

ARTICLE VII. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Section 1. The officers of the Association, the past presidents of the Association, and the chairmen of the sections shall constitute an executive committee. Its duties shall be to prepare programs and to arrange for meetings of the Association; to decide what portions of the proceedings shall be published by the Association; to pass upon applications for membership in the Association; and to elect new members; to fill all vacancies in the offices of the Association and the sections; and to transact all business of the Association not otherwise provided for.

Section 2. The officers of each section shall constitute a section executive committee. The duties of this committee shall include the preparation of programs.

JAMES F. MILLIS,
JAMES H. SMITH,
C. E. SPICER,
Committee.

GOOD TRAINING.

"When I was a growing lad, and came upon many words in my reading that I did not understand, my mother, instead of giving me the definition when I applied to her, uniformly sent me to the dictionary to learn it, and in this way I gradually learned many things besides the meaning of the individual words in question—among other things, how to use a dictionary, and the great pleasure and advantage there might be in the use of the dictionary. Afterwards, when I went to the village school, my chief diversion, after lessons were learned and before they were recited, was in turning over the pages of the 'Unabridged' of those days. Now the most modern Unabridged—the NEW INTERNATIONAL—(G. & C. Merriam Co., Springfield, Mass.) gives me a pleasure of the same sort. So far as my knowledge extends, it is at present the best of the one-volume dictionaries, and quite sufficient for all ordinary uses. Even those who possess the splendid dictionaries in the several volumes will yet find it a great convenience to have this, which is so compact, so full, and so trustworthy as to leave in most cases, little to be desired."

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ARTICLES IN CURRENT PERIODICALS.

Education for May: "Moral Standards in the Schools," Alfred E. Stearns; "Moral Standards in College," Flavel S. Luther; "The Growth of the Moral Ideal," Arthur Deerin Call; "Marks and the Marking System as an Incentive," Stephen S. Colvin; "The Ideal as an Incentive," John B. Diman.

Journal of Educational Psychology for June: "Methods of Research in Education," Edmund C. Sanford; "Shall We Teach Spelling by Rule?" W. A. Cook; "Retardation in Fifty-five Western Towns," Freeman E. Lurton; "An Achievement Capacity Test," Guy G. Fernald.

Journal of Geography for May: "Geographic Influences in the Development of Texas," Frederic William Simonds; "Geography of the United States in the High School," Harley P. Chandler; "Laboratory Work in Physiography in the Chicago High Schools," Harry M. Clem; "The Status of Geography in Minnesota High Schools," C. E. Huff. For June: "Geography in American Universities," Huldah L. Winsted; "The Precious Metals as a Factor in the Development of the United States," George D.