

EW Bloser Memorial Resolutions

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The National Association of Penmanship Teachers and Supervisors which convened at Detroit, Michigan, in April, adopted Memorials Resolutions on behalf of our esteemed friend and co-worker, Elmer Ward Bloser, for many years President of The Zanerian College, Columbus, Ohio.

It is the desire of the Association to have these Resolutions illuminated, framed and placed in the Zanerian College. But in order to bring this to a realization, it will be necessary to raise the funds by subscription.

At the Detroit Convention, our President, Mr. Kirk, appointed a committee to effect a plan whereby such a fund can be collected in time to have the adopted resolutions ready for inspection at Cincinnati in 1931.

A special appeal is being made to all members of the N. A. P. T. S. and to all those who have ever attended the Zanerian College, to share in this tribute by making a small contribution. Please send your personal check to E. A. Lupfer, who has been appointed Treasurer, 612 N. Park St., Columbus, Ohio. The names and addresses of all contributors will be recorded in a book made especially to accompany the Resolutions.

EG Miller
Chairman Resolutions Committee.

The National Association of Penmanship Teachers and Supervisors which convened at Detroit, Michigan, in April, Nineteen Hundred Thirty, adopted the following resolutions:

First: That, on May Twelfth, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-nine, when

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exchanged this life for the LIFE to come, our profession bade farewell to one of the world's most skillful penmen and one of the most inspiring teachers.

Second: That, as a Penman, he was recognized as one of the finest in the profession, being a product of that famous Oberlin, Ohio, College which gave so many pen. men to the educational world. He also received special training under the master critic, Platt R. Spencer, Jr. His marvelous skill placed him in company with those artistic penmen who have answered the call:

Taylor, Madarasz, Zaner, Flickinger.

Third: That, as a teacher, his enthusiasm, patience, and human touch were excelled only by his modesty. He inspired confidence, developed real character, and stimulated an interest in the better things of life. These qualities, together with his rare skill, his matchless humor, and his encouraging words, won for him friends everywhere.

Fourth: That, as an editor, he was fearless, loyal to his convictions, and ambitious to serve the profession. Among his later achievements, it is generally conceded that his contribution to

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received greater attention from educators than any other of his publications.

Fifth: That, as a father, he was kind, considerate, and generous, always ready to sacrifice himself, his time, and his pleasures in order to be of service to his family. His whole life reflected a right understanding -of courtesy, reliability, industry, and moral courage.

Sixth: That, to his widow, Rebecca Sayers Blosser, who was always his safe counselor, and to his four children, we extend our deepest sympathy in this great sorrow, knowing that the memory of his purposeful life, and his constructive work will be an inspiration to those who advance the standards which he advocated and upheld.

Seventh: That, to those who "carry on," we express our realization of the irreparable loss to the Zanerian College but it is our earnest hope that the ideals of Honor, Truth, and Manhood exemplified by this distinguished leader will ever be guiding stars in maintaining the good work and reputation of the Institution which was made possible by the many sacrifices and combined efforts of

Charles Paxton Zaner
and
Elmer Ward Blosser.