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NORMAL SCHOOL NEWS

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VOL. 2

CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY, DEC. 19, 1916

NO. 15

E. I. S. N. S. 21 CARBONDALE 6

First Basket Ball Game of the Season Won by Normal Saturday Night

The Normal school basket ball team won the first game of the season last Saturday evening when they defeated the Southern Normal team of Carbondale by the score of 21 to 6. The locals outplayed the visitors from the start and showed themselves superior in both experience and speed.

Turner, of the Blue and Grey, was entirely too fast for the Southerners and outplayed his opponent throughout the game. Schmaelzle made eight of the 21 points for his team. In fact each member of the team played in good form and it looks as if our team will be a winner, as more material is out this year than common. McCabe, who played his first game for the varsity Saturday, proved his worth at back guard and has undoubtedly won a berth on the team.

Carbondale though a husky bunch, and larger than the locals lacked ability to hit the basket, and though at present not going well, will if they get together, be heard of before the end of the season.

Practically all of the first team squad were given a chance

Normal	G	F.T	T.P
Turner, r. f.	3	1	7
Cook, l. f.	2	0	4
Schmaelzle, c	4	0	8
Hampton, l. g.	1	0	2
McCabe, r. g.	0	0	0
Total	20	1	21

Carbondale	G	F.T	T.P
Etherton, r. f.	1	0	2
Mathes, l. f.	0	2	2
Stinson, c.	1	0	2
Wittenberg, l. g.	0	0	0
Goddard, r. g.	0	0	0
Total	4	4	6

Substitutes: Musset for Cook, McKenzie for Musset, Giffin for Schmaelzle, Schahrer for Hampton.

Referee, Taylor, Charleston H. Scorer, Hampton, Neoga H. S. Timekeeper, Nehrling.

Marie Walz, '15, will attend the Christmas dance Friday night.

Stanley Crowe, '16, of Neoga, will be here for the Christmas dance Friday night.

Y. W. ENTERTAIN Y. M. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. entertained the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon with a Christmas entertainment in the parlors of Pemberton Hall. The programme as given is as follows:

Song, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" by the audience.

Reading, "The Chimes" Bonnie Fortney.

Instrumental Solo, Dorothy Fox Vocal Solo, Miss Gieger.

Reading, "Bob Cratchett's Xmas Dinner" Helen Couche.

Violin Solo, Marjorie Fox.

Solo, "Silent Night" (German) Frances Behrens.

Instrumental Solo, Mrs. S. E. Thomas.

Song, Audience.

Last, but not least, was the appearance of Santa Claus (Eric Comer) who made glad the hearts of every one present by the distribution of the presents from the beautiful little Christmas tree.

BASKET BALL GAME

The next basket ball game will be played between our team and Spark's Business College team next Wednesday at Shelbyville. The Sparks team is a fast one and has not been defeated yet this year. Our team will be in excellent condition and this game should be a good one.

ATHLETIC MEETING.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association last Wednesday, a discussion was held as to the means of raising of money for the purpose of paying for the foot ball sweaters. It was decided that if the proceeds of the entertainment did not prove sufficient, a special fee would be assessed each member of the Association to make up the deficit.

INDEPENDENT TEAM

It is rumored that an independent basket ball team will be organized. This team will be composed of former High school and Normal school stars. They will play their first game in the Armory, next Friday evening with an independent team from Arthur.

MERRY XMAS

If you are in doubt as to what to send a friend for Xmas just hand the business manager the address and subscription price. We will then accept the responsibility and take care that the friend receives The News every issue for the remainder of the school year. This will save you trouble and we will be glad to help you out.

SENIOR PARTY

The first party to be given to the juniors by the Seniors was held last night in Pemberton Hall. The party was well attended and was chaperoned by the advisers of each class and the critic teachers of the model school.

Early in the evening a yule log was borne in and after several members of the faculty had taken seats upon it and sang carols according to the old English custom, it was placed in the fire place and a roaring fire kindled. An Xmas song was then sung by the Seniors and preparations made for the observing of a country school programme. The School Mistress, a little dark eyed Miss, typical of country misses in general had prepared an excellent programme. The first number was given by a little girl who sang beautifully but seemed very shy of the tall dark winsome lad who followed with a recitation what he did and what he did not want for Xmas. Several other good recitations were given by other members of Miss Doty's school and greatly enjoyed by the fond parents present.

Refreshments were next in order and were served according to the English Xmas custom. The blazing plum puddings were the feature of the refreshments and were borne in blazing to the accompaniment of a song made for the occasion. After this good nights were said and all left happy and contented believing this to have been the best Xmas party ever held.

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VACATION

School will close next Friday December 22, 1916 at noon and opens January 2, 1917. All are expecting a merry Xmas with friends or relatives. Now before you go, resolve to say a good word for the school. Ask those of your friends who are preparing to go to school to come here next term. We are ready to welcome desirable students at any time and we all believe that our school is a good place to be.

We wish you a Merry Xmas.

NEW TABLES INSTALLED

The agricultural laboratory is now equipped with apparatus needed in the several courses offered. The new tables have just been installed. They are of new design and are equipped with fixtures that are new in design. The tables have water and gas connections so they can be used in all the laboratory courses in agriculture. New soil bins have been installed for the purpose of storing type soils of the community to be used in laboratory work.

Among the apparatus that may be found in the laboratory is a new Baloptican projecting apparatus. This is used mostly in the courses in Stock Judging. Instead of the old style carbon fixtures, the lantern is equipped with a four hundred watt Mazda lamp which gives a strong even and effective light. There is none of the noise that so often is a part of the projecting apparatus.

There is a Babcock tester and accompanying apparatus, for use in the study of milk and its products. Since the new tables have been put in, there is room and apparatus for twenty students in the milk testing course.

An electric oven has been installed for use in the Soil Physics class as well as in the milk testing work. Complete apparatus is now in the laboratory for use in Soil Physics. About three fourths of the year is spent in studying the physical properties of the type soils of this community.

The last quarter of the term will be spent in studying the results of experiments that have been carried on in this state and others of the corn belt, in the study of soil fertility.—C. C.

A FEW DON'T'S

Don't forget to bring back your skates.

Don't forget to bring back good New Years resolutions.

Don't ask to be excused before school closes Friday noon.

Don't forget to be back for your first class the following Tuesday after Xmas vacation.

And above all don't forget to be happy and make others happy during this joyous season.

BEWARE

A young man of this city lost two fingers at Urban Park last Sunday. This should prove a warning to all who are in the habit of visiting Urban Park on Sunday. As an additional attraction a fight was staged in which the participants rolled down a steep embankment.

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come. But did you ever stop to
consider that there are greater
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money? Our father and mother
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ed in us should head our Christmas
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er gifts every day. Their value
depends upon the hard work that
we spend in making them. These
gifts can not be tied with ribbon
or sent by parcel post. They are
found in our manners; our record
made in our classes, the neatness
of our personal appearance, and
the honor given us by our fellow
students.

BENEFIT FUND

Last week, through an oversight,
we failed to mention that a move-
ment was on to get together a
fund for the benefit of the pris-
oners in the European prison
camps, a fund amounting to \$142-
68 was raised. In acknowledgement
of the receipt of the check for
the above amount, Mr. B. W.
Dickson, State Student Secretary
of the Y. M. C. A. says, "Will
you please say to your president
and other members of the school
that we deeply appreciate this
contribution to this needy field of
work. We feel sure that it will
help very materially in carrying
out the work of the association
in the Prison Camps."

The student body should not
overlook the fact that Dr. Lambert
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Y. W. C. A. BUDGET

The finance committee of the
Young Women's Christian Asso-
ciation submit the following bud-
get as an estimate of the receipts
and expenditures of the associa-
tion for the year beginning Sep-
tember 14, 1916, and ending June
19, 1917.

Receipts	
Balance	\$ 28.63
Membership dues	75.00
Money earned	100.00
Candy	40.00
Bazaar	46.00
Sandwiches	20.00
Missions	54.00
(75 x .02 x 36	
Extra pledges to special fund	
Total receipts	\$259.63
Expenditures	
Field, national, and world's work, 40 per cent of dues	\$ 30.00
Geneva and annual mem- ber	100.00
Miss Ragan, missionary	54.00
Running expenses	31.55
60 per cent of dues	
Socials	12.00
Social service	9.00
Membership	2.50
Secretary	3.00
Religious meeting	3.00
Missionary	2.00
Treasurer	.05
Total expenditures	\$215.00
Bal. June 1917	44.63

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Bell, Chairman

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SOCIETY NEWS

By Zula Philippe

That both students and faculty are inspired with the yuletide spirit is shown by the number of Xmas social functions to be held this week.

Miss Hawkins will give a party for the students in Pemberton Hall Wednesday evening at 6:00 p. m. A number of the faculty and townspeople have been invited.

Thursday evening the faculty will have a Christmas party and tree in the Normal School building.

Friday evening the boys of the School will hold their annual Xmas party. A more extended notice of this party will be found elsewhere in this issue.

About forty couples enjoyed the dance Saturday evening after the basket ball game. Music was furnished by Flanigan's orchestra of Mattoon. The chaperones were Miss Smith, Miss Carmen, Miss Willard and Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard.

The annual Xmas dancing party will be given by the boys of the Normal school in the parlors of Pemberton Hall next Friday evening. One hundred invitations are out besides the members of the school. Decorations will be made in school colors for the occasion. This dance is given at the beginning of the holiday season so that Alumni who are in various places have a chance to get here before going home for their Xmas vacation.

Monday afternoon at four o'clock Miss Eva Prather became the bride of James Bradley, of Chicago. Mrs. Bradley, until a few days ago, was a prominent member of the Junior Class. Mr. Bradley is a graduate of the Charleston H. S. and a graduate of the School of Pharmacy, of the University of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley left immediately for their home in Chicago where the groom holds a responsible position.

Dorothy Davis and Inez Hopson gave a chafing dish party in Pemberton Hall last Sunday evening. The guest of honor was Miss Gifford. Others present were Hazel Gumm, Racheal Risser, Madona Deems, Cecil Ellsbery, Katherine Reeder, and Gladys Brickey.

Mac was trying to account for each number of his team after Charleston had pulled off a fake play.

Mac: Where were you John?
John H: Under that big center.—Egyptian.

Frank Harris was in Mattoon on business Saturday evening.

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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

William A. Brady presents Gail Kane in "The Scarlet Oath"

FRIDAY

Paramount picture "He Fell in Love With His Wife."

SATURDAY

Blue Bird Photo play, "The Stranger From Some Where."

MONDAY

Paramount picture, William S. Hart in "The Bargain."



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THURSDAY

Star Margarito Fischer in "Pearl of Paradise", 6 acts.

FRIDAY

Triangle, Bessie Barriscale in "Home", 5 acts. Also Willie Collier in "Never Again", 2 acts.

SATURDAY

Mutual, two reel comedy, two reel feature and one reel feature.

MONDAY

Triangle, Dorothy Gish in "Gretchen the Greenhorn", 5 acts. Also Chas. Murray in "The Feathered Nest", 2 acts.

PERSONAL

Hanford Tiffany, '15, visited chapel Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harriman attended the dance Saturday night.

Cecile Yannaway was shopping in Mattoon Thursday afternoon.

Clarence Yates, of Champaign, visited Maude Paige over Sunday.

Miss Geneva Taylor's sister and grandfather visited her several days last week.

Mr. Rodick will spend the Christmas vacation at his home in Freeport, Maine.

Mary Sarchet, '18, was out of school the latter part of last week on account of illness.

Mr. Leonard Davis, a former member of our faculty, visited school last Saturday.

Jeanette Vermass and Gladys Smith entertained John Haykins at dinner Sunday evening.

L. C. Noakes spent the week-end with his parents and other relatives in Martinsville over Sunday.

Ruth Stone, '16, and Loraine Story attended the basket ball game and dance Saturday night.

Ruth Long, '10, who is teaching in Duluth, Minnesota, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Long.

Miss Morse Will have charge of the senior class in observation during the absence of Mr. Allen this week.

Mr. Allen will go to Shawneetown Wednesday where he will speak before an association of teachers of that place.

Harry Pyle, '17, was compelled to leave school Friday on account of illness. He will probably not return until after the holidays.

Hanford Tiffany, '15, Maurice Hampton, '15, and Stanley Crowe, '16, saw the Charleston-Carbondale basket ball game Saturday night.

Charles Long, '12, teacher of chemistry in the Sioux City, Iowa H. S., is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents in this city.

Mr. Lantz went to Sullivan last Friday to referee a basket ball game between the Sullivan H. S. and Altamont H. S. basket ball teams.

Maurice Hampton visited home folks last Sunday. Mr. Hampton is teaching science in Neoga High School and coaching the basket ball team.

Mr. Frank Lord, assistant police commissioner of New York City, spoke in chapel last Wednesday, on the methods used by the New York officials in detecting pickpockets.

The Sunday School of the first Christian Church is growing. One thousand and forty-five people were present and both the Rex and Majestic theatres were used to accommodate the crowds.



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