



Library Currents

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Art for a Public Place. The library renovation created new spaces and traffic patterns. To enhance our public spaces, we have brought several art works into the library; many are pieces from the Wisconsin Artists Permanent Collection.

Manipulated photographs of city streets by Les Klug hang in the Information Commons near the elevator. A Wis Guthrie tapestry assemblage hangs over the atlas case, and a cement sculpture by Dick Schwanke rests on a bookcase in the Reference Area. Guthrie is professor emeritus of art; Schwanke taught art at Carroll in the 1970's.

In the Browsing Room, an intaglio print by James Rosenquist and an oil on board by Wis Guthrie—both abstract works—hang over the two fireplaces.

In the study room hallway are photographs by *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel* art critic James Auer, taken of regional artists in their studios.

Lithographs on the themes of myth and ceremony by James Doyle can be found in the photocopy room and over the public terminals on the upper and lower levels.

More art works will be added in the future. Special thanks to Peggy Farrell and the Art Department for sharing pieces from the Wisconsin Artists Collection with us. Students in the Gallery/Museum Experience class (Art 211) hung the works.

Coffee Lounge. The coffee lounge in the Carroll College Library not only has great coffee drinks but you can also find a large selection of new reading materials.

New books just received in the library are first put on display in the coffee lounge. These are regular circulating books that can be checked out by students, faculty and staff. In the Pio-Pac book catalog they appear with "New book shelf" in the status block so users will know not to look on the regular shelves.

The new books are located on the far east wall of the coffee lounge and are in order by call number. People in the coffee lounge are encouraged to browse and read the new books. The books can be checked out by taking them to the circulation desk on the way out of the library.

The library and Marriot Food Service share subscriptions for a number of magazines and journals for use by coffee lounge visitors. Unlike the books, these magazines and journals may not leave the library. The individual titles are:

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| Advocate | Harvard Business Review | Poetry |
| American Art | House Beautiful | Popular Photography |
| Astronomy | Hungry Mind Review | Progressive |
| Atlantic | Jet | Rethinking Schools |
| Audubon | Journal of Business | Rolling Stone |
| BBC Music Magazine | Communication | Scientific American |
| Callaloo | Mother Jones | Shepherd Express |
| Chronicle of Higher Ed. | Ms. | Sierra |
| Civilization | Natural History | Soundings |
| Commonweal | New Republic | Utne Reader |
| Cross Currents | New York Review of Books | Variety |
| Economist | New Yorker | Village Voice |
| Field Magazine | Onion | Vogue |
| Harpers | PC Magazine | |

Magazines and journals can be found shelved in the magazine rack and on shelves on the far east wall. Current newspapers are also shelved in the coffee lounge. They are located in clear plastic holders on the north wall. You do not need to worry about putting books, magazines or newspapers back on the shelves. Library staff periodically pick up materials and make sure they get back to the right place.

Not everyone has time for recreational reading, but the coffee lounge is one of the most pleasant areas on campus to spend some time. Please drop by to have coffee, eat a snack, have a conversation, study, catch up on current events and even read a good book or magazine. Library staff would like to hear your comments and suggestions on the library materials located in the coffee lounge. Send your comments to mhickey@carroll1.cc.edu.

Books of the Millennium. Thank you to all who have submitted nominations for favorite books of the Twentieth Century. If you would like to nominate a book or receive a nomination form, please contact Jim Van Ess, ext. 7178. Watch for the display of interesting nominations in January 2000.

Treasures from Our Attic. The display in the Main Lobby for November and December features volumes from the Special Collections of the Todd Wehr Memorial Library.

Included are the oldest volume in the collection (1622), the largest volumes (16" x 19" x 3"), and books originally owned by founders of the college. First editions, autographed copies and fine bindings are also included.

We invite you to browse these Treasures from Our Attic.

Britannica Online. The venerable *Encyclopaedia Britannica* became an overnight sensation on the Internet when they opened a free site. Up to 10 million Internet users access the site each day, or try to! The new site, Britannica.com, is designed for the home consumer, allowing users to access current weather forecasts, stock quotes, sports scores and other information of interest to the general public.

This site is so popular that it has become the center of gridlock on the superhighway; the lines are clogged and will remain so until additional hardware can be put in place to match the demand.

Britannica.com is not the same as *Britannica Online* that is available through the Library's homepage. *Britannica Online* remains open and available. It is free of distracting advertising that pays for the free site. *Britannica Online* remains a research tool of depth and breadth that we have grown to expect from this traditional information source.

New Books. A list of all newly purchased books cataloged during October is attached to the electronic version of this issue of **Library Currents**.

Carroll Legacy

An Occasional Publication of the Carroll College Archives
Preserving the Collective Memory of Wisconsin's Pioneer College
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ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO, Carroll continued the struggle to regain college status abandoned during the Civil War. Financial depressions and continuing competition from free public high schools were challenges to recruiting students.

Carroll students chose the Ancient Classical, the Modern Classical, or the new Scientific Course. In 1899-1900, enrollment stood at 104 students who paid \$10-\$12 per term tuition; the academic year consisted of three terms. The six faculty members included Walter Rankin, president of the college and fund-raiser, who also taught Latin, Bible, physics, among other subjects.

These pages from the 1899-1900 Carroll catalogue also served as a recruiting tool and emphasized the three qualities of a private college: quality education, wise instructors, and a Christian atmosphere.

ANNUAL CATALOGUE
OF THE
OFFICERS AND STUDENTS
OF

CARROLL COLLEGE,

WAUKESHA, WISCONSIN,
FOR THE
ACADEMIC YEAR, 1899-1900



MILWAUKEE, WIS.
THE EVENING WISCONSIN COMPANY.
1900.

INSTRUCTORS.

WALTER L. RANKIN, PH. D., PRESIDENT.
Latin, Bible, Physics.

SAMUEL B. RAY,
Mathematics, Physiology, Pedagogy.

ERNEST O. ECKELMAN,
Greek, German.

CAROLINE S. JOHNSON,
History, Literature, Science.

C. ADELA RANKIN,
Ralph Voorhees Chair of Oratory and Physical Culture.

L. A. TORRENS,
Instructor in Vocal Music.

CARL R. CRISSY,
Athletic Director.

E. PAYSON RANKIN,
Librarian.

CHANGES FOR YEAR 1900-1901.

AXEL E. JOHNSON, A. B.,
Greek and German.

L. J. FREESH, B. S., M. S.,
Science and Literature.

MAY N. RANKIN,
Oratory and Physical Culture.

DISCIPLINE.

It is our purpose to make the school a place where parents may send their children with assurance that they are in a moral atmosphere and under the protection of proper safeguards and restraints. We do not desire students who have formed vicious habits, who visit saloons or are given to the use of tobacco, nor will indulgence in such habits be countenanced.

Students who show themselves at variance with the faculty in the promotion of wholesome discipline must be withdrawn.

LOCATION.

Waukesha, the leading health resort of the Northwest, is, by its location, its accessibility, its healthfulness, and its excellent boarding accommodations, as well as by the quietness, intelligence, and morality of its inhabitants, a most desirable site for such an institution. By three railway lines, the Wisconsin Central, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, and the Chicago & North-Western, and the recently completed Milwaukee and Waukesha Electric Railway, we are put into hourly connection with Chicago and Milwaukee.

TERMS AND EXPENSES.

The academic year of forty weeks is divided into three terms, as follows: A fall term of sixteen weeks, a winter term of twelve weeks, and a spring term of twelve weeks. These terms are separated by a vacation covering the holidays, a vacation of one week in the spring, and a vacation of ten weeks in the summer.

Tuition bills are due in advance. No deduction for brief absences. Special terms are made to the children of ministers and to students for the ministry. The rates are as follows:

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| Sub-Junior year..... | \$30 00 |
| Junior year..... | 32 00 |
| Middle year..... | 34 00 |
| Senior year..... | 36 00 |
| Post-Graduate year..... | 40 00 |

Students will find board in some of the best homes of Waukesha at from \$3.00 to \$4.00 per week. Cheaper board may be had in clubs, and frequently reduced or free board in payment for services in the family, rendered outside of school hours.

Young people desiring to help themselves to an education are invited to correspond with the president. They will find here good opportunities for living cheaply.

CARROLL COLLEGE.

SCHEDULE OF STUDIES.

ALL THE COURSES.

SUB-JUNIOR YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
|--|---|---|
| English Grammar. U. S. History. Physiology. Arithmetic. Expressive Reading. Literature. ½ | English Grammar. Constitution U. S. Physical Geography. Algebra. Expressive Reading. Literature. ½ | English Grammar. Constitution, Wis. Physical Geography. Algebra. Expressive Reading. Literature. ½ |

JUNIOR YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Algebra. Latin Lessons. General History. Rhetoric. Literature. ½ | Algebra. Latin Lessons. General History. Rhetoric. Literature. ½ | Algebra. Caesar. English History. Rhetoric. Literature. ½ |

ANCIENT CLASSICAL COURSE.

MIDDLE YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Plane Geometry. Caesar. Latin Gram. (review) Greek—First Book. English Literature. | Plane Geometry. Caesar. Latin Composition. Greek—First Book. English Literature. | Solid Geometry. Caesar. Latin Composition. Anabasis. Greek Grammar. English Literature. |

SENIOR YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Physics. Cicero. Latin Composition. Anabasis. Greek Prose Com. Literary Analysis. Themes. Literature. ½ | Physics. Virgil. Mythology. Anabasis, Iliad. Greek Prose Comp. Expression. Macbeth. Themes. ½ | Physics. Virgil. Mythology. Iliad. Greek Prose Comp. Expression. Macbeth. Themes. ½ |

MODERN CLASSICAL COURSE.

MIDDLE YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Plane Geometry. Caesar. Latin Gram. (review) German Grammar. English Literature. | Plane Geometry. Caesar. Latin Composition. German Grammar and Reader. English Literature. | Solid Geometry. Caesar. Latin Composition. German Grammar and Reader. English Literature. |

SENIOR YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Physics. Cicero. Latin Composition. German Grammar and Reader. Literary Analysis. Themes. Literature. ½ | Physics. Virgil. Mythology. German Authors. Expression. Macbeth. Themes. ½ | Physics. Virgil. Mythology. German Authors. Expression. Macbeth. Themes. ½ |

SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

MIDDLE YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Plane Geometry. Latin or German. English Literature. | Plane Geometry. Latin or German. English Literature. | Solid Geometry. Latin or German. English Literature. |

SENIOR YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Physics. Latin or German. Chemistry. Literary Analysis. Themes. Literature. ½ | Physics. Latin or German. Chemistry, Botany. Expression. Macbeth. Themes. ½ | Physics. Latin or German. Botany. Expression. Macbeth. Themes. ½ |

POST-GRADUATE YEAR.

| FALL TERM. | WINTER TERM. | SPRING TERM. |
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| Cicero de Senectute. Roman History. Greek or German. Higher Algebra. | Cicero de Amicitia. Roman History. Greek or German. Geometry and Conic Sections. | Livy, Book I. Roman History. Greek or German. Trigonometry. |