

Professor makes claim for back pay

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the regiment.

Campbell's last employment in Bloomington before his retirement was as the superintendent of Monroe County Schools, a post he held for four years. Close to the end of his life, a widower, nearly blind, and living with his son and daughter, the teacher asked the university for back wages owed to him in

the amount of \$6,662. In his case the salary commissions included extra salary he should have received for being chairman of the languages department, a half-year as chairman of the mathematics department and 15 years of continuous work as a tutor (presumably in the Preparatory School).

Of Campbell, IU historian Theophilus Wylie wrote: "... he spends his time teaching and training his

grandchildren and other children with the hope that they may become good and useful members of society." Furthermore, commented Wylie, Campbell had also been trying to influence the state legislature to standardize letters of the alphabet and their sounds in order to make the learning of reading easier for school children.

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