THE NORMAL WINS

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP

The Normal has won the Paul C. Moore loving cup offered to the champion school team of San Marcos. Not only that, but Normal came out at a lively stride and far to the van. By agreement of the coaches concerned in the management of the city league, the race for the cup ended two weeks ago, with the understanding that each team in the race was to stand at its percentage at that time. It was really a war measure that made it necessary for the schedule to be shortened somehow from its original plan. At any rate, the season standing at the close of the race for the cup was as follows:

- Games W. L. Pt.
- Normal: 11 8 3 .728
- Town: 11 6 5 .545
- Academy: 14 7 7 .500
- Coronal: 12 3 9 .250

As usual the Town Team managed to hold Normal's percentage down. We did manage, however, to break even with them this time by winning two out of four scheduled games. It might be said, by the way, that out of two other games played with Town, exhibition games, the Normal won both. Normal to date has also lost an extra-schedule game with Academy.

The most interesting memory connected with the season is the revelation that the Normal is apparently quite superior to any other school team in town: for in the five games played with the Academy our percentage is 66.6, and of the three games we played with Coronal ours percentage is 1.000.

The team has had the support of the athletically inclined students of the Normal, especially when they were winning, and for this support they feel indeed grateful. They are promoting an approved activity of the school, and in

THE SUMMER SCHOOL

The summer school has become an established feature of the Southwest Texas Normal School. Each succeeding summer this school enrolled more students than the preceding summer term. Judging from the enormous increase in the enrollment during the past several years, it seems clear that the enrollment of 1918 will be very large. During the summer term of 1916 the enrollment reached almost one thousand. From this it seems reasonable to hope that the enrollment this summer will be at least twelve hundred.

The regular summer session and the "Summer Normal" offered excellent opportunities for those that wish during the winter and find it impossible to attend the regular session. The summer school will begin on June 7. The courses offered are the equivalent of the courses offered during the regular session, and full credit towards certificates and diplomas is given. The "Summer Normal" affords not only satisfactory preparation for the State examination, but it also gives excellent professional training in the branches taught in the public school.

San Marcos is noted for its beautiful scenery. There is the beautiful Normal Hill, the United States Fish Hatchery, the sparkling San Marcos river, with its excellent bathing facilities—all these make this the honors they have won they deserve the outspoken thanks of the student-body and the faculty. The coaches will do what they can to reward the faithfulness of the team with a memento for the season.

Through the pages of the Star the baseball management wishes to thank Mr. Moore for his practical interest in the affairs of school athletics in San Marcos.

PEDAGOGUE STAFF OF 1917

It is a known fact that every good piece of work is generally the result of much thinking and careful planning. Now how does this theory apply to the publishing of a school annual? Is it not here, more than anywhere else, that time becomes an important factor. What did we do about it this year? Not a thing. We elected our Pedagogue staff in February, and so it happened that they had to do all of the immense amount of work in the short time of two months. What was the result? The staff had to neglect their studies, deny themselves nearly all pleasures, and work day and night to finish the work on time that will be our annual and work out the details to the best advantage. But they found that this plan is not the most expedient, so they are right now electing their staff for the coming year.

What is the advantage of this plan? In the first place, it saves a great deal of trouble and worry later on—the staff can be making plans during the summer vacation and be ready to go right to work when school starts. In the second place, the events can be recorded and the pictures of these events made just as soon as they occur in the life of the school.

Now, I ask again, what are we going to do about this matter Are we going to do just as we did this year and elect our staff next February? Are we going to dismiss the subject entirely and work our staff almost to death next spring? For the sake of the Pedagogue staff of 1918, if for no other reason, let us get busy and have our staff elected now.—Ray.

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Normal Winner of Paul C. Moore Loving Cup

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Normal's team has done good work this year, and every one is proud of the boys who can so deserve such a gift. Every class is represented by a goodly per cent of stars, there being individual stars from the standpoint of the league, and the team, as a whole, has been a powerful and effective machine. The record they have made is worthy of praise and the work of the coach deserves much credit.

The cup is to be held by one team two consecutive years before that school becomes the permanent owner. Here's hopin' for Normal.

You will find me at Harrison's Dry Goods Store.

Prof. Gregory Joins U. S. Signal Corps.

Prof. J. H. Gregory has enrolled for the signal corps of the aviation department, and will go to San Antonio in the near future to take his final examination—Sinton News.

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