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NO 14

TRYOUTS FOR PLAYS TO BE GIVEN FROM 3:20-4:20-DEC. 20-21

TRYOUTS FOR BILL OF PLAYS OPEN TO ANY STUDENTS IN SCHOOL. CAST WILL PRESENT PLAYS HERE AND IN NEARBY TOWNS

Tryouts for the international bill of four one-act plays to be given by the Players will bake place this Tuesday and Wednesday in the assembly room from 3:20 until 4:20. Those who cannot come at that time should make special arrangements with Mr. Giles.

It is hoped that these four one-act plays will furnish a programme of wide appeal, and will afford an opportunity to everyone to compare dramas of various countries.

This bill of plays will be the same used by the Players in their road productions. They will carry their own scenery and costumes. The sets will be designed interchangeably, and the only changes will be in lighting and scene arrangement. This bill of plays will be presented here in the early part of January.

The men and women of the Players are also working on a dual meet waich will take place in January. It might be termed a tournament since the boys will present a play as will the girls. Competent judges will decide which group is the better performer. Lolo Eddy, '28, is in charge of the girls' play, while Mr. Gille in constitution of the girls' play, while Mr. Gille in constitution that the second constitution of the girls' play, while Mr. Gille in constitution that the second constitution of the girls' play while Mr.

Giles is coaching the boys.

The Drama Stody Club of Charleston has very kindly given the Players an invitation to attend any one
of its meetings. The Players are
appreciative of the invitation and
hope that much value may be derived
from the cooperation between 'hese
two organizations.

Roy Stillions, Byron Miller, Katherine Shaffer and Bobbie Wyeth former students, have already arrived for the holidays.

DeKalb Readmitted To Little Nineteen

With the readmittance of the Teachers College at DeKaib to the Little 19, the membership has been swelled to 23 schools. This list is printed below for the benefit of the student body.

Augustana, Rock Island Bradley, Peoria Carthage, Carthage Eastern State, Charleston Eureka, Eureka l'linois College, Jacksonville Illinois Wesleyan, Bloomington Knox, Galesburg Lake Forest, Lake Forest Lincoln, Lincoln McKendree, Lebanon Millikin. Decatur Monmouth, Monmouth Mt. Morris, Mt. Morris Northern State, DeKalb Nor hwestern College, Naperville Shurtleff, Alton St. Viatur, Kankakee Southern State, Carbondale State Normal, Normal Western S'ate, Macomb

Sophmores Choose Pins, Rings, Cards

The sophomores are beginning to think quite seriously about graduation. They have ordered their cards and invitations. The caps and gowns are to be rented from the Moore Cap and Gown Ccorpany at the cost of \$2 a week.

Toesday a one o'clock and again at 3:20 a ring committee met and chose the rings and pins. From all reports these rings will be something to be proud of. The price of the ring is \$4.00 and the pin will cost. \$3.25. The ring committee was composed of Kermit Dehl, chairman, Pearl Day, Fay Brewer, Donald Schrirer, Maurice Smith, Isabel Basham, and Frances Cronin.

WARBLER WILL HAVE FEATURE PAGES

A new and interesting feature of he 1928 Warbler will be two pages devoted to the most representative nan and woman of E. I. Each will have a full page picture and two inapshots. These representatives students will be judged on: Activiies, athletics, personality, social Nominations made until Christmas by writing your choice on a slip of paper, signng your name, and dropping it in News box. No nominations will be accepted unless signed. The judgs will consist of three faculty members: Miss Weller, Miss Torinus and Mr. Moore; and four students to be hosen after nominations are closed. Make this new feature a success by iominating two students whom you hink stand highest on the six grad-

Mr. and Mrs. Stover's new resilence on faculty row is rapidly nearing completion as the interior trimning will be finished at the end of Lis week. They expect to occupy neir new home the first week in Janlery.

ng points. Do it now!

TEACHER PUBLISHES ARTICLE

In the North Central Association Quarterly for December is an article by Miss Emma Reinhardt of our department of education. It is entitled A Study of Standards for Immediate or Classroom Objectives, Materials of Instruction and Pupil Activities for two years of French, with Especial Reference to the Social and he Leisure Time Objectives of the North Central Association."

It is not wise for students to cut chames just before or just after vacation. Excuses for such are grantad very reluctantly.

CARNIVAL POSTPONED

The Student Council has decided to postpone the carnival originally scheduled for Thursday night, until

Nor hwestern College, Naperville
Shurtleff, Alton
St. Visson, Kankakee
Southern State, Carbondale
State Normal, Normal
Western S'ate, Macomb
Wheaton, Wheaton
Blackburn, (associate), California in January.

The postponement was made because of the other usgent matters around Christmas time and because the Student Council knew that students would be stocked with money when they return from spending their vacations at home.

CLEO JEFFRIES TELLS WARBLER PLANS

The Warbler staff is very active this year. Friday morning the members of the staff made their first public appearance in chapel. Miss Cleo Jeffries, the editor-in-chief, introduced the various members of the staff.

Of course these speakers had no knee-shaking or teeth-chattering. Their chief intent was to urge the 3 udent body to cooperate in making the Warbler and to buy it after it is completed. The joke section and the snap-shot section are having their annual trouble about getting people to hand in material. Don't be too modest. Hand all the good original jokes you hear to Mr. Stanley Cook and to Miss Dorothy Henry. Likewise get out your E. I. albums and select poses that would be interestng or even amusing. Hand them to Mi. s Gertrude M seley or drop then n the News box. Mr. Rex McMorris and Mr. McTaggart impressed upon ur minds that the Warbler should he a part of every one here at E. I. Cooperation is the vital thing in any student undertaking such as the Warbler. Miss Pearl Day asked for a usual daily records that you might near. These in print will bring back pleasant memories of E. I. ten years hence. Cooperate: The staff members cannot find out everything that goes on around the school.

The striking feature of this campaign is the new idea of having a competition. The student body will be divided into organizations. The organization having all of its members being owners of Warblers first be rewarded with a pennant. wili This pennant with its gray satin tackground and the big letter "W" the date and E. I. printed on it in blue satin would look well on any However, there will be a close between the Pemberton Hall girls and the senior college. The Pemberton Hall girls already have a spot selected where they are going to hang this rich-looking, shieldshaped pennant. Everybody sacrifice buying Christmas candy, and save your three dollars for a Warb

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year Teachers College News

CALENDAR

Tuesda

Players Tryouts 3:20-4:20 P. M. Men's Glee Clab 7:00 P. M.

Wednesday

Players Tryouts 3:20-4:20 P. M. Training School Concert 7:30 P. M.

Thursda

hestra 4:30 P. M.

Friday

Christmas Vacation begins 11:20

Buy a Warbler.

Training School Will Sing Carols

Wednesday evening, December 21. at balf past seven in the assembly room two hundred children of the Training School assisted by the High School Girl's Glee Club, will give a programme of Christmas carols These carols are drawn from the quaint old folk tunes of several counries, Spain, Holland, Italy, and Engand. Some of them date back as far as 1600. "Fum, Fum, Fum" is now quite popular among the children who have learned it. Of course a lew of the well known carols will be ncluded, as, "Silent Night" and 'Joy to the World." The public is

PENNANT OFFERED FOR CONTEST WINNER

What is all this about the 100 per cen: Waib'er contest? Here is the explanation. To the one division of this school first pledging 100 per cent on the Waibler campaign will be given a flag. This flag is of blue and gray satin in a very artistic design and well worth winning. It will be presented in chapel to a representative of the winning division. The chool is divided into these five groups: High School, Freshman class, Sophomer class, Senior College, and Peymberton Hall.

Who will win it? Various runors are afloat. Pemberton Hall affirms that it has the best place to
hang it. The senior ccollege has
lec'ded that they will gracefully acrp' it when it is awarded in chapel.
But no one knows. Are you ful of
enthusiasm? In other words, are
you going to work your hardes: to
see that your division goes over the
ifre 100 per cent strong? You can
he'p by being prompt in signing
your pledge. Have committees been
spointed to interview each member
of the division? Let your motto be:
"We are going to be the first 100
ere cent division."

The sale of oriental gifts held last Thursday and Friday at Pem Hall under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. was quite a success. The charming novelties were eagerly purchased by Christmas shoppers who wanted heir gifts to be "different."

STUDENTS! NOMINATE YOUR CHOICE FOR REPERSENTATIVE

College and high school students nay nominate a student for the representative man and one for the representative woman any time before Saturday. Be gure to sign your name to the slip bearing the name of the candidate.

ADDITION TO LIBRARY

The annual magazine subject-index for 1926, including the Duamatic index, has been added to the general ibrary.

The Congressional Directory for he 70th Congress, 1st session (which began December 5, 1927) has been received in the general library. It is conjected to November 25, 1927.

Come back after vacation.

MR. R. L. MODESITT, E. I. INSTRUCTOR, DIES FRIDAY NIGHT

MR. MODESITT, INSTRUCTOR IN MATHEMATICS AND PRINCI-PAL OF T. C. HIGH UNTIL LAST YEAR DIED FRIDAY EVENING

Mr. Raymond L. Modesitt, a member of the Teachers College faculty since 1912, and principal of the Teachers College High School from 1921 to 1927, died at his home at 6:30 P. M., Friday evening, December 16. He had returned a short time previously from a six weeks' treatment at Clifton Springs Sanitorium, Clifton Springs, New York, and had seemed, on the day of his death, to be improving. His wife and a daughter, Virginia, survive him.

Mr. Modesitt received his A. B. degree from the Indiana State Normal, Terre Haute, and his M. A. degree from the University of Indiana. Later he did graduate work at Colombia University. For some years he taught in the Horace Mann High School of the Teachers College of Columbia University.

He came to the Teachers College in 1912 as instructor of mathematics. During the year 1920-21 he did further graduate work at the University of Illinois. Upon his return he became principal of the Teachers Coliege High School and retained this position until this last year, when, because of failing health, he was forced to resign.

Mr. Modesit was an exceedingly skilful teacher, a splendid administrator, most careful of details, and very exact in all of his statements. He had both the desire and intelligence to tell the truth, and these judicies combined with his unflaging persistency will make him long missed and long remembered and honored by Teachers College.

Furenal services were held Mon-Jay morning at 9:00 o'clock at the home, after which the body was takn to Danville, Indiana, a former home, for burial.

The Teachers College News extends its sympathy to Mrs. Modesitt and to her daughter.

Tuesday To Follow Friday's Programme

In order to close at 11:15 on Friday for the Christmas vacation, we shall use Friday's regular programme for Tuesday's classes and Tuesday's regular programme for Friday's classes.

This means that the 7:25 and 8:10 classes will not meet on Tuesday but the 11:20 classes will meet. All classes will meet on Friday to 11:20.

Sander's seven piece orchestra has been engaged to play for the dance to be given in the parlors of Pemberton Hall, Friday night.

The exact time has not been definitely decided upon but it is hoped that it will not begin until nine o'clock, for the guests never arrive until about that time.

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EDITORIALS

WHAT DOES CHRISTMAS MEAN TO YOU?

They like the hurry and bustle, the rushing people, crowded stores, and all the things they can buy with the green, ericp billa. They want noise sleigh be is, or the purring of a motor on a wild night ride.

for weeks before Christmas, so that the hurry and the flurry of the shopping, and the worry over presents o be g'ven and received won't be too

big sutomobiles find their way to the man's home on Christmas eve. ones too. Long night parties rage; people cel-ebrate with wines and gambling. Christmas in its new found wealth They rejoice, feel kindly toward each and pleasure. What can it expect?

Electric trains and fur dressed other, shoot each other, call each dolls; red and green holly, and bags other liars and damn themselves as and begs of candy are the essentials such; they cheat, tell stories, quarfor Christmen to little children nowa-daya. Older ones must have somethirg new and something different.

And all for what? rel and nuke up, and finally part as And all for what?

On the first Christmas, wise men and shepherd lads prayed all night. What do men seek? What do they disorder, and the clinking of ask of life? And, why do they ask Is the spirit of Christmas being or on a wild night ride.

There must be thrills and guieties day? Who will go to church on Sunday? Who should go? Who will re. wher the spirit of the first Christman?

Little children-not all of themwill be made happy. They will engreat, at least, won't be unbearable, joy their Christmas trees, they will Life is lived too fast and too hard like their gifts—if there are enough and is too much enjoyed to be that. of them. They may even be content-Fur coats and diamonds, and fine, ed for a while; but it won't last. The real spirit is going from the young

The world is forgetting the first

TET'S HAVE A BASKETBALL AND VOLLEY BALL TOURNAMENT

barketball fair amount of enthusiasm for such athletics is precent. So far, however. there has been no other opportunity here to test the possibilities of class

It is generally felt that we should have a freshman team for each branch of athletics. Some will say that this erbeel is too smell, but when the question is considered from but full by all. all sides the evidence for it is about to interest the students" and those as great as that against it.

Each year there are good athletes who ster this school as college incentive for such class to enter the freshmen. Some of them make the contests will be a silver cup given to varrity team, it is true; but there the class which is winner. The cup are many others who fail for various will be passed on from year to year riasons. They lose interest, and to the class that wins either the soon drop out. Yet, we must not most games or the final games of a forget that they are good men, who tournament. man team mght develop into the highest grade college material.

more roticcable in basketball than others in doing its share to make in football or truck. Class temms inter-class athletics one of the fea-and inter-class contests in backsthall ture student activities.

Seattered by sof news about the would help to keep up the interest of faculty basketball team and the sen- those who are athletically inclinedier college basistball team have These games might also be made a team have These games might also be made a terest in inter-class athletics, among tion that is willing to take charge. a few stadents. The success of these Surely the Student Council or the two teams seems to indicate that a E. I. Letter Men's Club could make such an adventure more than pay for itself.

Tennis is probably our weakest sport. If we could strengthen the college tennis team by establishing class rivalry in that mme, there is no deubt but that inter-class athletics would be considered success

who consider the question will have an answer similar to this: The best Admission will · be with a year of training on a fresh-charged by the organization which tokes up this work. Each student will naturally support his class team; This overcrowded situation is much and each class will try to surpass the

Author and Critic

FIRST DREAM OF CHRISTMAS It was dreamed many and many a year ago.

So many years ago that nobody in all the world had then ever heard of the word Christmes.

Nobody had ever said to anyone, "I wish you a merry Christmas;" nor had any toy or girl then ever dreamed of the gifts and joys they hoped the coming Christmas day would bring to them.

But in a land far away from ours, in that far away time, there lived a little boy who, although a little, unknown, and unregarded child, was bring many wonderful changes into the world by His living in it.

He was a strange little boy even for those strange times when little children were so different in all their surroundings, if not in their ways of thinking and of doing things, from the boys and girls of these later

He was a very quiet little fellow, and used oftentimes to sit long hours in silence, thinking thoughts that

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mind. Sometimes a beautiful smile ows of the night had fallen upon the would light up his gentle face as he solemn Judean hills, the lad dreamed gazed, and a sweetness as from the dep he of a thousand mothers' hearts would shine in his eyes. Many, many times it was a yearning to help lift the burdens of the poor that made his beautiful face so sad.

more often saw these poor that made to words about Jesus, and joining in him sad and brought the strange, grad thunksgivings to him. It poor were cared for and in to his innocent, beautiful eyes.

His mother was the human comfort he sought at these darkening moments. She would say, "Yes, my son, and so it has always been; but the day is hastening on when the Mcssiah will come, and he will lift he world up nearer to God; and men will learn then to be loving and gentle and the heart of the world we love will be changed so that we will never be so sorrowful again."

Then once, when the restful shad-

as he slept. He saw a world full of beauty and full of love, and as he dreamed it all seemed to pass before him in full review.

He saw large temples, shining with light, and fragrant with flowers, and The days and weeks passed into adorned with fadeless green, and months and years and the little boy crowded with happy people listening more often saw these poor that made to words about Jesus, and joining in

The poor were cared for and in those happy circles he heard the same glad words and saw the happy smiles, and he knew that they too blessed the memory of the little child once born in Bethlehem.

He saw sorrow because death had taken hold of lives, lives wrestling with temp'ation, and heard the glad chiming of the Christmas bells. They too thanked God that One had once been born in Bethlehem who had known the power of temptation and (Continued on page 6)

in silence, thinking thoughts that PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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IS THERE A SANTA CLAUS?

I am a little boy, 25 years old and I got to go to E. I. I always get good grades. Why, hast term I got two are and two B's, and I loope to do better next time. I want you to bring me for Christman a fack-inthe-box, a monkey that climbs the check, a monkey that climbs the check, a monkey that climbs the check or was there no letter at all?" string a little Ford just like Daddy's e, a bow tie with ele my girl's picture in a gold frame, and my, Santa, would it be asking too much for you to bring me one of the much for you to bring me one or these mustaches like Irwin Hill's. All the other boys are raising one and I just can't seem to get mine sarted. Also I want some pretty brown eyes like the sheak and plenty of oranges and nuts, but not much andy as I am going out for banket-

Please don't forget my roommate. He wan's a little red wagon and some dog harness. He wants a penny berk to he can save his pennies to take his girl to the movies, also a new pair of pajamas

will leave the front door anlocked for you so you won't have to All we boys will hang our socks downstairs. Will pin our names on them so you can tell who they belong to. Don't make too much noise as the landledy might think one of wa has been out hate.

Well, I will go to bed and dream about my Santa Clause.

Yours until after Cartemas. Smitty.

DOT'S ROOMMATE DESPONDENT

Dot came in to find her roommate, huddled up on the bed, a despondent what could be the matter? Things

like that seldom happen in Room 19.

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She went over to the bed and sat I am a little boy, 23 years old and down beside the sad and lonely girl.

The expression on the face of the seposing ore changed not in the least. "Neither," she said shortly. A gloom which settled down over he two girls like a cur.ain of mis-understanding filled the room. No hng had ever come between them before. What could have happened? "Can't you tell me about it?"

The look of resigned despair hanged and the limp huddled figure began to shake with sobs. "Oh! how can I tell you? I'm ashamed to."

Terror seized Dot; the though: quickly entered her head that she ad been deceived. She drew back ever so slightly from the sobbing girl. To think that their friendship and come to this! The silence was seken only by the violent sobbing

At last the sobs became hushed ind the words came punctuated by wick catches in her voice. "All my seams have been shattered. Mr ames told us in Bible class today hat there wasn't any Santa Claus

What happened in 1854?" "I don't know, sir."

"Well, where would you go to find i date?

"To the library."

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Read the editorials.

Pem. Hall

One of Pem Hall's A students burned incense to create an atmosphere while she read a Persian story.
A certain group of Pem Hall girls

arely must believe in the transmigiation of souls. They seem hink that they have returned in the form of cals from the way they meow in the corridors.

Mrs. Odell, who has been ill for the past week is considerably better. Mr. Koch is boarding at the Hail hile his wife is away.

Helen Swengel spent the week end Neoga with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Swengel.

Ruth Brotherton and Myrtle Towny spent the week end at their hemes in Mattoon.

Pearl and Ruby Gunn, Ida Smith and Lois Moyer spent the week end at their homes in Arcola.

Mary McKnight and Esther Hillery ent to Paris this week end.

Bertha Welsh, Mildred Franklin, and Betty Poorman of Maltoon spent he week end at home.

Helen Scott spent the week end in

Louise Tabor, Dorothy Wommer, Dale Steffy, Christine Lacey, and Dorothy Henry entertained the folowing young men to dinner Satur-Bruce Schouten, Wayne Zimmerly, Rex McMorris, Max Bisson,

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PRTING POLLY

Question: How well did you like last term? Katherine Clouse, sophomore:

liked and would give almost anything o go back to it. It was the hardest term I've ever had, however. Teachog I liked especially well.

Burl Ives, freshman: Oh, it was harder than they did in high school, but other things more than made up nd Charles Reapor.

MeAndrews, Madonna Cronin, and Mary Toole of Mattoon spent the week end at home.

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Goldie Hartman, junior: I believe on the whole, that I liked my subjects of last term better than ever before. They were more interesting than us-And it is very satisfying to be considered a meimber of the senior college.

Mary McCall, senior: I'm pretty well satisfied with it. I think this erm is going to be harder. I even liked my scat in chapel, after I got used to it.

Mr. Stover: It was a busy term, full of plenty of scholastic activities. For the most part there was little hat was unusual.

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ATHLETICS

E. I. Cage Team Defeats Rose Poly 32 to 18

Local Cage Team

The E. I. "cage" team blew oil of the acore before the end came. bang the lid of what should certainly prove to be a very successful season by handing the Rose quintet a defeat to the sound of 32-18 in the local gymnasium Wednesday night, December 14th. Because it initial defeat in three warts, the Hocsiers were loath to call the game lost and kept up a consistent fight until the final gun.

The game started with plenty of speed exhibited by players on both teams. Although they made no more attempts for goal than the Rose men, the Teachers gained a 9-1 lead carle in the fraw. Their ananys. carly in the fray. Their snappy, short pass, four-man attack, which they used throughout the game, was the big factor. Then after the Bose captain took time out, the "enginon the E. I. machine.

Things tightened down for a time Our men seemed to be checked a bit by the close Rose defense, and despite the fact they broke through, hey were urable to score for the time being. Wi h the Rose's addiof free throws the half ended with a 9 to 7 count.

Soon after the beginning of the second period Berry, Rose center, tomed in one to balance the score. Instead of exciting Car fellows, this merely tended to induce the functioning of their collective instinct. Hall gathered in three baskets, Fetook two and a foul shot, while Gilmore, by a fine style of play Flower Shop. Phone 39.

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at floor guard, amended six points, E. I. Lettermen Will Cooper contributed one while Meur-Hands Rose Defeat lot captured two. Berry, Taggart and Kosameyer gave five, four, and two points respectively to their aide

As a comeback for their inaccurate shoeting, the Teachers did some excellent floor work. The offense, commanded by Hall and Fenoglio, broke through the Rose guards for easy shots time after time, which so often missed the mark.

Berry, center, Goddard and Taggart, guards, were the outstanding men on the Rose team, while none of the Teachers could be mentioned without honors. No doubt Gilmore was most noticeable because of his excellent work under the basket. The Lineup

Teachers (32)	FG	FT	PF
Hall, f	5	0	1
Fenoglio, f	- 8	1	2
Meurlot, e	3	1	4
Schuyler, c	0	0	1
Story, c	0	0	0
Cooper, g	1	0	1
Gilmore, g	2	2	2
	-	-	- 0
To als	14	4	11
Rose Poly (18)	FG	FT	PF
Korameyer, f	1	0	0
Thompson, f	0	0	1
R. Alexander, f	1	0	2
A. Alexander, f	0	0	0
Berry, c	3	1	8
Goddard, g	0	1	1
Taggart, g	2	2	1
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For the first time in many years the dance is being held in the par-ors of Pemberton Hall, which will add much beauty to the dance. The decorating will be more simple than usual, but beautiful, as the bare walls and balcony of the gymnasium are not to be contended with. The dec-orating committee for the dance is working with the faculty decorating committee, as the faculty are having a party on Monday preceding the Boys' dance.

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T. C. MAKES POOR

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on each of the T. C. ave, and did succeed in placing 3 doubtful fouls ugainst McMorris. Adkins got start-On Friday night of this week od several times, but the referee re-

Taylor, Adkins, and Henderson started the ball rolling early in the last half, sinking a basket such, and Springer and Adkins each located he hosp with a free throw, while facellers granding half Lerna to four points. T. C. had the ball most of the time during the quarter, but missed enough chances to win the game. The quarter ended with T. C. etil) behind, 19-12.

Then Lerna put a crimp in the T. C. hopes. Reed began hogging the show once more, and the disheartened T. C. lads forgot to score again,

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while Lerna was gathering 8 points SHOWING AT LERNA The game ended with Lerns best upon whole-hearted slaughter, to countering little resistance.

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Of a tingling in the air

Of an icicle that dangles

Of the coffce on the stove.

As I lie there sleepily,

Doesn't it sound good b' jove?

And the biscuits not for me.

I must soon rise up and dress

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were virtually a part of the original

constitution. It has kept the respect

of the American people as well as of the people of the other nations. Un-

der the form of government outlined

by the Constitution, the United States has grown to be one of the

most powerful, most prosperous, and

In the Preamble the deep sense

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stable governments in the

It has served as a pattern to

GREATNESS OF THE CONSTITUTION

WHEREIN LIES THE

Showing at Lerna Senior After a miserable showing which

T. C. Makes Poor

put them behind 15-4 at the end of the first half, T. C. s'aged a short rally in the third period which placed them within striking distance of the enthused Lerna five, but folded up in the last quarter, allowing Lerre to walk off with the game by everwhelming score of 27-12. Reed, the speedy Lerna center, was he whole show for the winners and without doubt the United States for the T. C. cause McMorris was Without doubt the United States the only one on speaking terms with its simplicity, brevity, and clear lanregard and style. It is the work of bad an eye for the basket, Taylor the most skilled American men of being a special offender. Lerna, on whom eighty-one per cent were col-kee men without experience. Withand weaknesses through which former governments had failed. There reminding one of the similar ability was great consideration and many of Towles when he wore the Blue.

even other important countries.

Letna started off as if they meant business, scoring five points before the states was "the most wonderful work ever truck off at a given."

Then Adkins made good a free the state was the basis of the state was the state ful work ever truck out at a given.

time by the brain and purpose of throw; but Lerna came back with a
man." It has served as a pattern to we-pointer, which Adkins matched the South Américan republics, and before the quarter ended. The sechas been followed quite closely by other governments throughout the made a lone point, while the entire Lerna team was sinking them, and world. Although it is the oldest writ-Reed was hitting the basket regular-The Mattoon referee seemed in ·y. tent upon getting four personals up-

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THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

"Kid," says Mr. Editor, "do you kr.cw that Christmas away?" isn't far

44 T realize the fact," I replied, thinking sadly of the two-dollar bill which must cover eight or nine gifts. "And Christmas means presents,"

added Mr. Editor. That was no news.

"What would you like to have for your gift?" asked Mr. Editor as if he really were serious

'Oh, a million dollars or so," I wished.

Had I had he nerve I would have asked for a raise in salary, since my present weekly reward consists merely of a pat on the back, only some-times Mr. Editor pats with his foot and his aim is rather low.

The next day I was hunting in Mr. Editor's desk for a blotter, when I charced (?) to see a paper head CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR THE STAFF. I yielded to the strong temptation to read it.

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Poetical Thoughts Thursday at 1:30 a wild, stampede 29, and around swept Reynold's desk surged a mob of ex-cited juniors. When at last the bell cited juniors rang and the dust cleared, there could be seen only the backs of a few He has come upon us quickly, with little warning, to force departing juniors. Everywhere were opened scatterd hastily blue envelopes and scraps of tissue paper. It was noticeable in the onefollowing are the ideas inspired by the cold morning, as ex-pressed by a high school girl. As thirty history class that every one Miss Grace Stanley does not wish was intensely interested in his own or in some one else's hand or perher name used in connection with the poem we are sorry to say that the haps a spot on sweater or dress just name of the author must remain a below the heart.

Have you guessed it? Yes. The junior class rings and pins have ar-Since early November they .ived. have waited for them, and now that hey are here how shall I describe 'hem?

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WINNING THEME ON CONSTITUTION

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morality and high standards of the framers is shown in the parpuses expressed. The spirit was more practical and less emotional than that which impired the frames of the midst of conflicting tendencies, they oiled and developed a constitution which was a composite of their antagonistic theories by which their gate could be upheld.

powers and interests, that inines now concern the whole union. The division of powers between the state and the nation is so definitely stated in the tenth amendmentpowers not delegated to the United States by the Congress, nor prohib ited by it to the states, are reserved to the states"-that comparatively lew conflicts arise. The supremacy of the federal law and the federal judiciary are provided by the Con-

The government is separated into legialative, and the judicialwhich all cooperate. It is advantageous in having a bleameral legislative department in that the minorty is protected against the majority; one acts as a check upon the other; one large house elected for a short term can express the wishes of the people while the other house elected for a long term and small enough for deliberate debate can consider them; and the press of the country has a better opportunity to point out the defects of a proposed bill before it is acted upon by the second house. The executive and judiciary

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departments are given adequate power to enforce the federal laws. By having three separate bodies f government they serve as a check each other and protest individual liberty. The Presi-dent is given the voto power over legislation passed by Congress and has the power of appointment of ju-dicial officials, Congress is given the right to impeach the President and judges; and the courts are allowed to declare unconstitutional laws and acts enacted by Congress and the President.

The people are protested by the speech; right to bear a:um; and

charging economic and social con-ditions. By the elastic clause—that carrying to execution the foregoing nowers"—a liberal nmy be given to fit the needs of the To provide for necessary legstation, amendments can be made The above article by Madge Coopto the Constitution. A good point, however, is that the process of amending is so difficult that wouldbe reformers of the Constitution are unruccessful in many of their attempts.

On account of these reasons and good points of the Constitution it has long been and will continue to be a document which people reverence, honor, and wish to see followed

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FIRST DREAM OF CHRISTMAS

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He saw, also, that as they looked lackward through the years they saw away in the dimness of time a little babe lying in a manger, owning in all the world, so far as men first ten amandments the bill of could see, only a pair of empty rights. Freedom of religion, press, hands; he saw the babe, grown to be a boy, with a sorrowful, loving right to have trial by jury are all heart, empty-handed still; then a provided for by the bill of rights. The Constitution instead of being rails that pierced them, hanging a dead contract is a living agree-'a dead contract is a living agree-ment" which adapts itself to the cross; then a touch, rock hewn and soldier-guarded, wherein he lay; then diffons. By the elastic clause—that a resurrection morning, when the "Congress may make all laws which tomb gave forth its dead, and tears be necessary and proper for gave place to gladness—then a time when hands no longer empty atretch interpretation ed forth over the whole world, filled with bleasings for all the sons of men.

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