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EDITORIAL

The Collegian records, with regret, the loss to the paper of C. N. Fleming, John K. Barnes, N. B. Higgins and P. B. Bennetch through their graduation this year. Mr. Fleming has been editor for two years, Mr. Barnes assistant editor for one and Mr. Higgins, business manager. All have been connected with the paper during their entire four years and have put their best efforts in the work. The success of the paper has been due entirely to their own efforts.

We wish to acknowledge our appreciation of their work and to express the hope that they and their class will continue, as alumni, to keep in touch with their alma mater and with its publications and its various activities.



N. B. Higgins

Mining Museum.

The new Mining exhibit in the museum at the north end of the Mining Building will be dedicated next Wednesday. This exhibit was in the exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase State Exposition and was presented to the College after its close. Part of the exhibit was also at Chicago in 1893. Until this year most of the models and exhibits were located in the basement of the Library but after many delays, they are now in their proper place.

The exhibit includes the coal industry, coke making, clay and tiles, bricks and fire clay, ore mines, slate quarries, photographs, relief maps, minerals, mining tools, and many other features.

The most interesting parts of the whole exhibit are the working models of breakers, shafts and other details of anthracite coal mining. One large model, showing the mining conditions of the anthracite region, has in the foreground the workings of the mine itself, showing the rods of working coal and hauling to the shafts, the shafts, breakers and other details; and in the background there is a large panoramic painting which blends perfectly in every detail with the models. In fact, so well done

is this painting that it could easily be questioned whether the foreground models were not made to blend with the painting. The model as a whole is a very instructive piece of work, and it shows marvelous attention to detail.

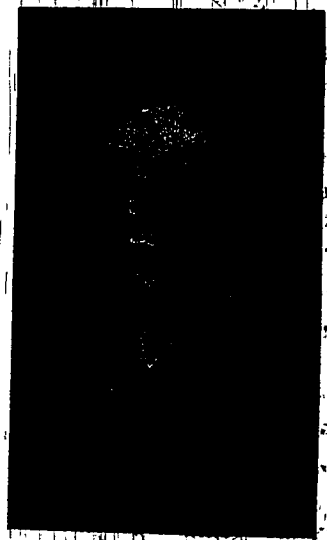
The models or breakers are all equipped so that the workings of each part can be seen. The Mining Department is endeavoring to have the models in working order and running on the afternoon of the dedication.

The exhibit is well worth a whole day's study, and it is hoped that all who are interested in any of the phases of mining represented, will pay a visit to the Mining Museum.

The Sophomore Stunt.

The usual secrecy and expectancy prevails concerning the Sophomore Stunt, which is to be given in the Auditorium tonight after the Glee Club concert. The boys have been working steadily for several weeks under the direction of "Willie" Couch and they have spared no pains in making the show a success.

The Sophomore-Freshman baseball game comes off this morning at ten o'clock. Jacobs will probably pitch.



C. N. Fleming