Memorial Resolution for Alma Allison

Mrs. Alma Allison died on November 21, 1964, in Tucson, Arizona, at the age of 86. She retired from the faculty of the former State Teachers College, Milwaukee, in 1948, after thirty years of service. Mrs. Allison attended the public schools in Missouri and the Universities of Missouri, Colorado, and Wisconsin. She received her M. A. degree at Columbia University in 1928. She taught in the public schools of Missouri between 1897 and 1917 and came to the Milwaukee Normal School in 1918 where she taught social science until 1948.

During her career in Milwaukee, Mrs. Allison traveled extensively in the United States, Canada, and Europe. She was a member of several state and national educational associations, the Child Study Association, the American Federation of Teachers, the NAACP and the Urban League. She was very active in Local 79 of the Teachers Union and worked diligently to promote better race relations. She took a personal interest in her students and stimulated them to participate in community affairs. During her thirty years of teaching she made a distinct contribution to the College and to the community in which she lived.

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