawyer's home is at Gibbon, Nebr. She is a member of the Y. W. and the Kindergarten Bund. Expects to be a Kindergarten teacher.

Louise Schumacher. Home town is Orleans, Nebraska, where she graduated from High School. Is noted for her winsome grace. She is vice president of the Catholic club.

Etta Sharp, Giltner, Nebr. She is preparing herself for intermediate work and gives it her sole attention.

Estella Stanton's home is in Des Moines, Iowa. Member of Glee club and Y. W. Barriers fall away before her.





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Helen Stevenson. This little black eyed girl comes from Amherst, Nebr. She is a member of the Junior basket ball team and belongs to the D. O. (Dormitory Owls.)

Georgia Stoetzel commonly known as 'George'. A member of "Mother" Brindley's busy brood. Her home is at Scotia.

Ethel Strasser—"A daughter of the Gods, divinely tall, and most divinely fair." She is of a musical turn of mind and belongs to most everything—Glee club, English club, Aspasiens, and Y. W. Her home is at Wood River.

Bessie Thomas comes from North Loup. She is a member of the Kindergarten and a conscientious Y. W. worker. Spends most of her time in study.



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Minnie Thuman. Present home, Cambridge, Nebr., formerly from Texas. German club, Glee club and Chorus. Expects to do high school work. "Brevity is the soul of wit."

Dora Timm comes from Osceola High School. Her only fault is that she does not believe in woman suffrage. She is a member of the Aspasiens and of the Y. W.

Byron Walker is another Gibbonite. Plays in the Normal band. A good and loyal student.

George Wallace was sent here from Fullerton to take Junior Observation. Is a member of the debating squad.





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Mabel Walter is from Eddyville, but Kearney High School has claimed her the past four years. Her greatest delight is to hear the "Drum."

Fannie Welsh was born Feb. 29, 1892, in St. Paul, Nebr. Her delight is in the laws of the dormitory and in these laws doth she meditate day and night.

Charlotte Williams. This jolly Kindergartner believes in enjoying life while young. She works hard at everything she undertakes but does not believe in worry. Her ideal is a man of "Frank" nature.

Gladys Williams comes from Surprise. Member of Glee club, Chorus and Y. W.

"Her stature tall—I hate a dumpy woman."



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Roy Winholz has lived in Kearney for the past eight years. Belongs to the Tegner club. Aspires to be a doctor. "The love of books is a love which requires neither justification, apology, nor defense."

Lucile Wolfe lives in Kearney. She graduated from Omaha High School in 1910. She is a member of the German club and Glee club, and her musical talent is in great demand. "She lives where the day is bright."

Bernice Wood is a grave and dignified school ma'am of three years standing. Miss Wood is a Gibbonite and Gibbon is the place where brains are made. She is specializing in mathematics.

Gladys Wood is the class midget. She was attracted to our school from her home in far off Idaho.





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Grace Woolworth is a product of the Kearney High Schools. Member of the Glee club and Chorus and Kindergarten Bund. Noted for her sunny smile.

"Her words are theorems, her thoughts a problem."

Gladys Wright comes from Giltner, Nebr., where she graduated from High School in 1910. She has taught a few years, and is specializing in primary work.

Edmund Winchell, one of the Juniors' champion basket ball players. To look at him is to think that his ancestors came from Sweden, to talk with him is to know that he comes from Gothenburg.

May Leitch, Kearney, Nebr. Kindergarten Bund Chorus and Glee Club.

"As a soft landscape where all is harmony and calm and quiet."



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### History of the Class of 1913

In December, 1910, the class of 1913 met to organize a freshman class.

Miss O'Connell was appointed class adviser and to her is attributed the greater part of our success as a class. The following officers were elected for the freshman year:

President—Edward Hanisch.

Vice President—Emma Brown.

Secretary and Treasurer—O. M. Thygeson.

During the year the class colors were chosen and the yellow and brown have been much in evidence ever since.

The class had a table at the May supper and much spirit was evidenced in preparing and carrying out this "stunt."

As the bud bursts forth in full bloom so the Freshman were transformed into Sophomores. The class was organized very early and a bright, jolly bunch entered into the work of the year with loyal class spirit. The following officers were elected for the Sophomore year, 1910-11:

President—Leonard Steburg.

Vice President—Raymond Kirk.

Secretary—Lena Rowell.

Treasurer—Olive Stillwell.

When the result of the preliminary debate was announced it was found that almost half the debating squad was made up of Sophomores.

A class party was given in the second semester and the rest-room was as much alive as it ever has been before or since.

The year wound up with a jolly picnic on Cotton Mill lake. In this way the happy year closed but only to open into the prosperous Junior year.

And now the class has reached the enviable position of Juniors, the happiest year of all. Many new students attracted by the charms and brilliancy of the class have entered the ranks, bringing with them, added power and new life, till now the roll numbers almost one hundred.

The first meeting of the Junior class was held Oct. 20, 1911. Mr. Kirk, last year's Vice President, having shown himself so capable, was elected President of the class. Mr. Birklebach was chosen as Vice President. The other officers elected were: Miss Ethel Strasser, Secretary; Mr. Holzmark, Treasurer, and, last but not least, (except in size) Mr. Jones, Sergeant at Arms.

The first Junior party was held on Saturday evening, November 4, in the Y. W. rest-room, which was tastefully decorated in the class-colors to suit the occasion. There were seventy-five members present and such a time was enjoyed as only Juniors are capable of enjoying.

Among other things the class has come to the front in basket ball. The girls under the leadership of Miss Arnold and the boys under Mr. Eurford have made the other classes stand back and take notice. Their victory has been complete and they have gained the coveted pennant.

In the debating squad of twelve this year there were five Juniors. They are also well represented in the various clubs, and in Y. M. and Y. W. work, the President of the Y. W. being a Junior. In the foot ball squad last fall they did creditable work. In fact the Juniors have shown themselves capable and efficient in everything they have undertaken.

Their aim is to win greater honor for themselves during their school life. Their number is large, their standard high and under the helpful guidance of Miss O'Connell and the close fellow-ship with the other classes they must and will succeed and thus keep up and surpass the excellent record of the present Senior class.





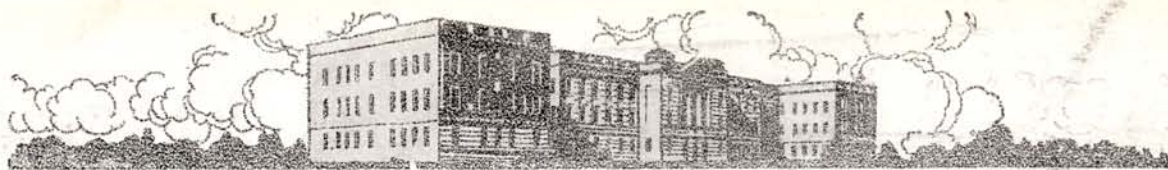
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### Junior Stunt

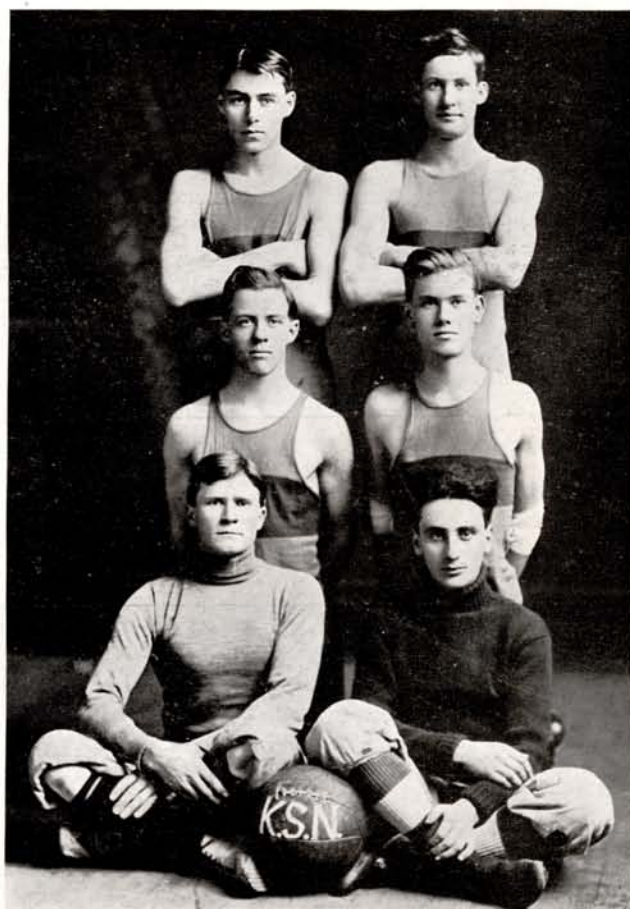


### A Junior Class Party





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### Junior Boys

Shields, Burford, Baldrige, Winchell, Campbell, Holzmark.





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## Junior Basket Ball

Kepler, Gibbon, Koch, Stevenson, Fitzpatrick, Williams, Hanisch, Arnold.



## Junior Girl's Basket Ball

On the twenty-first of January, 1912, when the golden sunset had passed away, and the darkness of night was reigning in full, the Junior girls basket ball five met the Freshmen girls, aided by upper classmates, at the gymnasium to battle for the inter-class championship. The Freshmen fought honorably and bravely. But when the "siren" blew at the end of the second half the score stood 7 to 21 in favor of the invincible Juniors.

When the twenty-sixth of January was in its last quarter, the Junior basket ball girls met those would be Juniors (the Sophomores) in the most hotly contested game of the season. These two teams were so evenly matched that, when time was called at the end of the second half, the score board read "20 to 20." So then it was necessary to play extra time in order to see who would be the victors. After a short time of hard playing it resulted in a well fought victory for the Jolly Juniors by a score of 21 to 23. Oh you Sophomores! we give you credit for putting up the best game of the series but nevertheless you will have to concede the fact that the Junior girls are unconquerable, and you will have to bow to them in recognition of this fact.

On the bright and beautiful evening of February the sixteenth, when nature was giving us the first evidence of spring; 'twas then the Juniors met those would be champions, the Seniors, in the last of the annual class games. The Seniors fought with untiring energy but were unable to cope with those Magnanimous Juniors. It was not entirely a walk away for the Juniors because the score card read sixteen to ten, but there was enough of a gain to make the Juniors the undisputed victors. Oh, you Seniors! it is hard for you, we know, to acknowledge the Juniors as your superior but never-the-less you will have to bow to the Juniors in acknowledgment of their superiority, in basket ball at least.

This being the last game it made the Junior girls the undefeated champions!  
The Junior girls who established this wonderful record are the following:

Guards: Anna Kepler, Helen Stevenson, Charlotte Williams and Mary Gibbon.

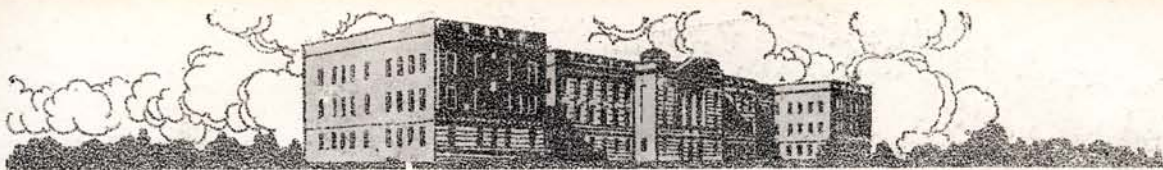
Forwards: Ruth Arnold, Grace Koch.

First Center: Eda Hanisch.

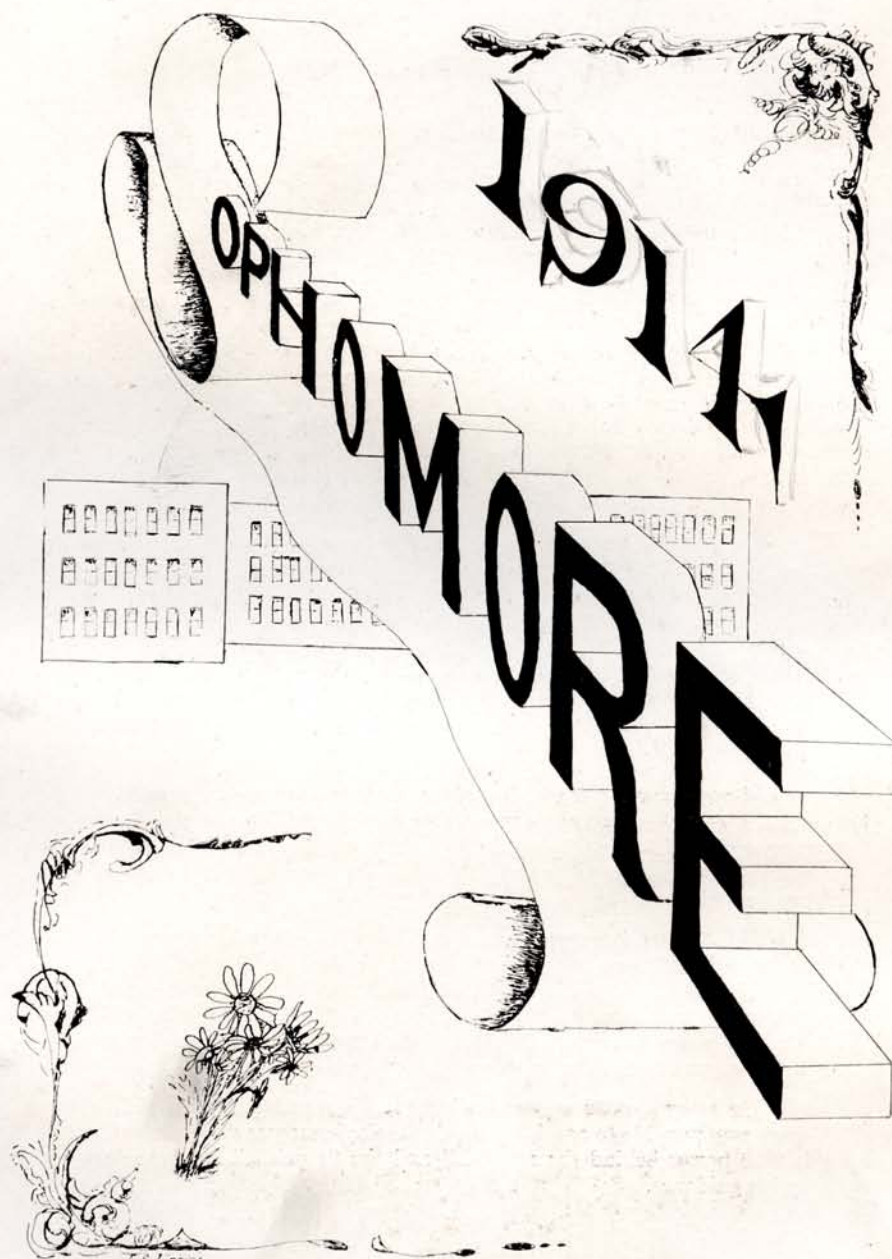
Second Center: Alice Fitzpatrick.







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**Prof. D. D. Sutton**

Almost every one knows Professor Sutton of the Physical science department.

If any one says "Prof. Sutton" a variety of thoughts come into one's mind. Perhaps the foremost of these is of his orderly classroom and the interest displayed in his subjects. But in a Sophomore's mind other thoughts play leap-frog until the words picnic and party are formed.

Mr. Sutton is prominent in athletics, as a tennis player and basket ball referee. He is president of the Buffalo County Nebraska University Alumni Association, a member of the P. B. K. of that institution, and faculty adviser of our Y. M. C. A. He is also affiliated with the Academy of Science. He suggests that he is janitor at home, and fireman in winter.

He is invaluable to the Sophomore class and lends his aid in every way possible to anything which the Sophomores undertake. He is "the power behind the republic" and the "republic" is advancing by his guidance.





### Sophomore Class

Welliver, Spielman, Tongren, Cook, Jenkins, Hanisch, Ambrose, Yensen, Beachy,  
 Kirk, May Murphy, Squires, Hatha way, Beachy, Washburn, Talich, Gomme,  
 West, Chadderdon, Dow, Hilzinger

## The Class of 1914

Name	Nickname	Appearance	Ambition	Common Expression
Glenn Chadderdon	"Chad"	Brilliant	To earn a Ph. D.	"Now, look here"
Paul Ambrose	"Amber"	Languid	Who knows?	"Well, now"
Fern Beachy	"Frons"	Classy	To be a second Heink	"I don't think so, do you?"
Donald Dow	"Ducky"	Cute	To go West	"Prunes"
Sara Gomme	"Gum"	Pretty	To beat the Freshies	"Oh yes"
William Beachy	"Little Bill"	Disgusted	Take Mary to the game	"Thunder"
Ethlyn Hathaway	"Ethel"	Diligent	To be a musician	"Gracious"
Selma Hult	"Plain Selma"	Like a red-top match	To be a great physicist	"Could this be true?"
Everett Jenkins	"Jenks"	Candy Kid	To go with a Junior girl	"Shucks"
Mary Kirk	"Sliver"	Harmless	To be somebody	"Ish"
Peter Tongren	"Pete"	Sheepish	To be a scientist	He only grins
Ora Washburn	Has none	Quiet	To graduate in 1914	"Hello"
Mabel Yensen	"Mae"	Dignified	To observe the golden rule	Silence
Mina May	"Maysie"	Sunny	To make a name	"Oh land"
Jean West	"Bean"	Quite Foxy	To have a shorter name	"Oh, love"
Jesse Spielman	"Speeler"	Ambitious	To become Pres. of U. S.	"Oh, pshaw"
Wm. Cook	"Sleepy"	Like the morning after	To be a Prof.	"I second the motion"
Julia Hiltzinger	"Jude"	Just like she'd blown in	To take college algebra	"Oh, yes"
Earl Welliver	"Bolliver"	Breezy	To become an orator	"Why-a"
Ulah Murphy	"Murphy"	Irish	To be loyal to K. S. N.	She smiles
Edward Hanisch	"Ed"	Short	To become a doctor	"It is, already yet"
Robert Randolph	"Bob"	Athletic	To make all Amer. team	"By George"
Jesse Randolph	"Jess"	Gamey	To be liked by a Senior	"Say, now"
Elma Squires	"Perk"	Sweet	To play on first team	"Oh, my"
Lawrence Brown	"Brownie"	Engaging	To be a present delight	"Oh, gee"
Mary Talisch	"Merry"	Stately	To make her grades	"Oh, Ludac"





## Sophomore Class History

The class of 1914 was organized on the afternoon of November 11th, 1910. To be sure and more exact, I should say between the hours of 4:30 and 6:00 o'clock.

The group which gathered in room 20 on that day had an object in view, a duty to perform, and they were determined not to be found wanting. No one can deny that that night was an eventful one in the history of the school. We elected a full corps of officers with Prof. H. O. Sutton as class adviser and Everett Jenkins, president.

One of the hardest problems of the year was to choose our colors and flower, no one could quite decide which was the prettiest. Finally, the decision was given in favor of orange and black. And orange and black will represent our gallant class to the end of time.

Then came the Y. W. C. A. May supper and the Freshmen must do their work. There was great excitement for a week or more before the eventful night. The president called a special meeting to find out what he should do. We voted that our table should be decorated with crepe paper of orange and black, but just what the decorations should be, could not be decided.

Saturday morning we all went down to get ready. Messengers were running to and fro, some were bringing scissors and glue, while others hurried down town for paper and candies.

Paper was looped and twined—but still it was incomplete. What should we put on the table? We wanted more than just candies and candlesticks. And then someone found an old market basket. Yes, a market basket. Someone else suggested having a May basket for our table filled with flowers. That is exactly what it turned out to be. We wove narrow widths of paper in and out until we had covered the whole basket with a checker board of orange and black.

Then we tramped to the green house to find the posies. We picked out Marguerites and Ferux.

The May Basket received many compliments that evening and the Freshmen felt rewarded for their extra work.

What became of that basket? Well, it was perhaps 9:30 o'clock when several ghostly forms crept stealthily beneath the shadows of the big trees on 27th street and waited breathlessly for one of their number to put the basket on the porch of a little home across the street, ring the door bell and run.

I know not what Prof. Sutton thought when he opened the door and saw his May basket.

After such an experience it was only natural for the Freshies to chose the Marguerite for their flower.

Very soon came the class track meet and picnics. The Freshmen had many special meetings, preparing for these events.

They had run and jumped till they were almost experts at the trade.

It was a cold Monday morning when we all gathered at the ball park to watch our favorites win. Excitement reigned supreme indeed. It was not in vain, our boys had practiced. They showed wonderful results and when the points were counted we were only 1 1-2 behind the winners. Of the 33 1-4 points made, the girls made six in the only girls event of the day, the twenty-five yard dash.

At one o'clock we were gathered again at the Normal steps waiting for our "cab." It came soon—a three seated rig which made one feel a bit crowded with eleven peo-





ple packed in. When we stopped in front of the little house on 27th street, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton came out with a great basket of something which proved later to be pop corn and candy.

I think every freshie who went to Plum Grove will remember that picnic to his dying day. We had rope for swings, a base ball outfit, boxing gloves, and fish lines. Indeed a good motto for the class would be "Lets go see the fishes." None were seen that day however.

After we had worn ourselves out playing and had explored the river up and down, we spread the lunch under the trees and ate like we had never eaten before. We drove home in the twilight, telling stories and singing songs, and as each person was left at his home he called back a cheery good night, and a hope that this class might have many more of these good times.

After three months of recreation the class returned in the fall of 1911 with renewed vigor and new ambitions. They were joined by many new members who soon proved that their interest was with the school and the Sophomore class.

The first meeting was called by Mr. Jenkins, our honored president of 1910-1911. Officers were elected and we were prepared to begin a year which had promises of great achievements.

Our first great problem was to choose a pennant. This gave several members of the class a chance to show their inclination toward art. After studying the designs submitted and listening to many debates on these designs, we choose one which we thought the class would be proud of in the years to come.

In order that the old and new members might become better acquainted we decided to have a class party on November 18th. The members of the decoration committee taxed their artistic natures to the utmost and soon had the old library decorated with orange and black in a manner suitable for the occasion. This is long to be remembered by those present. We had an interesting and exciting game of foot ball. This party was not only entertaining but also instructive. We are sure that none present will ever forget that "noodles" are fish and that "onions" are fruit. Eva Sutton, as mascot, won for herself a permanent place in the class of 1914. The evening ended all too quickly and with the usual, cheery, "good night," everyone departed, happily, giving vent to this happiness by means of the Sophomore yells.

Our attention was now turned toward basket ball. Julia Hilzinger was chosen manager of the girls basket ball team and Robert Randolph, manager of the boys team. The accounts of the achievements will be found elsewhere. But we must pause for a moment and consider how those teams so gallantly defended the orange and black, while their classmates stood on the side lines and cheered them on to victory. In spite of difficulties which would have disheartened almost anybody, they did not become discouraged.

But basket ball is only one branch of athletics and we are expecting great things of our track team. At the time this goes to press it looks as though '14 had the trophy cinched. Perhaps it is enough to say that wherever there is anything doing, there you will find a Sophomore.

Our class is well represented in the literary societies and christian associations of the Normal. What shall be our ideal as a class? Let us strive to be students in the fullest sense of the word. Let us be honest and sincere in whatever we undertake, always willing to strive in anyway that will make our college, class, and friends better by our having labored with them.

Most important of all, however, let every Sophomore resolve to finish the work that he is in; let him cast his lot among those who, when golden opportunity knocks at his door will be ready to respond.





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### Class Officers

Glenn Chadderdon .....	President
Donald Dow .....	Vice President
Jean West .....	Secretary
Mary Kirk .....	Treasurer
William Beachy .....	Yell Leader
Everett Jenkins .....	Sergeant at Arms

Class Adviser—H. O. Sutton.  
 Class Colors—Orange and Black.  
 Class Flower—Marguerite.

### Class Yell

S—S—OPH

M—M—ORE—SOPHOMORE



SOPHOMORE GIRLS' BASKET BALL TEAM.  
 West, Kirk, Gomme, Randolph, Squires, Hilzinger.



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SOPHOMORE BOYS' BASKET BALL TEAM.  
Sanderson, Jenkins, Beachey, Chadderdon, Randolph.  
Simpson, Dossett, Brown.





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### The Sophomore Class Basket Ball Games

Never in the history of the Normal has the Sophomore class produced such results in the annual class basket ball games as it has this year. Milton Dossett, our center, and also one of our best goal throwers, was very accurate in passing the ball and eluding his opponents. Ruben Sanderson our left forward, made a basket whenever his opponent didn't happen to be looking. Bob Randolph, the husky one, played right forward, and succeeded in throwing several goals, throughout the series of class games. Clyde Simpson, the boy with the pompadour, played left guard and besides playing a good game drew applause from the feminine spectators. Lawrence Brown, our right guard, filled his position well, setting things afire with his enthusiasm and bright red hair. Glenn Chadderdon—Sub-forward, only had opportunity to play in one game, but managed, in that time, to drop one into the basket. The first game was played on the evening of January 20, when we met the Seniors, and in a fast game scored twenty-five to seventeen in our favor. The first half was rather discouraging to us, the Seniors leading with a score of 15 to 7. But the second half showed much better team work, during which time eighteen points were made by our boys in contrast with the two made by the Seniors.

Our second game was played on Jan. 27th, in which we were defeated, at the hands of the Juniors, our team being handicapped by injuries sustained by two of our best players. They scored thirty-one points to our seventeen.

Our third and last game was played on February 2, with the noble Freshmen as our opponents. But we were not long in realizing that the Freshmen were very efficient in the art of basket balls, for at the end of the first half they were leading by a score of 10 to 9. However, we are proud to say that the game was ours by a score of seventeen to fourteen. This closed the season with two out of three games to our credit.

### Sophomore Girls Basket Ball

The class of 1914 has been fortunate during each of the past two years, in having a girls' basket ball team that could play good ball. Although no fingers are needed upon which to count the victories of these teams, yet everyone knows that there is such a thing as luck, even in a basket ball game.

The games of the past season were none of them poor. The Seniors won by the largest score. The Freshmen were so thankful to win, even by three points, that they still maintain silence.

The game with the Juniors was a hotly contested affair, and at the end of "time" stood, 20 to 20. With a few moments more, the game ended 23 to 21 in favor of the Juniors. "The fastest and best girls game, I ever saw," was the remark of more than one from the side lines, thus showing that the Sophomore girls can and have played good ball, even with the championship team of the school.

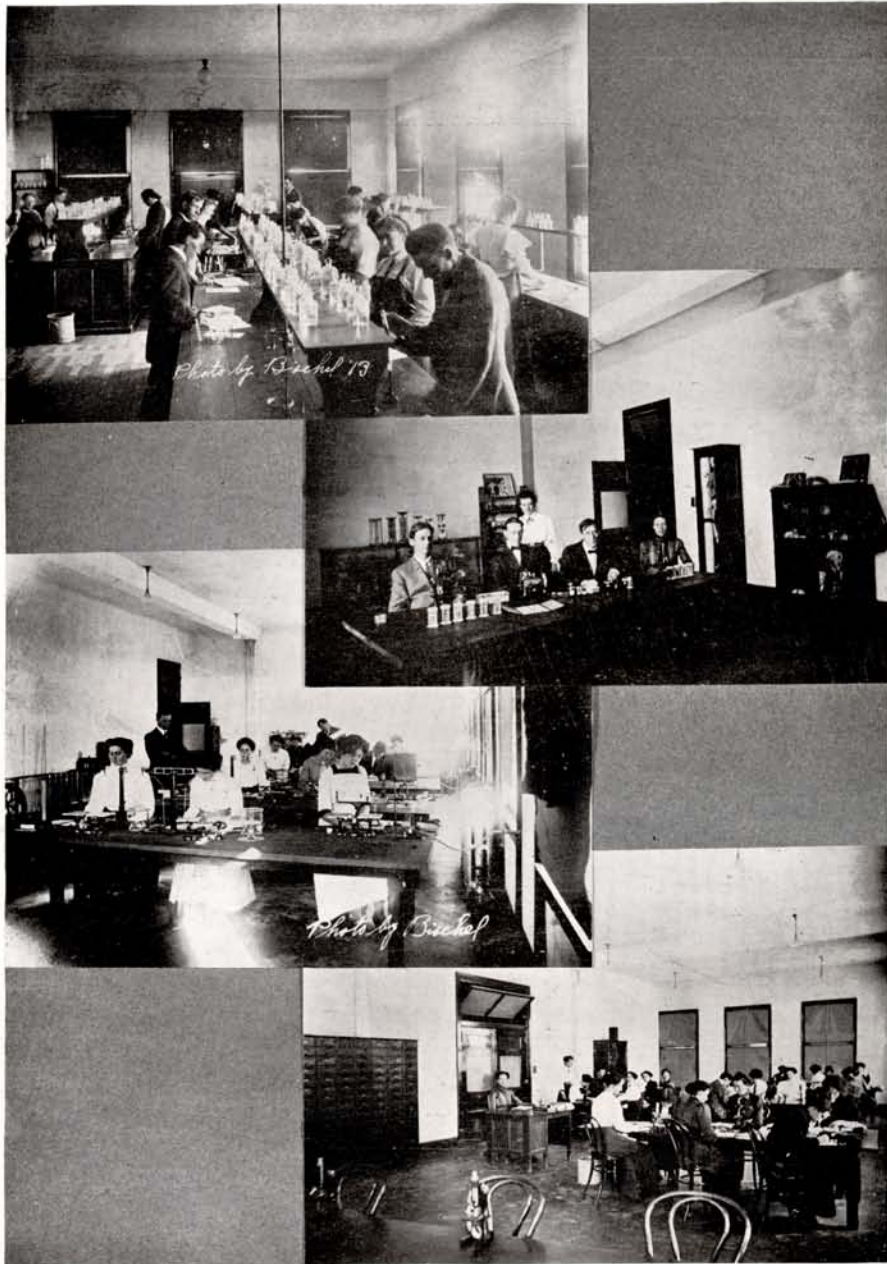
The girls who compose this team are Julia Hilzinger (Capt.) C; Jean West, C; Elma Squires, F; Sara Gomme, F; Mary Kirk, G; Fannie Randolph, G; Ulah Murphy, Sub.

Winnifred Harmon, who played Guard the first of the season, left school at the beginning of the second semester, thus, to some extent, weakening the team.

Here's to better success during the Junior year of the Class of '14!



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Chemistry, Technique, Agriculture, Zoology.





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**Marion C. Smith**

CLASS ADVISER.

"Fate tried to conceal her by naming her Smith," but the Freshman class rescued her from fate and raised her to honor and glory by choosing her as class adviser.

Miss Marion Smith is head of the Art Department in the Normal, which position she has filled most ably. Her natural talents as an artist have been highly cultivated by the instruction of some of the best artists in the east, and her association with them. Miss Smith has done much to advance Art in this city. Creating high ideals among all she comes in contact with, especially the many students who come and go at the Normal. As a teacher in the class-room, she is unsurpassed, inspiring each to do his best. While we recognize her artistic ability and success as an instructor, we admire her equally as a lady of culture and gracious manner, one whose sincerity and high ideals will have a lasting and refining influence on all. The class of '15 feels that they have been extremely fortunate in securing Miss Smith for the Class Adviser.





FRESHMAN CLASS

Seivers, Snyder, J. Hult, E. Henderson, Green.  
 Thomas, Fish, Winn, Neuman, N. Henderson, Sherlock, Danly, Lambert, Larimer, Shue, Frazier, Johnson.  
 Easterling, Anderson, Lewis Cederberg, C. Hult.



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### History of the Freshmen Class

Dear Reader:

We feel inclined to say in the words of Holy Writ: "Draw not hither, Put off the shoes from off thy feet, for this place whereon thou standest, is Holy ground."

The class, the subject of this sketch, can not be classed among the ordinary, but is remarkable beyond all others. Its abilities are beyond the ken of man; its doings beyond his powers of description and its possibilities beyond the reach of the English language. But something must be said to arouse the imagination of the reader.

In the first place, the greatness of this class is indicated by the fact that President Thomas has been unable to select for it a worthy adviser. The faculty list has been canvassed and re-canvassed, but each and all have fallen short of the standard.

Meanwhile the class goes on.

Like a ship without a sail,

Like a dog without a tail,

Like a — well! it simply goes on.

But the remarkableness of this class is best shown by the masterly way in which it conducted its first class meeting. For whoever heard *tell* of a class before, who carried on its business, and at one and the same time, manufactured its own Parliamentary proceedings. But this class did even this, as the secretary's minutes will prove.

The Freshmen heard the great Annual being contemplated. They saw the Sophomores (By the way the Freshmen beat them in basket ball) standing around in the halls, chewing up their pencils and puzzling over the coming class meeting. But not so the Freshmen. On Dec. 5, they had their first class meeting. There was nothing to stop them—not even Mrs. Steadman's Glee Club practice—so they went ahead and just *had* it.

Locking the doors on the inquisitive Sophomores (In passing we might remark that the Freshmen beat them in Pasket Ball) this unusual class proceeded with its business in an unusual manner. Miss Carrie Hult took the floor and called the meeting to order with: "Ladies and Gentlemen, Those wishing Mr. Lewis to be president please hold up their hands. Each one held up at least two hands.

Mr. Lewis at once arose with the following address: "Illustrious class of 1915. You have already shown your superior intellect in your choice of a president, and may it be that the following officers will not disgrace him. The next business in order was the election of a Vice President. Now whoever he, she or it may be, they must capably fill the office." Marie Winn rising impressively: "I nominate Carrie Hult and Helen Anderson, since they both asked me to." Mr. Cederburg quickly: "I second the motion." Here the meeting was interrupted by Fred Brown, who earnestly spoke of the need of a representative from the Freshman class, to act as Assistant Business Manager on the Annual Staff. Begging that the one chosen be trustworthy and condescending, he humbly withdrew. As Mr. Lewis was the most upright member of the class (see illustration) he was at once chosen.

Resuming the business, the President called for volunteers for secretary. Carrie Hult, having taken a course in cartooning promised to fully illustrate the minutes, so was elected secretary.





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Michael Green wildly waving his hand, "I think Mr. Shaw would be a good treasurer, since he is so honest and is a faithful church-going member." With such a recommendation as this of course there was no doubt as to his election, especially since he was the only candidate.

Mr. Easterling arose trembling: "I-a make a motion that we a-adjourn." Mr. Lewis: "I believe we are not through with all of our business. Mr. Easterling will you withdraw that motion? "I-er-oh-a-I move we go on with the business."

Mr. Cederburg, Mr. Snyder and Julia Hult, nominees for sergeant-at-arms. Votes collected and counted. On Mr. Lewis solemnly announcing that there had been some stuffing of the ballot box Miss Fish and Belle Canly, confessed that they voted for each candidate, since they did not wish to seem partial. The vote was taken again, much to the disgust of the two girls.

By this time it was growing dark, and Mr. Lewis stuck his head out of the window, and like Joshua, commanded the sun to stand still. But some how he failed to connect, and it continued to grow dark. Also, because his was an extraordinary class, they had not forgotten about their suppers in the midst of all the excitement, so the meeting adjourned for the evening.

The remarkableness of this class is shown not only in the things it is able to do, but also in the things it is able to do without. They have no adviser, no flower, no motto, have had no parties. But yet this class lives. Lives! Aye it even comes into chapel, takes part in the class yells, when strangers appear, it even sits in its rightful seats, (when the trainers don't get them) So--

Here's to the class that leads them all,  
Equally gifted in grades and gall  
We're some of us short and some of us tall,  
And we beat the Soph's in Basket Ball.

P. S. The Freshmen have just had another class meeting and have chosen Miss Marion Smith as their class adviser. They have also chosen a class flower and class colors and are laying elaborate plans for a class party.

### CLASS OFFICERS.

President .....	Leslie Lewis
Vice President .....	Helen Anderson
Secretary .....	Carrie Hult
Treasurer .....	Rob't Shaw
Sergeant-at-Arms .....	Ferdinand Cederburg
Yell Leader .....	Bernard Easterling

Class Colors—Scarlet and Cream.

Class Flower—White Chrysanthemum.

Class Adviser—Marion Smith.



FRESHMAN BOYS.  
West, Mary, Eberley, Essert, Sievers, Thomas.

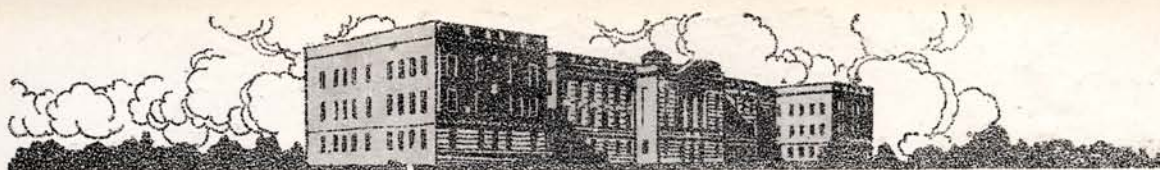
FRESHMAN GIRLS.  
Harmon, Timm, Fish, Winn, Fisher, Hult.



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### Basket Ball--Freshmen

In past years the Freshmen have always had basket ball teams. Not because it was thought that they might win a game, but rather to show fair treatment to the class and to its future prospects.

The time of not considering them "possibilities" is now passed according to all indications, for the Freshmen teams this year, have not only shown themselves capable of making large scores, but have actually beaten their adversaries in two games.

The first games were played with the Juniors. There was a lack of material in the Freshman class which had to be filled out with upper classmates, so team-work was lacking. Nevertheless the showing made was good. Though the girls won but few points, they were promising. The boys also played an encouraging game.

In the game with the Seniors, the Freshmen boys were surprisingly strong, and took the game with an ease that made the "brainy worthies" sit up and take notice. The girls were again fortunate as to score and their prospects for future distinction, were good.

But to the Sophomore girls, they showed a hot time; leading them in an exciting game and winning by a sufficient margin to prove their superiority.

At first class spirit was lacking at the games. It was almost impossible to gather together the Freshmen for a good representation. But as the teams showed their merit, the interest grew and the players did not need to feel that their efforts were not appreciated.

Long live the athletics of the class of 1915!

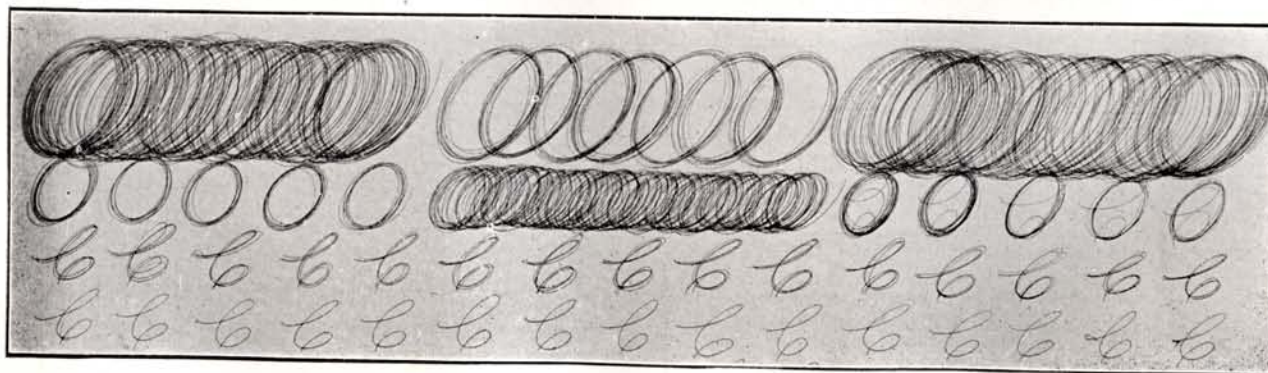
#### LINEUP FOR GIRLS TEAM.

Esther Harmon, Captain .....	Forward
Dora Timm .....	Forward
Fisher .....	1st Center
Carrie Hult .....	2nd Center
Marie Winn .....	Guard
Velva Fish .....	Guard

#### LINEUP FOR BOYS TEAM.

Will Essert, Captain .....	Guard
Roland West .....	Forward
Paul Thomas .....	Forward
Edwin Siever .....	Guard
Emmet Eberly .....	Center

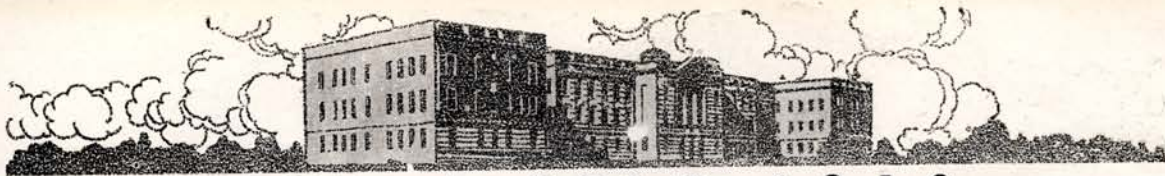
## A black and white photograph of a crowded classroom. Students are seated at long wooden desks, many looking down at papers or books. In the background, a chalkboard displays the text "Karl's O. L. 1919" and "M. L. D. 1919".



Written By Chas. Wareham of Commercial Class.

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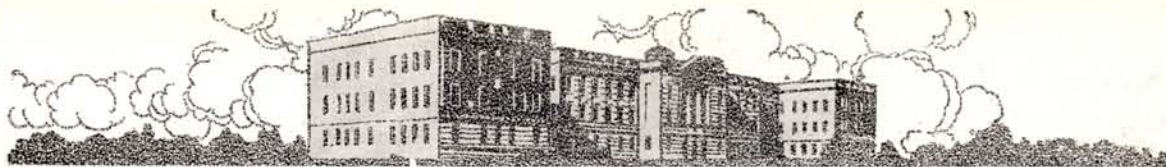


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# COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT



*Hugh M. Schuler*



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**Prof. Patterson**

Ever since its organization, the Kearney Normal has been fortunate in having good scholarly men at the head of the commercial department. The thoroughness of the work has placed the Kearney Normal commercial department in high esteem and made it one of the most important business training schools in the state.

The success of the Kearney Normal commercial graduates depends largely upon the man at the head of the department. It is with pride that we point to the person of Prof. Patterson as the head of this department. He is a practical, hard working man, of good scholarship, who is at all times endeavoring to make the commercial department stronger and better. Thoroughness, and plenty of work, is his motto; and therein lies the secret of the success of his students. They learn to do by doing.

In music circles Prof. Patterson also takes a prominent part. He is leader of the orchestra, and has developed it into the best orchestra the school ever had. We also find him one of the most loyal boosters for college athletics, and every thing that tends to make a greater school.

Under the efficient management of Prof. Patterson, the commercial department meets the future with the happy realization that it shall make still greater progress in the most important science of them all—the bread and butter science.





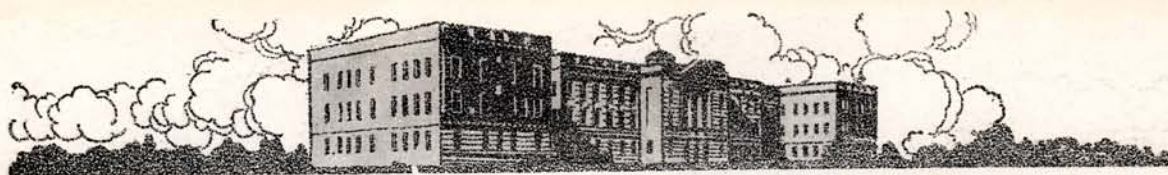
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COMMERCIAL ROOM.



TYPEWRITING ROOM.



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### History of the Commercial Class

Our Commercial Course, covering a period of three years, is one of the most complete business courses of the middle west.

It thoroughly prepares its graduates for positions as instructors in Commercial Departments of High Schools and Colleges, as well as for office work. For this reason many subjects, not strictly commercial, are required, in order to give the graduate a thorough and broad knowledge, when he has completed the course. Students who have completed the three year course, receive a department diploma from the school and may enter the Senior year of the higher course and complete the same in one year.

In 1910 with the coming of Professor B. H. Patterson, as head of the Commercial Department, interest and enthusiasm was aroused and the class enrollment has been larger than in previous years. Of the class of about forty organized, at this time, most of the students declare their intention of completing the full term.

Those who have left school and are now holding positions are: Elva Howards, stenographer in the Empire Store, Kearney, Neb.; Otto Thygesen, The Century Savings Bank, Des Moines, Iowa; Harry Bell, with the Nebraska Telephone Company, Kearney, Neb.; Blanche Green, Stenographer and Bookkeeper, Kearney Nursery & Land Company; Mabel Drake, Opera House Store, Kearney, Neb.; Myrtle Dress, County Clerk's Office, Columbus, Neb.

Members of the present class completing the first year: Florence Wolfe, Anna Hermansen, Catherine Olson, Anna Olson, William Essert, Orville Baldridge, Emmet Eberly, Arthur Larson, Arthur Smith, Earl Sample, Fred Lueking, Floyd Stiegelmeier, Fae Parsons, Ray Parsons, Earle Wickham, Ernest Crosby, Roy Davis, Milton Dossett, Solomon Nyquist, Carl Falk, Henry Knutzen, Rosa Whitney, Myrtle Hollingsworth, John Shields, Earl DeVol, Edna Murphy, Mae Murphy, William Green, Walter Mary, Bertha Sterling, Rolland West, Donald Frank, Claude Parkerson, Mattie Tucker, Etta Temple.

Members of the present class completing the second year: Marie Sanderson, Myrtle Dress, Della Moore, Clyde Simpson, Dick Waltermire, Earl Carrig, Hugh McClure, Judith Norberg, Bertha Rumpeltes, Francis Cooney, Charles Wareham, George Saltzgaber, Fred Schmeeckle, George Parker, Leo Tucker, Ruben Sanderson, and Elmer McDonald.

On March 17, 1911, the Commercial Class gave a "Stunt" in chapel which was pronounced the best in school that year. The Commercial Class is always well represented in all Athletic and Social Organizations of the School.

#### ORGANIZATION.

President .....	Clyde Simpson
Vice President .....	Florence Wolfe
Secretary .....	Milton Dossett
Reporter .....	Della Moore

Hip-ity, Hip-ity hus, the point we will not discuss,  
But never-the-less, you'll have to confess,  
There's nothing the matter with us.

C—C—COM—M—M—MER—C—C—IAL, COMMERCIAL,





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The Training Department requires that students entering the class shall have a three-years high school course. Then our work as Trainers consists of a review of the common branches and Observation of the methods of teaching these subjects.

To be a Trainer means that we will soon become one of the many men and women—and we say men to honor the one boy of our class—who are engaged in the work of education.

To be a trainer in 1912, has also meant to be a participant in a number of delightful affairs. Mrs. Brindley has entertained us several times at the Dormitory. In February a general class party was held in the Y. W. rooms of the school. Refreshments, decorations and games were all in keeping with St. Valentines Day.

On Wednesday, March 13, we gave our "stunt" in chapel. The program consisted of a moving picture show, pantomime, "Wanted, a Wife."

The membership of our class has been rather variable. Several of our number have left to accept positions as teachers. Others have entered late in the year.

Following is the present class roll:

Lydia Bristol, President.  
Esther Harmon, Vice President.  
Laura Rankin, Sec. and Treas.  
Etta Bush.  
Nora Nylander.  
Lucille Towell.  
Doris Young.  
Edna Peterson.  
Mary Ringenberg.  
Susan Johnston.

Eunice Edwards.  
Myrtle Coon.  
Inez Keep.  
Martha Steenbock.  
Emma Vermuelen.  
Katherine Peterson.  
Fern Pierce.  
Martha Koch.  
Teressa Sullivan.

Bertha Storer.  
Susan White.  
Inez McKelvie.  
Hannah Sodergren.  
Lillie Turnquist.  
Emma Gerhold.  
Minnie Clark.  
Mary Talich.  
Loree Towell.

Class Motto: "Training for life, not for school."

Class Colors: Black and Gold.

Class Yell:

"Big tiger, wow;  
Little tiger, wee;  
Trainers, wow;  
Other classes, wee!"



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**Mrs. Brindley**

The Trainer Class of '12 claim Mrs. Brindley as their class adviser, as have the Trainer Classes of the previous years. This alone is proof of her strong and attractive personality. As to her social ability we have only to remember the number and variety of entertainments which she has given us during the year and this too is assured.

As we go out into the state to form the great band of teachers we shall each carry with us some inspiration gained from Mrs. Brindley and shall be stronger and better for having known her.





TRAINER'S CLASS.

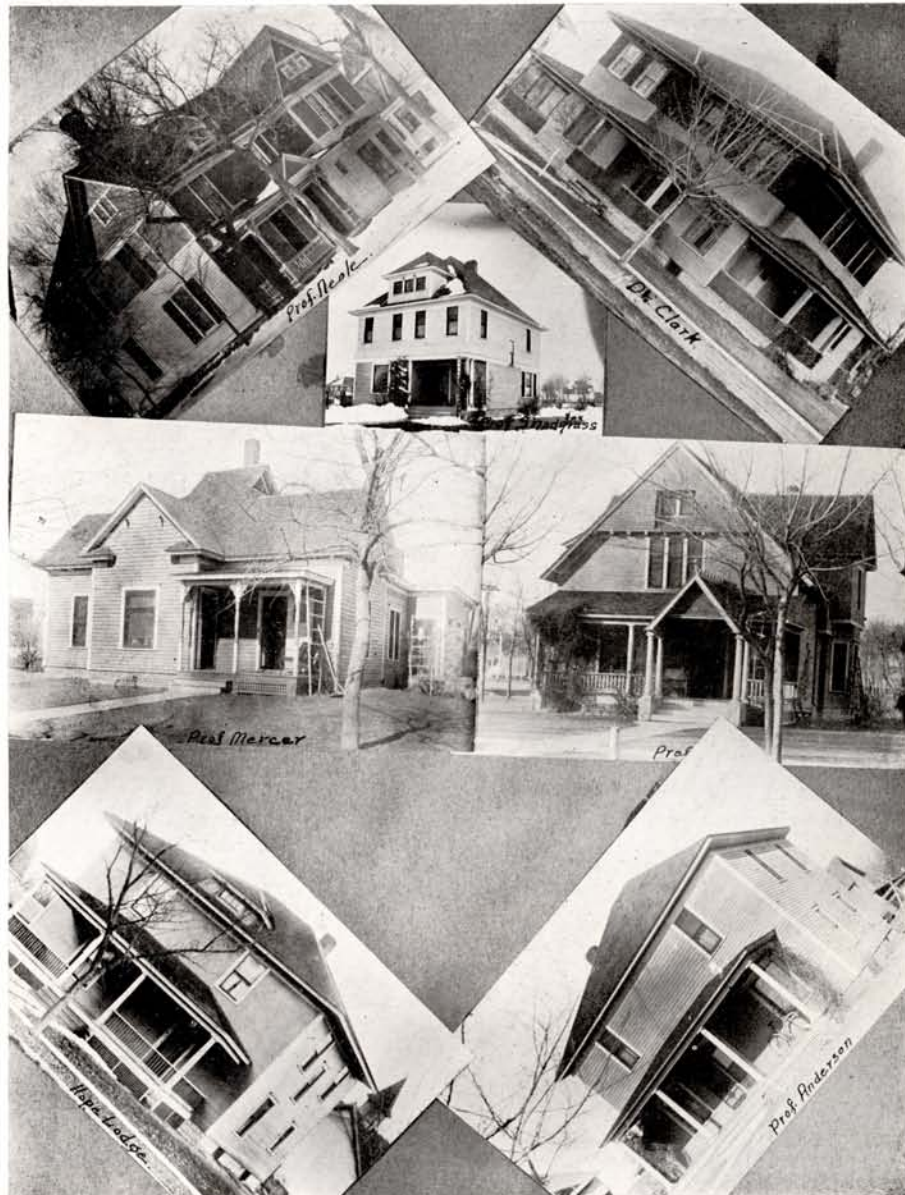
Keep, Sodergren, Koch,  
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Bush, Clark, Reeves, White, Holstene, Harmon.  
Towell, Bristol, Towell.

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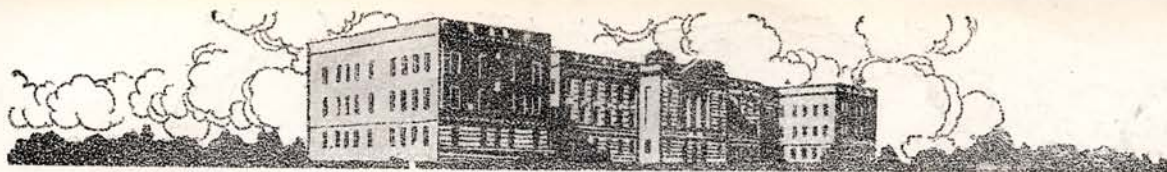


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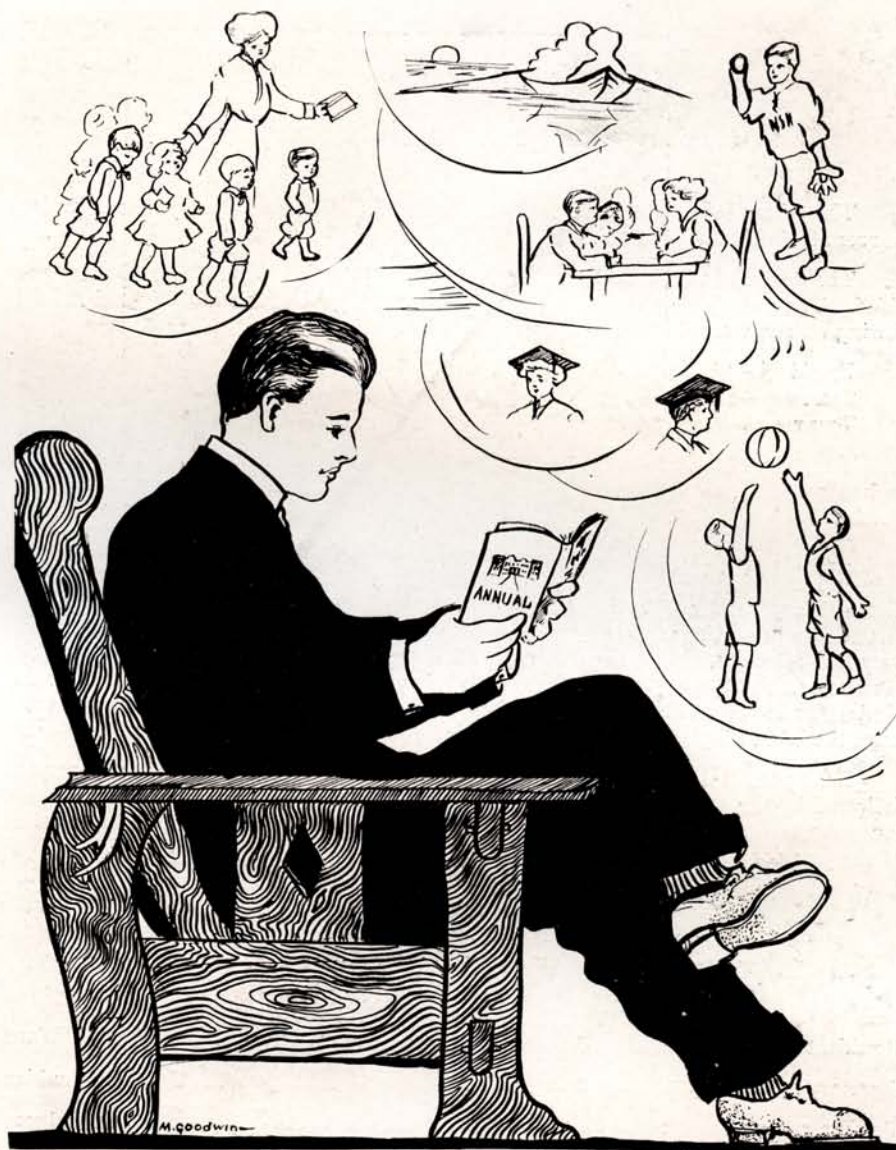


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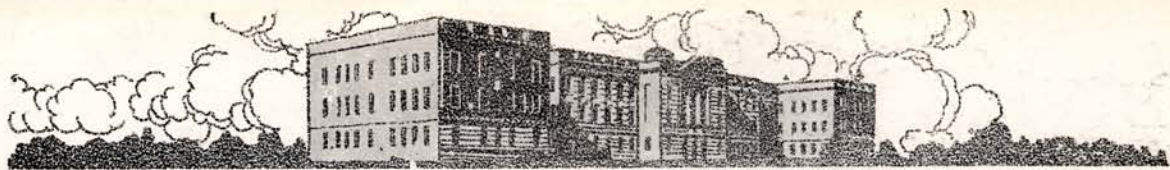




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ALUMNI NOTES



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## Alumni

The Alumni Association of the State Normal School at Kearney was organized in room 207 on May 28, 1906.

The president of the class 1906, Miss Mildred Johnson (Mrs. George Lantz) presided. The Constitution was drawn up, read and adopted at this meeting and the following officers were elected:

President—Marie Reasoner. (Mrs. Victor Johnson.)

Secretary—Helen Hicks.

Treasurer—Margaret Knappe.

The Association at that time numbered fifteen active members, with the faculty as honorary members. The active membership of the Association is now nearly four hundred.

The greatest number of the Alumni are engaged in the profession of teaching in this, and the following western states,—Washington, Oregon, California, New Mexico, Idaho, Montana, North and South Dakota, Wyoming and Colorado. Some forty have left the ranks of single blessedness and ventured on the matrimonial sea. About seventy-five have attended Universities or Technical Schools. At the present time the Kearney Club of the Nebraska University has sixty-five members, this however includes former Normal students who are living in Lincoln, after having graduated from the University. Two of our number have passed to the Great Beyond.

Each year at the close of school in May the Alumni hold a reception and banquet, followed by the business meeting, the new class is admitted, old tales are told, school songs are sung, old friendships renewed and new ones formed. It is the happy time of the year for the Alumni.

Here's to our Alma Mater  
And here's to the K. N. S.  
To her each and every Alumnus  
Bids grand boundless success.

President .....	Beulah Ward
Secretary .....	Carrie E. Ludden
Treasurer .....	Lydia Salgren





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THE CLASS OF 1911.



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### POST GRADUATES



Annie Laura Mercer, Kearney, Nebraska.

Latin club, Glee club, Normal pianist. Miss Mercer received her preliminary education in the public schools of Lincoln, Nebraska. In 1905 she entered the Kearney Normal, graduating in 1909 and receiving her life certificate in 1911. She has taught in the Cozad, and Wood River schools as assistant and supervisor of music. She is now working for her degree.

"To see her is to love her  
And love but her forever,  
For nature made her what she is  
And never made another."



Helen Boyden, Ravenna, Nebraska.

She is a graduate of the Ravenna High School and of the K. S. N. in 1911. She has attended the Chicago Free Kindergarten Association College. The German club, Kindergarten bund and the Y. W. C. A. have her name on their roll books. She is working for her degree and besides thinks the K. S. N. is too good to leave for a while.

Persistent, persevering here in college,  
In her search for higher knowledge,  
She seeks it here and there  
And finds it everywhere.





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J. Harry Dryden, Farnam, Nebraska.

Y. M. C. A., Emanon, Dramatic Club, English Club, and Athletic Association. He completed the common school of Frontier county and later came to the K. S. N., graduating with the class of '11 but completing this work at the last Christmas holidays. During his stay at the S. N. he was a popular student, taking an active part in all school enterprises. He served as president of the English club, Athletic Association and Dramatic club. He also was a "star" foot ball man and at one time was captain of the first team. After completing his work the first semester he began teaching in the Bridgeport High School.

Here's to a staunch hero,  
Who rose with the school to fame;  
Oh, how often in the foot ball skirmish  
Have we called out Harry's name.



Russel Burford, Kearney, Nebraska.

Emanon, Y. M. C. A., Athletic Association. Received his preliminary education in the rural schools of Perkins county and later graduated from the Ogallala High School. He was the "star" center of the all state college football team last year, as well as captain of the K. S. N. squad. He graduated with the class of '11 but completed his work this fall and is now teaching in the public schools of Broken Bow, Nebraska.

He is a foot ball hero  
He fought for his Alma Mater  
And bro't fame to the Blue and Gold.



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Elmer L. Olsen, Kearney, Nebraska. Mr. Olsen came to the Kearney Normal in the early part of the second semester and really is far in advance of the rest of the Normal students as far as study is concerned. He registered for work for the love of study. He graduated from the Jennings, Michigan, High School, in 1912. He also has attended the Ferris Institute and would have been a Senior in the Augustana College at Rock Island, Illinois, if he had attended there this year, having entered there in 1907. While at Augustana College he took part in the following school activities: Chorus, Oratorio, Appolle Club, Phrenokosmian and Tegner Societies, Political Club and Prohibition League, Foreign Missionary Society, and various branches of athletics. He also represented his college in its inter-collegiate debates. Mr. Olsen has taught parochial schools for three summers and has had charge of three different congregations during his summer vacations. He moved to Kearney last January to take charge of the Lutheran church. He belongs to the Tegner Society organized in the Normal.

"Rugged strength and radiant beauty—  
These were one in nature's plan;  
Humble toil and heavenward duty—  
This will form the perfect man."





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### The Blue and Gold Staff



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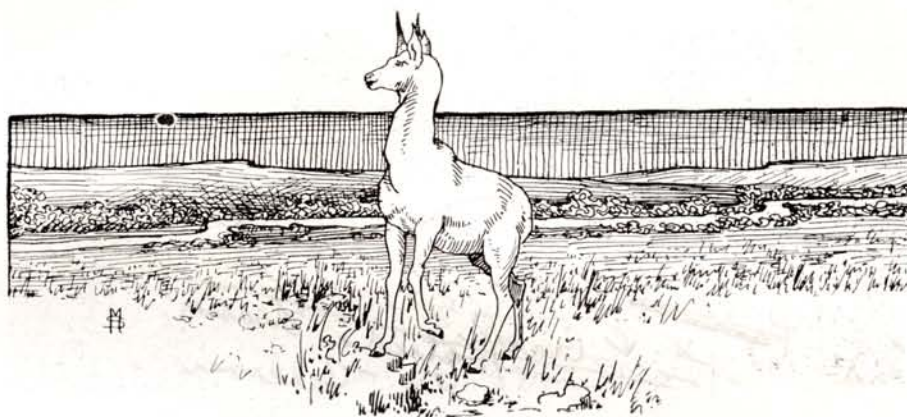
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### THE ANTELOPE

"The Antelope," the official publication of the students of the Kearney State Normal, is a weekly newspaper containing items of interest to the students, alumnae, teachers and friends of the school.

It has passed through various stages of development which usually attend the growth of a college publication in reaching its highest stage.

Although less than two years old, it has a very large circulation and is rapidly coming to the front among school publications. Even though it comes out every week, it contains as much news as many monthly papers. Mr. Randall has succeeded in working up advertisements and subscriptions so that it can be run on a firm basis. Mr. Burman is ever on the alert for news and items of interest to everyone. With these men at the helm, and the able body of reporters we can justly feel proud of our paper.

The Antelope publishing force consists of an Editor, Business Manager, and a staff of reporters, supervised by a Board of Control composed of five members of the faculty and a representative from each of the different classes.

The first issue of the Antelope appeared December first, 1910. The first editor was Lester Chadderdon; first business manager Lamont Stevens.

#### PRESENT OFFICERS.

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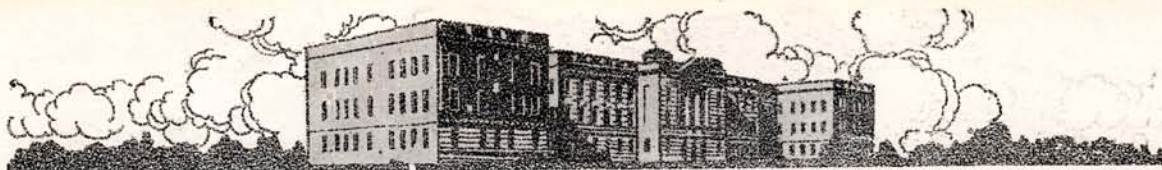
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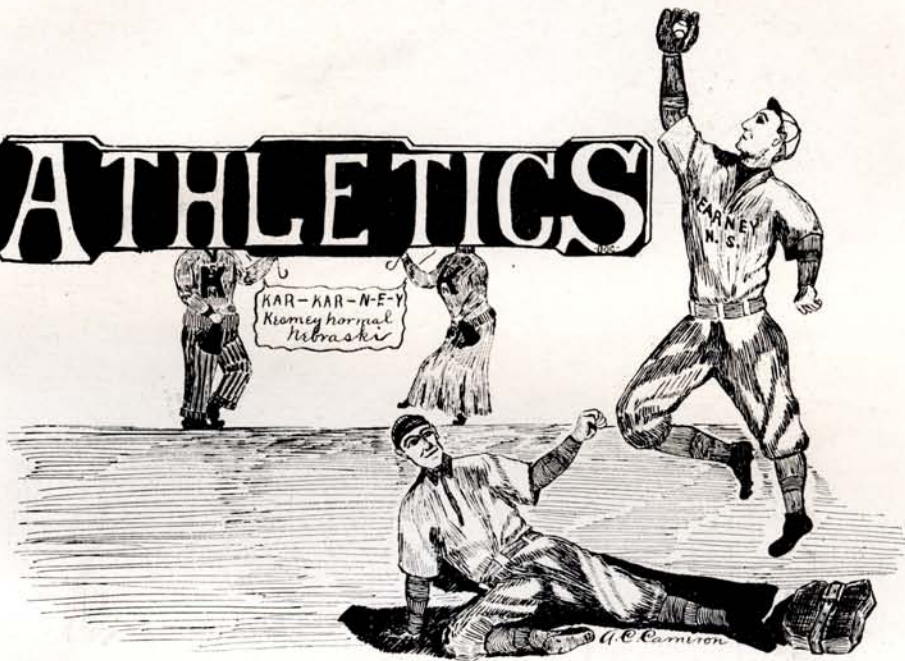
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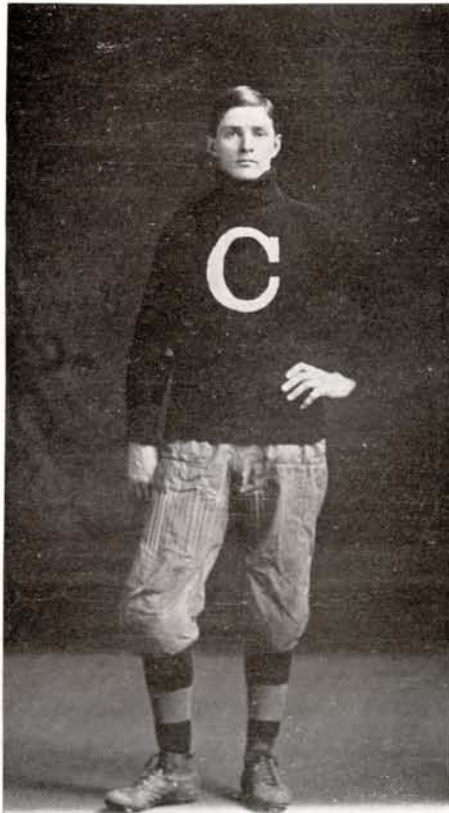
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Coach Van Buren, whose picture you see at the top of this page is a graduate of Cornell, and was one of the leading athletes of that institution. Since graduation he has had experience as physical director in other institutions.

In the past two years he has had charge of the athletics of the Kearney Normal. Under his training the Normal has produced some of the leading athletic teams in the state, in the different athletic departments.

He is a man of character. His warriors will long remember the final instructions before the tug of war: "Boys play the game, but play it fair."





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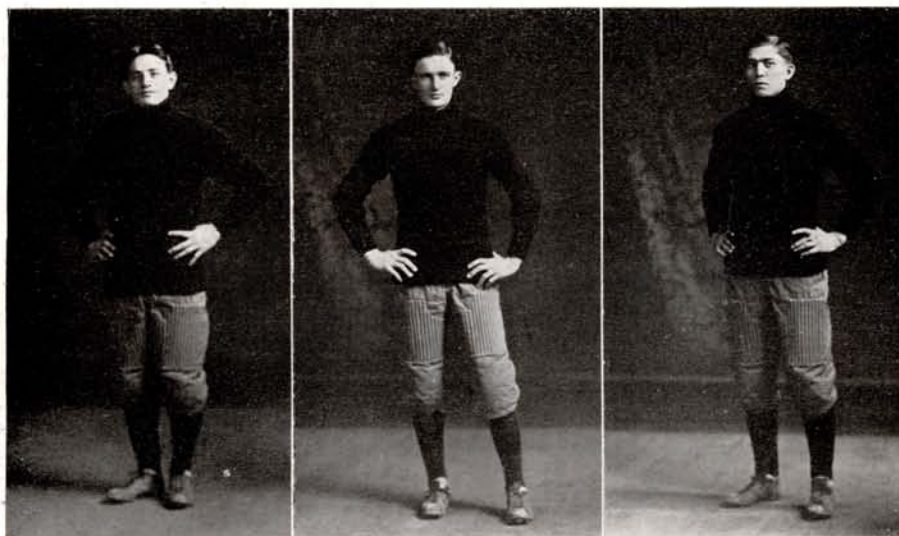
Russell Burford the captain and center of our foot ball squad was the pivot of our foot ball team. Having two hundred pounds of sturdy muscle, he goes through the opposing lines as though they were tissue paper. "Red" has been a Normal stand-by for three years and is at his best this year. No center was able to withstand him, the University center not excepted. "Red" filled his men with the fighting spirit by his words of cheer and encouragement and kept them up and coming at every stage of the game. He was the main vertebra of the line. Age 20 years, weight 210 pounds.



Harry Dryden, our "star" right tackle has never *seen* a foot ball game. He was *in* every game that otherwise might have been within seeing distance. He has played a steady, hard, fighting game, and no one, not even opponents, deny him the right to be called "worthy of any man's steel." We regret that this was his last year on the team. Age 22, weight 180 pounds.



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Edward Schott played the left half position. He made himself a whirlwind of trouble for the other side. His line plunges are deserving of special mention. Harvard may boast of her "human bullets" but she hasn't "skinned us a bit" in this respect. He excelled in the other departments of the game as well—being a strong man on defensive and interference. We hope he may be able to be in the line-up when the whistle blows next fall. Age 20, weight 160 pounds.

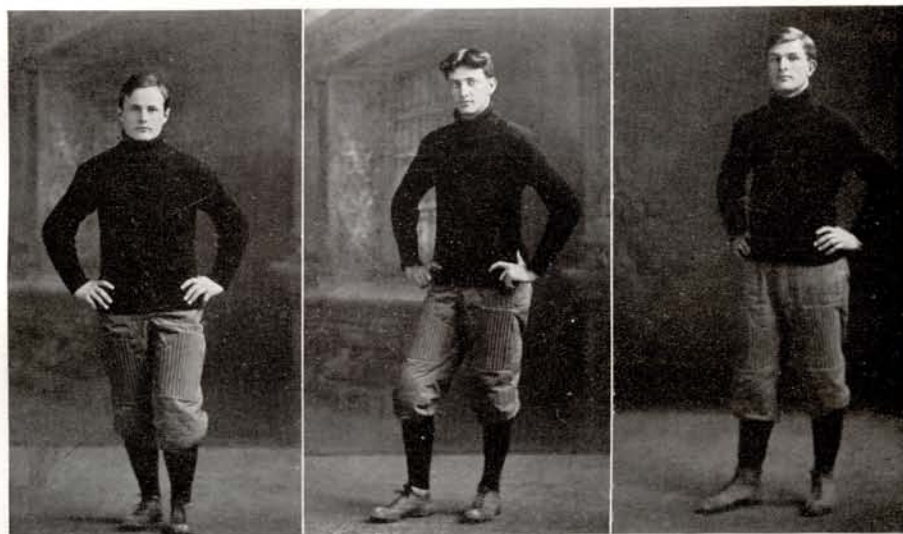
Earl Carrig, as quarterback, was a constant instigator of our enemy's downfall. He directed the plays in a masterful way and did his share in carrying the ball. His forward passes were remarkably swift and accurate. He made an enviable record with his foot in the kicking department. His punts were not excelled by opponents and no one in the state has won more points from field goals for his team. He is surely deserving of the place given him on the "all state" team. He was a member of the Commercial class. Age 20, weight 160 pounds.

Ralph Essert hails from Colorado and like most of the fearless western people, is from the hills. This environment and atmosphere has instilled in him the right qualifications for a foot ball man. When "Yacup" hits the line he crawls right over it and doesn't care if it as high and wide as a mountain. When he gets in the open he is hard to get. Essert plays agood, consistent game, is always up and doieg and is down the field on a kick-off in a twinkling. This is Essert's second year in foot ball and the Normal team could not do without him. He plays right half. Age 21, weight 160 pounds.





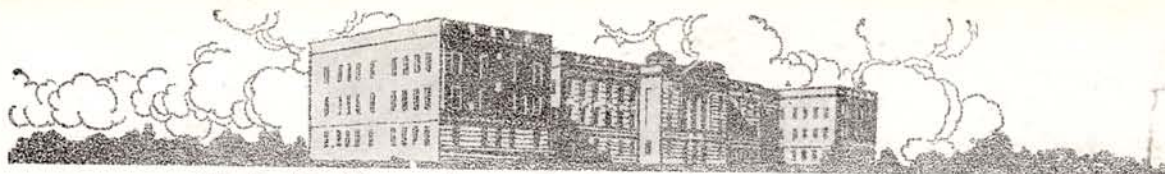
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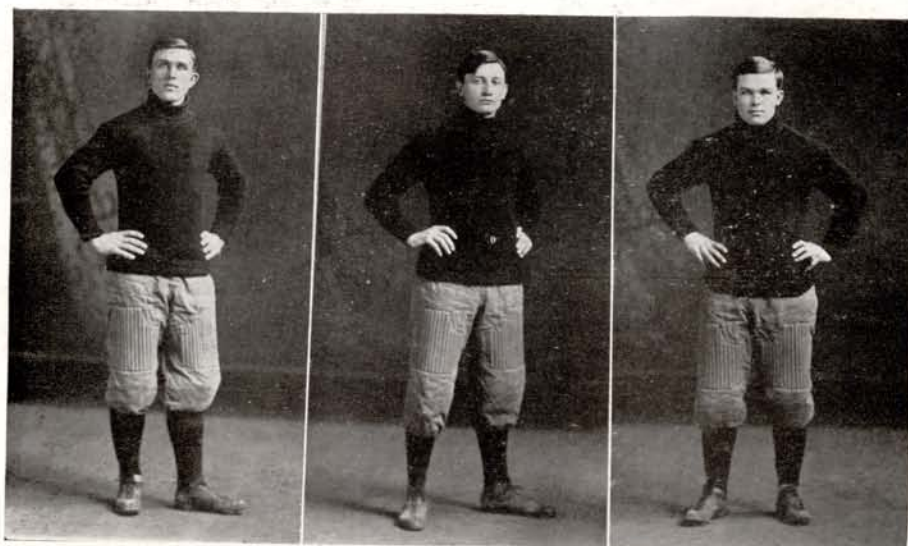
Charles Wareham played full-back during part of the season. While he may look somewhat out of place in the line-up because of his size, don't forget for a minute that he "is one large package of trouble" for those who would run over him. He is an excellent tackler and is strong in interference. His kicking ability is not far behind that of Carrig, and in returning punts he did yeoman service for his school. Age 20, weight 140 pounds.

"John," alias Milton Dossett, covered the garden on the left side of the line, and many is the time he plucked the would be end run in its embryo stage. He was an adept in receiving the forward pass and many a touchdown came to us through his "laxy" work in this line. Age 22, weight 155 pounds.

Bob Randolph is the fellow you see above. He looks as though he could play foot ball doesn't he? Well you did not miss your guess for he certainly is a good tackle. Having strength, weight and nerve he is a man to be feared by any opposing player. He is a fighter too. When he gets the ball for a line buck he bucks through for a gain every time. "Fighting Bob" and Harry Dryden make as good a pair of tackles as there are in the state. When opposing teams say, "Hasn't Kearney a cracker-jack of a line"—Randolph gets his full share of the credit. Age 22, weight 185 pounds.



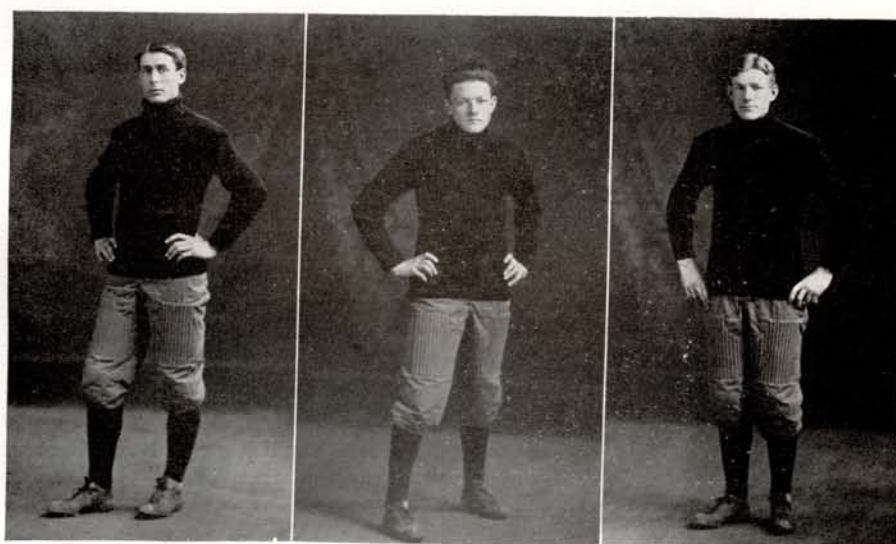
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Wm. Birkelbach, age 22, weight 180 pounds, and Jess Randolph, age 25, weight 175 pounds, have shared right guard and we have no recollections of any man on an opposing team who has put them on their backs with both shoulders touching. We have a feeling of confidence when we think that this is their first year with us and that they expect to battle for us next year.

Will Randall in his position at left guard was always in the game from start to finish. His steady consistent work speaks well for the success of next year's team. He is a reliable player, and his age is no indication of a "young" player when he is in action. Age 18, weight 185.





Walter Mary is another man who never saw a foot ball until this fall, but you wouldn't believe it to see him handle it from the full-back position. He is exceptionally fast and contributed no small share in the season's success. Age 20, weight 165 pounds.

Clark Cameron was unlucky. He was Burford's understudy at center, and so got little chance to play in the regular games. He passes the ball well and plays a good consistent game. Age 21, weight 150 pounds.

Lawrence Brown at right end successfully prevented any flank movements and at all times played the game. He does not remember of having played any foot ball before coming to Kearney. Age 22, weight 155 pounds.



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Ray Campbell, half-back and end was a valuable utility man. Normal rooters are enthusiastic in their praise of him, and predict him a coming "star." He has learned the game fast, is speedy, gritty and hard to stop. Age 21, weight 160 pounds.



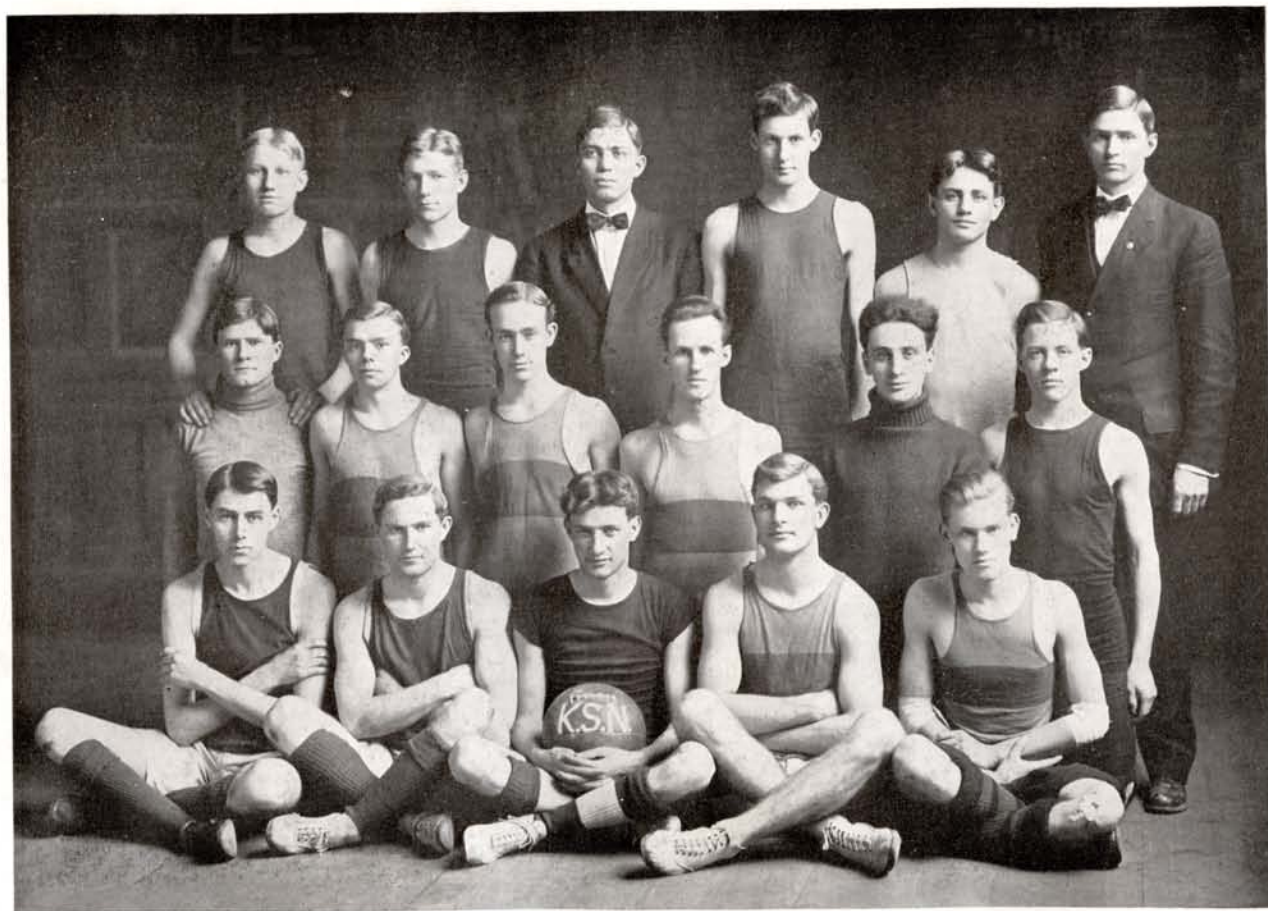
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1911 CHAMPIONSHIP BASE BALL TEAM.



BASKET BALL SQUAD  
 Sanderson, Brown, Essert, Burford, Schott, Van Buren.  
 Campbell, Essert, Burman, Weisel, Holzmark, Baldrige.  
 Shields, Slever, Dossett, Randolph, Winchell.

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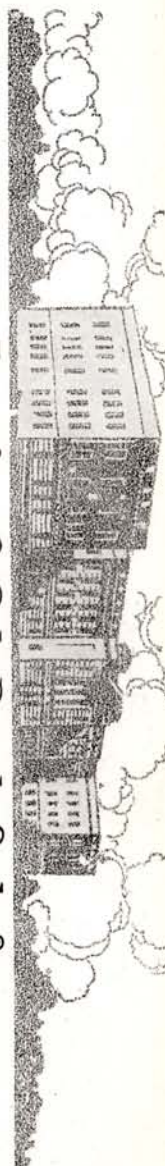






GIRLS' BASKET BALL TEAM 1912.  
 Arnold, Hanisch, Squires, Van Buren,  
 Dunlap, Koch, Hackman Kepler.

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The Athletics of the Kearney State Normal play a prominent part in the school life; and the general success of the teams participating in the various sports, is deserving of special notice, and commendation

During the last two years the Normal has had a base ball team which tied for first place in the state. Finishing second, and a close first, in foot ball among the colleges of the state.

With her position now recognized among the colleges of Nebraska, there is little danger that contests with her will be considered merely practice games.

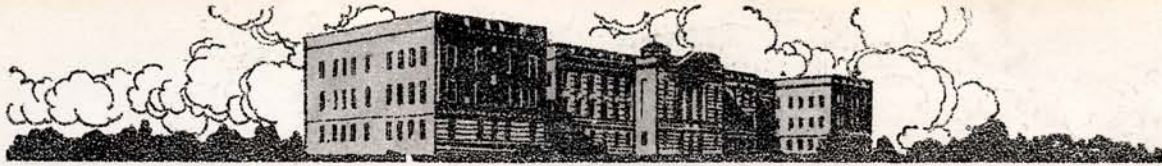
With the rapid growth of the institution, it is not likely that the tables may be turned in this respect. Our foot ball season opened with a contest between our own and the strong High school team. A victory was ours by a comfortable margin but in spite of our encouraging outlook, Kearney Normal took a slump, after the overwhelming defeat which we suffered at the hands of the Nebraska University. Had this game been played later in the season the score would undoubtedly have been fairly close, if we may be permitted to base a conclusion on our showing against the Nebraska University Reserves, since the latter played in such strong opposition to the "Varsity." Taking into consideration the strength and finished condition of the Nebraska team so early in the season and her strength we have nothing of which to be ashamed. From this time on, appearances seemed to indicate easy and sure victory, but the last games proved a Tartar, and Kearney was defeated by a small score. Nevertheless the Kearney Normal has reason to feel proud of her record for the season.

The base ball team has always been strong and the record of 1911 was no exception.

The Colleges of the state were divided into two districts, Kearney Normal belonging to the western. We won the championship of the Western Circuit by defeating York, Grand Island and Hastings Colleges. We tried to get a game with the winners of the Eastern Circuit but failed, and the result remained a tie.

The season of 1912 bids fair to see Kearney in first place. In the first game of the season with Grand Island College, Normal won by a score of 8 to 2. The team is in good condition, and have a good schedule to play this year. The team that played Grand Island were McClure, captain, pitcher, DeVol catcher, Dossett 1st base, W. Essert 2nd base, R. Essert, short stop, Winchell 3rd base, R. Randolph right field, Burman center field, Wareham left field, W. Randolph pitcher. Mr. Tool is back in school and will presumably hold his old position at center field. Other minor changes in the line-up may occur before the season is over.





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The boys basket ball has been the hardest of the three sports to make a "winner." Probably this is due to the fact that, until 1911, there was no suitable place to practice. The season of 1912 found us with more material and a better team than 1911, but we suspect that the same is due to our sister schools judging from comparative scores. A good deal of interest has been manifested in inter-class games, which have helped to interest more students in Athletics.

The boys second team has made a good showing during the past season, and is deserving of commendation.

Indeed we are proud of our girls. They have brought victory to the "Blue and Gold" whenever they entered the field of contest.

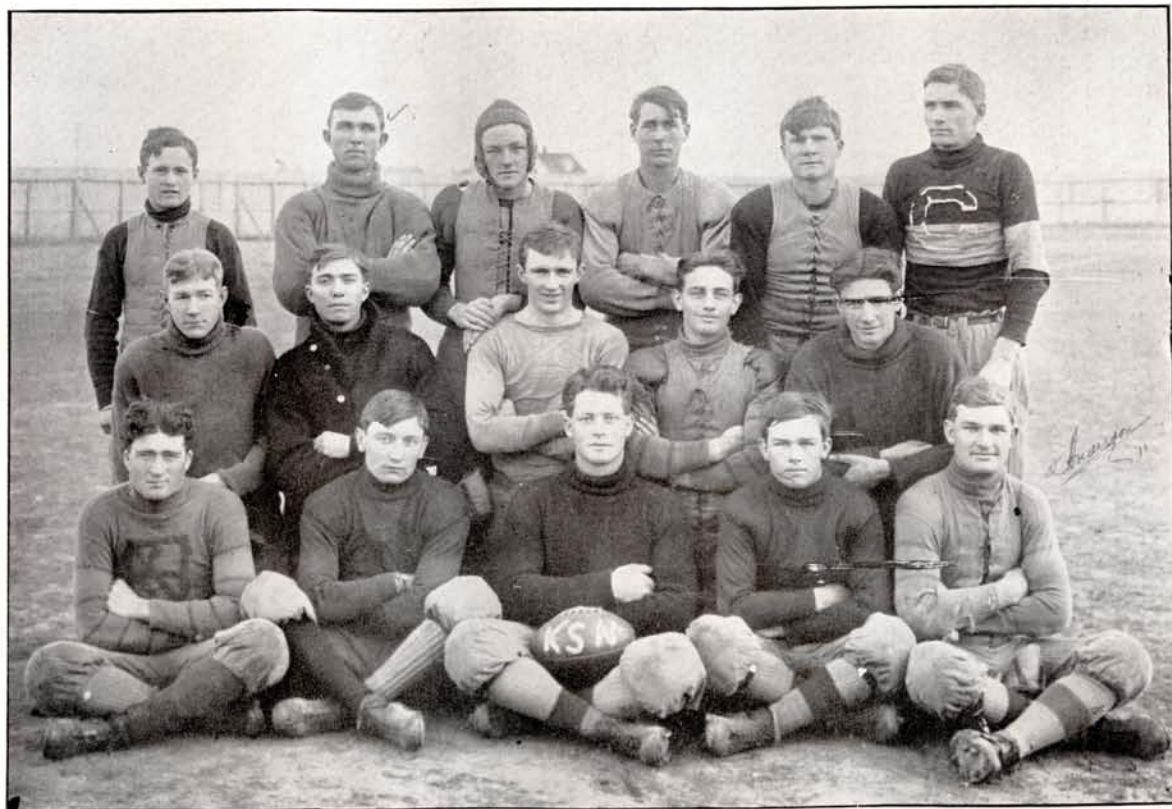
On February 23 Aurora H. S. almost succeeded in carrying off the scalps. In the first half of the game the open court was used. This was the first time our girls had ever played that way.

In the second half the tables were turned. The game was played under women's rules and victory was wrestled, as it were, out of the very jaws of defeat, the final score standing 19 to 11 in favor of the Normal.

The following are the players: Hannah Dunlap and Eda Hanisch are the centers, who pull the ball down to their goal before their opponents see it go. When the ball is in the hands of the forwards we breathe easily, for Ruth Aronld makes splendid long throws and Captain Grace Koch is a crack shot for the goal. Anna Kepler and Katherine Hackman are guards to whom the low score of the opponents is due.

As spring draws near, the excellent sport of tennis is making its debut. A club has been organized with Prof. Sutton as President, Miss Williams as Secretary-treasurer, and Mr. Sawyer Custodian. An exceptionally large number turned out for tennis, and prospects are good for some very interesting class matches this spring.

The two courts east of the Gymnasium have been put in good condition, and an additional court has also been secured west of Steadman's residence, affording good pastime for those interested.

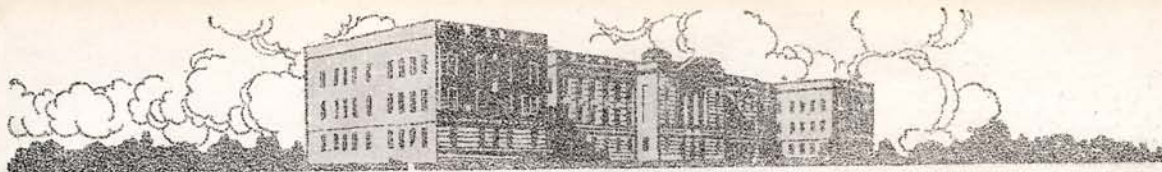


1911 FOOTBALL SQUAD

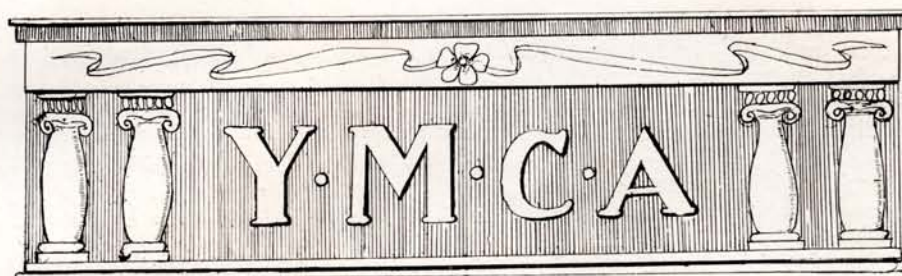
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Among the various organizations of our school, we give our attention, first, to the christian associations. These are among the largest in the school, and have a great influence upon the school and its student body. The Christian associations in this school are the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. and the Catholic Club.

The purpose of the Y. M. C. A. is to lead students to become intelligent and loyal disciples of Jesus Christ; to help them overcome the subtle temptations of student life; to build up in them strong faith and symmetrical Christian character, and to train them in the best methods of associated work. For these reasons every man should make it a special point to join the Association; to strengthen it, and to allow it to strengthen him.

Owing to the good work of the Membership Committee we have over fifty young men enrolled as members of the Association, this year. This has been one of the most successful years we have had in having a good, strong organization. This Committee also arranges to meet new students at the train; to assist them in finding good rooms and board; also in registration, and any other service possible. They also plan to visit new students the first few weeks of school.

The regular meetings of the Y. M. C. A. are held in the chapel every Wednesday from 1:00 to 1:30. Here under student leadership, topics of vital interest are discussed, which are preceded by a short song service. It is very interesting to see how willing the young men are to express their different opinions on the subject. We are often fortunate enough to get good speakers from the town and from the Faculty, but most of the leaders are taken from the Association.

The Bible Study classes are included in the regular course of study in this school, and are left to the instruction of Prof. C. N. Anderson who does full justice to the work.

The Social Committee does a great deal towards the advancement of the Y. M. C. A. in this school. At the first of every year a Stag reception is given, to which every man of the school is invited. This is most generally in the form of a watermelon feed and a few other sports. It is given to bring the young men together, and it is an enjoyable affair, with a good opportunity to meet new friends. There is also a general reception given the first of the year by the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. This is given for every one who wants to come and it is an evening spent in meeting, both old and new friends. As a means of raising funds the two Associations give, each year what is known as the Not-A Show. This is one of the big events of the year. In the spring the two cabinets also have a picnic. It is such things that develop the Association in more ways than one.





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During the past years, the Association has been represented at all the Y. M. C. A. conventions by its full quota of delegates. Last year it was represented at the Students Volunteer Conference held at University Place by Mr. Donald Gregg, Mr. Grover Rost and Mr. Wilson Delzell. It was represented at the Students Conference at Estes Park, Colorado, by Mr. Wm. Cook, and also at the Y. M. C. A. State Convention by Mr. Will J. Beachy, and Mr. Robert Randolph. Interesting reports were brought back from these Conventions, and the work of this Association instills within our hearts a deeper love for the Great Teacher and a broader sympathy for all mankind.



Y. M. C. A.

Lichty, Lewis, Schmeeckle, Nyquist, Shue, J. Randolph, Selleck, Wallace, Tongren, Kirk, Piper, Welliver, Larson, Magnuson, Sample, Jones, Towell, Schott, Randall, Ritchey, Rost, R. Randolph.



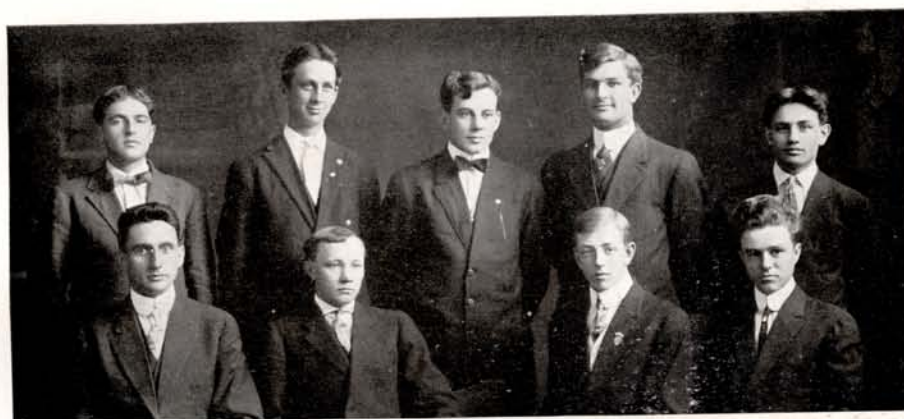
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### Y. M. C. A. Cabinet



Cook, Rost, Beardslee, Randolph, Schott,  
Deyke, Ritchey, Beachy, Randall.

#### Y. M. C. A. OFFICERS FOR 1911.

George E. Ritchey .....	President
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Wm. Cook .....	Secretary
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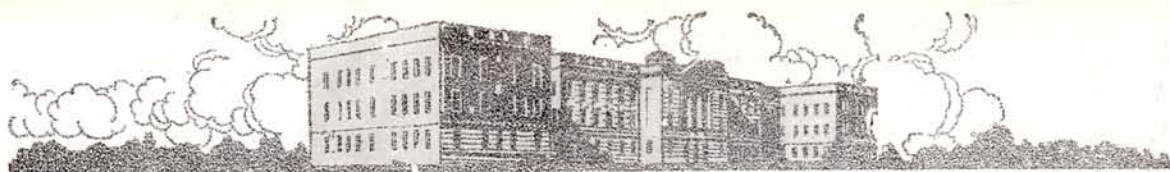
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Will J. Beachy .....	Music
Elbert Beardsley .....	Devotional
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J. E. Schott .....	Social
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Ralph A. Lichty .....	Music
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### Not-a-Show



THE SNIGGLES FAMILY.



MINSTREL ORCHESTRA





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The Young Womens Christian Association of the Kearney State Normal is one of the religious organizations of the school which stands for service and Christian fellowship. The purpose of this organization is to develop Christian character and to deepen the spiritual life of each girl in school. We are trying to develop womanhood of the purest type, "Kings daughters who are indeed all glorious within." We would bring together all the young women into a closer union or friendship and service here in the Association, so that they may gain a true knowledge of Christian work and Christian standards and be well prepared to accept the responsibility of molding the lives and characters of the children who are constantly under their influence and guidance in every walk of life.

In the Association there is a membership of one hundred and twenty-five girls and also the affiliated members consisting of former students and women of the city who are interested in us and aid us in the various ways.

The organization is under the supervision of a President, a General Secretary, a Cabinet and an Advisory Board.

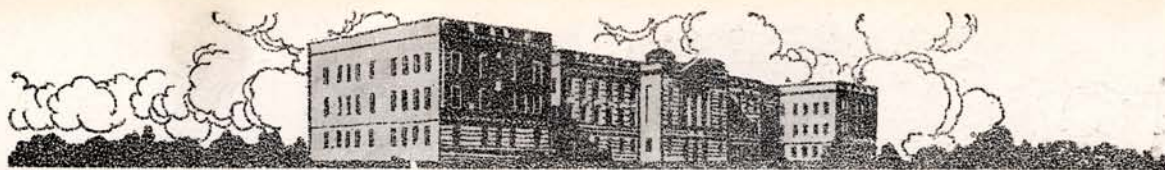
The Cabinet consists of girls who are chairmen of the seven committees. Each girl of the Association is a member of a certain committee and has her definite work for which she is responsible.

The young women who come to the Normal for the first time and are not acquainted with their surroundings are welcomed at the station by a band of Y. W. C. A. girls who aid them in securing comfortable boarding and rooming places and make them feel at home in our midst.

The girls of the membership committee make a canvas of the school for the purpose of giving each young woman an opportunity to become a member of the Association.

The Bible classes taught by Misses Anna Jennings and Ida Ward were organized by the Bible Study Committee for the purpose of giving the girls an opportunity to become more familiar with the teachings of the scriptures.





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With the aid of the Y. M. C. A. a credit Bible class, taught by Professor C. N. Anderson, is now established and open for all students of the Normal.

The Wednesday afternoon Religious meetings, which are arranged by the Devotional Committee, furnish spiritual food and point out the Christian ideals from which we receive valuable lessons and experiences, whereby we may be of more service to our fellow men.

The Finance and Intercollegiate committees must be given much credit for the business like way they manage the funds of the Association. Special mention must be given to the large number of pennants sold during the year.

The Missionary Committee organized three classes. "The Upward Path" taught by Miss Rosalie Dryden, "The Uplift of China" taught by Miss Yensen. Miss Alma Hosis is teaching a class in "Rural Problems."

All will acknowledge that the Social Committee has done excellent work in entertaining us on many occasions, such as; the receptions for becoming acquainted with the girls, and to meet the student secretaries and then the social function held immediately after the installation meeting.

The joint reception for all the students given under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. in September is one means by which all the students are brought together and become acquainted.

A very enjoyable feature in the spring is a joint picnic of the Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. cabinet members who have labored so diligently during the year.

Each fall the two organizations co-operate in giving a "Not-a-Show" which is on the order of a "Fair." The proceeds of this entertainment are used for the general expenses of the Associations.

The Social Committee with the help of all the members of the Y. W. C. A. gives a May supper in the Methodist church. This money is used for the Cascade Conference that is held in the summer.

During the year 1910-1911 we sent four delegates, Misses Ida Ward, Amanda Mylander, Pauline Gale and Myrtle Agnew to Lincoln to attend the State Student Volunteer Convention.

The Association was represented at the North Central Territorial Convention at Sioux City, Iowa, by Miss Matilda Strasser.

Misses Ellen Murphy, Sadie Brown and Matilda Strasser were delegates at the Western Conference at Cascade, Colorado, last summer.

The interest of all the members of the Association this year centers about our new Rest Room. We are purchasing furniture and necessary equipment to fit this room for a Y. W. C. A. home for all the girls where they may come to rest and have a quiet hour by themselves and also receive help in regard to the Association work from the secretary, who has her office in this room.

Without a doubt, if the girls of the Normal affiliate themselves with the Young Womens Christian Association they will be benefitted intellectually, socially and spiritually.





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## Y. W. C. A. Cabinet



### OFFICERS 1911-1912.

Mabel Vensen .....	President
Kate West .....	Vice President
Ellen Murphy .....	Secretary
Ella Fortna .....	Treasurer
Matilda Strasser .....	General Secretary

### CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.

Membership—Kate West.	Social—Emma Snyder.
Missionary—Rosalie Dryden.	Intercollegiate—Pauline Gale.
Devotional—Alice Nicholas.	Music—Sadie Brown.
Bible—Julia Hilzinger.	Finance—Ella Fortna.

### 1912-1913.

Alice Nicholas .....	President
Julia Hilzinger .....	Vice President
Marie Berry .....	Secretary
Mary Kirk .....	Treasurer
Matilda Strasser .....	General Secretary

### CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.

Membership—Julia Hilzinger.	Bible—Dora Timm.
Missionary—Rosaline Dryden.	Social—Ethel Rusher.
Devotional—Mabel Vensen.	Intercollegiate—Matilda Peterson.
	Finance—Mary Kirk.

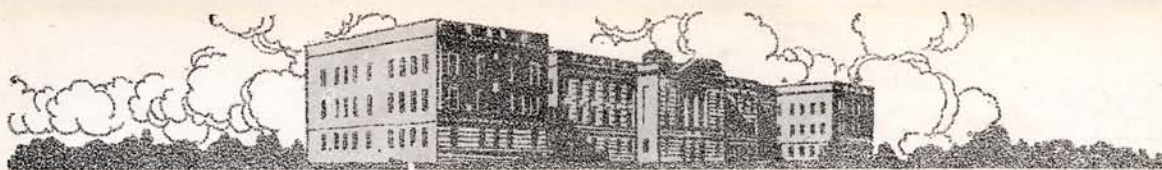
### ADVISORY BOARD.

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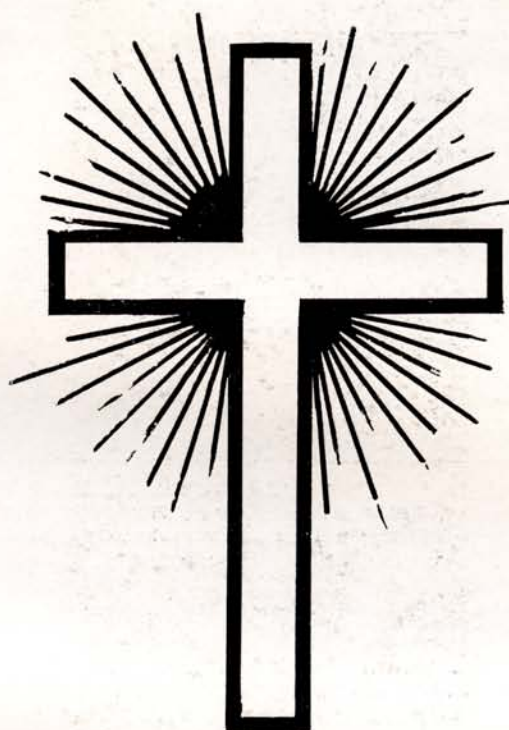


YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.





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### Catholic Student's Club

"Unity and self-possession, in thought, word and deed, are the mark of strength. They constitute harmony, beauty, and power of love."

"Good deeds and high thoughts go forth to make us friends whom we shall never know."

"He who lives in his thoughts and in the emotions which they awaken, needs little else for his entertainment and as he needs little for himself he is the more able to be of help to others."

"Attention and expression are the fundamental forms of self activity the primary and essential means of education, of developing intellectual and moral power."—Rt. Rev. J. L. Spaulding, D. D.



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CATHOLIC CABINET.

Murphy, Redding, Bloom, Bartle, Fitzgerald, Grady.  
Prof. Patterson Bogan, Schumacher, Carrig.



CATHOLIC CLUB.

Eloom, Schott, Fitzpatrick, Carrig, Redding, Mary.  
Cameron, Tucker, Sullivan, Shields, Wasia, Grady, Bartle.  
Tucker, Burns, Murphy, Winn, Wink, Gerhold, Clark, Laughlin, Genapp, Cooney, Cooney  
Schumacher  
Bogan, Rev. Munstermann, Prof. Patterson, Fitzgerald.





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### Catholic Students' Club

From the standpoint of the christian, religious training is an essential feature in education, and the leaders in Catholic thought have long felt the necessity of providing a supplementary education in the Holy Scriptures and teachings of the church.

The Catholic students of the University of California were among the first to attempt organization. After some unsuccessful endeavors, a permanent society was established in 1899. The name "Newman Club" in commemoration of the great Cardinal, was adopted as title of the association of Catholic University students. Many others followed in their footsteps and now the club has become a national organization.

Our club was organized in the early history of the Kearney Normal. As it grew in membership, it also grew in strength and efficiency. At present we have a strong membership of enthusiastic young men and women.

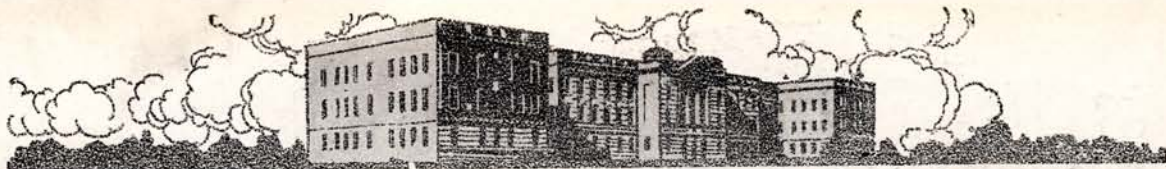
It is the aim of the club to bring the students in closer touch with the literature of their faith and to encourage a practical religion.

Regular meetings are held every two weeks and various books are taken up for discussion. Rev. Father Muentserman of the Kearney parish meets with the club regularly, always giving kind approval and helpful suggestions. Various social meetings are held from time to time at the Normal building or at the respective homes of resident members.

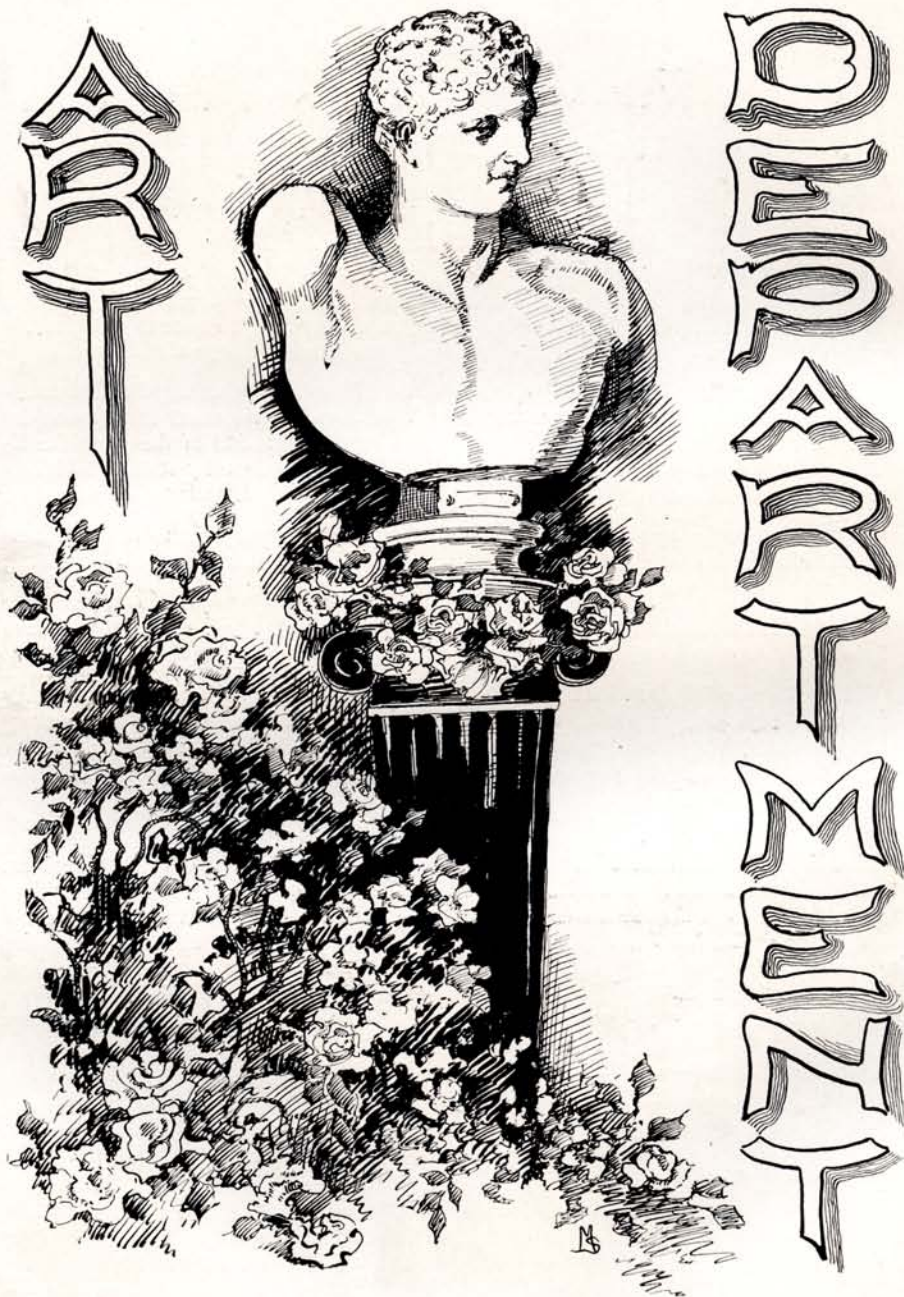
#### OFFICERS.

Violet Brogan .....	President
Earl Carrig .....	Vice President
Louise Schumacher .....	Treasurer
Mae Murphy .....	Financier
Prof. B. H. Patterson .....	Chairman of Program Committee
Gertrude Bloom .....	Chairman of Social Committee
Prof. B. H. Patterson .....	Adviser

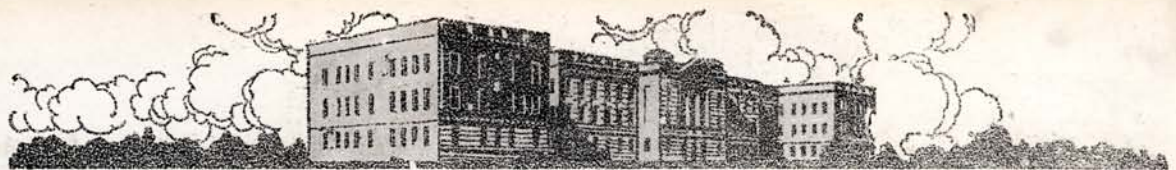




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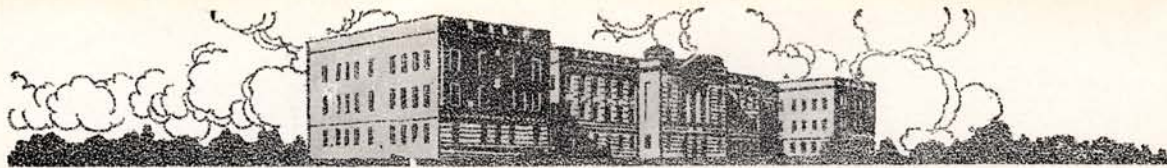


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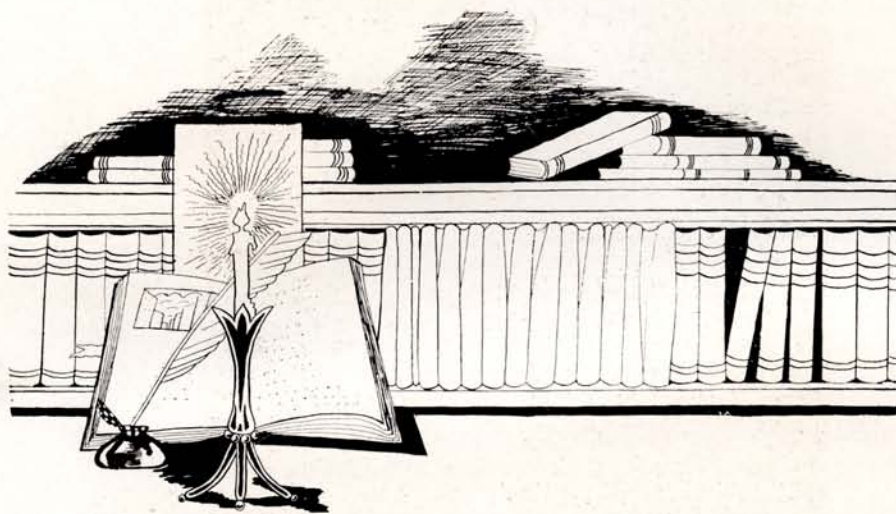


CLUBS



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### ENGLISH CLUB



The English club is an institution still in its infancy. It was organized in January 1910. The purpose of the club is to give an opportunity for the promotion of an interested in literary achievement through original effort. The meetings are held once a month, at the homes of the different members of the club. An hour or more is devoted to the literary program, and the remaining part of the evening is spent socially. This program given December 13, 1911, may be taken as typical of the work done by the club:

First Chapter of the Serial Story.....	Mrs. Thomas
Character Sketch, "Her Lord and Master".....	Miss Hult
A Jingle .....	Mr. Geo. Ritchey
A Short Story .....	Miss Merrill
Critics Report .....	Mr. Dryden

The critic's report is a very important part of each program. An innovation, in the usual method of procedure, this year, has been in giving the duties of critics to student members. During the first semester Mr. Harry Dryden filled the office. His ready wit and never failing fund of stories made the report a very edifying and entertaining feature. The opportunity, thus afforded to develop discrimination in regard to literary qualities is invaluable. One of the achievements, this year, has been the writing of a serial story. This was begun early in the year, a new chapter being presented at each meeting by a different member.

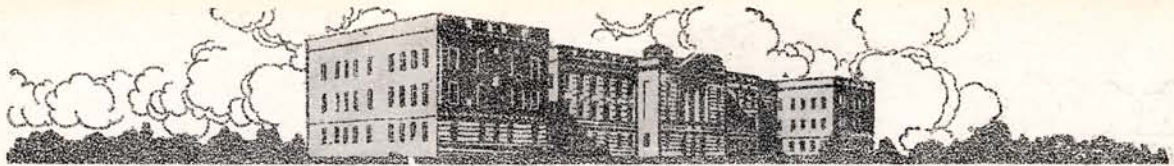
This club has a membership of seventeen. Prof. Porter has been an inspiration to the club at all times. The officers for the first semester were George Ritchey '12, President; Raymond E. Kirk '13, Vice President; Sadie Brown '12, Secretary, and Harry N. Dryden '11, critic. For the second semester these offices were filled by Fern Eads '12, Ethel Strasser '13, Helen Woolworth '12 and Prof. Porter.





ENGLISH CLUB.

Hult, Schott, F. Brown, Stryker Kirk, Deyke, Burman,  
Kirk, Woolworth, Eads, Strasser, Vroman, West, Porter.  
S. Brown, Prof. Porter, Ritchey.



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### Childhood Memories

Do I remember my father? Most assuredly I do. It seems but yesterday when we four children stood at the kitchen window and watched for his return at night. Then as the familiar figure appeared around the corner we all bounded out to meet him. The first one to reach his side was sure of a ride home on his shoulder, while the rest of us must content ourselves by hanging on to his one free hand or into one of his coat pockets.

And then the evenings,—the best part of the day we thought. When father would gather up the two youngest on his lap and with the other two either seated on the floor at his feet or, with arms around his neck, stand at his side while he told us stories of "When Papa was a little Boy." How we used to go over these stories during the day, to decide which ones we would ask him to re-tell that night.

And then when bed-time came it was always father who undressed us and carried us up-stairs one at a time. How often have I heard him say "Don't disturb mother. She is tired." Then just before the light was turned out, it was father who knelt at our sides in front of the big bed and repeated with us—"Now I lay me down to sleep."

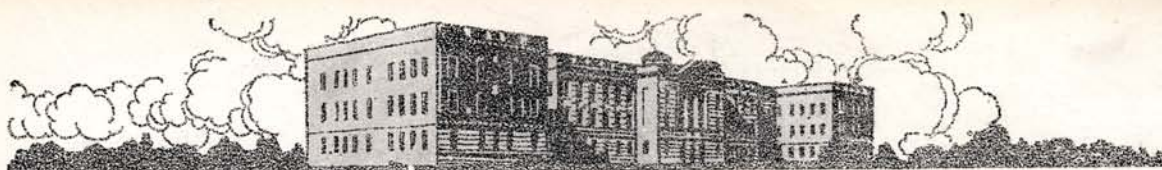
Then we were each tucked into our own bed, given a kiss, and with a "Good-night dears," the light was turned out and we heard father go down stairs.

And again I remember when father was brought home from his office and for days after, doctors came and we children were kept huddled up in the kitchen and told not to make a bit of noise. At last a strange lady said father wished to see us. Entering his room we were one at a time lifted up to his bed. He kissed us and then in a faltering voice we caught the words, "Be good, Be good."

—Written by Lena Merrill.







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## ASPASIANS

### OFFICERS OF FIRST SEMESTER.

President—Selma Hult.  
Vice President—Sadie Brown.  
Secretary—Mary Kirk.

Treasurer—Mary Gibbon.  
Sergeant At Arms—Fern Beachy.  
Critic—Miss O'Connell.

### OFFICERS OF SECOND SEMESTER.

President—Vera Pool.  
Vice President—Lena Rowell.  
Secretary—Ellen Hinshilwood.  
Treasurer—Helen Anderson.

Pianist—Emma Crow.  
Sergeant At Arms—Carrie Hult.  
Critic—Miss O'Connell.

This year has been an unusually successful one in the history of the Aspasian Debating Society. At the beginning of the present school year there were but five of the former students in the society. This fact however did not in the least discourage the five. They went to work with a will, and at the second meeting twenty-two new members were voted into the society. By the end of the first semester, the membership had reached forty which is the limit set by the constitution.

Many of the vital questions of the day have been discussed pro and con at the weekly meetings, and settled to the satisfaction of all.

In fact the Aspasians have become so proficient in argumentation and oratory that four of the members, Mary Kirk, Matilda Peterson, Emma Crow, and Alice Nicholas won places in the triangular debates.

The great question that many are considering at the present time is: What are the five great events that have occurred during the year 1911 that have affected the most people, and have been of inter-national interest? The best authorities have decided upon the following:

1. Initiation of the Aspasians.
2. Joint meeting of Aspasians and Emanons for a moon-light concert.
3. Decision in favor of womans suffrage by the Emanons.
4. Aspasian hard time party.
5. Aspasian Kensington at Miss O'Connell's.



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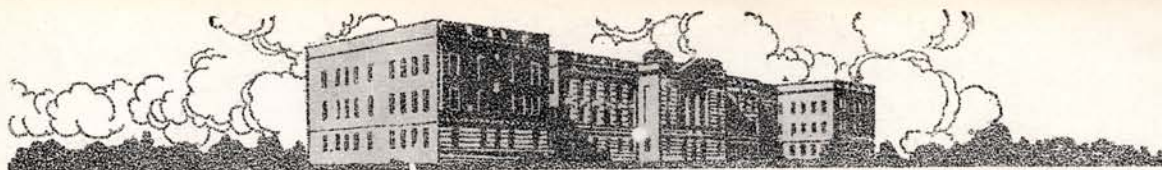


West, McBee, Lynch, Anderson, Johnson.  
Fortna, Fortna, Hanisch, Morrison, Hilzinger, Murphy, Albee, Murphy.  
Gibbon, Brown, Hult, Kirk, Beachy



Reyner, Stoetzel, Strasser, Zwink Timm, Porter.  
Rusher, Peterson Yenson, Sample, Pool, Stoetzel, Strasser.  
Hult, Hinshilwood, Pool, Rowell, Crow.





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### Emanon Debating Society

Since September 29, 1905, the Emanon Debating Society has numbered among the enthusiastic organizations of the Kearney Normal.

The success which this society has achieved has been due, not only to the ability and zeal of its members, but also to the valuable assistance of Professors Porter, Snodgrass and Anderson.

The first man to occupy the executive chair was Wayne Chapman. Under his leadership and excellent executive ability the foundations were laid for one of the most beneficial societies of which our school boasts.

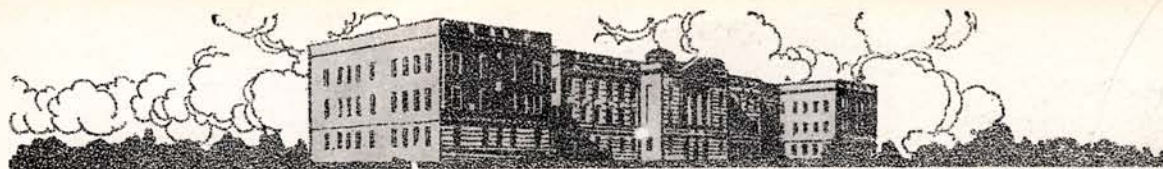
It is open to all young men of the school, who desire practical and efficient training in any place of public speaking. Questions of vital importance and interest to the country are discussed.

Practice of parliamentary drill is also extended to the members and to give variety to the program, literary numbers and subjects for extemporaneous work are interspersed.

The methods and rules of debate are emphasized, but the greater stress is placed on ease and effectiveness of delivery, so necessary to efficient work along this line.

As a result of the encouragement and assistance rendered by the Emanon Debating Society enthusiastic debating squads have been organized to participate in the intercollegiate debates. From the first a great interest has been manifested in these annual debates and we have often been surprised and pleased at the unsuspected talent brought to light through this agency.





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This Society opened its fifth year with F. W. Deyke occupying the executive chair. Under his natural leadership it grew and prospered until its members numbered thirty-six.

At the fall election of 1911, R. E. Kirk, the Webster of the Twentieth Century, was elected to fill the position of executive. Mr. Kirk, through his strong personality and enthusiastic work, greatly raised the standard of the society.

A greater interest than heretofore manifested was now awakened among the members, and the effort made to make it one of the strongest societies of the school.

Harry Magnuson is the present executive. Under his energetic leadership and keen insight in debating questions the society will continue to gain in power and strength, giving its members training, which will be of great value to them after leaving school.

Since its birth, six years ago, this society has established a record, which no other organization in the Kearney State Normal can surpass.

It was the first society of any kind to be founded at our school, and we, its members, take great pride in the fact that it is not only the first, but one of the strongest and most efficient organizations of our beloved Alma Mater.

### Our Debaters and Debates

The triangular debates between Peru, Wayne and Kearney are over and out of the clearing mist emerges the Kearney State Normal floating the banners of Blue and Gold with two victories and one defeat, as good a record as any one can boast of.

The victory in this debate was a sweet one. Since the K. S. N. first had a debating team to represent it in debates with Peru it has not been able to humble her proud rival. However this year at Kearney under the magnificent and deadly rebuttal by Raymond E. Kirk, and the sound arguments and cool presentation of parts by Miss Emma Crow and Ralph Essert they trampled the Peruvians under foot in defense of the Initiative and Referendum.

At Wayne the second squad consisting of Miss Mary Kirk, Edward Schott and Chas. Staubitz, did not fare as well, although each debater put up a winning and noble fight. They carried the banner of the opponents of the Initiative and Referendum up to the gates of the enemy surmounting all obstacles, but they lost the day. Each of the debaters are ready and deliberate thinkers, having the ability to weigh the arguments of the opponents and to turn them into winning points.

The third squad composed of Miss Matilda Peterson, Everett Randall and Grover Rost upheld the negative side of the same question in the only debate outside of the triangular debates, with the Grand Island Baptist College. The interesting thing about this debate, is that it was the only debate which was won by the negative side of the Initiative and Referendum question. This speaks well for the K. S. N. as it shows good sound reasoning, hard work and a mastery of the question from both affirmative





and negative angles. Moreover the Grand Island College has lost only few debates in the last five years, having defeated such teams as represented by Wesleyan and Hastings, this speaks well for our team.

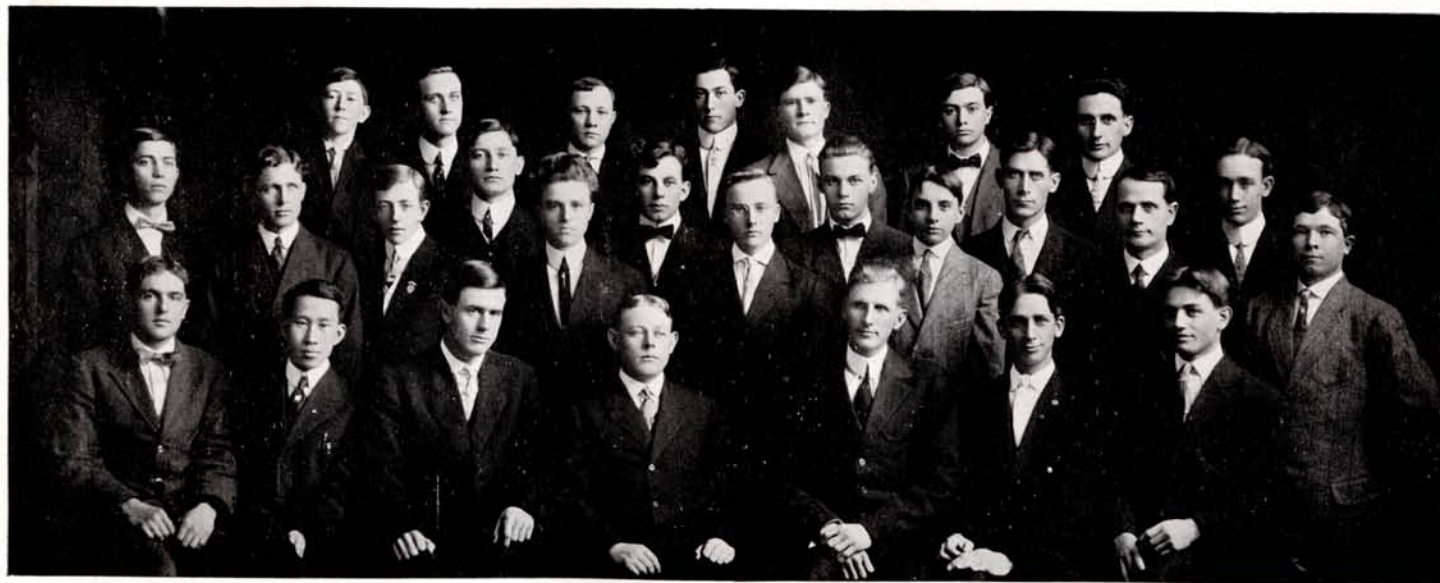
It is needless to say that when a team can win from a strong squad as represented Grand Island, the individual debates must of necessity be good.

For the success of this year's debating, Prof. Porter comes in for his share of glory. He has spent hours of hard work training and coaching the debaters, weighing with unbiased mind the merits and demerits of the affirmative and negative arguments and helping each individual debater wherever and whenever possible. Without his untiring energy, so great a success would not have been for K. S. N. The debaters were all members of the debating societies of the school.

It is with pride that the Kearney State Normal can boast of her debaters of this year and it is with equal pride that their splendid records and pleasing countenances can be remembered within the pages of the Blue and Gold for 1912.



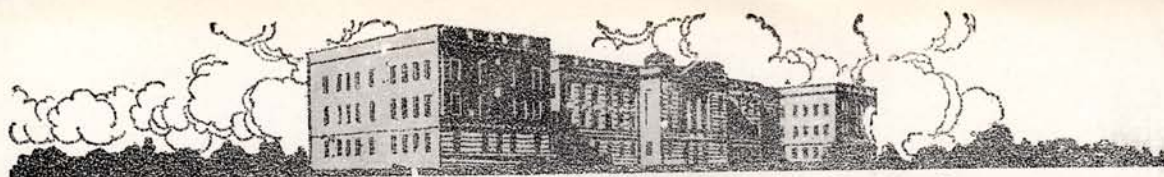
DEBATING SQUAD.  
Schott, Staubitz, Essert, Rost, Kirk, Welliver, Randall,  
Peterson, Wallace, Prof. Porter, Crow, Kirk.



EMANON SOCIETY.

Jones, Staubitz, Ritchey, Bischel, Campbell, Welliver, Deyke.  
Essert, Wallace, Beachy, Birkelbach, Randall, Beardslee, Cederberg, Jenkins, Sample, Shue, Piper, Burman, Tongren.  
Cook, Park, Kirk, Magnuson, Fillman, Rost, Schott.





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DEUTSCHE VEREIN

## Der Deutsche Verein

Der deutsche Verein was organized in 1908 with a membership of 31 students. Since its organization it has made rapid progress, having at present eighty-two active members.

The club has a three-fold purpose: practical drill in the direct use of the language, giving "das Sprachgefühl;" to broaden the minds of the students through getting a better knowledge of the German people and their literature; and lastly to create a German atmosphere not only by preserving but also by promoting the German customs and language—"deutsche Sitten, deutsche Treu"—thus helping to make "die Fremde zur Heimat" in the German.

The club holds monthly meetings conducted entirely in the German language. At these meetings very interesting programs are rendered, consisting of German songs, recitations and short plays such as "Die zerbrochene Vase" and "Der behexte Spiegel." Occasionally instead of the regular program social meetings are held, at which "Kaffee und Kaffeekekuchen" are served. German games are indulged in and general "deutsche geselligkeit" prevails.

Once during each year also the club gives an open program. In 1909 and 1910, "Der rote Kuopf," and "Der Wirrwar" were given respectively. During the year 1911-12 "Die Hochzeitsreise" and "Ein Schatz fürs Hans" were given with great success.

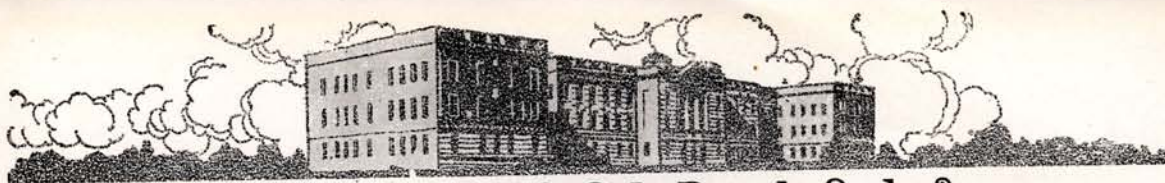
### OFFICERS.

President .....	Ruby Durtschi
Vice President .....	Raymond Kirk
Secretary .....	Louise Zwink
Treasurer .....	Fred Brown



GERMAN CLUB.





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## Sodalitis Latina

President .....	Sadie Brown
Vice President .....	Will Beachy
Secretary .....	Leslie Lewis
Treasurer .....	Carrie Hult
Sergeant at Arms .....	Ed. Hanisch

"Sequar et attingam" are the first words to meet your glance when you enter that domicile of the Sodalitas Latina, familiarly known as "the Latin room."

Who shall say that the sentiment expressed in that little motto has not been the inspiration of every earnest Latin-student, who has helped to make our club one of the most enterprising, enthusiastic and worth-while organizations of the school?

Eligibility to the Club requires that a student be taking some work in the Latin department, or any one may become an associate member who has credit with the registrar for two years work in the subject. The club has had a large enrollment every year since its organization, and this year the membership has exceeded the fifty mark.

Every second Tuesday in each month is held sacred to the Latin club, at which time, programs of a literary, cultural and classical nature are given. Usually each program is in charge of some particular class; an arrangement which creates a great deal of good-natured rivalry to see which class can put on the most interesting program. Still lingering in our minds are the recollections of Roman banquets, a Roman wedding, a Roman funeral (a Latin composition and a Caesar text-book serving as corpse,) the Vestal Virgins Pompeii's Ruins, and Caesar's Ghost, with other features of our programs, which will always bring pleasing memories of the Latin Club and the K. S. N.

The greatest achievement of the Club this year was the staging of the drama "Dido, a Phoenician Queen," under the direction of Miss Bothwell and Miss Gardner. The chorus work was under the supervision of Mrs. Steadman.





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The "Dramatis Personae" were as follows:

Aeneas, Prince of Troy.....	Chas. Staubitz
Achates, Confidential Friend of Aeneas.....	Guy Burman
Ilioneus, a Trojan Noble.....	Jesse Speilman
Dido, Queen of Carthage.....	Miss Anna Mercer
Anna, Sister of Dido.....	Miss Anna Potter
Barce, Nurse of Dido.....	Miss Kate West
Iopas, Carthaginian Minstrel.....	Ed. Sievers
Iarbas, Moorish Prince and Suitor for Dido's Hand.....	Ed. Ritchie
Juno, Queen of Gods.....	Miss Blanche Fieldgrove
Venus, Goddess of Love.....	Miss Gertrude Bloom
Cupid, God of Love.....	Ralph Fowler
Mercury, Messenger of the Gods.....	Will Beachy
Maidens, Nobles, Soldiers, Servants.....	

The play was a marvelous success, considered financially as well as in every other respect. The proceeds were used in purchasing suitable decorations for the Latin room. We point with pardonable pride to this room whose walls are now adorned with a splendid picture of the Roman Forum, a gift from one of the members of the club—pictures of the Roman gods and goddesses, and others presenting various phases of Roman life, customs and mythology; views of Pompeii and surroundings, the beautiful motto, presented to the club by Prof. Stryker, the bust of Caesar, and the last acquirement, the magnificent scene of Cicero before the Roman senate denouncing Cataline.

Surely it is almost unnecessary to state now the purpose of the Club, which is to bring Latin students into closer and better understanding of the Latin language and its people and thus increase their interest in the subject. And it is equally unnecessary to assert that under the inspiring leadership of the Head of the Latin Department, Miss Gertrude Gardner, the club is accomplishing this purpose and will continue to do so. Whoso thinketh that the Latin language is dead, let him come to Kearney, where he will find that it is by no means buried.







LATIN CLUB.



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AENEAS AT THE COURT OF DIDO



SCENE BETWEEN VENUS AND JUNO.



BANQUET SCENE.





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JUNIOR, SENIOR BANQUET 1911



HALLOWE'EN PARTY AT DORMITORY.



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J. D. Saunders, Mrs. Saunders,  
Fred Keens, Ward Hardy, John Marshall.

## Normal Adjuncts

Among those never to be forgotten by the student body, are the cheerful faces of this body of people so necessary to the welfare of the school. Their bright faces and unswerving diligence in doing all in their power to make the student body comfortable and happy, is pleasing to say the least.

In the dining department of the Dormitory, Mr. and Mrs. Saunders are found hard at work preparing for the hungry students. Mr. Saunders is supplying the students with first class food at very reasonable prices. Several labor saving devices have been installed in the kitchen, and a cleanliness and neatness worthy of note is evidenced throughout. Not least of his achievements, are the excellent banquets put out by Mr. Saunders.

At the heating plant Ward Hardy holds the throttle, and a steady hand he must have, for be the weather cold or warm, comfort is insured to every one. With his assistant John Marshall, they give no cause for complaint. As the days grow warm they help nature in her endeavor to make things beautiful about the campus. When any thing goes wrong these men are ever ready and willing to put it to rights.

Coming into the Normal you may scan every corner as you will, you find it clean and tidy. Be it windy or still, dry or wet, Mr. Keens and his assistants keeps pace with the whims of the weather man, and maintain the same high standard of cleanliness and neatness.





## Local History Club



This club began its career in May, 1911. Though it cannot boast of brilliant success during former years, it is now one of the most earnest and active organizations of the school.

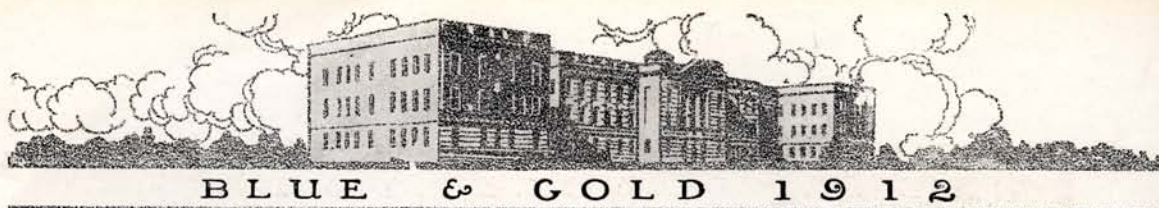
The idea of a history club was an outgrowth of the interest taken in collecting material on State History from the living witnesses—"The Old Pioneers." This was a regular class exercise in the American History recitations.

Its purpose is to arouse an interest in securing and preserving that historical material for Nebraska that will soon be beyond reach; to rescue from oblivion the unwritten stories of deeds of Nebraska pioneers; and to mark historic spots in the development of the state. The club also wishes to help the people of Nebraska to a greater appreciation of the sacrifices of those who have laid the foundation for the wealth and beauty of the state.

The members of the club are people who are now, or have been, students of the Normal and who are interested in this work, several members being out of school. Each one learns what he can of the early history of some trail, locality, or event, carefully writes it up and sends it to the archivist. He catalogues this material with the name of the writer and an outline of what the article contains. These articles are published in the Antelope in order that all who desire to read them may have an opportunity to do so.

Some very interesting material has been collected; among which are anecdotes and stories of the good times and hardships of pioneer life, descriptions of trails, events and ranches of early days, the history of founding towns and cities, and the locating of county seats have been received.

The first regular meeting of the club was held at the home of Prof. Anderson, Nov. 25, 1911. The program was on "Ranches and Ranch Life in the History of Nebraska." Many entertaining and instructive facts and stories were given.



In the beginning of the club when the perplexities of organization arose, the sympathy and help of Prof. Anderson made success possible. His inspiration as a teacher, and personality as a friend spurred the members on to make of the club all that is possible.

The development has required the best efforts of her energetic citizens. There is a broad field for labor in gathering and preserving the history of the progress of Nebraska through the achievements of these noble people. The activity of the members of the Normal Local History Club in carrying on their work assures a great future for the organization.

#### OFFICERS.

President—F. W. Deyke.	Recorder—Grover Rost.
Vice President—Geo. Ritchey.	Treasurer—Everett Jenkins.
Corresponding Secretary—Matilda Strasser	Archivist—Prof. Anderson.

#### MEMBERS.

Margaret E. Laughlin.	Elsie Kelly.
F. W. Deyke.	Lottie Turnquist.
Grover Rost.	William Stryker.
Lena Briggs.	Floy Walker.
Elsie Smith.	Leota Vaughan.
Fay Gillian.	Mary Summerville.
Laura Bomgardner.	Maude Stephens Wilson.
Lula J. Jackman.	Florence M. Berlin.
Hazel Romine.	Margaret Knapple.
Alta King.	Matilda Strasser.
Mrs. Axemaker.	Ellen Murphy.
Everett C. Jenkins.	Ulah Murphy.
Nellie McKean.	Geo. Ritchey.
Lauda Houston.	Daisy Hall.
Margaret Hogan.	Ethel Mackey.





#### HISTORY CLUB.

Spielman, Fortna, Murphy, Hall, Koch, Rost, Eads, Strasser, Deyke, Mackey.  
 Stryker, Gale, Dow, Phelps, Murphy, Ritchey, Knapple, Jenkins, McBee  
 Rankin, Prof. Anderson, Strasser.

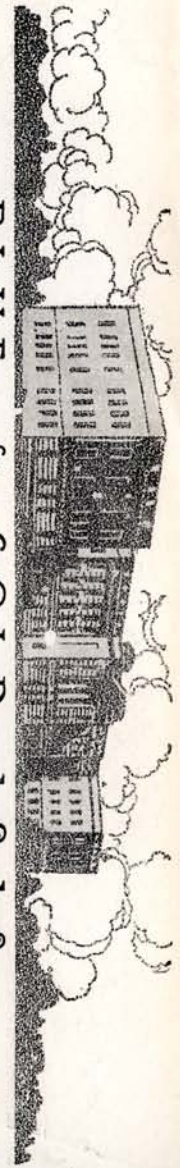


Sunset and evening  
star, And one clear  
call for me! And may  
there be no moaning of the bar  
When I put out to sea.

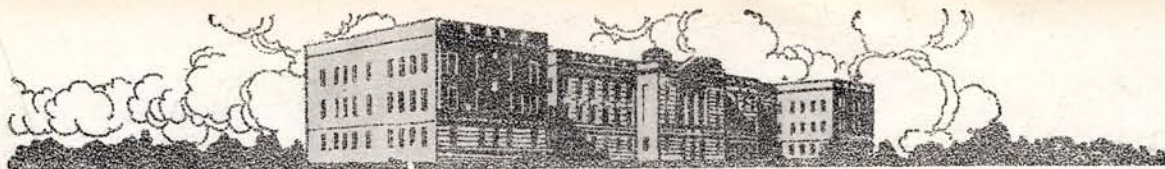


—J. B. STEVENSON—

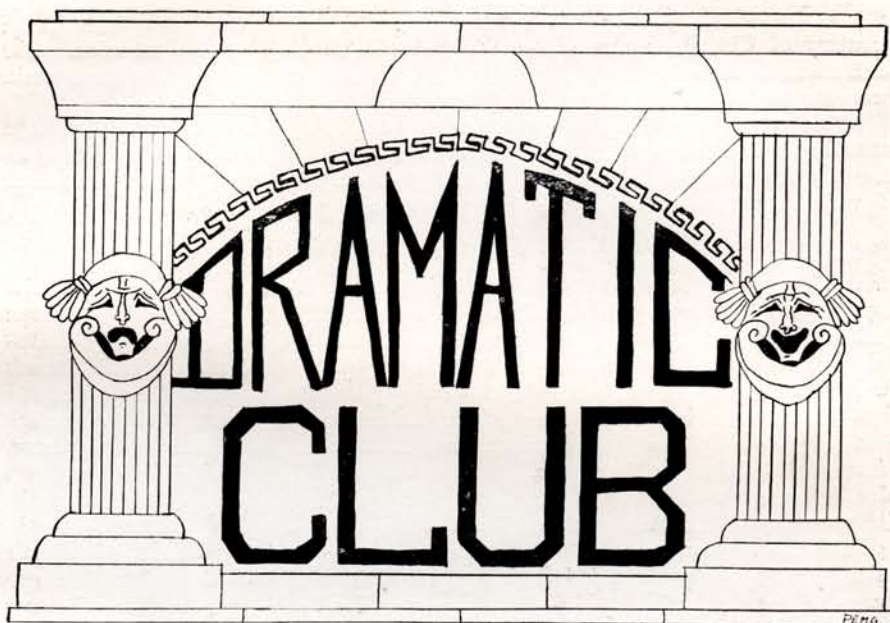
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On the thirteenth of October in the year nineteen hundred and eight, a band of students, "upon a single tho't intent," decided that it would be beneficial, as well as pleasurable, to organize a Dramatic club. The idea was materilized and the Club came into being, having as its aim, the interpretation and presentation of high class drama.

During the first year, with Miss Grace Hamer as critic, two plays were staged, the members of the Club, receiving much benefit and the spectators much enjoyment from their work.

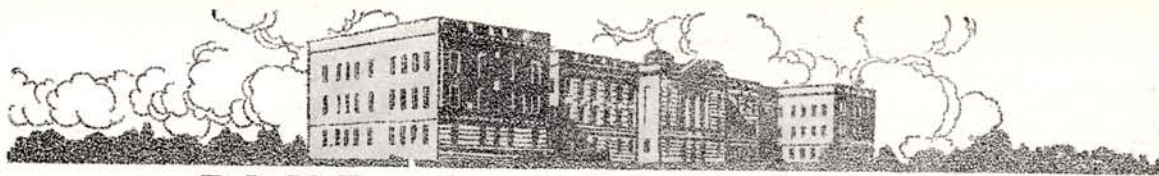
To Mrs. Grace Steadman, who for the next two years was critic, the Club owes much. She is a woman of the most inspiring personality, and untiring energy. With her excellent management, the Club staged two plays.

In 1910 "Mr. Bob" was played to an enthusiastic audience, and the general opinion that the Dramatic Club could "put on a pretty good show" was prevalent throughout the school.

When during the year 1911 "The Kingdom of Heart's Content" was staged, the fame of the Dramatic Club went abroad, and it was requested to present the play again for the benefit of the "Norris Brown Guards." At both performances the audiences were large and most enthusiastic.

Now the dominant oninion, of not only the whole school, but of the whole community, was that the Dramatic Club could "put on an excellent play." One member of the faculty, whose opinion and criticism is highly valued by every one, said: "The performance was of an excellence rarely seen among amateurs."

This year, owing to the division of the Departments of Music and Elocution, Miss Bothwell became the Critic. Miss Bothwell is a graduate of the Drexell Con-



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servatory of Chicago, and was for two years instructor in that institution. She came to us in the fall, full of life and vigor, and her heart is in her chosen work. From her talented guidance the Club has had the best of progress.

This year when the time came to decide upon a play, the Club decided to stage something a little more classical than heretofore. "The Rivals" was decided upon, and the Club membership bent itself to hard practice. The result was a performance of credit, showing that their work has been going forward.

### DRAMATIS PERSONAE.

Sir Anthony Absolute—An indulgent father.....	Elbert Beardslee
Captain Jack Absolute—Lydia's Eeverly—One of the Twins.....	Angus Steadman
Falkland—Jealous lover of Julia.....	Edmond Winchell
Bob. Acres—"A man of honour,"—"the other rival".....	Norvin Holzmark
Sir Lucius O'Treggar .....	Everett Randall
Fag—Captain Absolute's servant.....	Charles Staubit
David Acres—Coachman.....	Jesse Speilman
Thomas—Coachman .....	Jesse Speilman
Mrs. Malaprop—A woman of "select words, ingeniously misapplied without being mispronounced" .....	Agnes Faught
Lydia Languish—In love with Beverly.....	Pauline Gale
Julia Melville—Lydia's Cousin—In love with Falkland.....	Catherine Hackman
Lucy—Clever maid of Mrs. Malaprop.....	Mary Gardner
Susie—Companion to Lydia.....	Marie Berry
Errand Boy.....	Floyd Wilson



THE QUARREL.





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THE DUEL.



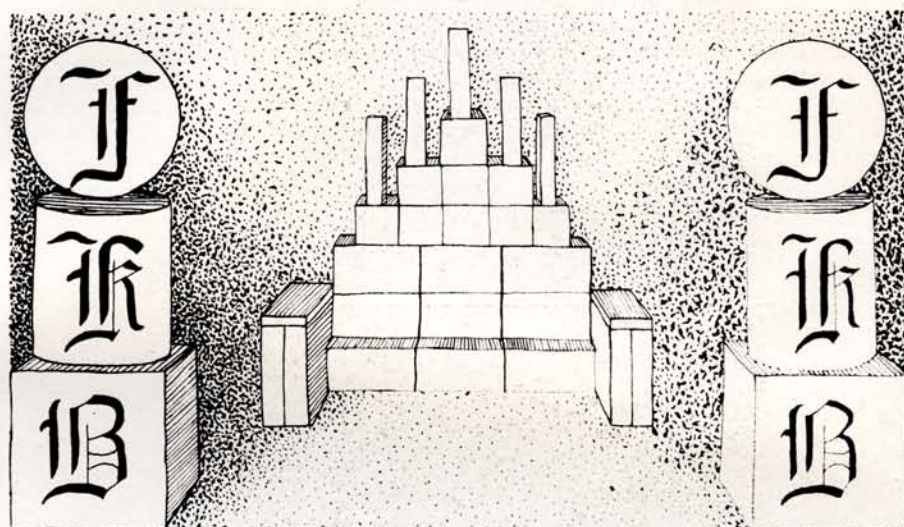
GRAND FINALE.



DRAMATIC CLUB.

Beardslee, Gale, Steadman, Bothwell, Winchell, Hackman, Weisel.  
Spielman, Berry, Staubitz, Faught, Randall, Gardner, Holzmark.





## Our Kindergarten

Our Kindergarten is one of these bright, cheerful, home-like rooms that brings sunshine to a person's face as soon as he enters it. With the piano, the cupboard of dishes, the case of picture books, and the many inspiring pictures, among which Froebel stands most prominent. Ferns enjoy the play of the sun's rays passing in through the windows. The little red chairs are neatly arranged around the room, and upon the spotless floor are the children freely playing in that peaceful contented way,—perhaps with dolls, or it may be bouncing the ball or building with large blocks, and one is not aware of its being a school room until that ever-faithful cuckoo clock greets the children with its "How de do." Then they realize it is time to lay play things aside and take their places on their chairs with folded hands.

Soft music is played while they quietly take their places on the circle, where first of all they have a good-morning game and a story. Then follow numerous kinds of skillful marches which have some guided purpose as: Follow the leader; march like soldiers; where commands are taught them.

Rhythmic exercise are of great benefit also, having much activity of grace and imitation, a few of our best being: Dancing brownies, flying birds, galloping horses, walking dolls, Humpty Dumpty and "The Crooked Man." These are all guided by the piano alone which helps the child to cultivate that keen sense of observation and rhythm. Our games are of this same nature with bodily development.

One can not realize how much is accomplished in so short a time with these undeveloped bundles of humanity.

The kindergarten is not the place for a child to begin work, but to guide his play carefully that he may have a foundation for work when he passes to the grades.



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Of the students who have worked in and enjoyed the Kindergarten much could be said. Two are teaching in California, five have kindergartens in Nebraska, seven have married and are putting kindergarten precepts into practice, one is a nurse in Chicago, and a number are teaching in other states. Those who are here this year are already feeling sad at the prospect of leaving, although anticipating the happy future before them. They hope some day they will come back and the cuckoo clock will sing for them, and Froebel smile at them, and Miss Caldwell greet them—and the homecoming will pay for the separation.



KINDERGARTEN ROOM.



MODEL HIGH SCHOOL.





KINDERGARTEN.

Thomas, Berry, Reed, Ritchey, Reece, Lietch, Bartle, McVey, Lynch.  
Boyden, Woolworth, Welsh, Knutzen, Peterson, Karlson, Williams, Sawyer.  
Wilson, Grabill, Caldwell, Watt, Parkhurst.



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GIRLS GLEE CLUB.

Fortna, Lynch, Cummings, Wolfe, Dillman, Hilzinger, Strasser, Miller,  
Cone, Cook, Mercer, Thygesen, Norberg, Gomme, Strasser, Berry, Reves, Stanton, Rumpeltes  
Timm, Brown, Wolfe, Morrison, Thuman, Matson, Fitzpatrick, Gibbon, Hackman,  
Steadman, Faugerstrom, McConnauey, Woolworth, Marshal, Dryden, Woolworth,  
Schumacher, Beachy, Marshall, Fortna, Rusher.  
Williams, Crow, Hathaway, Burmood Mrs. Steadman, Wood, Rowell, Peterson,  
Hill, McKeever.



BOYS GLEE CLUB.

Randall, Patterson, Falk, Green, Ambrose, Nyquist,  
Wallace, Dossett, Siever, Cederberg, Campbell, Simpson,  
Randolph, Jenkins, Bischel, Carrig, Mrs. Steadman, Deyke, Randolph, Birkelbach, Essert.





### **Nordicean Glee Club**

The Nordicean Glee Club under the direction of Mrs. Steadman, is organized among the young ladies of the school. The enrollment of fifty manifests the interest taken in the work.

The club meets weekly and aside from the pleasure derived from the work very helpful and valuable instruction is given.

The music taken up is of the best quality and under such competent direction, as that given by Mrs. Steadman, is presented in the best and most pleasing manner.

The Club is frequently called upon, and is pleased to sing for various entertainments and for special occasions.

### **Mendelssohn Glee Club**

The Mendelssohn Boys Glee Club was organized in October, 1911, under the direction of Mrs. Steadman. It consists of about thirty voices among which number is selected several excellent soloists and fine quartette.

This club has been called upon to sing at different times during the year.

Some of the programs in which it has participated are "two minstrel shows at the Normal," "Christmas Cantatta," "Ease Ball Minstrel," and "The Teachers' Association."

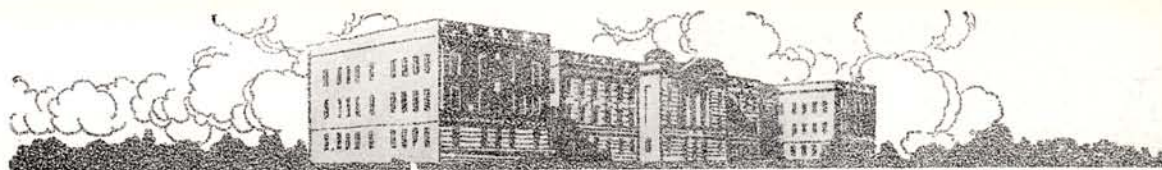
The Mendelssohn's are very clever and have always proven themselves equal to all occasions.

The Nordicean and Mendelssohn Glee Clubs join for chorus work.

Here also Mrs. Steadman most eminently directs the chorus which is accompanied by the Normal Orchestra.

Such cantatas as "The Rose Maiden," "The Crusaders," and "The Holy City," have been given in previous years and the oratorio "Elijah" by Mendelssohn was given in 1911 as well as the oratorio "The Creation" by Joseph Hayden that was given in 1912.

The Normal feels highly honored in having such musical talent, and the work done, as well as the numbers rendered speak for themselves.



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ORCHESTRA.

Beachy, VanBuren, Prof. Patterson, Shaw, Vroman, Hammons, Dow, Prof. Porter, Reed.

## The Normal Orchestra

PROF. B. H. PATTERSON, DIRECTOR.

1st Violin  
B. H. Patterson

2nd Violin  
Robert Shaw  
William Beachy

Piano  
Louise Vroman

Clarinet  
Prof. Geo. N. Porter

Cornet  
Earl Hammons

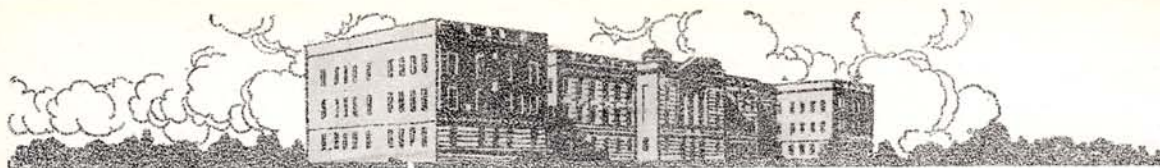
Trombone  
Bert Reed

Horn  
Donald Dow

Under the excellent direction of Prof. Patterson the Normal has brought out some good musical talent, and developed a fine orchestra.

Besides rendering some excellent programs in chapel, and furnishing music for the various lecture course numbers and entertainments, the orchestra has been called on at various times to render music for down-town entertainments. In every case, the consensus of opinion has been that our orchestra is hard to beat, and is a credit to the school.





BAND.

Dow, Burford, Essert, Falk, Shue, Jenkins, Ritchey, VanBuren, Holzmark, Ramsey, Reed,  
Essert, Campbell, Lewis, Knott, Patterson Porter Hammons Walker.

## The Normal Band

PROF. GEO. N. PORTER, DIRECTOR.  
Solo Cornet.

Clarionets  
Ralph Essert  
Leslie Lewis  
Harry Knott  
Ray Campbell

Altos  
Donald Dow  
Arch Burford  
Edward Shue

Cornets  
Earl Hammons, Solo  
Byron Walker, Solo  
Ben Anderson, 1st

Trombones  
Prof. G. J. VanBuren  
Bert Reed  
Norvin Holzmark  
Walker M. Ramsey

Baritone  
Prof. B. H. Patterson

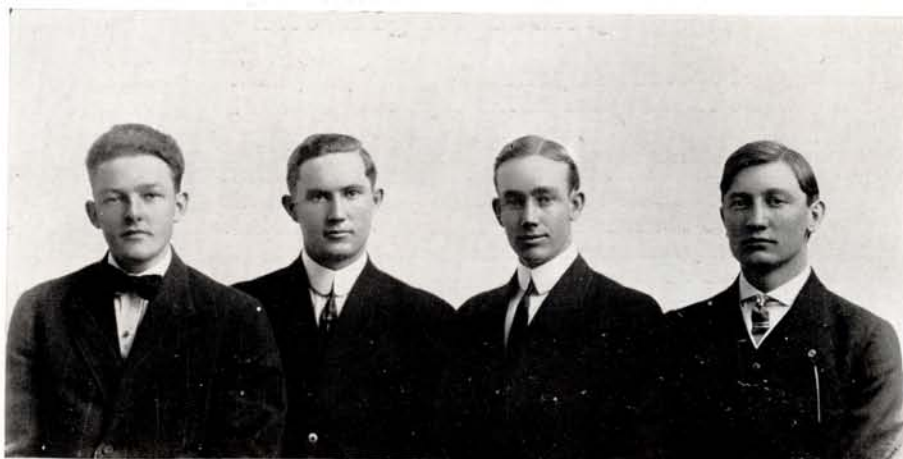
Basses  
Carl Falk  
Will Essert

Drums  
Edward Ritchey, Bass  
Everett Jenkins, Snare

Kearney Normal is fortunate this year in having such a strong band. Under the efficient leadership of Prof. Porter the boys have acquired considerable skill. They have furnished music in chapel, at the athletic contests and other special occasions in a very satisfactory manner. This is an important training, and the boys have gone in to the work to make good, and the results of their earnest work is highly pleasing.



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MALE QUARTET.  
Cameron, Seiver, Burman, Birkelbach.

### The Normal Quartette

The Normal School Quartet had its inception in the Latin Club. The play given by that organization included in its incidental music a male quartet. These four young men were selected from the members of the club to do this work and the resultant blending of voices was so pleasing that it was decided to organize for permanent work, Mrs. Steadman acting as coach.

Mr. Cameron sings first tenor, Mr. Sievers second tenor, Mr. Burman first bass and Mr. Birkelbach second bass. They have sung on several occasions, and rendered chapel programs with excellent satisfaction, showing natural musical talent. Besides singing in the quartet, these gentlemen are greatly in demand as soloists, each having rendered a number of creditable pieces during the year.

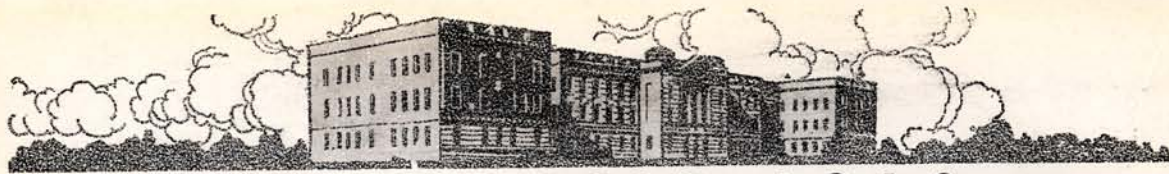
May tenth the quartet will give a program at the Normal Chapel. Judging from their past work, we look forward to this as a rare treat for the lovers of good music. The program will consist of quartettes, duets, trios, solos and readings. They will be assisted by Mr. Staubitz, pianist, and Angus Steadman reader, who are excellent in their line of entertainment. Mrs. Steadman is coaching the boys and this insures a program of high quality, as has been shown in all her work for the school.





TEGNER

Eengburg, Rost, Hoffstrand, Fillman, Sodergren, Larson.  
 Hall, Gustafson, Norberg, Falk, Olson, Jorgenson, Yensen, Turnquist, Winholtz, Tongren, Peterson.  
 Faugerstrom, Hultgren, Matson, Martin, Peterson, Norberg, Karlson Matson, Nordstrom, Hult, Johnson, Peterson.  
 Knutzen, Salgren, Olson, Maguson, Burman.



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### The Tegner Society

The Tegner Society is the youngest organized society in the school and moreover it is the only organization of its kind in any Nebraska college outside the State University and Wahoo.

A few of the Swedish students conceived the idea of establishing a club of this sort shortly after the Christmas holidays from the fact that there were so many Swedish folk in the Normal. After consulting most of the Swedes it was decided to call a meeting of all the Swedes. This meeting was held in the first part of February. About thirty people attended and a great deal of enthusiasm was shown which was a good omen for the success of the undertaking. Nothing could be done at this meeting other than to get the sentiments of the people in regard to a society of this kind and to appoint a committee to draw up a constitution. This committee consisted of Miss Salgren, Messrs. Olsen and Kost.

At a later meeting the Swedish people decided to invite their next door neighbors—the Danes and Norwegians—to join the society making it Scandinavian society instead of a Swedish society alone.

At the same meeting the constitution was adopted. Two meetings a month were provided for: the second and the fourth Tuesday of every month. Two meetings were to be strictly literary and the third meeting literary and social, to be held on Saturday evenings. At this meeting the society was given its name—The Tegner Society. The society is named after Tegner, the foremost Swedish writer and author of his time, whose works have never been excelled.

The first meeting of the Tegn timers was held March 16, in the Y. W. C. A. rest rooms. According to the wishes of the society it was a literary and a social meeting. A large number of students were out and a most successful meeting was held. The people present were reminded of home and other Swedish gatherings, by the refreshments, "kaffee och dopp."

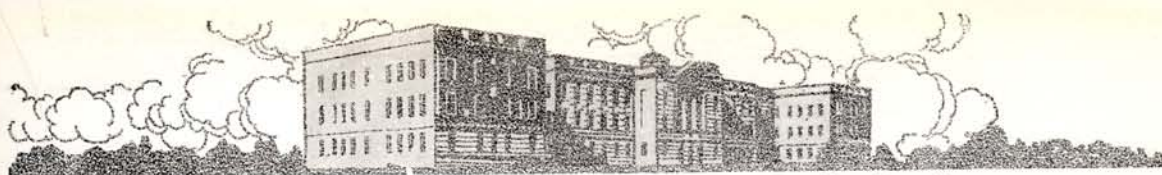
This organization, it is hoped, will live and grow and become a permanent society in the Kearney Normal; it has all the cultural and educational values that any other club or society has and besides it cultivates a love for the mother tongue.

In the Kearney Normal many Scandinavians are taking a prominent part. Miss Selma Hult is the assistant in the physics laboratory and was president of the Aspasians last semester; Harry Magnuson is the Editor-in-Chief of the "Blue and Gold" as well as the president of the Emanons; and Guy Burman is the Editor of The Antelope. Besides these the Scandinavians are represented in the debating teams, and various societies.

Much credit is due to Mr. Olsen for the establishment of this organization,—he is the mainspring. To Miss Salgren as faculty adviser much credit is also due for boosting the project. Much credit is due Harry Magnuson, for he has labored unceasingly for the good and success of the society. Grover Rost and Guy Burman come in for a large share of praise also.

The officers of the Tegner Society are: Harry Magnuson, President; Grover Rost, Vice President; Mabel Martin, Secretary; Ferdinand Cederberg, Treasurer.





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STUDENTS AT GREEN TERRACE HALL.



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### The Culture Club

This club was organized by Mrs. Brindley in nineteen hundred eight, for the purpose of developing higher ideals and a love for all things good and true, useful and beautiful.

The meetings are held each Thursday evening in the spacious reception room of Green Terrace Hall, and the membership consists of all girls making their home within the old "Dorm." walls. The programs consist chiefly of addresses given by members of the faculty who discuss such topics as Art, Poetry, Music, Travel, Hygiene, Manners and Customs.

Each year the girls provide one or more programs of some unique character. The girls of nineteen twelve have surpassed all previous efforts in this respect.

Each year the members of the club have presented a beautiful gift as a memorial to the Hall.

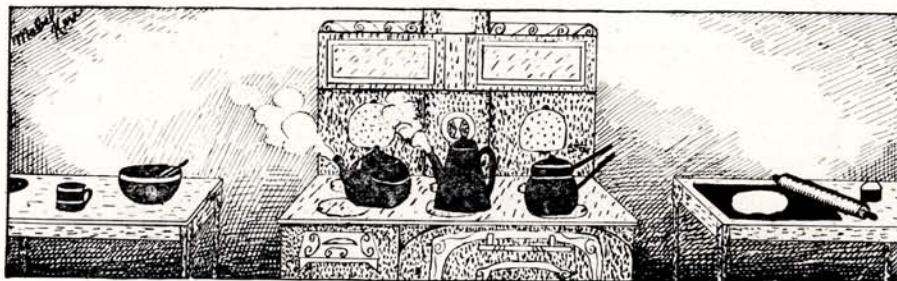
The officers of nineteen hundred eleven and twelve are as follows: President, Maude Rees; Vice President, Mrs. Brindley; Secretary, Miss Sadie Brown.

#### DORM YELL.

Do so, do so, do so la  
Dorm girls, Dorm girls  
Ra, ra, ra.

#### SONG.

We're the young  
Lassies of  
Green Terrace Hall.







MODEL SCHOOL—PRIMARY, INTERMEDIATE AND GRAMMAR DEPARTMENTS.



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EPSILON BETA.

Hackman, Dunlap, Williams, West, May.  
Gale, M. Wilson, Edwards, Minshall, Wheeler, Green, Burmood.  
Vroman, Haughawout, A. Wilson, Ruggles, Reeder.

## Epsilon Beta

We here present the members of our society which we have appropriately named "Epsiluon Beta." We beg to be considered advocates of physical development, jolly good times and occasional feeds.

The noted members of our club must not be overlooked. The President "Little Dimpled Ada," Vice President Hanna the "Mathematician," Secretary Hazel, "Miss Sweetness," Catherine the "Giant," Ida the "Champion Giggler," Ruth the "Jewess," Louise the "Sneezer," Florence the "Joke," Hazel W. our "Lady," Mabel the "Irish Wit," Faye the "Hall Tree," Ethel "Gentle Pacifier," Gate the "Cook," Charlotte the "Crickett," Clara the "Acrobat," Mina the "Sanctimonious Parson," Pauline the "Poetess," Irma the "Rival," each closely bound by the solemn vows of friendship.

"Happy are we met, happy have we been,  
Happy may we part, and happy meet again."





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### U. N. L. CLUB.

Greene, Essert, Randolph, Staubitz, Winchell, Knutzen, Holzmark,  
Easterling, Dossett, Simpson, Deyke, Essert.  
Weisel, Waltermire, Cavenee, Beardslee, Burman, Randall, Randolph.



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### JUANITA.

Grabill, Bartle, Snyder, Shue, Kreis, Gardner, Hemple, Bogan,  
Edgington, Schumacher, Edgington, Welsh, Dawson, Welsh.





## The Juanita Girls

In the month of September in the year of 1910, a little band of Indian maids, almost footsore from a day's journey over the prairies, built their campfire on the banks of the sparkling waters of Lake Kearney.

The evening meal then refreshed them and as the moon rose and lingered on the waters, a song, hummed at first by one, rose in a crescendo as each tongue took up the soft melody.

Soft, o'er the fountain,  
Ling'ring falls the southern moon;  
Far o'er the mountain,  
Breaks the day too soon!  
In thy dark eyes' splendor,  
Where the warm light loves to dwell,  
Weary looks yet tender,  
Speaks their fond farewell.  
Nita Jaunita!  
LL Ask thy soul if we should part!  
Nita Jaunita!  
Lean thou on my heart.

As the song died away and while the embers of the campfire were still glowing, they pledged themselves in bonds of faithful allegiance, myriad stars acting as witnesses.

The charter members of this club are:

Starlight .....	Clara Edgington.
Vinita .....	Cora Edgington.
Pocahontas .....	Mildred Bates.
Minnehaha .....	Edna Edwards.
Nakomas .....	Rachel Starret.
Romolo .....	Mary Welsh
Anoka .....	Genesta Clark
Laughing Rills .....	Reva Dawson.
Eufaula .....	Minnie Ward.
Romona .....	Gladys Grabill.
Tonkawa .....	Nelle Brown
Winona .....	Mary Gardner.
Chippewa .....	Emma Snyder

Initiations have been held three times this year, when Violet Bogan, Fannie Welsh, Hazel Hempel, Clara Bartle, Edith Shue, Alice Miller and Louise Schumaker were branded by the arrow.

### OFFICERS.

Gladys Grabill .....	President
Clara Edgington .....	Vice-President
Emma Snyder .....	Secretary
Mary Gardner .....	Treasurer

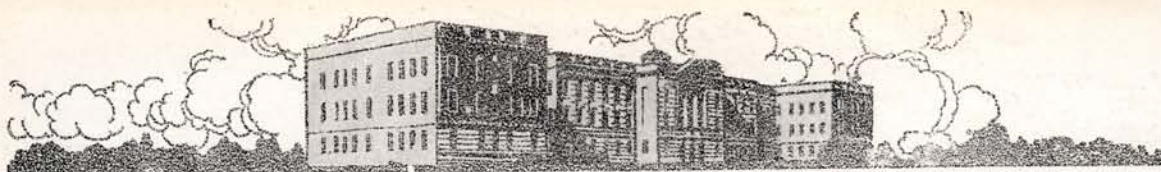


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### CALENDAR

#### SEPTEMBER.

- 14.—School opens. New students arrive by every train.
- 15.—"Pip" Cook takes Mable Martin to the dance.
- (?)
- 17.—Green Terrace Hall girls entertain at Dr. Thomas' home.
- 18.—The new students attend classes.
- 19.—Watermelon feast of Y. M. C. A.
- 22.—Annual Reception to Students.
- 24.—Reception at Dr. Thomas' home.
- 25.—Prof. Neale detained at home to teach little son "Mental Arithmetic."
- 27.—Catholic Club meets.
- 29.—Foot ball K. H. S. at Kearney. N. S. N. wins.

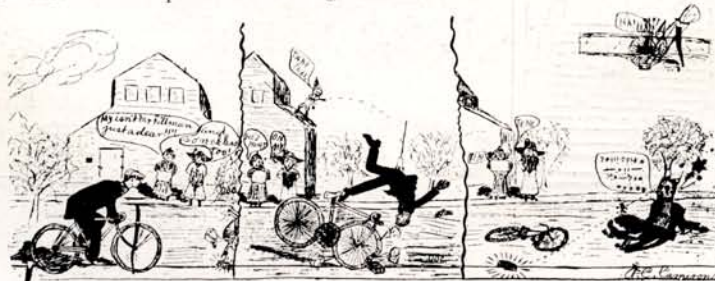


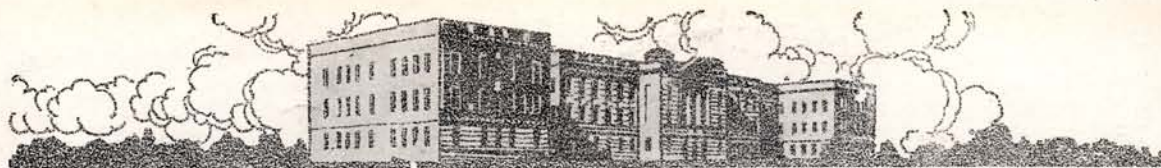
#### OCTOBER.

- 2.—Seniors elect officers.
- 3.—Foot ball team elect Captain
- 4.—Chanticleer Concert at Green Terrace Hall.
- 6.—M. E. Church reception.
- 7.—"There is no psychosis without neurosis."
- 10.—Sophomores organize.
- 13.—Band makes its debut in Chapel
- 14.—Senior Class Party.
- 15.—R. T. B. spread at Green Terrace Hall.
- 20.—Foot ball Rally in Chapel.
- Hallowe'en party at Derm. (Cozy corners in demand.) Foot ball at Cotner. N. S. N. victorious as usual.
- 28.—Tyrolean Alpine Singers and Yodlers in Chapel.
- 29.—Everybody Yodling. Cavence and Waltermire met the west bound local. (?)

#### NOVEMBER.

- 3.—Entertainment by Gales in Chapel.
- 8-13.—Vacation. Normal halls deserted. Dorm. halls quite active. Carpets being aired.
- 18.—Sophomore Class Party.
- 20.—Dr. Winship speaks in Chapel.
- 21.—N. H. takes V. B. to supper.
- V. B.—"If I sit in that high chair I want a spoon."
- N. H.—"You may if you will with me."
- 22.—Mr. Fillman performs the high dive.





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23.—Normal Orchestra in Chapel.  
Fathers, Stark Meunsterman, Welsh, in Chapel.

24.—Dr. Kirk of Kirkville, Mo., in Chapel.

"Not-a-Show."

25.—Historical Club met at Mr. Anderson's.

26.—Governor Aldrich gives an address at M. E. church.

27.—Governor Aldrich at Chapel. General Reception for Governor.

28.—Sr. Arith. test, begins at 7:30.

29.—"Brother Bill and Miss Arnold go to the Crescent.

30.—Thanksgiving vacation begins.

30.—Party at Dorm.

### DECEMBER.

4.—Prof. Anderson forgets faculty meeting and plays solitaire."

4.—Work begins again. Dr. Clark in charge chapel exercises.

6.—Ralph Essert brings Miss West to Chapel.

7.—Wiesel declares he needs moral Education.

8.—Van Buren is encouraged with prospects of girls basket ball team.—Three report for practice.

9.—Senior Stunt. Juniors represented by their champion, Puge Peebles, try to destroy Wiesel.

12.—Mr. Deyke and Miss Vroman monopolize Pedagogy Class.

13.—Doc. Cameron recites in Chem. Class.

16.—Dido, The Phoenician Queen given by Latin Club.

17.—Dow and Jean West lose their dollar (?) in Baptist Church.

18.—Vacation.

20.—Dom. Sci." Girls serve banquet to foot ball boys.

21.—Everett Randall loosened up and presented each one at table a stick of candy.

21.—Mabel Wilson says all she wants for Xmas is a diamond. (?)

### JANUARY.

17.—No. 17, 10 (ten) hours late. 1 cab, 8 people, 7 handboxes, 9 suitcases, 7 ladies hats.

10.—Casey Jones realizes one of the fruits of his dreams. He goes from 3rd floor to second in one step.

11.—Ida Ruggles directs music class. First of preliminary debates. "Dutch" gives current events in chapel.

12.—We were shown how to rise and sit properly in chapel.







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13.—Alarm Clock Brigade furnishes music for select Dorm. Belle.

15.—Clyde Simpson in Kindergarten room singing "All Alone."

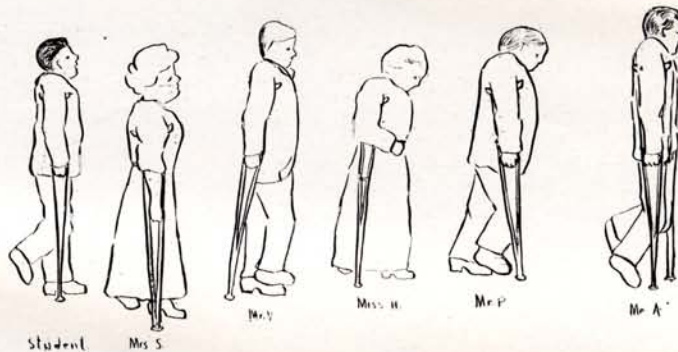
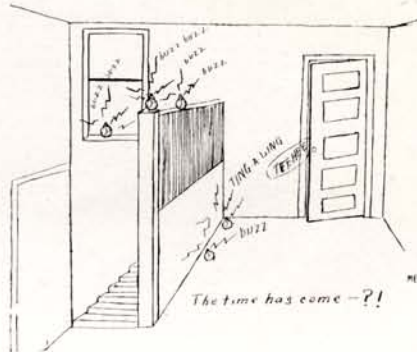
17.—Normal gives program for the State Firemen.

18.—Prof. Patterson fell and sprained his ankle. He said he hadn't been to the firemen's dance. (Query.)

19.—Fourth number lecture course, Reno Willbourn—the scientist.

20.—Class games. Normal wins.

22.—Dr. Leavitt in chapel. Ralph Es-sert on crutches as a result of basket ball games.



*The Members of the Faculty have taken their turn  
Who Next?*

M. Goodwin

23.—Prof. Patterson brings his crutches to school in case some one might need them.

24.—Miss B.—"Miss Ruggles, what kind of a tone is used in love?"

Miss R.—"I'm not telling."

25.—If Flora Moulds will Lawrence Brown?

26.—Semester Exams. Everybody wears the tired and sleepy look. Oh you said night oil!

26.—Miss Caldwell, the wanderer, returns.

29.—Minstrel Show.—Prof. Van Euren's acrobats and Dr. Quack.

30.—More new faces in the halls.

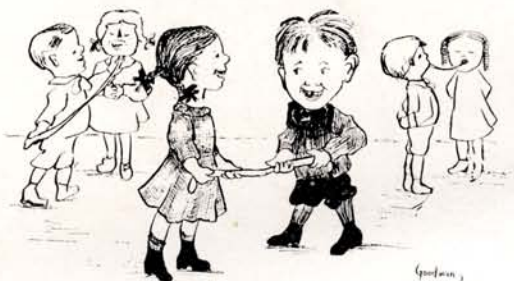
31.—Prof. Stryker will be in first class shape for the relay race, after he has taken a few more daily runs from the High School to the Normal in five minutes.



## FEBRUARY.

1.—Bishop Beecher speaks in Chapel.

3.—A total surprise to "Willie," a phone call and a "sting" for "Bill."



The Seniors had a toffy-pull.

4.—Ed. Ritchey is a true American boy; "Nobody like mother," For now he eats at mother's table.

6.—Scandinavian Club organized.

7.—Catherine Hackman and Ed. Seivers got their dates mixed. They went to choir practice Wednesday instead of Thursday night.

9.—Senior Class party to welcome new students.

12.—Mrs. Bayne talks in Chapel on "How I knew Lincoln personally."

13.—Mr. Parker nominates that the nominations be closed.

14.—Mr. Ritchey.—"I saw twenty people get up and leave the table today noon."

Mr. Essert.—"What for?"

Mr. Ritchey.—"They were through eating."

16.—John D. to Simp.—"Is Prof. Stryker married?"

17.—Miss Watt.—"I'm going to teach in the Philippines next year."

Miss Strasser.—"Oh but unmarried ladies can't go unless they have relatives there."

Chad.—"We'll fix that all right."



18.—Beware of icy walks.

19.—Prof. Sutton gives reception to specially invited Physics students.

22.—Miss Caldwell speaks in Chapel. Prof. Porter "called down."

23.—Basket Ball—Aurora and K. S. N. G. I. and K. S. N.

23.—Mr. Sawyer talks seriously with a Junior Girl?

24.—Blanche Wise makes out "sluffing" program.

27.—Prof. Patterson: "Mr. Wareham and Miss Rumpeltes, please sit closer together."

## MARCH.

1.—Simpson: "How on earth is Mrs. Denzler going to arrange six cozy corners for the bunch Sunday evenings! I want mine under the stairs."

5.—Swedish Club takes the name of "Tegner Society."

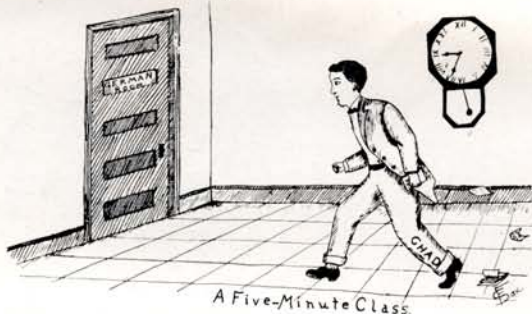
8.—Last number of lecture course.—Sylvester Long lectured on "Hungry people."





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- 10.—Mary Gardner makes a date.
- 13.—"Bachelors' Life by trainers.
- 14.—Miss Ludden looks for a "nine-shooter to kill her neighbor's cat.
- 15.—Messrs. Cameron, Sievers Burman and Birklebach entertain students with excellent music.
- 19.—Prof. Porter stuffs Drawing Class.
- 22.—W. J. Bryan and Mr. Metcalfe visited chapel.
- 23.—Dramatic Club Play. Did you see Mrs. Prindley?
- 26.—Welliver makes thirty minute announcement in chapel.
- 27.—Commercial Stunt. 9:30 Drawing Class miss first half of program.



- 10.—All stragglers are back.
- 12.—Intercollegiate debates. Kearney beats Peru!
- 14.—Edward J. Schott visits at Shelton.
- 15.—Barney Gill Visits Normal?
- 19.—Jesse Randolph studies girology.
- 20.—Freshmen have a Class Party.



- 17.—Senior Class Play.—"Sinbad the Sailor."
- 19.—Baccalaureate Sermon.
- 21.—Oratorio. Commencement Concert.
- 22.—Alumni Reception.
- 23.—Seventh Annual Commencement.



Taking Voice with Prof. Patterson For.

- 28.—Freshman Class meeting. Query: Where are the highchairs?

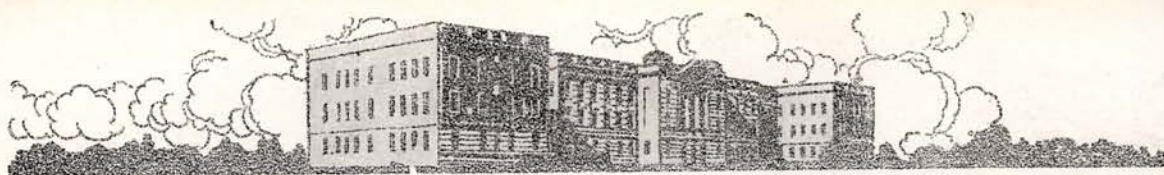
### APRIL.

- 1.—All Fool's Day.
- 2.—Easter Cantata. Prof. Sutton and Van Buren wear new suits.
- 3.—Birklebach gets his semi-annual hair-cut.
- 9.—Lost: Between W. 27th and the Isis, one handkerchief. Will the finder please return to Ada Wilson.

- 26.—The "Atnip Bunch" get to breakfast on time.

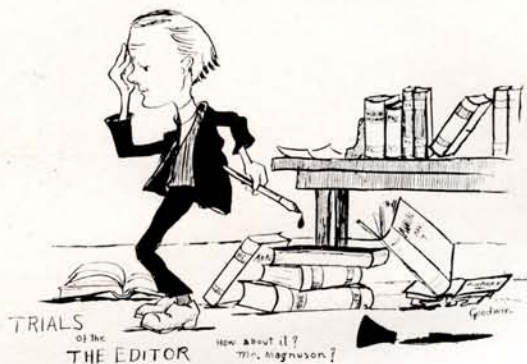
### MAY.

- 4.—May Supper.
- 5.—Edward Ritchey leaves for the Philippines.
- 8.—Who is the girl that stopped "Casey" Jones' watch?
- 10.—Quartette musical in Chapel.
- 11.—Junior-Senior Banquet.

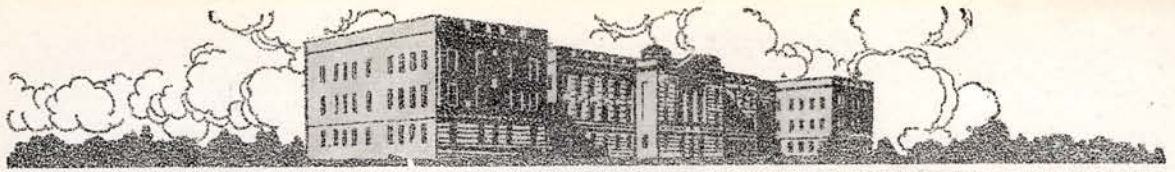


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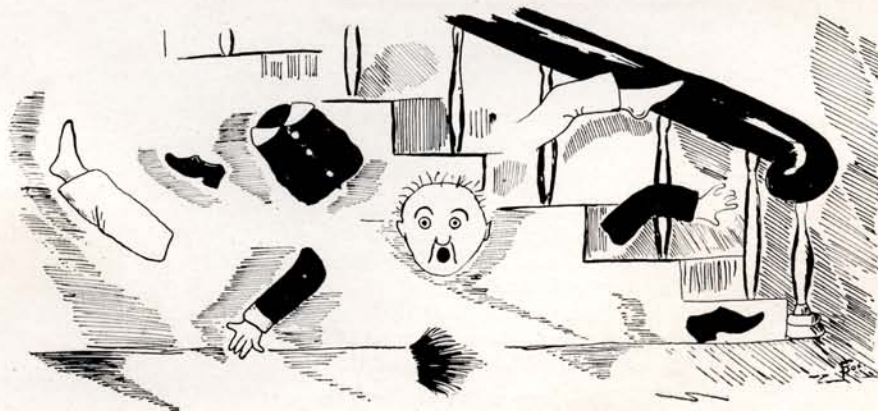




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## HALLOWEEN

### I

We have a coach named Van.  
 He plays the 'cello in the band.  
 Home from practice he came one night  
 And his little son who is quite bright  
 Fixed for his father a hallowe'en fright  
 And said: "Ha! Ha! this'll scare dada alright."

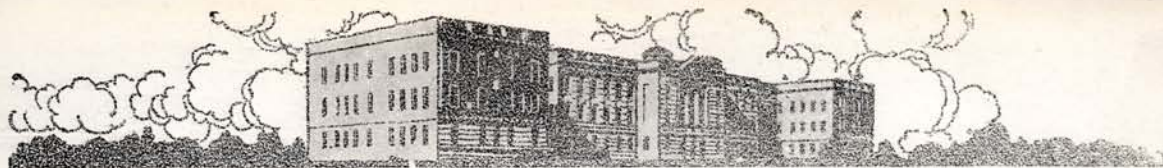
A Freshman's head is full of naught  
 And he has no room for tho't.  
 A Sophomore's head is narrow and small  
 And he thinks but little if he thinks at all.  
 A Junior's head will swell and puff  
 Because he thinks he knows enough.  
 A Senior's head has been chucked full  
 Of knowledge he has gained at school.  
 But surely you'll find it some what crusted  
 For if you'll only believe it, the brain is rusted.

Prof.—"What were your sensations in the wreck?"

C. Wareham.—"Just the same as in foot ball; Three coaches passed over me and then the Dr. Come."

Said a K. M. A. to his Elizabeth (S.)  
 "I'm like a ship at sea.  
 "Exams are near and much I fear,  
 That ousted I shall be."  
 "Oh no" said she "a shore I'll be,  
 "Come rest your journey o'er,"  
 Then silence fell and all was well,  
 For the ship had hugged the shore.





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### II

Across the street there lived some lads,  
Who longed for a joke on Johnie's dad  
So slyly they stole across the street  
Carefully watching the coach not to meet  
Grabbing the lantern they went a humping  
"Boo! Boo!" cried Johnie "dey speared me pumpkin."

Miss Rowell.—"Why is it that we have a cap on the knee, and none on the elbow?"

R. K.—"Because we use the knee so very much."

Mabel M.—"Do you like tea?"

A. B.—"Yes, but I like the next letter better."

No body seemed to notice what a bad egg he was as long as he was rich.  
No he was alright till he was broke.

Commercial Student.

Park.—"You tell me where is the railroad depot?"

Prof.—"What's the matter, Parks, lost?"

Parks.—"No me here. Depot lost."

All is fair in love, war and foot ball.—Red Burford.

Puge (at moving picture show.) Carrig, when are the Indians coming?

Carrig.—Hush, Pughie, there are no Indians.

Puge.—Then-the-the-then who scalped the Senior Adviser?

Teacher.—"Where were you born?"

New Pupil.—"In Missouri."

Teacher.—"What part?"

Pupil.—"All of me of course."



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### III

A rope to the pumpkin they tied  
 And on the roof of the porch they hide  
 They finish their job none too soon  
 For Van came home in the light of the moon  
 And he said when he heard of their monkin'  
 "Come on Johnie I'll get your pumpkin."

Simp.—"Dearest you're the goal of my affections."  
 She.—(Removing his arm) Five yards for holding.

Clark.—"What are the words the Seniors use most."  
 Junior.—"I don't know."  
 Clark.—"Correct."

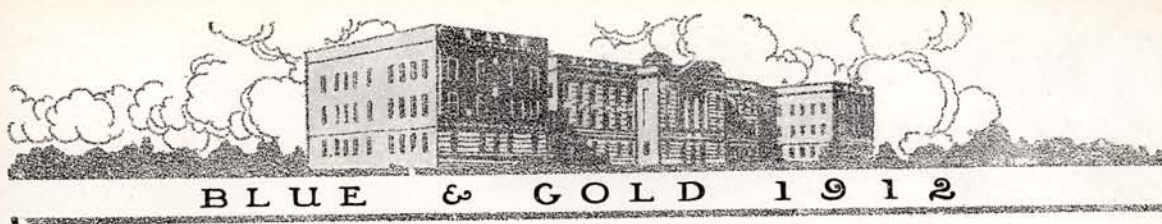
Prof. Sutton.—"Mr. Rost what is contained in sea water?"  
 Mr. Rost.—"Chloride of Sodium and er—and—"  
 Prof. Sutton.—"Well what else?"  
 Rost.—"Fish."

He called her "Pretty little bird."  
 Her eyes with anger glowed;  
 She felt herself unkindly slurred—  
 For she was pigeon-toed.

1. "Comedy of Errors."—Freshmen.
2. Much Ado About Nothing."—Sophomores.
3. "As You Like It."—Juniors.
4. "All's well That Ends Well."—Seniors.

Paul T.—"Do the teachers get paid?"  
 Senior.—"Sure you idiot."  
 Paul T.—"Taint right, we do all the work."





#### IV

When Van reached the porch across the way  
 To Johnie's surprise and Van's dismay  
 When he reached for the pumpkin it went up in the air  
 And Van turned in disgust for it was not there  
 And laughter from above did reign  
 "Boo! Hoo!" cried Johnie "Dada's stung again."

P. G.—"Did you have a strong part in the dramatic club this year?"

L. W.—"Yes, I lift the mountains and houses along with other scene shifters."

Some men are born grafters, some achieve the art, while others let the office seek  
 the man.

The remedy for this is the Initiative and Referendum.

Preceptress.—"Did you have any company last night?"

Miss Schumaker.—"Well—er yes—a girl."

Preceptress.—"Well you may tell her she left her tobacco pouch on the piano."

Have you seen Snodgrass' base ball hair cut?

No. What about it?

Nine on a side.

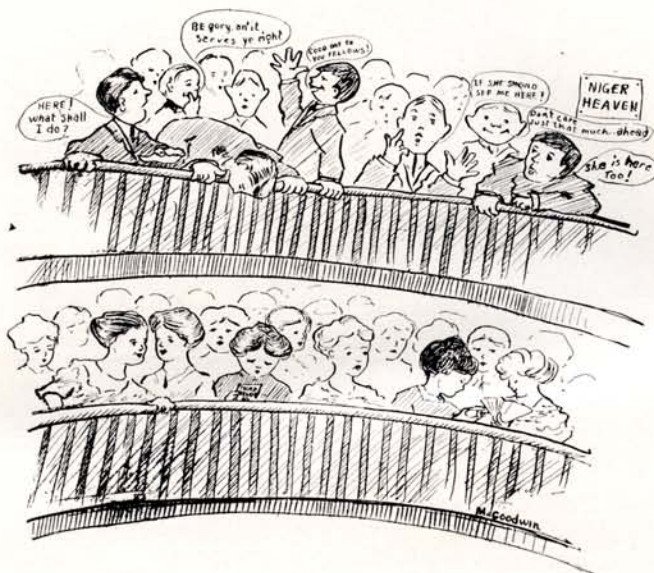
Ruth.—"I like Prof. Porter in Shakespeare. He brings things home to you that  
 you never saw before."

N. H.—"Huh, I've got a laundry man as good as that."

A class pin owned and a class pin loaned  
 Is a common sight to see.  
 But to get it back, Alas! Alack  
 Is a darn hard thing for me.—Dunlap.



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### ONE AMONG MANY.

He was tall and slim and lank,  
But had no money in the bank.  
She was short and thick and fat,  
But had some money for all of that.  
And spent it for a parquet seat  
And a box of candy for herself to eat.  
While he was forced to wind his way  
To the nigger heaven to see the play.

"I suppose you will miss your boy while he is away to College."

"Yep," replied Farmer Tongren "I dunno what I will do without Pete. He got all the live stock so they wouldn't move unless he gave em the college yell, an' I forgot it."

'Twas in a restaurant they met  
One Romeo and Juliet.  
'Twas there he first fell into debt.  
For Romeo'd what Juliet.  
Ask Waltermire, he told us.

Van.—"Say Pat, do you know how to keep your feet from going to sleep?"

Pat.—"No. How?"

Van.—"Why wear loud socks."





Come all ye Chemists if you wish to hear  
The story of Schott's chemical career  
He works in the Laboratory from morning till night  
Trying to keep the note books right

Edward Schott the laboratory assistant  
Edward Shott in an oritorical way  
Gives instructions to the laboratory student  
Always to throw dirty test tubes away.

And there is Raymond Kirk an assistant too  
He tells the students what to do  
They must order their material at the first of the class  
And make corrections or they will not pass

Raymond Kirk the laboratory assistant  
Raymond Kirk with a dignified cough  
Orders the student without hesitation  
Always to keep solid material, from the trough.

There is Selma Hult an assistant trained  
In Physics laboratory she does reign.  
They must clean off their tables and keep in line  
Or they will suffer in the way of a fine.

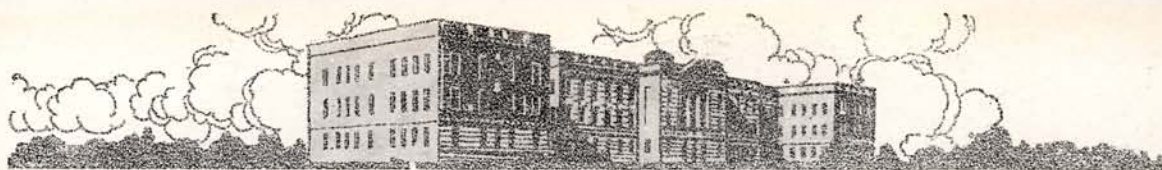
Selma Hult the physics assistant,  
Selma Hult with a modest air  
Tel's the students to watch directions  
And make all drawing with utmost care.

If you loiter in the hall ways,  
If you talk upon the stairs,  
If you whisper during singing,  
Or if you sit up in pairs,  
You had better be more careful,  
And you've got to look about  
For the faculty 'll get you,  
If you don't watch out.  
Prof. Patterson's subjects.

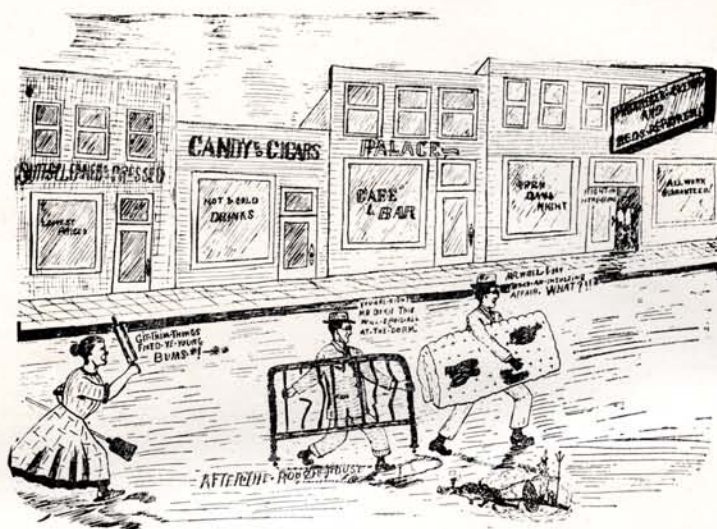
#### DICHTUNG UND WAHRHEIT.

Zu Kearney in der Normal Schul'  
Der kleine Raymond ging einmal  
Maria Stuart zu beschreiben  
Die Lehrerin ihm zur Zeit befahl.  
Er aber hangte das Gesicht  
Sprach, "Das zu tun vermag ich nicht."

Da fragte Fraulein Hosie schnell  
Ein bran augish' Madchen in dem Saal  
"Berichten sie an seiner Still' "  
Das Resultat war ganzfatal.  
Drauf sagt' die maid ganz weinerlich  
"Was er nich weiss, weiss ich auch nich."



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### SUCH IS LIFE FOR A COLLEGE BOY!

Review of Reviews .....	The week before Exams.
Smart Set .....	Sophomore and Freshie
Success .....	Anything above 75
Century .....	Last week before vacation
Life .....	Post Graduate
Judge .....	Faculty

Randall.—“Say if the girls are afraid to come after us during leap year, why let them bring a lantern.”

Dorm. Girls.—“But, oh please it isn't a lantern we want, it's a man.”

Miss Ludden.—“To what branch of animal does a pole cat belong.”

Bob R.—“A pole cat belongs to that class of animals that you kill with a pole and the longer the pole the better.”

A wood pecker lit on a Freshman's head.  
And he settled down to drill.  
He bored away for half a day  
And then he broke his bill.

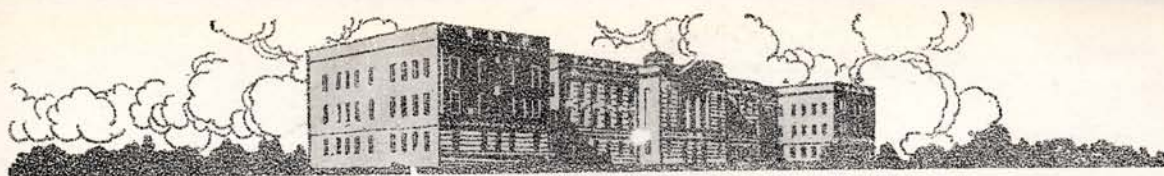
Casey Jones (at table No. 6 eating pancakes) “Oh I had a great dream last night.”

Agnes F.—“You did? What did you dream?”

Jones.—“I dreamt I was eating flannel pie and when I awoke half the blanket was gone.”

Grace Koch.—“Can you drink water with your nose out of a glass?”





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An awful thing happened the other  
night,  
For Bill was seen to take to flight. .  
You might have tho't he was acting  
the clown  
But Barney Gill had come to town.

Bill was awful dry next day  
And you'd listened you'd heard him say;  
"There's nothing to do but hang around  
When Barney Bill has come to town."

Then said Bill "Watch me, 'by heck'  
I'll get that Gill, and ring his neck,  
Or take him on for one stiff round  
Before Barney Gill leaves town."

And Barney hearing that terrible frain  
Began to prepare to take the train.  
Thus saying "good-bye" with a mourn-  
ful frown,  
Tipped his cap and left the town.

He.—"They have dropped their anchor."

She (on her first trip.) "Serves them right, it has has been hanging over the ride  
all day."

R. Essert on a party among friends, referring to an exquisite musical composi-  
tion, That song always carries me away when I hear it. "Can anybody sing it?" asked  
a wit in the company.

Prof. Sutton in Crem.—"Mr. Dow, what is a salt?"

Dow.—"Salt is a compound that makes the potatoes taste bad when you don't put  
any on."

Fern Eads telling a lengthy story of her most intelligent dog said, "Why, when  
mother plays, 'Under the Tropical Moon,' Bunk sang under the piano."

### SIMP AND DICK LEAVING DORM MET SPOT.

Spot.—"Have you fellows ever heard any experience with bees?"

They (dolefully). "Yes we've been stung—lots of times."

Prof. Neale in Arith.—"Ida, didn't you know you can't add cows and hogs?"

Ida (aside to K. W.) "Yes you can. Saunders does."

### SOPHY'S PRAYER.

Now I lay me down to sleep.  
I pray the Lord my soul to keep.  
If I should die before I wake,  
I won't have more chem. to take.

### DEFINITION OF LOVE.

A little sighing  
A little crying  
A lot of trying  
And lots of lying.—Elbert.

Junior Social Com't—"Will you have some bread and butter Pugie?"

Puge—"I thought this was a Junior party."

Senior.—"Do you know why a Freshie is like a kerosene lamp?"

Soph.—"No, why?"

Senior.—"He is not especially bright, is often turned down, smokes occasionally,  
and goes out at night."



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Why does it take some people  
so long to get toothpicks?

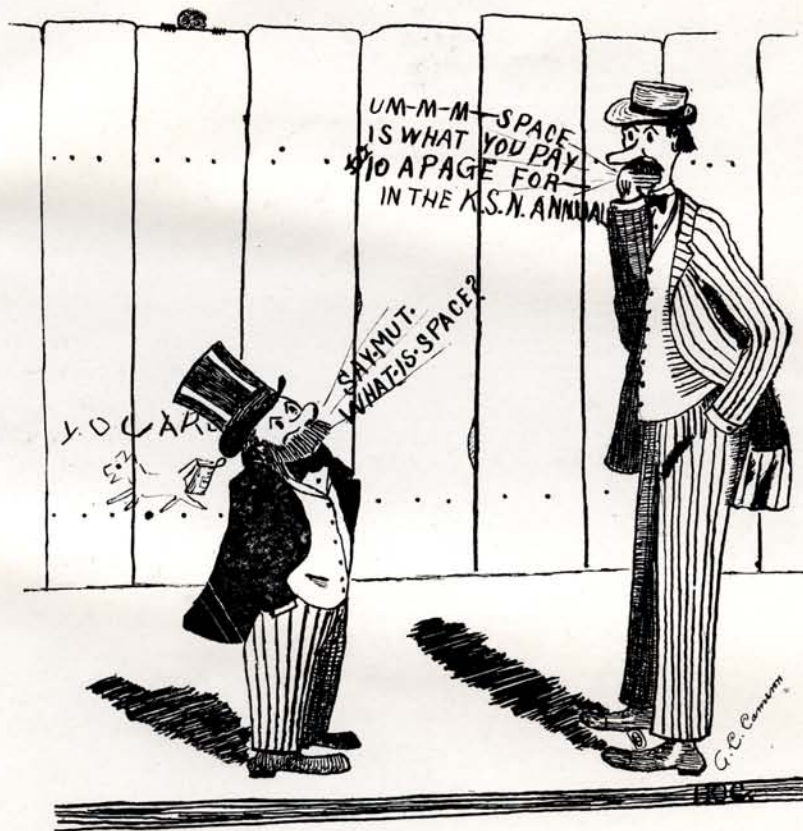
### TRY THESE ON YOUR PIANO.

I Miss You.....	Fred Brown
Girls, Girls, Girls, .....	Wm. Birkelbach
I'm Waiting here for Kate .....	Ralph Essert
Popularity .....	Everett Randall
Gee, I wish that I had a girl.....	Pete Tongren
He's a College Boy .....	Leslie Peebles
I'm so tired of violets .....	Guy Burman
Every day is ladies day with me.....	Paul Cavenee
Lonesome .....	Will Cook
I'm afraid to go home in the dark .....	M. Martin
Sing me to Sleep .....	Louise Vroman
Please go away and let me sleep.....	Waltermier, Simpson, Cavenee
Sweet Miss Mary .....	Elbert Beardslee
I want what I want when I want it.....	Hannah Dunlap
Home Sweet Home (watch me).....	Ramsey
Every girl should have a beau .....	Ruth Arnold
Can't you see I love you.....	Faye Edwards
All wise chickens follow me.....	Ada Wilson
My Bonnie lies over the ocean .....	Parks
Let it Alone .....	Carrig
My Hero .....	Miss Haughawaut
My right foot is lazy and my left foot is crazy.....	Harry Magnuson
Kiss your minstrel Boy Good-bye .....	Mable Wilson

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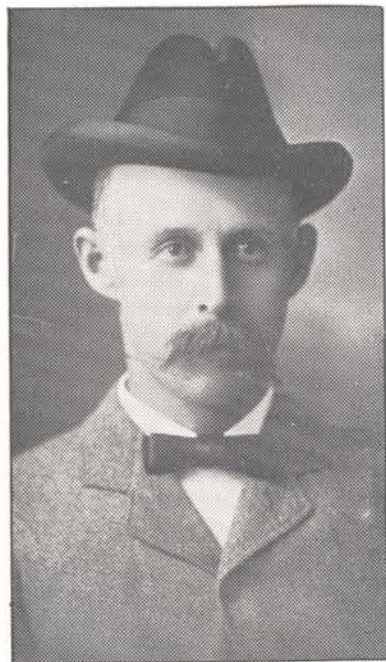


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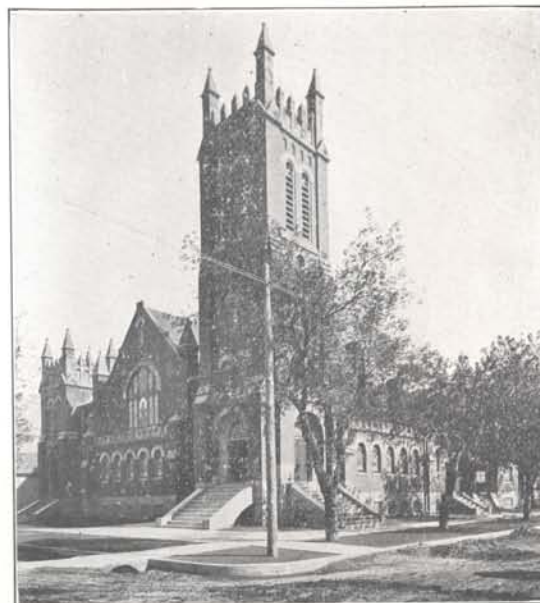
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