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## THREE NEW TEACHERS ON COLLEGE FACULTY

**Petry, Wilcox and Gill Now on Teaching Staff of College**

## ALSO HAVE ASSISTANT COACH

**Lester Selves Will Assist Coach Binford Through Coming Football Season**

Students returning to McPherson college this year were greeted by three new members of the faculty. To head the Department of Bible and Philosophy, vacated by the death of Prof. J. Hugh Heckman, is Dr. Ray C. Petry. Dr. Petry is acquainted with McPherson college, having been here during 1929-30 teaching for Dr. J. D. Bright who was on leave of absence for that year.

After graduating from college Dr. Petry took his Ph. D. degree from the graduate Divinity School of the University of Chicago. He spent four years there taking his degree in 1932. Since that time he has been in the service of the Unemployment Relief Commission of Chicago. Dr. Petry has also taught one year in Manchester college. Having already won recognition as an outstanding teacher and scholar, Dr. Petry comes here with the greatest respect from the student body.

Miss Lois Wilcox of Salina, Kansas, will teach violin and orchestra this year. Miss Wilcox graduated from the violin department of Bethany college last year where she was an outstanding music student. She has done considerable work in violin and orchestra and will cooperate with Mr. August San Roman in developing violinists for his orchestra in the city schools. Miss Wilcox will make her home here.

Miss Alice Gill, a major in Journalism at Kansas University comes here to teach Journalism and typewriting this year. Miss Gill has her A. B. and A. M. degrees from Kansas University.

Mr. Lester Selves who assisted in football coaching in 1931 will add in that department again this year.

## FORMER MATRON PASSES AWAY DURING SUMMER

Miss Lora Trostle, for fifteen years matron of McPherson college, died at her home in McPherson on July 29. She held her position from 1915 to 1930. Miss Trostle was forced to give up her position because of failing health, for which she spent some time in California. She had made her home in McPherson.

Funeral services were held in the First Church of the Brethren.

## BRIGHT IS SPEAKER IN OPENING CHAPEL

College dreams have a unique way of coming true if given a chance. This was the challenging statement offered by Dr. J. D. Bright in the opening chapel address of the year.

The college student should dream, but his dreams should be purposeful. They should formulate his character and his culture. The modern student too often fails to do this. Mass education should not be discredited but every student should really partake of his liberal education and grimly determine that he will make the most of it. Dr. Bright drew from the experiences of Daniel Webster and Thomas Ewing to illustrate his point.

Three building stones are necessary to make our dreams realities. In the first place we must have a yearning for knowledge. We must also have a mature religion and philosophy of life. In the third place we should constantly look forward to our career or vocation.

Dr. V. F. Schwalm led devotions and greeted the students to McPherson college. Later he introduced the faculty and several groups of students. The music of the morning was furnished by Miss Lois Wilcox, new instructor in violin, who gave a violin solo; Mr. Floyd Harris in a vocal solo, and John Glovers in a vocal solo.

## "Y" PRESIDENTS ATTEND RETREAT AT CAMP WOOD

**Hoover, Pote and Schwalm Represent McPherson College**

Saturday noon, Dr. V. F. Schwalm, Gulah Hoover, Lester Pote and Hollis Hayward of Kansas Wesleyan college motored to Camp Wood near Elmdale, Kansas, where they attended a "Y" presidents' retreat.

Pres. Schwalm, Pres. King of Washburn College, and Dr. Nash were the main speakers. Other important leaders in Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. work led discussions.

Dr. Schwalm spoke on the subject "The Function of Religion in College."

Approximately forty people attended the week end retreat from the central and eastern part of Kansas.

## MALE QUARTET SPENDS VACATION TRAVELING

**Tour 7000 Miles Singing—Accompanied by Vocal—Return August 10**

The McPherson college male quartet, with their director, Prof. Alvin C. Voran, traveled approximately 7,000 miles between June 8 and August 10 representing the college in this district.

The first section of their trip extended over five weeks and took them to the churches of South Topeka and Kansas City. Before going up through Missouri, Iowa and Minnesota, they appeared on programs of young peoples conferences at South English, Iowa, and Lewiston, Minnesota.

After singing in Minneapolis, Minnesota, they returned to McPherson by way of Iowa and Nebraska.

When the group had rested a few days, they started for Colorado. Going westward their chief stops were at Garden City, Kansas; Colorado Springs and Denver, Colorado. The return trip was made through southern Nebraska and the last stop was made at Sumnerfield, Kansas.

At Garden City the program was carried over the city by amplifiers. At Colorado Springs they sang before a gathering of 2500 people besides the regular church attendances.

The members of the college quartet were: Warner Nettleton, first tenor; Wayne Carr, second tenor; Harvey Shank, baritone; and Chris Johansen, bass.

## MANY IMPROVEMENTS MADE ON CAMPUS

**Buildings and Furniture Repainted During Summer**

Several improvements were made on the campus this summer. The interior of Fahnestock hall was repainted and all the furniture in Archbold hall was refinished. New curtains were also hung in the girls' dormitory. Colorful new cushions and a large rug were placed in the Y. W. room, and the entire campus was given a general cleaning. The Ladies Aids of various churches have contributed to this work.

## COMING EVENTS

Thurs., September 21—World Service Group meets in the college church at 6:30 p. m.

Mon., September 25—"Y" Freshman Outing at 1:00 p. m.

Tues., September 26—Regular Y. M. and Y. W. meetings at 10:30 a. m.

Wed., September 27—Chillico Indian football game here.

## FACULTY RECEPTION GIVEN MONDAY NIGHT

**Over Two Hundred Students Are Entertained by Faculty At Annual Social**

## VARIED PROGRAM GIVEN

**Musical Numbers and Speeches by Professors Constitute Program of Evening**

At 8:00 o'clock on Monday evening, September 18, the annual faculty reception was held in the parlors of the Church of the Brethren. Over two hundred students and all of the faculty members with their wives and husbands were present.

For the first part of the evening, the students passed down the receiving line, and introductions and handshakings were in order.

When everyone was seated, Dr. J. D. Bright, as master of ceremonies, extended a welcome to the students. He introduced the first speaker of the evening, Dr. J. J. Yoder, giving as his subject "Why I Like Kansas." Dr. Yoder stated that at the end of four years each of the students would be "fixed up" in English, in science, and in each of the departments of the college. He closed by wishing the college group a most successful career in McPherson.

Miss Lois Wilcox, violin instructor, favored with a violin solo, "Adoration," accompanied at the piano by Miss Fern Lingenfelter. Following this, Prof. Alvin C. Voran sang a negro spiritual, "De Glory Road," accompanied by Miss Lingenfelter. As an encore he sang another negro song.

Pres. V. F. Schwalm gave the closing speech, saying that if one wishes to make friends in college, he should show himself friendly. He concluded with a poem which told of things which make life worth the living.

At the end of the program, punch was served by Miss Edith McGuffee, Mrs. R. E. Mohler, and Mrs. J. D. Bright, assisted by several of the students.

## Y. M. C. A. TO HOLD OUTING FOR FRESHMEN

On Monday afternoon at four o'clock the Y. M. C. A. will hold an outing for the freshmen. The group will then go to Anderson's grove for the evening. The freshmen have been asked to meet on the south side of the Administration building at the designated time.

God has placed no limits to the exercise of intellect this side of the grave.

## EIGHTY GIRLS ATTEND CAMPUS SISTER PARTY

**Held in Y. W. Room Tuesday Because of Weather**

About eighty girls attended Y. W. campus sister party, Tuesday, September 13, at four-thirty o'clock. Due to the rainy weather, the party was held in the Y. W. room instead of on the campus as was originally planned.

The group enjoyed a get-acquainted game, conducted by Elizabeth Bowman, after which the hour was spent in singing. Bernice Dresher, Y. W. song leader, had charge of this part of the program. Refreshments of sandwiches, punch, and wafers were prepared and served by the refreshment committee, Elizabeth and Jo Wagoner.

## STUDENTS ENJOY ANNUAL "Y" WATERMELON FEED

**Games Played on College Campus—Petry, Lehman, Feature in Chapel Program**

One of the outstanding all-school socials of the year, the Y. M.-Y. W. watermelon feed, was held Friday evening, September 15, on the college campus.

George N. Bryan, secretary of the McPherson Y. M. C. A., had charge of the games, which opened the activities of the evening. After a get-acquainted game, the students were divided into their different groups for the evening's play. Newell Wine, Carol Whiteher, and Paul Booz assisted Mr. Bryan.

After considerable recreation, the entire group went into the chapel where a program was presented. The Varsity Ladies' Trio, Gulah Hoover, Mildred Dahlinger, and Lois Edwards, sang two numbers, Miss Della Lehman, head of the college dramatic department, read "A Chip Off the Old Block," and as an encore an interpretative reading, "The Bride." Professor Ray C. Petry, a new member on the faculty, gave a clever talk, after which Professor Alvin C. Voran led the group in some pep songs.

Going back out on the campus grounds, the guests enjoyed the actual part of the watermelon feed.

The party this year was planned by the two social chairmen of the Y organizations, Margaret Oliver and Paul Booz.

## MOHLER SPEAKS IN FRIDAY CHAPEL PROGRAM

**Gives Brief Address Emphasizing Nobleness of Character**

The development of nobility was the theme of an address given by Dean R. E. Mohler in chapel Friday. Dean Mohler in his brief address stressed that nobleness of character should be one of the objects sought in a college education. The noble mind must live on a high plane at all times.

The music of the morning was furnished by Warner Nettleton who gave a vocal solo.

## 33 PER CENT INCREASE OVER PAST ENROLLMENT

**111 Freshmen Attending McPherson College—Largest Class in Years**

## REPRESENT FIFTEEN STATES

**Records Not Yet Complete—Total So Far Is 248 Students**

Enrollment at McPherson College this year has shown a decided increase over last year. The freshman class is the largest in several years. According to information given out at the dean's office, 111 freshmen had enrolled last evening. Compared with the enrollment at this time last year the increase is approximately 33 per cent.

There are 16 sophomores, 52 juniors and 25 seniors enrolled. Also, there are 14 special students enrolled, making a total number of 248.

Fifteen states are represented in this year's enrollment.

This year's added enrollment will mean one of the greatest years for McPherson College. New students took up their class work on Wednesday morning at 8:00 o'clock. Dr. J. D. Bright giving the opening chapel address at 10:00 o'clock. The campus has been improved and the college is fully prepared for the new year.

A few have enrolled late and a few more are expected to enroll yet.

Students and faculty at McPherson College are optimistic over the enrollment and plans are being made for a big year ahead.

## NEW AND OLD BOOKS DONATED TO LIBRARY

**Many Volumes Given By Faculty and Friends During Summer**

Books, new and old, have come into the library during the summer. Among the donors are Professor S. M. Dell, Professor, E. A. Bolling, Miss Greta Wilma Griffiths, and Mr. Forney.

Two very old books were given by Professor Dell. One, "A Greek and English Lexicon of the New Testament," by Edward Robinson, was copyrighted in 1825; and the other, "The Works of Flavius Josephus," by Wm. Whiston was published in 1829. Mr. Forney has also donated several old volumes.

New books include: "Protection of Women and Children in Soviet Russia," by Alice Field, a gift of the author; "Meet the Germans," by H. A. Phillips, a gift of the Carl Schurz Foundation; and "Manchoukuo, Child of Conflict," by K. K. Kawakami, gift of the Macmillan Publishing Co.

Greta Wilma Griffiths, a graduate of last year, has given two books, "Essentials of Speech," by Pelama, and "Physiology of Plants," by Pierce, and Professor Bolling has donated a copy of Keater's "Accounting, Theory and Practice."

Several large pictures of scenes in Germany have been received from the German tourist bureau.

## CAMPUS LEADERS FOR 1933-34

- President student council Guy Hayes
- Treasurer student council Newell Wine
- Editor Quadrangle Everett Faunacht
- Business Manager Quadrangle Wilbur Yoder
- Editor Spectator Elmer Staats
- Business Manager Spectator Paul Booz
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- President Y.W.C.A. to be chosen
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- President Junior Class John Goring
- President Sophomore Class Paul Booz
- President "M" Club Leonard Wiggins
- President W.A.A. Elizabeth Bowman
- President C.E. Royal Frantz
- President World Service Group Delvis Bradshaw
- President Theopian Club Una Ring

## COLLEGE MALE QUARTET

Pictured to the side is the college male quartet, composed of Chris Johansen, bass; Harvey Shank, baritone; Wayne Carr, second tenor; and Warner Nettleton, first tenor. The group traveled approximately 7,000 miles this summer singing over this part of the country. During their travels this group was well received and many letters of congratulation were sent to the president's office.



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### BOOST McPHERSON COLLEGE

### GREETINGS

To the new student in McPherson college the Spectator extends a word of welcome. With your new environment has come new problems of adjustment. It is hoped that with the aid of other students your problems may be greatly reduced. With your coming has been added new talent to McPherson college, insuring it of greater success in the future. The student body greets you and will cooperate in every way to make this year enjoyable and profitable for you.

An added responsibility will fall upon the old student in college. It should be his duty to see that every accommodation is provided for the newcomer.

May the new and the old students cooperate in making this year bigger and better for McPherson college.

### OUR PURPOSE

This newspaper will strive to fulfill certain duties on the campus. Every group or body needs such organ to further its ends. In beginning the new school year the Spectator wishes to announce its policy:

1. To set forth all the news of the campus for those who are interested in the school—the students, faculty, parents, and alumni.
2. To make the paper interesting in its style and content.
3. To promote worthy campus projects; to discourage the less worthy.
4. To create a wholesome school spirit and to support the best traditions of the school.
5. To encourage and promote true sportsmanship.
6. To promote scholarship. The Spectator will deal with fundamental values.
7. To provide an outlet for students who wish to do creative literary and artistic work.
8. To record in a permanent form the history of the school.
9. To focus the interest of the school on matters concerning the entire student body.
10. To produce a paper in style and quality worthy to be known as a product of "The School of Quality."

### REMOVE FRESHMAN REGULATIONS

In nearly every college some rules or regulations have been placed upon the freshmen by upperclassmen. In some the upperclass organizations have lost in power; in others the rules have been removed by the college administration or by the action of student government.

It should be one of the major purposes of the school to remove any mark of distinction which might set the freshmen apart from the rest of the students. Every year the "M" Club requires that freshmen wear caps provided for that purpose. This alone has not brought general disapproval from the freshmen. But this year the club has added additional regulations to the freshmen. Such a spirit is destined to set the freshmen off as a group and to create hostility toward the upperclassmen.

Freshmen will not object so greatly to wearing their caps, provided that other regulations are removed. All this may be done in a spirit of fun, but it can only make for hostility.

Let us keep M. C. a democratic school by keeping it democratic in spirit.

### FRESHMEN ENROLLMENT

From nearly every college and university comes word that the freshman enrollment has risen greatly. In each school the administration has met the increase with optimism. The large number of students, they say, is an indication that economic conditions are getting easier.

Whatever may be said as to the truth of this statement it can be said that the student has not lost faith in our educational system. He is eager to prepare himself for the new tasks ahead. A year or two of waiting has shown him the seriousness of his life. The student will come back with a new enthusiasm and desire for a true education.

### COLLEGE FRIENDSHIPS

Every student when he comes to college is removed from his ordinary surroundings, his old habits, and his old friends. One of the first acts of the student is to acquire friendships on the campus. In doing so he should take the utmost precaution not to be too hasty. An ill formed friendship too quickly acquired may lose a person the respect and esteem of his classmates. On the other hand a person should not neglect to develop this phase of his campus life. His most valuable experiences in college will come from close association with the right kind of friends.

The ideal way for the student to acquire his friendships is to be friendly and agreeable with everyone, choosing after some time his closer friends. The friends that one makes in college may prove to be his most valuable assets in after life.

Of all the things which man can do here below, by far the most momentous, wonderful, and worthy are the things we call books.—Carlyle.

There is no genius in life like the genius of energy and activity.—Mitchell.

Character is the diamond which scratches every other stone.—Bartol.

The only jewel which will not decay is knowledge.—Langford.

The supreme end of human effort is making man a wiser, nobler, diviner being.

Worry's worst enemy is work.

What you will be depends upon what you are.

Moss never grows on the back that keeps moving.

## THIS YEAR'S STUDENT SHOULD SEEK OBJECTIVES

Direction and Purpose Should Be Sought This Year, Replogle Advises Students

This year's student should look about him and formulate definite aims and objectives. This was the advice given by Dean F. A. Replogle in chapel last Monday.

He should first seek to do more than to fit into things as they are. The student should determine in himself that he will not fall into the old trends of thinking if they are wrong. We should also know the other person and consider his good points as well as his bad. College should cause us to think clearly and constructively at all times.

This year the student should think and talk only in terms of facts rather than assumptions which leads only to idle gossip. The individual exercising self control and respecting regulations will experience far more freedom than the one who does not. Then, too, the attitude of getting by must be destroyed before it is too late. One of the important things that a student should do is to develop an ideal for good tastes and culture.

In conclusion Dean Replogle stated that the student should generate a purpose or direction for his life during his school year.

## PROFITABLE BOOK EXCHANGE SPONSORED BY Y. M. - Y. W.

The "Y" organizations sponsored a book exchange last week to enable students to trade in their second-hand books for others that they might need. Many students took advantage of this method of securing their textbooks and others were able to realize a bit of money from the sale of their old textbooks. It was soon found that the demand for second hand books was much greater than the supply. There were many calls for books which could not be filled.

The "Y" asked a commission of 10 per cent and in this way a worthwhile sum was obtained to be added to the treasures of the Y. M. and Y. W.

Royal Frantz and Corrine Suter were in charge of the exchange.

## DR. HERSHEY COMPILES CHEMISTRY MANUAL

To Be Used by Beginning Chemistry Students

The beginning chemistry class is using a manual this year, written and published by Dr. J. Willard Hershey and Leland Engberg, a student in McPherson College last year.

The manual has been compiled in book form. It is known as the "Laboratory Manual for General Chemistry." The new manual is illustrated showing the use of laboratory apparatus in the experiments.

Containing forty pages, the manual has one or two blank pages between each written one, thus affording a place for the students to write up their experiments.

The book has not been put on sale at other colleges. However it has been copyrighted.

Leland Engberg was assistant to Dr. Hershey.

## VARIED PROGRAM IN Y. W.

In Y. W. yesterday morning Lois Edwards sang "Today is Mine," after, which devotionals were led by Elizabeth Wagoner. "Seeing the good and the beautiful in small things, and finding happiness at home" was the subject of a short talk by Edith Bechtelheimer.

## SUCCESS

To live and be happy.  
Have friends who are true.  
To know you can trust them.  
To know they can trust you.  
To know that they miss you.  
When you are away,  
Make life worth the living  
For you every day.  
To know that you're doing  
Your best all the while,  
Though rough be the road,  
If then you can smile;  
If children and old folks  
Are blessing your name,  
Success then is ours,  
Far better than fame.  
—C. W. Wood.

Deeds survive the doors.—Mans.

## FACULTY SPENDS SUMMER IN VARIOUS WAYS

Several Attend World's Fair—Mohler, Schwalm, Yoder Attend Conferences

### MOHLER TO BOSTON

Many Teach in Summer School—Vacation Later—Blair and Hershey to Pennsylvania

The faculty of McPherson college spent the summer in various activities. Many attended the World's Fair, others looked after personal interests.

Dean R. E. Mohler spent the early part of the summer attending the Brethren Conferences at Hershey, Pa. He then attended two meetings of the Rotary Club; one in Poland Springs, Maine, the other in Boston, Mass. After this he spent some time lecturing in some eastern churches. On his return trip he visited the World's Fair. Dean Mohler spent the latter part of the summer visiting Rotary Clubs in Kansas.

Prof. J. A. Blair, after teaching in summer school, toured eastward in August visiting his mother in Pennsylvania and stopping in Washington, D. C., and Chicago. Dr. Hershey and his family also visited relatives in Pennsylvania and Virginia. Dr. Hershey taught in summer school.

Dr. J. D. Bright taught in summer school and later made a trip to Rochester, Minnesota, and Chicago. Miss Della Lehman spent the early part of the summer in McPherson and later visited and vacationed in Colorado.

Drs. J. J. Yoder and J. H. Harnly spent part of the summer looking after farm interests. Dr. Harnly visited the World's Fair and Dr. Yoder attended the District Conference of the Brethren in North Dakota in July. Prof. J. H. Fries looked after business in the college office and made a couple of trips into Texas looking after farm interests.

Prof. S. M. Dell spent the first two months of the summer in the Iowa State college at Ames, Iowa. Misses Brown, Lingenfelter, and Collins taught in the summer school. Prof. Maurice A. Hess also taught in summer school.

Dr. V. F. Schwalm, after attending the Annual Brethren Conference at Hershey, Pennsylvania, made trips to Iowa and Minnesota for young people's conferences. He later spent two weeks vacationing near Colorado Springs in July. The remainder of his time he spent attending conferences and speaking at teachers institutes.

Profs. J. L. Bowman, E. A. Bohling and Melvin Binford spent most of their summer in McPherson.

## PERSONALS

Florence, Dorothy and Don Drehsler of Canton, M. C. graduates of last year, attended the watermelon feed Friday night.

Luther Horn, who was graduated with last year's class, visited college friends Friday evening and attended the Y. M.-Y. W. social.

Friends of William Follner, a student here last year, will be interested to know that he has pledged Phi Kappa Tau fraternity, at the Agricultural College at Manhattan.

Among the recent sorority pledges at Manhattan the name of Marlene Dappen is listed with the Pi Beta Phi's. Miss Dappen is a former McPherson College student.

Alex Richards discovered some animal footprints imbedded in some rocks near his home. If Alex can prove his theory, the discovery may have an important bearing upon our knowledge of the early animal life of this section of the country.

Several members of the faculty of McPherson college attended district conference of the Brethren Church this summer.

Mr. Leroy Doty and Mr. H. B. Gardner have been employed as field men by McPherson college this summer, enrolling new students. They have succeeded in bringing to this college many who could not have come otherwise. Mr. Doty is a former graduate of McPherson college.

## WELCOMES FRESHMEN



Dr. V. F. Schwalm, president of McPherson College, greeted freshmen here Freshmen Week. He spoke to the new students on the first Monday of school.

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**FIRST LETTER TO HOMEFOLKS GIVES PICTURE OF NEW LIFE**

**Things Begin to Happen Before Enrollment Starts on Monday**

Dearest folks back home: Hello, everybody! The moon is just coming up over the good old M. C. campus. Gee it seems good to be back with all the kids—and professors! I dare say this week has proved quite a thriller.

Things began to happen when Brammel dropped in Saturday night. A good old handshake like his makes you feel like a million dollars. There were only three of us old girls in the dorm amongst all the newcomers. We almost wondered how we could play campus sisters to them all. Martha Hursh busted in on us at noon to relieve us of our worry, and then kids kept popping in on us like fairies.

Of course on Monday we began the annual breadline to make Replogle believe we were hungry for knowledge.

The Bulldog football team proves to be full of action. So you know what will be our movie this year. Quite a few are getting knocked cold. We had to name one "Scarface," after that movie (you know the gangster picture) but it's not machine guns that gave him the scars. It takes a good Bulldog to put up such a fight.

Say, 90 per cent of the romances left over from last year are still blooming. Not many have seemed to withered over the hot summer months. The way some "star gaze" around here almost make me sure they weren't astronomy students. And has Dan Cupid sent some more arrows whirling. You can't ever tell what's going to happen.

The freshmen sure prove to have some talent even if they are the green crop. A horn blower almost sets you to dancing and there's a vocalist that sure has the volume. I guess he'll be everyone's radio around here this winter. The pianist in the boy's dorm is so good that the castle bulges out on both sides.

I met that cute heart sister of mine, Geo. I feel sunk beside her.

She's got rings, pins, letters, etc., etc., because she was valedictorian and even victorian at her high school. Anyway the sister party was a success even after the rainy weather.

The first freshman rebellion came at the watermelon feed Friday night. Nevertheless they still have to wear their green caps and like it too.

The faculty members seem quite nice. I like all the kids, too. My the chapel seems 92 and two-thirds per cent filled now with the 112 freshmen and others.

There are gobs of Fords decorating the campus. The yellow one is the loudest and best looking.

Joe E. Brown is in our midst! At least we have a freskie who looks like a man. Maybe we're just kidding ourselves though.

Well, I had about ten minutes time out but that's because the guy I've been going with talked me into "ankling" down town with him on a date. I wish I'd brought my roller skates so it wouldn't be so bad—but being as it's who it is I won't mind my dogs getting a little tired.

Order the Spectator so I won't have to write so much in my letters. That tells you the dope off first, second, and third class.

Classes are going O. K. though they were kinda haywire the first few days—trying to get schedules to fit the hours, or hours to suit the schedules. I don't know which. Love to the old bunch,  
**YOUR BULLDOG.**

**VICKY THE VOLUBLE**  
By Una Ring

A day and a half later—a day and a half later than what? Why the great faculty reception, the really formal event of the year. After I got out my best suit and had it cleaned and pressed—or was it my backless gown? Now I have even forgotten what gender to use. Since I started in with German and gender is no longer determined by sex I don't know whether to call a her a he or a him as it. When I met the new freshman who sits in a class beside me I said, "I'm glad to know you Mr. Bozo. Are you the daughter of Mr. H. L. Bozo of Bozoline, Nebraska? I mean are you the son of Mr. Bozo—or—a—I mean is he your mother?" Anyway she wasn't his father nor any of her relation; so please don't ask me about it.

Doesn't it seem grand to get back and stroll together under the hedge? Oh, I forgot—you are a freshman, aren't you? And I guess I don't mean hedge—maybe it's elm or possibly I simply mean down Euclid.

You know I was a freshman one time. That was the year just before I was a sophomore. That reminds me; with such a lot of men in the freshman class you may be able to take your distinguishing caps off by Thanksgiving. Still the sophomores won last year, only they were freshmen that year. I mean that the freshmen this year will have to beat the freshmen last year; but the game will be played this year.

I hope that by Thanksgiving I will be able to tell who are freshmen and who are uppers. (Speaking of uppers our illustrious Selves was recently deprived one one of his upper—or maybe lower—wisdom teeth). As I was saying, I recently caught myself being very humble to a nice-looking classmate when he happened to turn his back and I noticed a bit of tell-tale green peeping from his hip pocket. However, I hope that I soon know to whom to be condescending or con-ascending (or something—ascending). Still—I have met one girl four times already and she will probably say how do you do very coldly the next time I am introduced. I wish it were due to my many changes of clothing, but alas I have not one distinctive feature, let alone more than one distinctive outfit. And my condescension is trailing in the dust.

I am droopily yours.

**McGAFFEY IS BACK AFTER YEAR'S LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

Miss Edith McGaffey resumed her duties in the Department of English this year. During her leave of absence last year Miss McGaffey took graduate work in the University of Chicago.

If hot air were music some people would be a whole brass band.

**COLLEGE ACTIVITIES OUTLINED FOR FRESHMEN**

**Various Phases of M. C. Life Given by Campus Leaders in Y. M. Program**

Yesterday at 10:00 o'clock the Y. M. C. A. held its first meeting with a total attendance of sixty-eight men. The meeting was opened by Carol Whitecher who read "The House by the Side of the Road," and led the group in prayer. He then presented the purpose of the first meeting which was to create a clearer understanding of the organizations which influence college life and inspire those already familiar with them to keep McPherson College a school of quality.

Guy Hayes then summarized the activities of the student council organization. The student council is made up of a president and treasurer, who are elected by the entire student body. Each class also elects a man and a woman to represent them and the "M" club, W. A. A. organization, Fine Arts department, and faculty also contribute representatives. The activities of the student council are the sponsoring of the Spectator, the Quadrangle, social functions, tournaments, dramatics, dorm rules, and discipline problems.

Orval Eddy then outlined the athletic program of McPherson College. He pointed out the extensive intramural program of the school which includes every man on the campus who desires to partake in it. Intramural activities include the Freshman-Sophomore football game, A and B league basketball, and intra-mural track meets. Mr. Eddy gave a very hopeful report for the coming variety athletic program.

Delvis Bradshaw told of what the College Christian Endeavor Society, the World Service group, and the Y. M. C. A. organizations contribute to the college. In the C. E. the men and women intermingle to discuss problems and this organization is a bit general. The World Service group sends out as many deputation teams as seem advisable and holds discussions about many problems of widespread importance. The Y. M. C. A. is an organization where young men discuss heart to heart problems. Mr. Bradshaw closed his talk by pointing out how a great electric machine is worthless without current so a man is worthless without divine guidance. We are all created in the Spirit of God. It is this spirit which makes McPherson College a School of Quality.

Lester Pote announced a freshman stag hike for next Monday evening at 4:00 o'clock.

The next edition of the Spectator will be dedicated to the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A., student organizations on the campus. With this edition the "Y" organizations will begin their annual membership drive. Members of each cabinet will be given an opportunity to express themselves on some topic or theme related to their organizations.

This edition will also be dedicated to the alumni of McPherson college and copies of the Spectator will be sent to them.

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**COLLEGE C. E. HOLDS FIRST MEETING OF YEAR**

**Vesper Service on Campus Is First Program**

The first meeting of the college Christian Endeavor society was a vesper service held on the college campus Sunday, September 10. Included in the program was a selection of nature readings given by Miss Della Lehman. This was followed by a talk by Dean F. A. Replogle. Dean Replogle, in his talk, challenged students to higher and more constructive thinking, pointing out the great need of constructive thinking today.

Sunday, September 17, the regular C. E. program was given in the basement of the college church. This program consisted of a number of short biographies given by different students. Wayne Carr discussed the life of J. Cook. Neva Root told of the hardships and trials of John Bunyan. Clarence Sink and Faith Kotterman discussed the lives of two Bible characters. Slak telling of Nehemiah, his work in the king's court and later in rebuilding Jerusalem and Miss Kotterman speaking on the trials of Job. Wayne Carr sang a tenor solo, "Like As a Father." Guy Hayes was in charge of devotions for the meeting.

The Christian Endeavor society will need to be reorganized in a short time due to the fact that a number of the officers and committee chairmen are not returning to school. The officers who have returned are Royal Frantz, president; Paul Sherry, vice president; Paul Heckman, treasurer; Galea Ogden, program chairman; Lois Edwards, music chairman, and Lois Fry, social chairman.

Ward Williams of the class of '33 was on the campus Saturday.

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# SPORTS

## FOOTBALL PRACTICE FOR McPHERSON COLLEGE BULLDOGS IN PROGRESS FOR PAST TWO WEEKS

Backfield Looks Stronger Than Any In Recent Years But Line Needs Power and Weight—Ten Lettermen Reporting

**FIRST GAME WITH CHILOCCO**  
Scrimmaging and Hard Work Begun For Contest Only Week Off

Football practice has been in progress for the McPherson College Bulldogs for the past two weeks and Coaches Melvin J. Binford and Lester Selves are beginning to get a line on the material they have at hand.

At the present time there are ten lettermen reporting for daily practices. Prospects for the new men to develop are looking good.

Lettermen in the line include Mincar, Guy Hayes, Orville Eddy, Newell Wine, Walter Pauls and Robert Bowman. Backfield men who have won letters at McPherson college are: Leonard Wiggins, Harold Binford, Chet Johnson and Russell Carpenter.

The Bulldog line will be lighter this year than last and somewhat inexperienced. For center position Coach Binford has Cleo Mincar, a two-year letterman. However, he is being pressed by Kauffman, an all-Central Kansas League man and it looks like a real battle for the position.

Eddy and Hayes are lettermen at guards. Berger and Vasquez are new men who have been showing up well as guards. Vasquez was a backfield man in high school but is a good blocker and at present it looks as though he will see much action at guard position.

Wine, a three-year letterman is the only veteran tackle in the Bulldog camp. Walter Weddle and David Duncanson, squadmen from last year are working for tackle positions. Chester Caldwell, who has been an all-Central Kansas League selection for the past two years looks like a good candidate for one tackle. There is also the possibility of shifting Eddy to a tackle position.

Lettermen at ends are Pauls and Bowman. Archer Van Nortwick, another end was a member of the Bulldog squad two years ago. Harold Johnston, captain of the local high school team last year, is trying for one of the end positions. Prather, another freshman looks like a good man for an end.

At present it seems that the backfield will be the strongest that it has been for several years. If the line holds up the backfield should be a power in the conference this year. Chet Johnson and Harold Binford are both lettermen at quarterback. Byron Eshelman and Cox are new men trying for this position.

Carpenter and Wiggins are veterans at the halfback positions, and several other freshmen are bidding for these positions. Custer, a member of last season's team is showing up well in the backfield.

Hahn is proving to be a good halfback. He is a good punter and also does well in the open field. Godsey and Dannenburg have shown up well at the halfback position.

Coach Binford is without a veteran for the fullback position but has two men with good high school records working for the position. One of these men is Duress, who captained the Blackwell, Oklahoma, high school team last year. The other probable fullback is Dunn, who played with the Nickerson high school team.

The backfield has been doing well, but considerable work will have to be done with the line in the next few days. Scrimmages have been gone through the last few nights and workouts will be much harder during the next few days.

The opening game will be played next Wednesday evening with the Chillico Indians at McPherson.

### FOOTBALL TICKET SALE IS GETTING UNDERWAY

The ticket sale for the five home games of the Bulldogs this year is getting underway downtown. Season tickets are being sold for \$2.00 or an average cost of 40 cents a game. Harry Frantz is in charge of the

ticket selling and quite a few tickets have been sold. Plans are being made for a new canvass of the town.

### FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- Sept. 27.—Chillico, here.
- Oct. 6.—Friends, here.
- Oct. 13.—Wesleyan, Salina.
- Oct. 20.—Baker, here.
- Oct. 26.—Bethel, Newton.
- Nov. 3.—Bethany, here.
- Nov. 10.—Ottawa, there.
- Nov. 17.—Okla. Bap., Shawnee
- Nov. 30.—York, Nebr., here.

### SELVES IS ASSISTANT FOOTBALL COACH AGAIN

Lester "Bud" Selves, who assisted Coach Binford in training the Bulldog team two years ago is back. Last year Mr. Selves was employed in Emporia.

Coach Selves is working on the backfield while Binford has been coaching the line.

### LIKE THE BULLDOGS' LOOKS

A number of downtown fans have been watching the McPherson college football squad in its workouts recently, and now that the scrimmage stage has been reached, larger crowds are getting out in the late afternoon. It looks now as if Coaches Binford and Selves have the best group of grid talent that has been available at the school in recent years, and they are shaping into form nicely. There is a big array of backfield material trying out for the first team positions, and looking over the men at work it would appear as if the coaches will have to use the judgment of Solomon in making their selections in this department. The line is showing marked improvement, and it looks now as if the Canines will give their supporters some real entertainment this fall.—McPherson Republican.

### 72 IN SUMMER SCHOOL THIS YEAR

The McPherson college summer school had an attendance of 72 students this year. Also there were 24 fine arts students under Miss Fern Lingenfelter.

Those members of the faculty that taught in summer school were: Miss Edith McGaffey, Prof. M. A. Hess, Prof. J. A. Blair, Dr. J. D. Bright, Prof. J. L. Bowman, Prof. E. A. Bohling and the Misses Brown, Lingenfelter and Colline.

Approximately 1000 students have enrolled in Wichita University and 400 at Friends University this semester. Both schools have shown a substantial increase in the freshman class.

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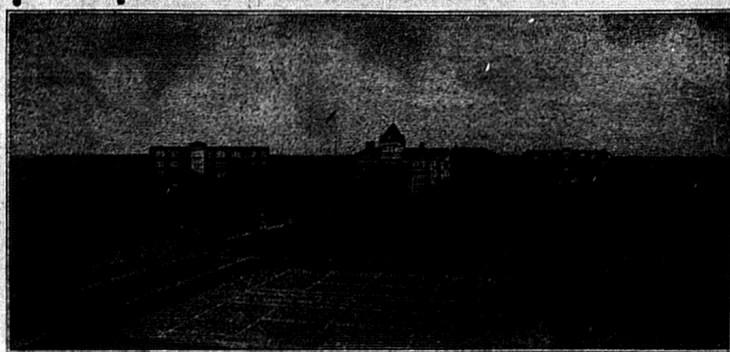
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## WELCOME AGAIN



The McPherson College campus welcomes again the students to its doors. Above is an aerial view of the campus. This is the picture as it will appear in The Quadrangle this year.

### FRESHMEN WELCOMED HERE LAST WEEK

Detailed Programs Dealing With Freshman Problems Given Here

Speeches, questionnaires, socials—everything is being done to greet the freshman and adjust him to college life. Monday and Tuesday the freshman's time was chiefly occupied with registration and a series of meetings and addresses.

Monday evening freshmen and faculty joined in a get-together and social in which each student was given a chance to get acquainted with the faculty. The enrollment hours for freshmen on these two days were from 1:30 to 5:30 o'clock on Monday and from 2:30 to 5:30 on Tuesday.

The objectives of freshman days as outlined by the Freshman Committee are: "1. To give the freshmen a friendly welcome to McPherson college. 2. To help the freshmen get acquainted with one another and with the school. 3. To shorten the time that is usually required for the freshman to adjust themselves to college environment. 4. To introduce the freshmen early to the many desirable influences which affect college life. 5. To have the freshmen fully prepared to begin classwork on Wednesday at 10:30."

Those members of the faculty on the Freshman Committee are: Prof. S. M. Dell, Prof. M. A. Hess, Prof. J. L. Bowman, Prof. E. R. Bohling, Miss Della Lehman, and Miss Helen McElrath.

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With this issue the Spectator begins its seventeenth year as the weekly publication of the student-council of McPherson college. Beginning with the second week of school, the paper is issued each week. This procedure has been followed, with slight exception since its beginning. No paper will be issued the week of Christmas vacation.

Each Wednesday noon the Spectator will be placed in a box in the hall of the administration building. One paper will be provided each student.

There will be thirty-five issues this year.

"Save and teach all you are interested in to save; thus pave the way for moral and spiritual success."—Thomas Jefferson.

At Ottawa University the annual "chicken scrap" ended last week with the sophomores winning. Each sophomore succeeded in tying up two freshmen in the time allotted him. This contest is similar to the freshman-sophomore football game on our campus.

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