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WINTER TERM

## Commercial Contest Will Be Sponsored

The Board of Trustees gave their approval for the sponsoring of the Fourteenth Central Normal College Commercial Contest to which all schools of the state will be invited to participate. Because of transportation problems district events will be held in different places throughout the state with the final event to be held at Central Normal on Saturday, April 7.

The executive committee has been appointed by Mrs. Blanche M. Wean, general chairman, from upper-classmen who are commerce majors:

Beginning Typing: Don Johnson of Lebanon, chairman; co-chairmen: Hershel Thomas of Tangier and Alice Cragun of Whitestown.

Advanced Typing: Florence Miller of Greencastle; co-chairmen: Doris Mae Long, Warsaw, and Phyllis Carlin, Rockville.

Bookkeeping: James Moore, Monticello; co-chairmen: Paul Eddy Bradford, Danville, and Phyllis Traylor, Connersville.

Beginning Shorthand: Luella Holtzclaw, Columbus, chairman; Wilma Blaydes, Ladoga, co-chairman.

Business Adjustability: Judy Osborn, Indianapolis, chairman; co-chairmen: Sue Terry, Shoals, and Mary Miller, Morgantown.

Office Practice or Applied Shorthand: John Davison, Frankfort, chairman, and Judy Spencer, North Judson, co-chairman.

Plans for the event include the distribution of invitations and rules to the different schools on January 15; district tests ready by March 1; district events between March 1 and April 7; final events at Central Normal College on April 7.

## Alumni Demand Action

At the invitation of Mr. Lindol Lawson, President of the Central Normal College Alumnae Association, in last Quarterly a few alumni answered the request for membership dues. Due recognition of those who responded is made in the honor roll.

Since these are the first memberships received the Executive Committee is preparing suitable membership cards, which will take a little time.

With the membership fees much encouragement was given for the Alumnae Association to get into action as a live organization working for the welfare of Central Normal College.

According to President Lawson, plans are being made to use the membership fees for the organization activities working toward an Alumni publication and toward a functioning unit in every county of Indiana and every state of the United States.

Further invitations are extended to Alumni to send in their membership fees to Mrs. Rawleigh Baker, in order that the work may get started more quickly.

## "WHO'S WHO" SELECTIONS

Three seniors were elected by members of the faculty to "Who's Who Among Students of American Colleges and Universities."

Those selected include Wilma Blaydes of Ladoga, Doris Mae Long of Warsaw, and Phyllis Traylor of Connersville.

These selections were made on the basis of scholarship, activities and personality.

## President P. R. Hightower Presents Financial Picture

### CALENDAR

Monday, December 11 ..... Beginning of Winter Term  
Friday, December 22 ..... Christmas Vacation Begins  
Monday, January 1, ..... Classes Resumed  
Friday, March 9 ..... End of Winter Term  
Monday, March 12 ..... Beginning of Spring Term  
Friday, April 20, End of Spring Term, Beginning of Spring Vacation  
Monday, April 30 ..... Beginning of Mid-Spring Term  
Friday, June 8 ..... End of Mid-Spring Term

### COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES

Sunday, June 3 ..... Baccalaureate  
Monday, June 4 ..... Music Recital  
Tuesday, June 5 ..... Senior Convocation  
Wednesday, June 6 ..... Sigma Phi Kappa Delta  
Thursday, June 7 ..... Alumni Banquet  
Friday, June 8 ..... Commencement

Monday, June 11 ..... Beginning of First Summer Term  
Friday, July 13 ..... End of First Summer Term  
Monday, July 16 ..... Beginning of Second Summer Term  
Friday, August 17 ..... End of Second Summer Term

## Enrollment Increases to More Than One Hundred

Final enrollment figures for 1944-1945 enrollment showed more than 100 in comparison to the more handful on campus last year.

Of those who enrolled, were 15 seniors, 14 juniors, 13 sophomores and 66 freshmen.

In this number 31 counties are represented. Hendricks County leads with 29 and Marion is second with 12. The only other state represented is Wisconsin. One girl is enrolled from there. The other counties and the number from each are as follows:

Montgomery 5; Clinton 4; Putnam 4; Decatur 4; Boone 3; Ripley 3; Floyd 2; Orange 2; White 2; Parke 2; Tippecanoe 2; Brown 2; Scott 2; and the remaining have but one, Marshall, Koskiusko, Morgan, Howard, Greene, Hancock, Warrick, Jasper, Clark, Fountain, Rush, Martin, Benton, Dearborn, Delaware and Lawrence.

### TRAYLOR EDITS CENTRALIAN

Phyllis Traylor, of Connersville, was selected by the seniors to serve as editor of the Centralian for 1945. Wilma Blaydes of Roachdale, is assistant editor, and Paul E. Bradford, of Danville, is business manager.

Other staff members are: Sue Terry of Shoals, in charge of sales; Florence Miller, of Greencastle, in charge of art work, and Doris Mae Long, of Warsaw, advertising manager.

## Former Students Are Central Normal Boosters

Mr. Lowell DeMoss, Registrar-Bursar, who has visited among Central graduates says:

"As Registrar-Bursar of Central Normal College, it has been my good fortune to meet many former students of the college. Their enthusiasm for their Alma Mater is very wholesome and cooperative.

"Many have expressed the desire that local, or county Central Normal College Clubs be organized, since the tire and gasoline situation make it so difficult for them to visit the campus. A concrete example of this wholesome attitude is that four groups have already asked me if I would visit their meeting on organization night.

"The suggested plan is to have an evening dinner meeting, nomination and election of officers, organization of by-laws committee and other committees as are necessary, have songs, and pep talks. As Registrar, I have been invited to explain the financial situation of the College and the student enlistment program.

"Suggestions have been made that these groups meet more than once during the year, and that alumni dues, as well as local dues, be collected at these meetings. Already three former students have sent in their \$20.00 which enables them to become life

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Dr. P. R. Hightower, president, has been working and planning for the financial program of Central Normal's future and makes this statement to the alumni:

To C.N.C. Alumni:

Central Normal College opened its Fall quarter this year with a much brighter outlook and larger enrollment than for some time past. The enrollment is almost double what it was a year ago. The financial situation is much better; however, more funds will be needed constantly to build the program we need.

There were three requests made of the Alumni in my article in the last issue of the Quarterly. Those requests should be kept in mind constantly. I should like to quote one paragraph from that article: "I shall depend upon all of you Alumni to assist in every way possible in making Central Normal College a bigger and better institution; but especially in the way of recruiting students, interesting people of financial means to give liberally to the endowment and to erect buildings, and by giving regularly to the financial support of the institution yourselves."

The time has come when student fees are not sufficient to operate the institution. Educational demands of today far exceed those of a decade or two ago. We need more laboratory equipment; we need more books for the Library; we need some additional repair work in Convocation Hall, in the way of elevating the floor and equipping the hall with modern, up-to-date theater seats, and the old Science Hall needs to be re-wired and decorated through-out. Moreover, a substantial endowment should be provided, sufficient to meet the requirements of the North Central Association.

I received a letter recently from one of our graduates who is serving in the Navy. I wish to quote a portion of it. He says, "I have had several things in my mind for a long time, and I have written several people about them. I have thought about C.N.C. much since I left school, and I wonder why more isn't done to put on a program for raising funds. You know everyone seems to have money now, and I think you folks back there could really do all right if you would conduct a drive that would take in everyone. I have my own ship now, a landing craft, and I have five officers under my command. They are

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## Recent Improvements Have Been Made

During the summer, the President's offices, the Dean's office, the Registrar's office, and Chapel Hall in the Administration building were re-decorated. The Coach's office and "Varsity Apartments" were re-decorated in the Gymnasium.

Since school opened in September, the shower rooms in the Men's Gymnasium have been painted and the gymnasium floor re-surfaced. Two modern, up-to-date stokers have been installed in the heating plant, thus making the heating of the Gymnasium and Hargrave Hall more modern and scientific. Other needed improvements will be made as rapidly as funds are available.

## C.N.C. ALUMNI HONOR ROLL

Those who answered the call made in the last Quarterly for members to Central Normal College Alumnae Association were:

### LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

LT. TOM M. JANEWAY of the Class of 1941, who is now somewhere in the South Pacific, skipper on an LCI.

ELIZABETH KYBURZ of the Class of 1944, who is now teaching at Shipshewana, Indiana.

LT. SAMUEL EGGERS of the Class of 1940, who is with the United States Army in China.

### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIPS

G. ROSS DORSETT, '36 of Batesville.

MERRILL MILLER, '39 of Linton.

FLOYD HARPER, '33 of Tipton.



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AS A FRESHMAN SEES  
CENTRAL NORMAL

"This place grows on you." This expression has been heard often around Central Normal. It is an expression spoken usually by a Senior and emitted in a regretful tone of voice that gives to the listener the impression that the person speaking is sorry that his Central Normal days are almost over. Many Freshmen have been known to look at a soon-to-leave-Senior with an expression akin to envy on his (the Freshman's) face as he asked some such question as, "Aren't you glad that you will soon be teaching instead of going to school?" The answer to this question may very well be, "Well—no, I'm not. I don't want to leave." The next statement will most likely be, "This place grows on you."

The listener may, at least subconsciously, start taking inventory. "The Campus IS rather picturesque," he may say to himself. Perhaps he will be forgiven his poor choice of words when he, in his ignorance, uses the word "rather" so promiscuously. One must remember that his vocabulary is "rather" limited as yet.

He may resume his thought trail: "The gymnasium is nice. Modern and new-looking, too. As for the other buildings, I can't think of any specific criticism. No doubt, eventually, I will be able to think of plenty. I do like the Well House. Can one really get a drink there? I must go over to see the next time I am that way.—Now what do they call that walk with all the stones laid so the grass can grow between? The name 'Flirtation Walk' comes to me, but I

believe that is some other place and not here. Besides, there couldn't be a walk with such a name at Central Normal. People come here to study."

Here the bewildered Freshman may think of the time he went down to Hargrave Hall after dark. He remembered at the time that there were three step-downs—or was it four—he would have to make. Since there was no light by which he might refresh his memory through the sense of sight, he decided that he would have to rely on his sense of touch alone. He was very conscious, too, of the fact that the sense of touch is not necessarily conveyed by the hands. After that eventful night he was informed by a beneficent Senior that all one has to do is to count eight steps between each step-down. How one is to apprehend the first step-down, though, is another matter. Perhaps when the Freshman is a Senior, that will be one of the things he will have learned.

With Hargrave Hall still in his mind he may be reminded of the view from the north and east windows. This view may appeal even to HIS limited faculty of perception of beauty. To the north one sees, beyond the beginning ravine, the little white cemetery. (If he has ever had to find a certain number of names written there, and find them in the dark of night, he might be tempted to use some adjective other than "little.") To the east the ravine, that one saw just beginning through the north windows, dips and widens into a deep earthen pocket filled with vegetation of varied height. Indeed, there is such a sudden drop under the east windows that at first glance, one wonders how far over the ravine the building in which he is standing extends. All in all, the effect is quite pleasing, and if one dared, he might allow his enjoyment of view to divert him from the purpose for which he originally came to the building.

By this time the Freshman may have been interrupted in his thinking. In fact, he may count himself lucky if he has not been interrupted before now. Before the subject completely left his mind for the time being, he may have remembered that everyone at Central Normal has been very friendly with him. Everyone speaks to him in passing, even the Seniors. The teachers, too, are friendly; but he soon found—it is hoped not to his sorrow—that they mean "business." He hopes not to hold this last against them, however, and perhaps he could be told by any Senior that this, too, will be one of the things he will have learned.

—THELMA YORK.

## Financial Picture

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all from different schools throughout the country. Never a month passes that they don't get some kind of a reminder from their alma mater that lets them know that the school needs money. While being in the armed forces, almost three years now, I have never gotten any information of any kind of a drive being put on by C.N.C. I know that if a campaign were started which was properly organized it would really net the school a lot of funds upon which to operate and expand after the war."

This young man has the spirit that is necessary to build Central Normal College for the future. If all of us will catch his enthusiasm and be as interested in pushing the school in every way, financially and otherwise, there will be no question as to the outcome. He said other things in his letter about giving, and will, I am sure, send in his contribution as soon as we inform him where the funds are needed most. I am writing him soon about some of our needs.

If all of the Alumni will contribute on an average of \$10 each per year,

their contributions will do much in the way of purchasing needed equipment and supplies and helping to build up an endowment fund.

We have started a Student Loan Fund, to which a number of people have contributed. Dr. Arthur L. Foley gave a fund of \$1,000, which has been named the Foley Scholarship Loan Fund. Miss Nellie Walker, a teacher of this state, has contributed \$500 toward the Loan Fund. Others have given in varying amounts. We now have a fairly sizable fund, but much more will be needed with an increased enrollment. We shall be glad to receive contributions for maintenance, endowment, library, building improvement, or any other things the donors wish to designate. I am sure all of us prefer, as I stated before, to be Alumni of a vital, growing institution.

—P. R. HIGHTOWER.

## Former Students

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members in the Central Normal College Alumna Association.

"Will you please sit down and drop us a card or, better still, a letter making any comments you care to offer?"

"May you enjoy the coming Christmas season in the most enjoyable way possible."

Recently the Registrar has participated in the county institutes at Rockville and Crown Point. In both places, former students were eager to learn about the progress of C.N.C.

Now is the time when Central Normal College and the alumni need to cooperate understandingly because a good beginning now will mean a lot in the years to come.

Orders for the 1945 Centralian are being taken. All those who wish one should send in order immediately.

## WHY STUDENTS COME TO C.N.C.

In September the following check list was given to the students on the campus. This was done to get an idea of why they came to C.N.C. so that plans for future procedure may be made during the coming months.

Scholarship .....	17.74%
Teacher .....	15.32%
Friend (not a chum) .....	10.48%
C.N.C. field representative .....	8.87%
Relative (Who was a former student) ....	8.87%
High School Principal .....	8.06%
Parent (Who was a former student) .....	8.06%
Other sources .....	7.27%
Parent (Non-student) .....	6.45%
County Superintendent .....	3.23%
Chum .....	2.23%
Relative (Non-student) .....	1.61%
Ad in newspapers and magazines .....	1.00%

Now former students are asked to assist in the survey. Attempts are being made to find what influenced former students in coming to C.N.C. If you are a former student will you please sit down and read over the following list carefully? Check the ONE item which probably influenced you most in coming to Central Normal College and cut out the list and mail it to C.N.C. If you are a married lady, please sign both names.

NAME (Mr.) .....  
(Miss) .....  
(Mrs.) .....  
ADDRESS .....  
Year of First Entrance .....  
( ) High school principal  
( ) Teacher  
( ) County superintendent  
( ) Central Normal representative  
( ) Friend (Not a chum)  
( ) Parent (A former student)  
( ) Parent (Not a former student)  
( ) Relative (A former student)  
( ) Relative (Not a former student)  
( ) Scholarship  
( ) Ad in paper or magazine  
( ) Chum  
( ) Other Sources. State which .....  
Respectfully requested by Registrar.

Homecoming Revival  
Proves Success

The Homecoming activities held on October 28 were proof of the fact that in spite of transportation problems C.N.C. Alumni could find ways to "get home."

The Warriors started activities with the game with Ball State, presided over by the Homecoming Queen, Lydia Smith, of Linden.

After the game a tea was held for Alpha Theta Alumnae and open house for the Psi Chi.

The climax of the day was the dance in the evening at which the Queen was crowned. Her attendants were Martha Marie Stewart of Danville; Madge Mitchell, of Thorntown, and Mary Esther Martin of Darlington.

Among those graduates present for the occasion were:

Margaret Martin, '40, Dover High School; June Downen, '42, Chalmers High School; Prentice Smith, '39, Chalmers High School; Betty Cox, '40; Shelbyville High School; Naomi Carlin Waymire, '41; Louise Ballinger, '44, Mooresville High School; Ann Thurston Tanselle, '44, Summitville; Randolph McClung, '42, Sheridan High School; Lenore McCamack Long, '43, Rockville High School; Kenneth Norris, Plainfield High School; Keith and Arline Wolfe Davis, Shipshewana High School; Harold Wallace; Morris Etter, Greenwood High School; Betty Dove Wheatley, '42, Castleton; Margaret Wetzel, Clark Township High School; Peggy McCoun Crum, Florida; Kathleen Williams Shaw, Ben Davis High School; Alma Hopp, East Gary; Gennie Bush, Thorntown High School; Helen and Ann Yacuk; Thelma Jean Rissler, Cloverdale High School, and Captain and Mrs. Hank Miller.

## WARRIORS LINE-UP

NAME	HOME	AGE	HT.	WT.	POS.	NO.	CL.
Alltop, C.	Speedway	19	6'2"	200	FB	38	S
Bradford, P.	Danville	20	5'11"	150	HB	24	Sr
Casselman, B.	Indianapolis	20	5'11"	180	QB	21	F
Davison, J.	Frankfort	20	5'9"	155	C	31	S
Elliott, H.	Plainfield	19	6'2"	190	E	40	F
Gibbs, F.	Danville	21	6'	185	T	32	F
Leonard, C.	Paoli	22	5'10"	160	G	11	F
Spacey, B.	Carthage	20	6'	170	T	35	F
Washburn, D.	Buffalo	17	5'10"	166	G	19	F
Moore, B.	Elwood	21	6'1"	190	E	27	F
Montgomery, H.	Danville	18	5'10"	160	HB	28	F

## Substitutes

Frye, B.	Frankfort	18	5'11"	160	E	12	F
Hodges, J.	Brownsburg	18	5'11"	140	HB	14	F
Hughes, B.	Forrest	17	6'	175	E	18	F
Knoll, D.	Plainfield	18	6'	150	E	23	F
Lingeman, B.	Brownsburg	17	5'10"	155	G	37	F
Reynolds, B.	Danville	18	5'9"	136	E	15	F
Scott, B.	Jeffersonville	10	5'9"	165	G	30	F
Smith, E.	Georgetown	21	5'1"	295	T	41	Sr
Taylor, W.	Indianapolis	17	5'8"	155	HB	16	F
Ziegler, W.	Greensburg	15	5'9"	155	G	22	F
Wise, C.	Elwood	21	5'11"	245	T	39	F
Price, R.	Little Jeff.	18	6'1"	155	T	25	F
Bickley, C.	Hope	20	5'8"	175	QB	35	F
Rowen, B.	DeMotte	21	6'	225	T	39	J

Warriors Lose Only  
One Football Game

Central Normal Warriors under the direction of Coach Glenn Johnson, won three football games out of five and tied one, losing only one game during the season.

This is the first football team that Central Normal has had for two years due to the insufficient number of men in school.

They opened the season September 30, at Crawfordsville with the Wabash Reserves. The Reserves had the advantage over our boys in more ways than one but experience was the biggest one. Only two on the Central Normal team knew what football was before enrolling here and their reserve power was also lacking since they didn't have enough men for a second string line-up.

The final score was 3 to 6 in favor of the Reserves with two casualties, Bradford, with a dislocated finger which the Navy quickly put back in place, and Bill Rowen, with a badly sprained right knee which kept him from playing the rest of the season.

The team traveled to Franklin for their second game of the year, in which the score was tied 6 to 6. C.N.C. undoubtedly dominated the whole game, although they failed to win. Their total yardage gained was 276 to Franklin's 120. The Warriors made 15 first downs while Franklin made only 7. Each team completed one pass. C.N.C. had one penalty for being off sides while Franklin had two off sides penalties, and also one penalty called on them for interference.

Central Normal beat the Cardinals of Ball State for the first time since 1931 and on their home field, by a

score of 13 to 6.

The total first downs for the game were C.N.C. 14, and Ball State 4. The total yardage gained in scrimmage was 222 yards for Central Normal and 177 yards for Ball State.

The Purple Warriors subdued the Earlham Quakers by a score of 27 to 18. The total yardage gain for C.N.C. was 204 with 219 for Earlham.

At the Homecoming and final game for the season, C.N.C. was the victor over Ball State again by a score of 25 to 6.

Central Normal's first downs for the game totalled 12 while Ball State's were 8, with the total yardage for C.N.C. 238 yards and 187 yards for Ball State.

## FIVE LETTERMEN BACK

Five of the eight boys on last year's basketball squad are back this year. The team did very well last year without having many substitutes to depend on. One game they had to finish with only four boys.

Things are going to be quite different this year, with twenty-two boys out for basketball. The five boys back from last year are Paul Bradford, senior; Donald Johnson, junior; John Davison and Charles Alltop, sophomores, and Frank Gibbs, freshman.

## CAMPAIGN FOR LIBRARY BOOKS

Library books are needed for the various departments and general reference. Those who would like to make a contribution to the Library may feel free to send their books for any department or field. If anyone is in doubt as to what book to send, he may make a monetary contribution for that purpose, and the books most needed will be purchased from the fund thus contributed.

## PLEDGE CARD

Date .....

I pledge to the support of Central Normal College the following amount for the school year 1944-45:

( ) 1. \$100	For the following purposes:
( ) 2. \$75	( ) 1. General Maintenance
( ) 3. \$50	( ) 2. Student Loans
( ) 4. \$25	( ) 3. Laboratory Supplies and Equipment
( ) 5. \$10	( ) 4. Endowment.
( ) 6. \$5	

Name .....

Address .....

## CENTRAL NORMAL COLLEGE

## BASKETBALL ROSTER FOR 1944-45

NAME	HOME	AGE	HT.	WT.	POS.
Alltop, Charles	Speedway	19	6'2"	200	C
Bickley, Carl	Hope	20	5'9"	170	G
Bradford, Paul	Danville	20	5'11"	150	G
Casselman, Bernie	Indianapolis	20	5'11"	180	G
Davison, John	Little Jeff	20	5'9"	150	G
Frye, Benson	Little Jeff	18	5'11"	162	F
Gibbs, Frank	Danville	21	6'	180	F
Johnson, Don	Little Jeff	20	5'11"	156	F
Moore, Bob	Elwood	21	6'	182	F
Moore, Jim	Monticello	21	6'	178	C
Price, Dick	Little Jeff	18	6'2"	155	C
Scott, Bill	Jeffersonville	19	5'9"	160	G
Spacey, Bill	Carthage	20	6'	165	F
Taylor, Bill	Indianapolis	18	5'8"	155	G
Thomas, Herschel	Tangier	24	6'2"	180	F

## BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 28—Anderson, Here  
Nov. 29—DePauw, There  
Dec. 2—Valparaiso, There  
Dec. 8—Franklin, There  
Dec. 12—Eastern Illinois, Here  
Dec. 14—Franklin, Here  
Dec. 16—Evansville, Here  
Jan. 6—Bunker Hill, Here  
Jan. 10—Evansville, There  
Jan. 1 —Eastern Illinois, There  
Jan. 20—Manchester, There  
Jan. 23—Indiana State, Here  
Jan. 26—Wabash, There  
Jan. 31—Ball State, Here  
Feb. 3—Earlham, There  
Feb. 7—Bunker Hill, There  
Feb. 8—Valparaiso, Here  
Feb. 12—Wabash, Here  
Feb. 14—Indiana State, There  
Feb. 17—Ball State, There  
Feb. 20—Manchester, Here  
Feb. 24—Anderson, There  
Feb. 28—Earlham, Here.

CONCERTO OF GASTON PLAYED  
AT SEDALIA

Miss Marjorie D. Gaston, head of the Music Department, went to Sedalia, Missouri, November 13, to hear her own concerto played by the symphony orchestra directed by Director Thomas E. Wilson, a former C.N.C. student.

Vernon Sheffield, former head of the Piano Department of DePauw University, was the soloist. He is now teaching in the Kansas State Teachers College at Emporia.

Wendell Mann, another C.N.C. graduate, played the cello in the symphony.

Miss Gaston was the guest of Mrs. Thomas Wilson, formerly Louise Starkey.

## SHELDON IRISH KILLED

Sheldon Irish, husband of Vernice Tomlinson Irish, '37, was killed on his way home from Indiana State Teachers Association meeting. He is survived by Vernice and three small children.

Former Professor of  
English in C. N. C.  
Publishes Text Book

Miss Bertha M. Watts, for several years professor of English in Central Normal College, has just had her textbook, "Modern Grammar at Work," designed for college freshmen, published by Houghton Mifflin Company.

Miss Watts is at present professor of English in John Brown Academy in San Diego, California.

Miss Watts was compiling the material for this text during the time she was teaching Freshman English in Central Normal and in Indiana University. Therefore, she taught and tested her material in these institutions while it was yet in manuscript form.

Prof. Harold Whitehall, of Indiana University, in his introduction to this text says: "Her aim is to give the student an intelligent appreciation of the structure of written English, to show him the conflicting tendencies which sometimes govern the development of grammatical detail, and to reveal something of the historical factors which have shaped the present form of English written expression."

An examination of "Modern Grammar at Work," reveals that the author considers grammar as both a cultural and a practical subject. This text is organized to teach a basic knowledge of the structure and correct use of the English language through a study of English that recognizes actual usage, and emphasis is placed upon the student's application of the underlying principles of grammar.

## BOOKS DONATED TO LIBRARY

J. B. Bowen, who is in the United States Navy, recently gave several books to the Central Normal College library.

Dr. P. R. Hightower also donated approximately 200 volumes of books on psychology, education, history and fiction.

Others are requested to make such gifts which will surely be appreciated by the students and faculty.

## CLIP AND RETURN WITH YOUR ALUMNAL MEMBERSHIP FEE

Mrs. Margaret Baker,  
Treasurer of the C.N.C. Alumna Association,  
Danville, Indiana.

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## C.N.C. IN SERVICE

DICK TANSSELLE KILLED  
IN ACTION

Lt. Dick Tanselle, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tanselle, of Pittsboro, was killed in action in France on October 15. His parents received the message from the War Department telling of his death.

Lt. Tanselle was a pilot on a pursuit plane. The last letter his parents received from him was written October 12, three days before he lost his life.

He was married to Miss Ann Thurston, February 15, 1944. She graduated from C.N.C. in '44 and has been teaching at Summitville.

Survivors are the widow, his parents, and a brother, Sgt. Donald W. Tanselle, stationed in North Africa.

Lt. Dale Jackson writes that he has gone through "Hell and high water" in Italy. "The Hell part of it comes when the Jerries start shelling and the high water—well, you just have to be in Italy and see it. We have high water in the States but we don't have so much, neither do we have the mud. At present, I am sitting in my 'home' feet up to a fire, helmet off, and taking life easy. 'My home' is a 4x4x7 dug back into a bank with a pup tent over the top. My heating device is a contraption that I made—it looks odd, but it fills the bill, so why should I worry how it looks. This will be a poor place to show the Christmas spirit. All that it will mean to us is just another day in which we can thank God that we are still alive and pray for a speedy return to our loved ones."

Lt. C. Wayne Shumaker of the United States Navy has been called home because of the death of his mother. He is now stationed in Hawaii. His wife and small daughter, Pamela Ann, also visited Indianapolis from Boulder, Colorado. He wears a star for action in the Saipan-Guam campaign.

Russ Williams writes, "We really had a swell football game in the Honolulu stadium November 12. It was the Hawaiian 'Rose Bowl.' The Shriners sponsor it each year and it was really good, especially the entertainment before the game and at half time."

William J. Goff has recently been promoted to captain. He is with the U. S. Army in Holland.

Tom Isaacs, still in Quantico hospital, writes that he had heard from Ensign Kathleen Mauck and that Ernie is now a captain and has the DFC with two clusters.

Another Paul Jones,  
This One a Hoosier,  
Makes Sea Mystery

(Indianapolis Star, Nov. 27)

Wounded during the naval battle in the Philippines last month, Ensign Paul H. Jones of Indianapolis, piloted his PT boat, the "Sea Bat," through a Jap naval force, running the gauntlet before cruisers, destroyers and escorts.

A North American Newspaper Alliance dispatch, written by Martin Sheridan of the Boston Globe, and datelined October 27, described how the former Greenwood High School commercial teacher and athletic director brought his ship through what has been described as the greatest naval engagement in history.

Sheridan's story relates how the "Sea Bat" which they told me, was the best PT boat in the Pacific, fired four torpedoes at a Jap destroyer then narrowly missed being run down by a second destroyer.

At another time this boat's lookout spotted four destroyers, a gun boat and an undetermined number of cruisers entering Surigao Strait.

Paul was graduated from Central Normal in 1939. He was a member of the football squad, editor of the Campus Crier and named as honor man of the Commerce department.

Capt. Wilford H. Tribby, Solsberry, Ind., is now stationed at the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2, Miami Beach, Fla., where he is awaiting reassignment. Capt. Tribby, B-26 pilot, flew 56 missions during 13 months in the European theatre and was awarded the DFC and Air Medal with seven clusters.

Austin Myers, '40, has returned from the South Pacific and is now located near Norfolk, Va. He has recovered from his injury.

Seaman 1st Class Eddie Piharski writes from New Guinea. He is with the Seabees. He says he hears from Joe Mackowiak.

George Martin, freshman at C.N.C., is now stationed at Camp Blanding, Florida.

Lt. (jg) Milton Williams says, "Imagine my surprise when I spotted Noel Douglas. He is on his way home."

Lt. Howard Boomershrine, '34, of the U. S. Navy, has recently returned from France. He was in the English Channel on D-Day. He has now returned to Louisiana.

Music Department Adds  
More Organizations

The Music Department has increased its number of musical organizations this year; perhaps it has regained the ones which were organized in previous years. The Band and Orchestra have a few more members in each and they are planning several programs in addition to playing at the home basketball games. The members of the orchestra are: Mary Esther Martin, Marie Featherstone, Nancy Juliet Spencer, Cosette Nichols, Martha Marie Stewart, Madge Mitchell, Wilma Blaydes, William Rowen, Kathryn Gerth and Alice Thompson. They also have been very fortunate in having Mrs. DeMoss, wife of the Registrar, play violin with them. The Band members are: Martha Marie Stewart, Cosette Nichols, Madge Mitchell, Ruth Morpew, Wilma Blaydes, Luella Holtzclaw, William Rowen, Alice Thompson, Kathryn Gerth, Preston Johnson, Nancy Juliet Spencer, Florence Miller and Robert Hughes.

The Thanksgiving program consisted of the following numbers: "High Jinks" by Frimil, and "In the Mystic Land of Egypt" by Ketilbey, played by the orchestra with Bill Rowen as soloist; two numbers, "Stout Hearted Men" by Ramberg, and "I Am An American" by Schuster, Cunningham and Whiteup—given by the Men's Glee Club; "Looking Glass River" by Malin, and "Song of Thanksgiving" by Allitsen and Cain, given by the Girls' Glee Club; "My Hero" by Strauss, and "Your Land and My Land" by Romberg, given by the Choir; and "Prayer of Thanksgiving," given by the entire assembly.

After long difficult tryouts the following girls were selected to sing in the Girls' Sextet, better known as "The Belles of C.N.C.": Nancy Juliet Spencer, Madge Mitchell, Alice Thompson, Martha Marie Stewart, Nondas Barnhart, and Florence Miller. They are directed and accompanied by Miss Gaston. The Belles broadcast over WFBM, November 5, for the Christian Men Builders' Sunday School Class of the 3rd Christian Church. They also broadcast over WISH, November 11, for the Youth and Religion program. They have sung for several programs here in Danville.

Members of the Girls' Glee Club are: Helen Rebber, Bonnie Hay, Juanita Eckler, Madge Mitchell, Nancy Juliet Spencer, Emma DeBra, Cosette Nichols, Martha Marie Stewart, Eunice Everett, Lydia Smith, Marie Featherstone, Kathryn Gerth, Mildred Bless, Florence Miller, and Alice Thompson, accompanist.

The members of the Men's Glee Club are: Don Johnson, John Davison, Paul Eddy Bradford, William Rowen, Robert Hughes, Leo Lehman, Hollis Montgomery, Benson Frye, Cedric Wise, Carl Bickley, William Peters and William Taylor.

Choir members are: Wilma Blaydes, Emma DeBra, Helen Rebber, Nancy Juliet Spencer, Hollis Montgomery, John Davison, Donald Johnson, Mary Esther Martin, Juanita Eckler, William Rowen, Paul Eddy Bradford, Robert Hughes, Leo Lehman, Cosette Nichols, Martha Marie Stewart, Jeanie Wolfe, Betty Jayne Christ, Florence Miller, Benson Frye, Alice Cragun, Mary Margaret Spacey, Bonnie Hay, Madge Mitchell, Edna Jean Long, Mildred Bless, and Alice Thompson, accompanist.

The entire department is busy working on the Christmas program which will include a Christmas Cantata and numbers by "The Belles."

Jim Wright writes that he is now taking Journalism at Indiana University. He reports that he sees George Draper, Elsie Peters, Gerald and Ruth Carolyn Doeden, who are also there.

Schedule of Courses for  
Winter Quarter 1944-45

## BUSINESS

Accounting  
Shorthand  
Typing  
Taxes  
Supervised Teaching

## EDUCATION

Psychology of Learning  
Methods of Teaching Music  
(Intermed.)  
Business English

## ENGLISH

Grammar and Composition  
Modern Drama

## LANGUAGES

Cicero's Orations

## MATHEMATICS

Trigonometry  
Solid Analytical Geometry

## MUSIC

Music Skills  
Harmony  
Ear Training and Sight Singing

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Physical Examinations  
Corrective Exercises  
Theory and Practice of Play  
Physiology  
Rhythmics

## SCIENCE

General Biology  
General Physics  
General Chemistry

## SOCIAL SCIENCE

Survey of Civilization  
Economics  
English History  
Early American History

Dave Hastings, '40, is now in training near Norfolk, Va. He has recently been married to a Bermuda girl who will return to the United States.

Chief Yeoman Chalmer F. Dunn has recently been transferred from Great Lakes Training Center to a station in the southwest Pacific. He was married on October 20, to a WAVE who has also been stationed at Great Lakes.

Lt. (jg) James Blanford, '39, has written from the Admiralty Islands. He now wears eight stars for participation in major engagements.

Ralph "Jake" Hanger wrote from the Aleutians that he had already seen "Santa Claus" with plenty of Christmas presents.

Others who will enter the armed forces soon are Gene Hough, Harold Hawley, Hollis Montgomery, Curley Elliott and Bob Knolls.

GRAD AWARDED REA  
RECOGNITION

Mrs. Ethel Corn Gieske, graduate of C.N.C., who lives near Hazleton, was awarded the Rural Electrification Administration's Award for food production.

She gained recognition by assuming a large degree of responsibility for helping with farm work. This year she drove a tractor and operated a binder on their 250-acre farm and shocked wheat and rye on her father's farm. She also processed and canned substantial quantities of fruits and vegetables.

## TO PROSPECTIVE GRADUATES OF 1945

All students who plan to be in the graduating class of 1945 should fill out the following form and send it in immediately.

They should also send in their measurements for caps and gowns, giving head size, height, and bust measurements.

## APPLICATION FOR GRADUATION

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