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PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Board of Education

OF THE

State of Illinois

AT A

Regular Meeting Held at Normal
June 7, 1905



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1905

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS.

| | |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Enoch A. Gastman, Decatur..... | President..... |
| Alfred Bayliss..... | <i>Ex-officio</i> member and secretary..... |
| F. D. Marquis, Bloomington..... | Treasurer..... |
| Charles L. Capen..... | Bloomington..... |
| William R. Sandham..... | Wyoming..... |
| E. R. E. Kimbrough..... | Danville..... |
| Mrs. Ella F. Young..... | Chicago..... |
| Peleg R. Walker..... | Rockford..... |
| Forrest F. Cook..... | Galesburg..... |
| Jacob L. Baily..... | Macomb..... |
| George B. Harrington..... | Princeton..... |
| W. H. Hainline..... | Macomb..... |
| Joseph L. Robertson..... | Peoria..... |
| B. O. Willard..... | Rushville..... |
| W. Y. Smith..... | Vienna..... |
| Frank A. Kerens..... | Wyoming..... |

STANDING COMMITTEES.

- Auditing and Finance*—Baily, Capen, Sandham.
Building and Grounds—Capen, Kimbrough, Robertson.
Course of Instruction—Young, Kimbrough, Smith.
Teachers and Salaries—Walker, Young, Harrington.
Practice Department—Young, Cook.
Library and Museum—Sandham, Hainline, Willard.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Reading, amending and adopting minutes.
 2. Election of officers.
 3. Report of the president of the Normal University.
 4. Treasurer's report.
 5. Report of special committees.
 6. Report of standing committees, in order.
 7. Communications.
 8. Motions and resolutions.
 9. Unfinished business.
 10. General business.
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CALENDAR FOR 1905-06.

Opening of Training School—Sept. 4, 1905.

Fall Term—Sept. 11, 1905—December 1, 1905.

Winter Term—Dec. 4, 1905—March 9, 1906.

Spring Term—March 19, 1906—June 7, 1906.

First Summer Term—June 11, 1906—July 20, 1906.

Second Summer Term—July 23, 1906—Aug. 31, 1906.

Winter Recess—Dec. 23, 1905—January 7, 1906.

Spring Vacation—March 10, 1906—March 18, 1906.

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD—WEDNESDAY,
DECEMBER 20, 1905.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD—WEDNESDAY JUNE 6, 1906.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

REGULAR MEETING.

NORMAL, ILL., June 7, 1905.

The board of education met in the office of the president of the university at 9.00 o'clock a. m.

Present—Messrs. Gastman, Bayliss, Capen, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The board proceeding upon the order of election of officers for the ensuing two years, on motion of Mr. Sandham, the secretary was instructed to cast the vote of the board for Mr. E. A. Gastman. The ballot having been so cast, Mr. Gastman was declared elected president.

In the same manner, upon motion of Mr. Robertson, Mr. F. D. Marquis was elected treasurer of the board.

On motion of Mr. Capen the bond of the treasurer was fixed at \$50,000.00.

THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

The president of the university read the following report:

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois:

MR. PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD—The attendance in the Normal department for the two terms since your last meeting is as follows:

| | Winter. | Spring. |
|-------------|---------|---------|
| Men | 86 | 72 |
| Women | 272 | 224 |
| Total | 358 | 296 |

Of these 27 in the winter and 24 in the spring were excused from taking the pledge to teach in Illinois and paid tuition at the rate of \$12 per term.

The number of new students admitted during the two terms are:

| | Winter. | Spring. |
|-------------|---------|---------|
| Men | 14 | 10 |
| Women | 32 | 20 |
| Total | 46 | 30 |

The total enrollment since September 7 has been:

| | |
|------------|-----|
| Men..... | 110 |
| Women..... | 319 |
| Total..... | 429 |

Of these 22 were academic students who had not taken the pledge to teach.
Counties were represented as follows:

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|-------------------|-----|
| Adams..... | 7 | Logan..... | 12 |
| Brown..... | 1 | Macon..... | 9 |
| Bureau..... | 1 | Macoupin..... | 3 |
| Cass..... | 3 | Madison..... | 5 |
| Champaign..... | 5 | Marion..... | 5 |
| Christian..... | 9 | Marshall..... | 5 |
| Clinton..... | 1 | Mason..... | 8 |
| Cook..... | 1 | McLean..... | 132 |
| Crawford..... | 1 | Menard..... | 7 |
| DeWitt..... | 10 | Montgomery..... | 4 |
| Douglas..... | 2 | Morgan..... | 7 |
| Edwards..... | 2 | Peoria..... | 17 |
| Fayette..... | 4 | Piatt..... | 9 |
| Ford..... | 9 | Pike..... | 5 |
| Fulton..... | 7 | Pope..... | 1 |
| Gallatin..... | 1 | Richland..... | 9 |
| Greene..... | 1 | Rock Island..... | 2 |
| Grundy..... | 5 | Sangamon..... | 8 |
| Hancock..... | 1 | Schnlyer..... | 2 |
| Henry..... | 2 | Shelby..... | 1 |
| Iroquois..... | 6 | St. Clair..... | 14 |
| Jasper..... | 1 | Tazewell..... | 17 |
| Jefferson..... | 3 | Vermilion..... | 3 |
| Kankakee..... | 3 | Warren..... | 4 |
| Knox..... | 1 | Washington..... | 3 |
| LaSalle..... | 6 | Wayne..... | 1 |
| Lawrence..... | 5 | Will..... | 2 |
| Lee..... | 1 | Woodford..... | 12 |
| Livingston..... | 9 | Other States..... | 14 |

The attendance is 50 greater than last year, an increase of 13 per cent. The prevailing scarcity of teachers is affecting teachers' salaries; altho at present it is drawing our undergraduates from us, in the near future the improved salaries will attract more young people to the normal schools.

The following persons are recommended by the faculty for graduation:

TWO-YEAR COURSE.

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| Atkinson, Carrie Kelsall..... | McLean county |
| Beadles, Sada..... | Macon county |
| Beedle, Gertrude Cordelia..... | Will county |
| Bond, Florence Isabella..... | Jefferson county |
| Brock, Adella..... | Logan county |
| Dole, Lillian Dora..... | Kankakee county |
| Hayes, Florence Matilda..... | McLean county |
| Jacobson, Clara Sophia..... | (Wisconsin) |
| Meyer, Rosa Anna..... | Marion county |
| Olsen, Bertha Katherine..... | LaSalle county |
| O'Rourke, Margaret Cecilia..... | McLean county |
| Rohm, Gertrude Ellis..... | DeWitt county |
| Scott, Errettine..... | Vermilion county |
| Smith, Anna Amelia..... | Adams county |
| Thomason, Martha Grace..... | Madison county |
| Twohey, Kathryn Genevieve..... | LaSalle county |
| Coons, Herbert..... | McLean county |
| Dixon, Herbert..... | Livingston county |
| Santee, Albert Merritt..... | Peoria county |
| Shaw, Lou Trel..... | Lawrence county |

THREE-YEAR COURSE.

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| Altevogt, Anna Louise | McLean county..... |
| Anderson, Ida May | (Idaho) |
| Blome, Nora Elizabeth | (Arizona) |
| Christy, Jesse | McLean county |
| Church, Ida Estella | McLean county |
| Connaghan, Jeanetta Helen | Macon county |
| Gogin, Lulu | Crawford county |
| Laibenheim, Livonia Lena | Jefferson county |
| Lewis, Adeliade Belle | Ford county |
| Leigh, Helen Elvira | Marshall county |
| McDonnell, Mary Winifred | McLean county |
| McDonnell, Sarah Veronica | McLean county |
| McKinney, Mildred | Christian county |
| Baker, Clarence | McLean county |
| Carpenter, Lewis Moffitt | Stark county |
| Culp, Loren Orville | Woodford county |
| Newman, Orris Hayden | Tazewell county |
| Paine, Harry Allen | Tazewell county |
| Ruffer, William | Fulton county |
| Ulrich, Fred Theodore | St. Clair county |
| Wright, John Byron | Menard county |

FOUR-YEAR COURSE.

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| Broadhead, Lemma Cornelia | McLean county |
| Burtis, Altha | McLean county |
| Dobson, Pearl Evelyn | McLean county |
| Ludwig, D. Margery | Vermilion county |
| Smith, Grace Almeida | Warren county |
| Wetzel, Ira Azel | Christian county |

HIGH SCHOOL.

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Wilson, Laura Jane Smitson | McLean county |
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TEXT BOOKS.

It is recommended that Taylor's Elements of Algebra be used with the advanced classes and Wells' Essentials of Algebra be used with beginners instead of the Beman and Smith now in use. The present text book is too difficult for beginners. It has been in use five years.

It is recommended that Coulter's Plants be adopted as the text for advanced botany classes, and that all students in botany be required to supply themselves with Gray's Manual.

It is recommended that Wrong's History of the British Nation be adopted as the text book in English History.

The teacher of elementary physics desires to use Higgins' Lessons in Physics instead of Gage's Introduction for the beginners in this subject.

About eight years ago you granted the department of pedagogy and reading permission to use any text book desired, provided the president should approve of the selection. In the elective courses in other departments many books are used that have not been formally adopted. It is suggested that in view of the variety of the courses now offered the machinery for change of text books may profitably be simplified.

The various geography classes as taught in different terms are very unequal in preparation. It is requested in this department that there may be an open list from which the choice of books for each class may be made by the instructor.

THE COURSE OF STUDY.

It is recommended that this institution offer a one year course to graduates of the rural schools. Thousands of these engage in teaching without any high school or normal training. County superintendents urge the establishment of such a course based specifically upon the State course of Study. In the Southern Illinois State Normal University such a course was offered the present year with a gratifying increase in attendance. The recommended course includes two terms of arithmetic, with one each of grammar, composition, History of the United States and of Illinois, geography, reading, physiology, elementary science, music, drawing, orthography and pedagogy.

THE LINDLY BILL.

The passage of the Lindly act providing one free scholarship each year in the State normal schools for each township in the State, to be awarded upon competitive examination adapted to graduates of the eighth grade, will probably bring to the State normal schools a large number of young people too immature to enter upon the regular normal course. For these an academic course should be provided similar to that of the best high schools. It is recommended that a high school department be established to receive such of these students as do not desire the professional work of the Normal school, and all prospective normal students who are less than 16 years of age. A prospectus of the course should reach the rural schools early in the fall. It is recommended that the Committee on Course of Study with the president be authorized to prepare such course for publication in the annual catalog. The Lindly act is an experiment. No one can predict with certainty how largely it will increase the attendance at the normal schools, nor whether the establishment of these departments will unfavorably affect the Normal school. Three favorable features may be noted:

1. It will bring a high school education free of tuition within the reach of the graduates of the rural schools.
2. It will make the normal schools more popular in many sections of the State.
3. It will increase the supply of teachers with some normal training.

THE SUMMER SESSION.

The announcement of the summer session was issued in January. Thirteen thousand were distributed. The volume of recent correspondence leads us to believe that the attendance will be so large as to tax our capacity to provide suitable homes for the teachers in attendance. The courses offered are the same as last year with the addition of German. Opportunity for teaching will be offered in the grammar grades of the training school. The following extra teachers have been engaged:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Eva Wilkins, geography, 12 weeks..... | \$300.00 |
| Charles W. Whitten, mathematics, 12 weeks..... | 300.00 |
| Caroline Eckers, art instruction, 12 weeks..... | 300.00 |
| Charlotte Jackson, art instruction, six weeks..... | 150.00 |
| John C. Olsen, physics and chemistry, six weeks..... | 240.00 |
| Frank Hamsher, history, six weeks..... | 200.00 |
| O. M. Dickerson, history and civics, six weeks..... | 200.00 |
| S. D. Magers, zoology and botany, six weeks..... | 200.00 |
| R. H. H. Blome, pedagogy, six weeks..... | 200.00 |
| Harry D. Paul, literature, six weeks..... | 200.00 |
| C. E. DeButts, physics, six weeks..... | 200.00 |
| Margaret Oliver, reading, six weeks..... | 150.00 |
| John A. Strong, grammar, six weeks..... | 150.00 |
| Olive Lillian Barton, mathematics, six weeks..... | 150.00 |
| Lora Dexheimer, primary work, six weeks..... | 150.00 |
| Lora Peck, primary work, six weeks..... | 150.00 |

Thomas M. Balliet of the University of New York, has been engaged for a course of six lectures beginning June 26, 1905.

Miss Mary Lentz has been engaged to teach classes in German at a salary yet undetermined.

MANUAL TRAINING.

The popularity of manual training continues. During the winter term, Mr. Bawden taught an extra class of twenty after school hours, and still was obliged to turn away other students. The further development of this department demands next provision for a good course in mechanical drawing. An appropriation of \$200 is requested for this purpose. During the past two years Mr. Bawden has taught four times per week a class from the public high school. The public school board has paid \$160 on his salary. Since all of Mr. Bawden's time is now needed for Normal students, it is recommended that this arrangement with the public school board be discontinued.

The bill appropriating \$75,000 for a manual arts building passed both houses but was vetoed by Governor Deneen. While this veto must check the development of the school, I feel confident that in 1907 the building may be secured. It is not practicable to undertake any lessons in cooking or domestic economy for the reason that no suitable rooms are available.

The training teacher of the fourth grade, Miss Rebekah Lesem, is an accomplished seamstress. During the past year sewing lessons under her supervision have alternated with the drawing in the fourth and fifth rooms. It is hoped next year to extend the work thru the tenth grade or room; hand work in wood will be provided for the boys of grades 7-10.

THE GREEN HOUSE.

The Legislature has appropriated the sum of \$5,500 for the erection of a greenhouse. Plans and estimates have been received from two of the largest firms in the East. These are submitted with this report. It is recommended that the greenhouse be erected east of the boiler house for convenience in handling the fuel. The hot water boiler should be placed in the boiler house. The chief difficulty in completing the plans lies in the probability that the boiler house will need to be enlarged, in part rebuilt when the manual arts building is erected.

During the past year rhetorical exercises have been required regularly of all students. The work has been distributed among the various members of the faculty. Similarly the composition work required in the first term of the four year course has been divided among three members of the faculty.

Prior to 1903 we had two teachers of reading, each devoting a portion of the day to gymnastics. In that year the amount of required gymnastics was trebled. It now occupies the entire time of the special teacher employed. The teacher of reading is so fully occupied that little time is afforded for training contestants and other students desiring to perfect themselves in reading and platform speaking. It is recommended that an additional teacher of platform speaking be employed, to assist with the classes in reading and composition, and to have general charge of the rhetorical work.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS.

It is recommended that the walls and ceilings of all recitation rooms in the main building be painted unless they have been painted within the past six years.

The tract of 100 acres belonging to the Illinois State Normal University has been used for many years for nursery purposes. A considerable stream traverses the grounds. The frequent cultivation required by nursery stock makes the ground subject to washing with every hard shower. As a result the slopes facing the stream are almost denuded of their soil. It is recommended that with the expiration of the present leases the land be converted into pasture and meadow. It will probably yield larger returns than at present because of the demand for pasturage near town. On the north and east sides of the tract are osage orange hedges set in several feet from the line. The unenclosed strip has been robbed for the grading of yards; and is made a dumping ground for rubbish. The hedge is old, weak, and a constant source of expense for trimming. It is recommended that a substantial wire fence be built on the line around the grounds wherever needed and that the hedge be grubbed up.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS REQUESTED.

An appropriation of \$800, or so much as may be needed, is asked for stocking the greenhouse, for building walks to the same, and for other improvements of the grounds.

An appropriation of \$100 is requested for providing locks and keys for drawers in physical science laboratories, and for additional furniture in those rooms.

The appropriation of \$150 made for the geography department was expended for material for the museum and for sets of maps for the normal school and training department. A further appropriation of \$100 is requested for this department

An appropriation of \$100 is asked for shelving the library.

An appropriation of \$100 is requested for additional apparatus for the physical training department.

It is understood that only so much of these appropriations shall be drawn from the treasury as is required for the necessary articles to be purchased.

LIBRARY REPORT.

| CIRCULATION. | Books. | Pictures. |
|--|--------|-----------|
| Winter term, Christmas and spring vacations..... | 7,845 | 1,323 |
| Spring term..... | 5,454 | 1,224 |
| Total..... | 13,299 | 2,547 |
| Total for corresponding time one year ago..... | 12,135 | 2,515 |
| Increase this year..... | 1,164 | 32 |

BOOKS.

Received by purchase December 21-May 31:

| | Vols. | | Vols. |
|---------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|
| Art and manual training..... | 18 | Literature..... | 14 |
| Astronomy, chemistry and physics..... | 15 | Mathematics..... | 1 |
| Biology..... | 16 | Music..... | 6 |
| Domestic science..... | 12 | Pedagogy and psychology..... | 15 |
| Gardening..... | 13 | Physical culture..... | 3 |
| General references..... | 9 | Religion..... | 1 |
| Geography..... | 40 | Rhetoric..... | 4 |
| History and biography..... | 21 | Sociology..... | 13 |
| Juveniles..... | 81 | | |
| Library science..... | 10 | Total..... | 290 |

GIFTS.

The principal gift received consists of about 500 specimens of fine printing to illustrate artistic advertising. It was contributed by a number of firms ranging from Boston to San Francisco, and was collected by Miss Milner. It includes booklets, calendars, half-tones, color-printing and lettering, and also two volumes of "The Printing Art" contributed by Miss Milner. The collections will be put to practical use by the art and manual training departments.

Another gift is a book, "Cranio-muscular Origins of the Brain and Mind," written and presented by Philip H. Erbes, a graduate of the class of 1891.

CATALOGING.

The new case made by the manual training department is in the library and is being filled with printed cards presented by the Department of Agriculture, and purchased from the Library of Congress and from the A. L. A. publishing board. These printed cards always require additions by Miss Milner and typewriting by Miss MacLochlin before they are ready for the catalog.

SHELVING.

The books are becoming so crowded that it is difficult to find places for some of the new ones. There is not enough room for the accession of the next year.

LIBRARY INSTRUCTION.

The following is an outline of the library instruction given to the students:

1. How to use the library. (Required of all entering students) includes:
 - a. Two lessons in classes, explaining the following points:
 - I. Classification and location of the book in the library.
 - II. Reference lists.
 - III. Card catalog.
 - IV. Asking for help.
2. How a teacher should use a library. (Required of most student teachers.)
 - a. Personal instruction is given each student teacher by librarian and training teacher. Instruction and experience vary according to the subject taught by the student teacher.
3. Formation and care of school libraries. (Optional.)
 - a. One lecture on the subject is given by the librarian. Miss MacLochlin supplements the lecture with an exposition of mending books and mounting pictures.
 - b. Class for practical instruction in library methods for teachers.
 - c. Summer school lectures: Five Saturday morning lectures are given during the first summer term. These are well attended.

THE BUDGET.

Two years ago the legislature appropriated \$5,000 per annum for additional salaries for the summer session in order that the tuition fee formerly charged might be discontinued. The \$5,000 has been used each year to pay the expenses of summer school in session at the beginning of the fiscal year; nearly one half of this sum has been expended for three weeks extra service by the regular teachers; the remainder for additional teachers.

At the last meeting of the board it was suggested that there should be prepared a revised salary schedule under whose provisions all teachers serving 42 weeks should receive the full salary in 12 monthly payments. Such a schedule has been prepared. Under its provisions there must be paid from the appropriation of 1905-06 all the salaries of the summer session of 1905 and nearly one-half of the salaries of the summer session of 1906; for the latter must be anticipated in the monthly payments made from the appropriation of the next fiscal year.

The State appropriation for the next year is \$61,300—\$6,300 larger than at present. I recommend that the additional sum be appropriated as follows:

| | |
|--|------------|
| For summer school salaries under revised schedule..... | \$2,300.00 |
| For increase of salaries..... | 1,150.00 |
| For care of grounds, increase..... | 300.00 |
| For library, increase..... | 200.00 |
| For added equipment physical training..... | 100.00 |
| For added equipment manual training..... | 200.00 |
| For stocking greenhouse..... | 500.00 |
| For painting walls..... | 250.00 |
| For geography department..... | 100.00 |
| For lockers in laboratories..... | 100.00 |
| For shelving..... | 100.00 |
| For teacher of public speaking..... | 900.00 |
| Total..... | \$8,300.00 |

THE CALENDAR.

The following calendar is recommended for the year 1905-06:

- Opening of training school—Monday, Sept. 4, 1905.
- Fall term—Sept. 11, 1905—Dec. 1, 1905.
- Winter term—Dec. 4, 1905—March 9, 1906.
- Spring term—March 19, 1906—June 7, 1906.
- First summer term—June 11, 1906—July 20, 1906.
- Second summer term—July 23, 1906—Aug. 31, 1906.
- Winter recess—Dec. 23, 1905—Jan. 7, 1906.

Spring vacation—March 10, 1906—March 18, 1906.
 Semi-annual meeting of the board—Wednesday, Dec. 20, 1905.
 Annual meeting of the board—Wednesday, June 6, 1906.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID FELMLEY,
President.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The treasurer submitted the following report, which was referred to the Committee on Auditing and Finance:

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois:

MR. PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD—The last report of your treasurer included Dec. 19, 1904, and showed a balance on hand of \$4,995.05. The receipts have since amounted to \$28,919.26, from the following sources, viz:

| | |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| State Treasurer..... | \$27,500 00 |
| Tuition and term fees..... | 1,130 03 |
| Land rent..... | 289 23 |
| Total..... | \$28,919 26 |

The disbursements, amounting to \$27,912.73, are shown by 52 vouchers, which are returned herewith, together with a statement of account in detail. The amount now on hand is \$6,001.58.

Respectfully submitted,

F. D. MARQUIS,
Treasurer.

F. D. Marquis, Treasurer, in account with the Board of Education of the State of Illinois.

| 1904 | | <i>Dr.</i> | | |
|-------------|----------------------------------|------------|--------|--------------------|
| Dec. 19 | To balance..... | | | \$ 4,995 05 |
| Dec. 24 | To tuition..... | \$ 765 00 | | |
| Dec. 27 | To tuition..... | 100 00 | | |
| 1905 | | | | |
| Jan. 12 | To Augustine & Co., rent..... | | 90 00 | |
| Jan. 20 | To State Treasurer..... | 13,750 00 | | |
| March 14 | To term fees..... | | 144 80 | |
| April 11 | To Augustine & Co., rent..... | | 190 00 | |
| April 13 | To Augustine & Co., rent..... | | 9 23 | |
| April 26 | To State Treasurer..... | 13,750 00 | | |
| May 22 | To Phoenix Nursery Co..... | | 120 23 | |
| | | | | 28,919 26 |
| | | | | <u>\$33,914 31</u> |
| June 5, 05 | To balance..... | | | \$6,001 58 |
| Voucher No. | | <i>Cr.</i> | | |
| 3098 | Gastman, E. A..... | \$ | 7 00 | |
| 99 | Walker, P. R..... | | 18 00 | |
| 100 | Harrington, G. B..... | | 15 00 | |
| 1 | Sandham, Wm. R..... | | 12 50 | |
| 2 | Bayliss, Alfred..... | | 30 00 | |
| 3 | Robertson, J. L..... | | 17 25 | |
| 4 | Willard, B. O..... | | 18 00 | |
| 5 | Brown, J. Stanley..... | | 10 00 | |
| 6 | Smith, W. Y..... | | 54 50 | |
| 7 | Felmley, David..... | 3,837 51 | | |
| 8 | Senseny Coal Co..... | | 555 93 | |
| 9 | Morrison, F..... | | 45 86 | |
| 10 | Blackburn, Jesse..... | | 4 73 | |
| 11 | Illinois Commission L. P. E..... | | 30 00 | |
| 12 | Stillbamer, H. W. & Co..... | | 43 80 | |

Treasurer's Account—Concluded.

| Voucher No. | Cr. | | |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|----|-------------|
| 13 | Smitson, D. C. | \$ | 27 13 |
| 14 | Warner & Richardson | | 18 06 |
| 15 | Ridgley, D. C. | | 20 55 |
| 16 | B. & N. R. R. Electric & Heating Co. | | 12 08 |
| 3117 | Keiser-VanLeer Co. | | 28 02 |
| 18 | Keiser-VanLeer Co. | | 219 64 |
| 19 | Augustine & Co. | | 15 50 |
| 20 | Mellnish, J. G. | | 4 00 |
| 21 | Felmley, David | | 500 00 |
| 22 | Felmley, David | | 600 00 |
| 23 | Cooper & Kerns | | 60 00 |
| 24 | Gregory, E. M. | | 11 50 |
| 25 | B. & N. Ry. Elec. & Heat. Co. | | 27 50 |
| 26 | Felmley, David | | 3,779 14 |
| 27 | Blackburn, Samuel | | 21 50 |
| 28 | Senseney, H. M. | | 215 85 |
| 29 | Felmley, David | | 3,809 18 |
| 30 | Murphy, M. F. | | 100 00 |
| 31 | Warner & Richardson | | 11 40 |
| 32 | Carlton, Guy | | 33 24 |
| 33 | Gregory, E. M. | | 23 28 |
| 34 | Pantagraph Print. & Sta. Co. | | 183 35 |
| 35 | Felmley, David | | 3,839 18 |
| 36 | Senseney Coal Co. | | 886 94 |
| 37 | Felmley, David | | 500 00 |
| 38 | Felmley, David | | 3,829 14 |
| 39 | Rand, McNally & Co. | | 185 70 |
| 40 | Felmley, David | | 150 00 |
| 41 | Town of Normal | | 65 58 |
| 42 | Ellwanger & Barry | | 22 50 |
| 43 | Felmley, David | | 3,841 43 |
| 44 | Dreer, Henry A. | | 27 29 |
| 45 | Gregory, E. M. | | 19 20 |
| 46 | Champion, G. | | 30 74 |
| 47 | Pantagraph Ptg. & Sta. Co. | | 44 50 |
| 48 | Phoenix Nursery Co. | | 35 85 |
| 49 | Nehrling, Bruno | | 35 88 |
| | Balance | | \$27,912 73 |
| | | | 6,001 58 |
| | (52 vouchers returned). | | \$33,914 31 |

SPECIAL FINANCIAL REPORTS.

The president of the university submitted the following four reports of accounts with—

1. The biological science fund.
2. The library fund.
3. The contingent fund.
4. The physical science fund.

Which were referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee:

ILLINOIS STATE NORMAL UNIVERSITY.

David Felmley, President, in account with the Biological Science Fund:

| | | RECEIPTS. | | |
|-----------|----|---|----------|----------|
| 1904 | | | | |
| Dec. | 21 | Balance on hand..... | \$ 93 50 | |
| April | 24 | Order No. 3140..... | 150 00 | |
| | | | | \$243 48 |
| Vouchers. | | EXPENDITURES. | | |
| | 1 | Geneva Optical Co., opera glasses..... | \$33 75 | |
| | 2 | W. F. Humphrey, biological materials..... | 5 28 | |
| | 3 | John P. Stewart, repairs..... | 8 65 | |
| | 4 | Nelson Morris & Co., bone fertilizer..... | 1 18 | |
| | 5 | Central Scientific Co., aquaria jars..... | 7 25 | |
| | 6 | Armour & Co., muriate potash..... | 1 25 | |
| | 7 | Swift & Co., beef eyes..... | 2 50 | |
| | 8 | C. S. Need, P. M., stamped envelopes..... | 10 60 | |
| | 9 | B. P. Colton, plants, insects, etc..... | 10 35 | |
| | | Balance on hand June 7, 1905..... | | \$ 80 81 |
| | | | | 162 67 |
| | | | | \$243 48 |

An appropriation of \$100 is requested for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1905.

DAVID FELMLEY,
President.

ILLINOIS STATE NORMAL UNIVERSITY.

David Felmley, in account with the Library Fund:

| | | RECEIPTS. | | |
|----------|----|---|----------|-------|
| 1904 | | | | |
| Dec. | 21 | Balance on hand..... | \$ 55 33 | |
| Jan. | 6 | Order No. 3122..... | 600 00 | |
| | | | | \$655 |
| Voucher. | | EXPENDITURES | | |
| | 1 | W. W. McKnight, Daily Pantagraph..... | \$ 2 50 | |
| | 2 | Irwin Shepard, vol. proceedings..... | 2 50 | |
| | 3 | American Civic Association, annual dues..... | 2 00 | |
| | 4 | A. C. McClurg & Co., books..... | 22 06 | |
| | 5 | McKnight & McKnight, periodicals..... | 110 20 | |
| | 6 | Pantagraph Printing & Stationery Co., binding..... | 19 17 | |
| | 7 | Colonial Press, Declaration of Independence..... | 2 95 | |
| | 8 | Librarian of Congress, catalog cards..... | 5 67 | |
| | 9 | Public School Publishing Co., subscription to January 1905..... | 1 25 | |
| | 10 | A. C. McClurg & Co., books..... | 76 92 | |
| | 11 | James T. White, American biography..... | 10 00 | |
| | 12 | Pantagraph Printing & Stationery Co., library sundries..... | 13 10 | |
| | 13 | Pantagraph Printing & Stationery Co., supplies..... | 8 05 | |
| | 14 | Funk & Wagnalls, one Standard dictionary..... | 9 00 | |
| | 15 | The Century Co., three books..... | 2 80 | |

Library Fund—Concluded.

| Voucher. | EXPENDITURES—Concluded. | | |
|----------|---|-------|----------|
| 16 | A. C. McClurg & Co., books..... | \$ 52 | 26 |
| 17 | Ange. V. Milner, petty expenses..... | 13 | 72 |
| 18 | Hammond Typewriter Co., impression strips..... | | 50 |
| 19 | Fox Duffield & Co., Internat. Quart..... | 10 | 00 |
| 20 | A. C. McClurg & Co., books..... | 24 | 40 |
| 21 | American School Board Journal, Manual..... | 1 | 00 |
| 22 | A. C. McClurg & Co., books..... | 9 | 44 |
| 23 | Engineering Magazine, books..... | 2 | 85 |
| 24 | A. C. McClurg & Co., books..... | 51 | 70 |
| 25 | Library of Congress, catalog cards..... | 3 | 00 |
| 26 | Superintendent of Documents, books..... | 1 | 00 |
| 27 | McKnight & McKnight, periodicals..... | 4 | 90 |
| 28 | A. L. A. Publishing Board, catalog cards..... | 11 | 89 |
| 29 | Virginia MacLochlin, Abridged Decimal Classification..... | 1 | 00 |
| 30 | A. C. McClurg & Co., books..... | 14 | 85 |
| 31 | Ange. V. Milner, sundries..... | 5 | 95 |
| | Balance on hand June 7..... | | 496 13 |
| | | | 159 20 |
| | | | \$655 33 |

An appropriation of six hundred dollars (\$600) is requested for the next six months.

DAVID FELMLEY,
President.

ILLINOIS STATE NORMAL UNIVERSITY.

David Felmley, President, in account with the contingent fund.

| 1904 | | RECEIPTS. | | |
|-----------|----|--|-------|------------|
| Dec. | 21 | Balance on hand..... | \$107 | 48 |
| Jan. | 6 | Order No. 3121..... | 500 | 00 |
| April | 5 | Order No. 3137..... | 500 | 00 |
| | | | | \$1,107 48 |
| Vouchers. | | EXPENDITURES. | | |
| 1 | | M. C. Schultz, hauling manure..... | \$ 3 | 00 |
| 2 | | Boyce & Son, hauling capital..... | 8 | 00 |
| 3 | | Anna Altevogt, services as pianist..... | 35 | 00 |
| 4 | | William T. Bawden, material for repairs..... | 21 | 25 |
| 5 | | B. & N. Ry. Electric and Heating Co., December..... | 55 | 20 |
| 6 | | Frank Ward, alkalis..... | 1 | 35 |
| 7 | | Sherman Hunt laundrying towels..... | 22 | 95 |
| 8 | | Home Telephone Co., December..... | 3 | 33 |
| 9 | | C. S. Neeld, postmaster, stamps..... | 6 | 00 |
| 10 | | Montgomery, Ward & Co., crayons and compasses..... | 4 | 00 |
| 11 | | Theo. Naffziger, freight on exhibit..... | 4 | 26 |
| 12 | | Lora M. Drexheimer, sewing material..... | 6 | 60 |
| 13 | | Holder-Athey Co., repairs..... | 7 | 20 |
| 14 | | Whitsall-Tatum Co., geography museum cases..... | 4 | 93 |
| 15 | | Read & White, supplies model school..... | 8 | 90 |
| 16 | | Read & White, supplies model school..... | 7 | 78 |
| 17 | | Edmunds Bros., slips for roll..... | 1 | 25 |
| 18 | | David Felmley, expense of trip to Menominee..... | 27 | 72 |
| 19 | | Town of Normal, water and light..... | 32 | 30 |
| 20 | | W. T. Shorthose, barrel soda ash..... | 7 | 38 |
| 21 | | Brunswick-Balke-Collander Co., two sets ten pins..... | 3 | 00 |
| 22 | | Read & White, drawing paper..... | 1 | 80 |
| 23 | | C. W. Cooper, plowing garden..... | 3 | 00 |
| 24 | | The Johnson Service Co., gaskets and diaphragms..... | 2 | 40 |
| 25 | | B. & N. Ry. Elec. & Heat Co., electric current..... | 54 | 00 |
| 26 | | J. Fisher & Bro., cantatas..... | 6 | 84 |
| 27 | | C. S. Neeld, postmaster, 1,000 stamped envelopes..... | 21 | 40 |
| 28 | | Home Telephone Co., January service..... | 3 | 33 |
| 29 | | Central Union Telephone Co., January and February..... | 4 | 25 |
| 30 | | J. B. Adam, repairing furniture..... | 2 | 40 |
| 31 | | Remington Typewriter Co., supplies..... | 11 | 50 |
| 32 | | Read & White, stationery..... | 13 | 50 |
| 33 | | C. W. Cooper, hauling manure..... | 16 | 00 |

Contingent Fund—Concluded.

| Vouchers. | EXPENDITURES—Concluded. | | |
|-----------|--|-------|--------------------|
| 34 | Penn. Taylor, hauling three loads..... | 1 50 | |
| 35 | Home Telephone Co., February service..... | 3 33 | |
| 36 | Lura M. Eyestone, sewing materials..... | 3 69 | |
| 37 | Pantagraph Printing & Stationery Co., sundry supplies..... | 15 00 | |
| 38 | U. S. Polish Co., five gallons waxoilene..... | 6 25 | |
| 39 | Frank Ward, janitor's supplies..... | 3 65 | |
| 40 | McKnight & McKnight, stationery..... | 3 60 | |
| 41 | O. R. Ernst, brooms and mops..... | 5 25 | |
| 42 | B. & N. Ry. Elec. & Heat Co., current for February..... | 55 90 | |
| 43 | The Kiser-VanLeer Co., engine repairs..... | 9 40 | |
| 44 | Read & White, examination paper..... | 30 00 | |
| 45 | W. B. Kemp, freight and drayage..... | 3 13 | |
| 46 | Thomas-Charles Co., primary supplies..... | 11 17 | |
| 47 | C. S. Neeld, postmaster, postage on quarterlies..... | 10 52 | |
| 48 | Anna Altevogt, services as pianist..... | 20 00 | |
| 49 | Mrs. Genevieve Pierce, services as pianist..... | 5 00 | |
| 50 | Baker Paper Co., stationery..... | 57 25 | |
| 51 | C. S. Neeld, postmaster, stamps and box rent..... | 8 00 | |
| 52 | Palmer Transfer Co., freight and drayage..... | 1 94 | |
| 53 | Clarence Burner, printing..... | 11 95 | |
| 54 | J. Fischer & Bro., music..... | 4 80 | |
| 55 | Anna Altevogt, playing for glee club..... | 9 00 | |
| 56 | White-Smith Music Publishing Co., songs..... | 1 75 | |
| 57 | Silver, Burdett & Co., songs..... | 1 48 | |
| 58 | McKinley Music Co., songs..... | 1 60 | |
| 59 | American Book Co., songs..... | 59 | |
| 60 | B. & N. Ry. Elec. & Heat Co., current for March..... | 38 90 | |
| 61 | Mabel L. Cummings, gymnasium supplies..... | 3 35 | |
| 62 | George Perry, freight on paper..... | 5 46 | |
| 63 | Thomas-Charles Co., kindergarten chairs..... | 11 84 | |
| 64 | A. Washburn & Sons, plants, tools and seeds..... | 16 57 | |
| 65 | Home Telephone Co., March..... | 3 33 | |
| 66 | Holder-Athey Co., garden tools..... | 11 80 | |
| 67 | Baker Paper Co., paper..... | 12 00 | |
| 68 | A. H. Wheeler & Co., four dozen supplementary readers..... | 13 44 | |
| 69 | Central Union Telephone Co., March and April..... | 4 40 | |
| 70 | U. S. Express Co., expressage on plants..... | 1 76 | |
| 71 | Rebekah Lesem, sundry supplies..... | 1 60 | |
| 72 | George W. Heller, blacksmithing..... | 2 50 | |
| 73 | C. S. Neeld, postmaster, stamps and envelopes..... | 27 02 | |
| 74 | H. B. O'Brien, pictures..... | 7 50 | |
| 75 | B. & N. Ry. Elec. & Heat Co., April current..... | 51 20 | |
| 76 | Bruno Nehring, shears and expressage..... | 2 50 | |
| 77 | Normal Novelty works, sharpening mower..... | 4 00 | |
| 78 | Prang Educational Co., mounting board..... | 5 50 | |
| 79 | C. C. Birchard & Co., songs..... | 87 | |
| 80 | J. Fischer & Bro., songs..... | 6 74 | |
| 81 | I. N. Warner, repairs..... | 5 15 | |
| 82 | C. W. Klemm, sewing materials..... | 6 60 | |
| 83 | H. W. Stillhamer & Co., lumber..... | 6 40 | |
| 84 | Swift & Co., dried blood..... | 3 00 | |
| 85 | Home Telephone Co., April service..... | 3 33 | |
| 86 | C. S. Neeld, postmaster, one-cent stamps..... | 10 00 | |
| | Balance on hand June 7, 1905..... | | \$963 13 144 35 |
| | | | \$1,107 48 |

An appropriation of \$1,000 is requested for the next six months.

DAVID FELMLEY,

President.

ILLINOIS STATE NORMAL UNIVERSITY.

David Felmley, President, in account with the Physical Science Fund:

| | | RECEIPTS. | | |
|----------|----|---|----------|----------|
| 1904 | | | | |
| Dec. | 21 | Balance on hand..... | \$125 55 | |
| June | 7 | Deficit June 7, 1905..... | 43 23 | |
| | | | | \$168 78 |
| Voucher. | | EXPENDITURES. | | |
| 1 | | F. D. Barber, sundry apparatus..... | \$30 10 | |
| 2 | | Henry J. Green, weather instruments..... | 13 28 | |
| 3 | | Fred D. Barber, sundries..... | 21 45 | |
| 4 | | G. H. Read & Bros., one doz. batteries..... | 2 40 | |
| 5 | | Union Gas and Electric Co., gas..... | 1 62 | |
| 6 | | Central Scientific Co., apparatus..... | 79 67 | |
| 7 | | H. O. Stone, soap..... | 3 95 | |
| 8 | | Albert B. Porter, Ives grating..... | 12 11 | |
| 9 | | E. C. Buck, repairing tanks..... | 75 | |
| 10 | | A. E. Stout, chemicals..... | 3 45 | |
| | | | | \$168 78 |
| | | Deficit June 7, 1905..... | | \$43 23 |

An appropriation of \$250 is requested for the next six months.

DAVID FELMLEY,
President.

UNPAID BILLS.

The following unpaid bills were referred to the Committee on Auditing and Finance:

| | |
|--|---------|
| Charles Jepson, police service..... | \$31 50 |
| Bruno Nehrling, police service..... | 12 00 |
| Mrs. Sherman Hunt, laundering towels..... | 22 45 |
| Frank Morrison, plumbing repairs..... | 8 95 |
| Orr and Lockett Hardware Co., clock for library..... | 9 00 |
| The Index, advertisement..... | 20 00 |
| The Vidette, advertising..... | 50 00 |
| David Felmley, use of horse on grounds..... | 15 00 |
| From special appropriation of May 16, 1903— | |
| M. F. Murphy, balance on cement wall about pond..... | 109 10 |

The above bills are correct and should be paid.

D. FELMLEY.

The board proceeded to the consideration of the recommendations contained in the president's report.

Upon motion of Mr. Robertson, it was ordered that diplomas be granted as recommended by the president.

Mr. Bayliss offered the following resolution which was adopted without dissent:

Resolved, That the standing committee on Text Books and Course of Instruction, be known hereafter as the committee on Course of Instruction and that teachers be authorized to use such text books as the varying conditions require, subject always to the approval and direction of the president of the university.

On motion of Mr. Sandham the recommendation of the president in regard to a one year course of study for graduates of country schools was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Walker, it was ordered that the recommendation of the president referring to a course of study for holders of free scholarships under the Lindly bill, be adopted.

The recommendations of the president relating to the summer school were approved.

The recommendation that the arrangement with the city schools of Normal relating to manual training be discontinued was approved, on motion of Mr. Capen.

Mr. Capen introduced the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the president of this board is hereby authorized and instructed, in his discretion, to execute contracts for the erection and furnishing of the new greenhouse, the aggregate of said contracts not to exceed \$5,000.00.

On motion of Mr. Walker, the recommendation of the president relating to a teacher of platform speaking was adopted and the committee on teachers was empowered to employ such a teacher.

The recommendation of the president that the walls and ceilings of all recitation rooms in the main building which have not been painted within the past six years, be painted, was adopted.

The roll call upon the appropriation of \$250.00 to pay for the same resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, 0.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

The following appropriations were agreed to:

For stocking the greenhouse and building walks to the same, not to exceed \$800.00.

For providing locks and keys for drawers in science laboratories, and for additional furniture in these rooms, not to exceed \$100.00.

For material for the geography department, not to exceed \$100.00.

For additional shelving in the library, not to exceed \$100.00.

For additional apparatus for the physical training department, not to exceed \$100.00.

For additional manual training equipment, not to exceed \$200.00.

The roll call on these six several appropriations resulted in each and every case as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, 0.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

The calendar for 1905-1906 was adopted as recommended by the president.

Mr. Capen introduced the following resolution which was adopted without dissent:

Resolved, That as soon as existing leases of the Normal farm fall in, they be not renewed for nursery purposes, but the land be rented with a view to seeding the ground to grass; further that the lines of said farm be established by a surveyor and new fences be built upon those lines wherever necessary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois:

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance, to whom was referred the report of F. D. Marquis, treasurer, with its fifty-two accompanying vouchers and showing balance on hand of \$6,001.58, begs leave to report that they have examined the same and find it correct. They recommend that it be approved.

WM. R. SANDHAM,
CHARLES L. CAPEN,
Committee.

The roll call on the adoption of the foregoing report resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

And the report was adopted.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois:

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance, to whom was referred the report of David Felmley, president, in account with the biological fund with the accompanying nine vouchers and showing balance on hand of \$162.67, begs leave to report that they have examined the same and find it correct. They recommend that said report be approved and that an appropriation to this fund for the sum of \$100.00 be made as requested for the ensuing six months.

WILLIAM R. SANDHAM,
CHARLES L. CAPEN,
Committee on Auditing and Finance.

The roll call upon the adoption of the foregoing report resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

And the report was adopted.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois:

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance, to whom was referred the report of David Felmley, president, in account with the library fund, showing balance on hand of \$159.20 with its accompanying thirty-one vouchers, begs leave to report that they have examined the same and find it correct. They recommend that it be approved and that an appropriation of \$600.00 be made for the ensuing six months as asked for.

WILLIAM R. SANDHAM,
CHARLES L. CAPEN,
Committee on Auditing and Finance.

The roll call upon the adoption of the foregoing report resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

And the report was adopted.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois.

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance, to whom was referred the report of David Felmley, president, in account with the contingent fund showing balance on hand of \$144.35 with its accompanying eighty-six vouchers begs leave to report that they have examined the same and find it correct. They recommend that said report be approved and that an appropriation of \$1,000.00 be made for the ensuing six months as requested.

WILLIAM R. SANDHAM,
CHARLES L. CAPEN,
Committee on Auditing and Finance.

The roll call upon the adoption of the foregoing report resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

And the report was adopted.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois.

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance, to whom was referred the report of David Felmley, president, in account with the physical science fund showing a deficit of \$43.23 with its accompanying ten vouchers begs leave to report that they have examined the same and find it correct. They recommend that the appropriation for the sum of \$250.00 be made for the ensuing six months as requested, to make good the said deficit and for expenditures for the ensuing six months.

WILLIAM R. SANDHAM,
CHARLES L. CAPEN,
Committee on Auditing and Finance.

The roll call upon the adoption of the foregoing report resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

And the report was adopted.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

To the Board of Education of the State of Illinois.

Your Committee on Auditing and Finance, to whom was referred the unpaid bills, aggregating \$278.00, beg leave to report that they have examined the same and find them correct. They recommend that said bills be ordered paid.

WILLIAM R. SANDHAM,
CHARLES L. CAPEN,
Committee on Auditing and Finance.

The roll call upon the adoption of the foregoing report resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

And the report was adopted.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

Mr. Walker, of the Committee on Teachers and Salaries, submitted the following report:

PROPOSED SALARIES.

Your Committee on Teachers and Salaries has revised the entire salary schedule. The salaries reported are for forty-two weeks of teaching except in the cases of the training teachers of grades one to eleven. The annual salaries named are generally multiples of twelve. All teachers except the training teachers mentioned and the director of the kindergarten are to be paid in twelve monthly checks.

| | Proposed salary. | Monthly payment. | Increase in total salary. |
|---|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| David Felmley— President..... | \$4,000 00 | \$300 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ | ..... |
| Henry McCormick— Vice President and Professor of History and Geography | 2,430 00 | 202 50 | \$ 6 92 |
| Buel B. Colton— Professor of Biological Sciences..... | 2,160 00 | 180 00 | 6 16 |
| Orson L. Manchester— Professor of Languages and Economics..... | 2,160 00 | 180 00 | 6 16 |
| J. Rose Colby— Preceptress and Professor of Literature..... | 2,160 00 | 180 00 | 6 16 |
| Manfred J. Holmes— Professor of Psychology and General Method..... | 2,160 00 | 180 00 | 6 16 |
| Elizabeth Mavity— Professor of the Science and Art of Instruction..... | 2,160 00 | 180 00 | 6 16 |
| George H. Howe— Professor of Mathematics..... | 2,160 00 | 180 00 | 6 16 |
| Douglas C. Ridgley— Professor of Geography..... | 2,160 00 | 180 00 | 6 16 |
| Frederick D. Barber— Teacher of Physical Science..... | 1,620 00 | 135 00 | 4 62 |
| Frank W. Westhoff— Teacher of Music..... | 1,620 00 | 135 00 | 4 62 |
| Chestine Gowdy— Teacher of Grammar..... | 1,620 00 | 135 00 | 4 62 |
| Clarissa E. Ela— Teacher of Drawing..... | 1,410 00 | 117 50 | 10 00 |
| Amelia F. Lucas— Teacher of Reading..... | 1,080 00 | 90 00 | 3 08 |
| William T. Bawden— Teacher of Manual Training..... | 1,620 00 | 135 00 | 420 00 |
| Mabel L. Cummings— Director of Physical Training..... | 1,080 00 | 90 00 | 80 00 |
| Elmer W. Cavins— Teacher of Penmanship and Orthography..... | 1,200 00 | 100 00 | ..... |
| Mary Hartmann— Assistant in Mathematics..... | 1,080 00 | 90 00 | 3 08 |
| Irene Blanchard— Assistant in Languages..... | 1,080 00 | 90 00 | 3 08 |
| John P. Stewart— Assistant in Biology and Physics..... | 1,290 00 | 107 50 | 90 00 |
| Isaac Newton Warner— Principal Training-School..... | 840 00 | 70 00 | ..... |
| Enoch A. Fritter— Superintendent Normal Public School..... | 200 00 | 16 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ | ..... |
| Alice P. Watson— Critic Eleventh Grade..... | 450 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Rose Bland— Critic Ninth Grade..... | 450 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Jessie Dillon— Critic Sixth Grade..... | 450 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Rebekah Lesem— Critic Fourth Grade..... | 450 00 | 50 00 | 90 00 |
| Lora Peck— Critic Third Grade..... | 360 00 | 40 00 | 90 00 |
| Lura Eyestone— Critic Second Grade..... | 450 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Lora Dexheimer— Critic First Grade..... | 450 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Caroleen Robinson— Director Kindergarten..... | 810 00 | 90 00 | 135 00 |

Proposed Salaries—Concluded.

| | Proposed salary. | Monthly payment. | Increase in total salary. |
|--|------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| Ange. V. Milner— Librarian | \$1,080 00 | \$90 00 | \$ 3 08 |
| Virginia MacLochlin— Assistant Librarian..... | 600 00 | 50 00 | 60 00 |
| Flora P. Dodge— Stenographer..... | 600 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Charles Jepson— Engineer..... | 800 00 | 66 66% | ..... |
| Bruno Nehrling— Gardener..... | 900 00 | 75 00 | 180 00 |
| Sherman Hunt— Janitor..... | 800 00 | 66 66% | ..... |
| Levi T. Bradley— Janitor..... | 600 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Carter Harris— Janitor..... | 600 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Samuel Blackburn— Janitor..... | 600 00 | 50 00 | ..... |
| Edward Jepson— Fireman..... | 225 45 | 45 00 | ..... |
| Total..... | | | \$1,148 08 |

P. R. WALKER,

Chairman Committee on Teachers and Salaries.

The roll call upon the adoption of the foregoing report resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

And the report was adopted.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

Mr. Robertson moved that the sum of \$100.00 be allowed and paid to Mr. Charles L. Capen, chairman of the Committee on Buildings and Grounds, for extraordinary services.

A roll call being ordered, resulted as follows: Yeas, 6; nays, none.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

Mr. Gastman moved that the Committee on Buildings and Grounds be instructed to provide fire escapes for the main building in a manner to comply with the law.

And the motion prevailed.

Mr. Capen moved that eight fire extinguishers be provided for use in the main building.

The motion prevailed without dissent.

On the motion of Mr. Sandham the president and secretary of the board were authorized to draw the usual quarterly orders upon the State Auditor for the ensuing two years.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Capen moved that the foregoing order be made a standing order of the board.

The motion prevailed.

The chair appointed Messrs. Walker, Gastman and President Felmley a committee to prepare a memorial to the late President E. C. Hewitt, which, upon motion, was ordered to be made a part of the record of this meeting.

The chair appointed Messrs. Capen, Sandham and Smith a committee to prepare a suitable expression in memory of the late Samuel W. Moulton, of Shelby county, one of the original members of the Board of Education of the State of Illinois, and it was ordered that said memorial be made a part of the records of this meeting.

Mr. Walker moved that the sum of \$800.00 be appropriated for printing quarterlies, announcements and catalogs of the university for the ensuing year.

A roll call being ordered resulted as follows: Yeas, 7; nays, none.

Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Bayliss, Capen, Gastman, Robertson, Sandham, Smith and Walker.

At the hour of 11:30 a. m. Mr. Capen moved that the board do now adjourn.

The motion prevailed.

And the board adjourned.

ALFRED BAYLISS,
Secretary.

E. A. GASTMAN,
President.

To the President and Members of the Board of Education of the State of Illinois:

Your committee appointed to present a memorial of Honorable Samuel W. Moulton, lately deceased, respectfully begs leave to report:

That the eminent public services, as well as the exalted private character of Hon. Samuel W. Moulton justly entitle him to the undying gratitude and remembrance of the people of this State and especially of all the friends of education.

In 1855, as a member of the House of Representatives and as chairman of its Committee on Education, he reported the bill he had done much to frame, which first gave us our public school system; and to his persistent, earnest and able efforts, against much opposition, is largely due the fact it became a law.

In 1857, both as a citizen and a legislator, he earned great credit in the creation of the State Normal University as an essential part, and in furtherance of that system; afterwards, he was made one of the charter members of our board, and as such served for more than twenty-four years.

In recognition of these services, as well as for his peculiar qualifications, he was chosen the president of our board in 1857, and continued in that office until 1865; afterwards, from 1867 to 1876. In all this pioneer work he did very much to lay sound foundations, frequently without the aid of precedents, and also has enabled, and will hereafter enable, his successors the better to construct the superstructure. After his retirement he continued to take a warm and intelligent interest in the growth and prosperity of the school. It is safe to say that very few citizens have laid the State under as great obligations as has he.

Always courteous, considerate, kind and wise, he endeared himself alike to teachers, students, patrons and his fellow members on the board. The board extends its sympathy to his relatives and friends in their great bereavement, but rejoice he was permitted to live to an advanced age and to see much of the fruit of his labors.

Your committee asks that this memorial be adopted by the board, spread upon its records, and that a copy be furnished the nearest relative of the deceased.

CHARLES L. CAPEN,
WILLIAM R. SANDHAM,
W. Y. SMITH,
Committee.

Since the last meeting of this board, Edwin C. Hewitt has passed from the scenes and activities of this life to the Great Beyond. For eighteen years he was a leading teacher and for fourteen years president of this, the first Illinois State Normal School. His thorough teaching and high ideals of the responsibility of the true teacher, his firmness and encouraging words in the early years of this school, with his untiring energy and perseverance were a power in laying the foundations for the success of this institution.

As a president, he was helpful as well as inspiring with his teachers and others. As a leader and lecturer in the teachers' institutes through the State he led many excellent young people to become teachers. He was honest in every particular, firm in his conviction of right and wrong, true to his friends, and thoroughly patriotic.

P. R. WALKER.
E. A. GASTMAN.
DAVID FELMLEY.