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HOME COMING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1920—COME HOME

ENTERTAINMENTS FOR HOME COMING

For the former students and faculty who return on November 6, the committee in charge have prepared plenty of entertainment. This is to be the biggest day in the history of the school and every one is urged to be present. The following program has been arranged by the committee:

To those who arrive in time to register before the first number of the entertainment course Friday evening a free ticket will be given to this concert.

At chapel Saturday morning speeches will be made by former students and others. Later on in the morning memorial exercises will be held at Pemberton Hall and a tablet will be dedicated to Miss Mary E. Hawkins who was head of the hall 1910-1917.

At noon a cafeteria lunch will be served for those who wish to eat near the school. All former students, present students and the faculty should take advantage of this service.

In the afternoon two big events take place at Schahrer field. The first is a costume parade which the committee assures us will be very amusing and that every one should witness it. The second is the foot ball game between Normal U. and E. I. Normal has a very strong team and will make the game very interesting. The members of the E. I. squad have practiced hard the past week and will be in good shape for the game. Every one should attend this contest.

At six o'clock a dinner will be served at Pemberton Hall for all home comers and students. Mr. Francis G. Blair will officiate as toastmaster. Following the dinner the assembly will adjourn to the gymnasium where they will spend the rest of the evening dancing. Admission to this dance will be by ticket only, and those schools wishing to attend should secure tickets of Miss Johnson. Homecomers will be given a ticket when they register. Good music has been secured and when the orchestra plays "Till We Meet Again" every homecomer should be on the floor.

Make your plans now to come home on Saturday. Put on your door: "Gone to E. I. Homecoming" will be back soon.

Our School

FOR US arose thy walls and towers,
Their beauty, strength and grace are ours,
The hills and valleys at thy feet
For us in lovely landscapes meet.

Refrain

*So must our hearts remember thee,
So may our lives our tribute be,
Strong, true, and beautiful, and brave, and free,
So shall our hearts, our hearts remember thee.*

*For loyal friends, for lasting gain,
For hard won joys that long remain,
For strength of victory possessed,
We thank the school we love the best.*

*Across the years thy spirit burns,
Across the land in love it yearns,
Enkindled with the light of truth,
Made perfect in eternal youth.*

E. I. Students Attend

Home Coming at U. of I.

Several E. I. boys attended the Ill.-Minn. game at Urbana last Saturday. Those who went were Cyril Reed, Howard Allison, Paul McMorris, Austin Edgington, Ralph Freeland, Charles Schriener, McClellan Eversole, Raymond Phipps, John Whitsel, Vernon Barnes, and Verne Barnes. This was Home Coming day at the U. of I. and there were many interesting things to see besides the game, which in itself was worth the trip. This trip boosted our Home Coming as every former E. I. student at the University promised to be here on next Saturday.

Miss Molyneaux Entertains.

Miss Molyneaux entertained the boarders of Pemberton Hall with a Halloween dinner Friday evening. Every one enjoyed the beautiful decorations, the dinner, pumpkin pie 'n everything. Cheers and songs were rendered by the students and faculty.

The Freshman class held a masquerade party in the gymnasium last Monday evening. About forty masked persons were present. Refreshments consisting of apples and doughnuts were served throughout the evening. Miss Rooke and Mrs. Kelley were the chaperones.

Entertainment Course

The first number of the entertainment course will be given Friday night. This is a trio from the St. Louis Symphony orchestra and is composed of a violinist, a harpist and a flutist. Every one should hunt up his ticket and be there Friday evening for this will be a good chance to hear some good music. All former students who arrive on time to register before the concert will be given tickets.

Glee Clubs Meet

On Wednesday evening about 30 girls gathered in Mr. Koch's room and formed the Girls' Glee Club. This club is under the direction of Mr. Koch, and will be able to do much to further the appreciation of music in this school.

The Boys' Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Major, is progressing very rapidly, and many of its members, who before joining claimed they could not read music, are singing along with the rest.

The Y. W. C. A. met Friday night. Miss Jean Davis read a paper entitled "Friendship." Those present were entertained by an instrumental solo by Miss Virginia Goodman and a vocal selection by Miss Connor.

Hallowe'en Party

Saturday night the students enjoyed themselves with a Hallowe'en party held in Pemberton Hall and in the gymnasium.

After a trip down the Styr, which corresponded to the Trip to Mars or Lover's Walk of the Carnival, everyone gathered in the parlors to look over the rest of the crowd. After many mis-guesses everyone went to the gym where Miss Ford entertained with two ghost stories. Following this the play "Blue Beard" was enacted by a group of Pemberton Hall girls. Following this a stunt called "Gathering Nuts" which got a number of the students and faculty on the platform for exhibition.

Refreshments consisting of apples, doughnuts and cider were served thruout the evening.

The party was attended by more students and faculty than ever before gathered for such an entertainment and shows that at last the students have taken it upon themselves to back up the Recreation Committee.

Dramatic Club Meets

The meeting of the Dramatic Club opened with the description of Ibsen's play, "The Doll House" by Miss Anne Laughlin. The story was a very interesting one and it was delivered clearly and forcibly. Following this the members discussed the project of building the toy theatre. A committee was appointed to select a play for the carnival.

A short play entitled "Petticoat Perfidy," was presented by Miss Reba Mitchell, Lucille Hayworth and Helen Kerans. The play was well presented, showing the results of careful study and appreciation of the play.

Mr. John C. Reeder of Humboldt, Ill. died Friday in a Chicago hospital. The funeral services were held at Arcola Sunday, with burial at Humboldt. Mr. Reeder graduated from our school in 1900, and later received the degree of A. B. and A. M. from the University of Illinois. He was superintendent of schools at Geneseo, Ill., 1917-1919. E. I. feels the loss of an honored graduate.

Mr. Widger, Miss Geddes and Mr. Taylor were officiating at institutes out of town last week.

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**EVERYBODY
LEARN THEM**

A great many complain that they do
not know the words as the songs
and yells, and so the cheer leaders
asked us to print the words of a
few. Everyone should memorize
these words, and when called upon
join in heartily.

FIFTEEN RAHS

Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah! Rah!
Team! Team! Team!
Who? Team!
Who? Team! Team!
Who? Team! Team! Team!
Words in italics to be spoken by
cheer leaders.

U Rah Rah E. I.
U Rah Rah E. I.
U Rah Rah E. I.
Normal

Strychnine, quinine,
Powder or dust.
E. I., E. I.,
Win or bust.

*What's the matter with the
team?*

They're all right.
Who's all right?
The team.

Who?
Team!
Who?
Team!
Who?

Team! Team! Team!

1-2-3-4
3-2-1-4

Who are we for?
E. I. E. I.

Happy Hooligan, Gloomy Gus,
What the Deuce is the matter
with us?

Strychnine, quinine, powder and
dust.
E. I., E. I., win or bust.

LET WE FORGET!

E. I. will shine tonight,
E. I. will shine;
E. I. will shine tonight,
E. I. will shine;
When the sun goes down and the
moon comes up,
E. I. will shine.

**LET'S HAVE A TOUCHDOWN
Tune—Hail! Hail! The Gang's
All Here!**

Hail! Hail! The gang's all here!
Let's get a touchdown,
Let's get a touchdown,
Hail! Hail! We're full of cheer!
Let's have a touch down now!

Council Proceedings

The student council met Friday
afternoon, and several important
matters were discussed. One was
the carnival to be given on Nov.
27th. The council expects each
class and organization to contrib-
ute some show or stunt to help
make this a success. More about
this carnival will be published
in the News later, and notices
will be read from the platform
and at class meetings. Every-
one should begin thinking of
something to do to help make
this the best carnival ever.

During Wednesday's class
meetings a representative from
the council will visit each class
and see which has profited most
from the instructions given in
parliamentary law procedure.

The council wishes to inform
the students that if anyone has
anything which will benefit any
class or the school he should
bring it up before the council. A
number of students seem to
think that the meetings are pri-
vate, but they are mistaken, and
the council assures everyone that
all meetings are public.

During the absence of the edi-
tor last week, Mr. Paul "Chick"
Kepner assisted with the publi-
cation of the News. Chick has
been duly appointed office boy,
reporter and general assistant.
Besides covering all the foot ball
games, he is a regular contribu-
tor to the Inc. and of school hap-
penings.

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THAT GUILTIEST FEELING
When after you tell everyone that
you'll swim across Lake Ahmowee-
nah and then because of the fear of
letting people see you in a bathing
suit back out. H. S. IX.

**ONE ON OUR ADVISOR, BUT
WE SECOND THE MOTION**
Some one has recommended to
the staff that we push the nomina-
tion of Mr. Daniels as cheer leader.
We here make the statement that
he has the ability of a professional
cheer leader. If you don't believe
us, just ask anyone who attended
Miss Molyneaux's dinner. Daniels
for cheer leader!

THE QUESTION OF THE DAY
In voting at class meetings,
should the vote of a 3ft.-6 student
be counted for as much as that of
a 6ft.-27 KNIFE.

NOTICE
Unless more contributions are re-
ceived, we shall discontinue the In-
cubator. This column is the place
for not only the students, but the
faculty and former students, to ex-
press those guiltiest feelings and
bright sayings you bear. At pres-
ent we have but three steady stu-
dent contributors—Knife, X. Y. Z.,
and another who uses various alias-
es; and one faculty member, who
has contributed twice. A few others
have contributed once or twice, but
the majority of the students take no
interest in the Inc. X. of Urbana
sends us an article once in a while
and he is the only outsider. What's
the matter, Stomp, and the rest of
the alumni? Faculty, let's hear
from you. If you know a good joke
on a fellow member, turn it in.

**THAT EMBARRAS-
SING MOMENT**
When the masks are taken off
and you find the party whom you
have been sharing secrets with is
not a female after all. J. B. S.

A NEW CONTRIBUTOR
Since we wrote the article on the
contributions to the Inc. we are in
receipt of two contribs from J-B-S
and a promise of more. RAY for
J. B. S.

**KNIFE'S CORRECT IDEA
IN SINGING ILLINOIS**
Some of the students make it ill
noise. Better join the glee club and
learn to sing correctly. KNIFE.

FACULTY VS. VARSITY
Why not organize a faculty foot-
ball team to give the varsity some
real scrimmages before the Normal
game? Saturday night two of the
faculty demonstrated that they were
able to put on an outfit, and they
can teach the rest. J. B. S.

AN EMBARRASSING MOMENT
After you get back to P. H. after
a weekend at home, and find some-
one has exchanged traveling bags
with you. R. C.

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FRIDAY

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"THE DARK MIRROR"
Also Fox News

Everybody Come

A number of former students have been making inquiries as to why they didn't receive an invitation to the Home Coming Saturday. In answer to their inquiries we wish to state that everyone is invited whether they receive an invitation or not.

The committee sent invitations to those out of town whose addresses they obtained, but to those in Charleston and vicinity it is depending upon the newspapers.

It makes no difference whether you receive an invitation or not—Come Home.

Do Your Bit

On Saturday, November 6 quite a number of former students will come back to visit their old alma mater. They are helping build up a reputation for this school as much as the present students, and we should treat them royally. This Homecoming day is one of the best advertisements of the school, and the more we do to make this a big day the better the advertisement.

Many of the home comers have not been here for a number of years and as the campus, faculty, students and other things of interest about the school have been changed, they will be wanting to know of the changes. Answer all of their inquiries pleasantly and show them every courtesy possible.

Steak Roast Postponed

Owing to the bad weather the steak roast to be given by the football team has again been postponed. This is the second time this has happened and it is the hope of the committee that it will be the last.

Interesting Talk

The students and faculty were given a rare treat at Chapel Wednesday morning when Rev. Aitken, of Urbana, formerly of the Methodist church of this city, delivered a very interesting talk. Rev. Aitken spoke on the "Good Ole Times."

The Junior class at their meeting last Friday accepted a constitution offered by a committee. They also had a discussion as to class dues.

Who's Guilty?

Some persons played some Halloween pranks in the boys dressing room last Saturday night. The results were as follows: Missing, two overcoats, one cap and a pocketbook; destroyed, two tennis rackets and several text books. The results are not all in and we cannot at this time state the total of the damages. It would be greatly appreciated by the persons who lost these articles if the ones who took them would return the missing articles.

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