Guthals Reigns As Homecoming Queen

The Spectator

VOL. XXVII. Z-223 McPHERSON COLLEGE, McPHERSON, KANSAS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1943 NUMBER 11

Blough, Jones And Sandy Are Royalty Attendants

A crown was at stake Tuesday, November 23, when McPherson College students exercised the right of franchise in an all-school election. Berniece Guthals, a junior, was selected at that time to fulfill the part of Homecoming Queen in the Homecoming activities next weekend.

As the sophmore attendant to the Queen, Joan Blough received the highest total of the votes which were cast that afternoon. Norma Lea Jones was chosen by her schoolmates to attend the Queen as a representative from the freshman ranks.

Marilynn Sandy, a senior and a resident of McPherson, will present the crown to Miss Guthals at the festivities Friday evening, December 10. Marilynn was the Homecoming Queen last year. A member of Who's Who, she is a senior, wellknown to her fellow students, now as the business manager of the Quadrangle, formerly a co-editor of the Spectator.

Berniece Guthals is a native of Elmo, Kansas. She attended McPherson College as a freshman but spent her sophmore year at Kansas State. She is campus editor of the Spectator, a member of the Social Committee, and has had experience on the Student Council.

Joan Blough, of Waterloo, Iowa, is noted for her vocal successes. She is a member of a cappella and choral club and sings on the second women's quartet, besides appearing often as a soloist.

The freshman attendant, Norma Lea Jones, lives in McPherson but attended Hutchinson High School last year. She was one of the eight who received admittance to the Thespian Club at the beginning of the year.

The election last week followed the regular practice of each class's selecting four girls from whom its contribution to the royalty was to be chosen. The Homecoming Queen of the year before automatically becomes the individual who hands over the crown to the incoming Queen.

The four girls who were junior candidates for the Queenship were Berniece Guthals, Betty Kimmel, Anne Metzler, and Evelyn Wilson. The sophomores nominated Joan Blough, Annette Glasier, Elva Jean Harbaugh, and Joyce Peter for their candidates. Jane Anderson, Norma Lea Jones, Lois Kauffman, and Twila Neely ran for freshman representative.

M. C. To Welcome Reunion Of Old and New

Homecoming Activities Are Scheduled For December 10

Later this year than usual but, nevertheless, a reality, Homecoming activities are scheduled for next weekend, with Friday, December 10, set for the Homecoming Game and the crowning of the Queen.

As a foreword to Friday's celebration the students will rally Thursday morning during the regular activity period as they conduct their "Swede Funeral". The Barkerettes are in charge of this second pep meeting of the year.

Thursday evening the Bulldogs will rant and rage in the pajama parade. Clad in pajamas, they will wend their way in and out through town in the annual snake dance. The Barkerettes are planning this activity, also.

Friday morning during the regular chapel period the program which is being planned by the chapel committee will be devoted to the Homecoming festivities.

Dining hall management has consented to serve dinner Friday evening at 5:30 in order to make it possible for the evening's events to begin promptly. This is the annual Homecoming dinner which is planned by the Alumni Association.

Immediately after the dinner students will assemble for the snake dance which, directed by the M Club, W. A. A., and the cheerleaders, precedes the game.

At 7:30 Friday, December 10, the Bulldogs meet the Bethany Swedes in the Community Building of downtown McPherson. Between halves the crowning of the Homecoming Queen will be held. The Student Council is in charge of this part of the activities.

The Thespian Club and the Play Production class are collaborating in the presentation of the play, "Letters to Lucerne", which will be staged immediately after the game.

Complimentary tickets to the game have been sent to all alumni who have McPherson as their post office address. All alumni will be seated in a special group, as will the students.

Single admission to the game and the play is set at 40 cents plus tax or 45 cents for each event. However, special rates will be given in the combination ticket which sells for 70 cents plus tax or 79 cents. This ticket provides admission to both the game and the play.

Fisher Helps In Solution Of Music Difficulties

Professor Fisher one of the five members of the Music Commission of the Church of the Brethren, left the campus Monday, November 22, to attend an important meeting of this board which considered a number of important problems on church music. The organization has been recently reorganized under the General Board of Christian Education with headquarters at Elgin, Illinois. Musical projects outlined by this commission will affect the musical programs of the church and our church colleges.

Professor Fisher returned home on Thanksgiving Day.

Freshman Discusses Chinese Religions

Wednesday morning's chapel began with a prelude by Eva Mae Klotz. The program was rather unusual in the fact that it was led by a freshman student, Miss Susan Ikenberry, of Twin Falls, Idaho. Since Miss Ikenberry is well acquainted with China, having spent most of her life there as the daughter of a Brethren missionary, her interesting topic was on the various religions and gods of China. "China," Miss Ikenberry said, "is steeped in superstitions and beliefs of the past." There has been little change in the worship of the kitchen god which is supposed to take account of everything spoken and done in the kitchen and to report it to heaven, the rain god which is prayed to for rain for crops, the goddess of mercy to whom the Chinese women in particular pray for help and sons, and in the worship of the Old Father of the Heavens for great periods of time.

Missionaries, including preachers, doctors, and teachers, are pointing China to a great Christian future and introducing progress into this ancient land.

Peters-Van Popering United In Marriage

The home of Pres. and Mrs. W. W. Peters was the scene of a wedding Friday, November 26, when their daughter, Lina Catherine, was united in marriage to Lt. Earle A. Van Popering. President Peters performed the wedding ceremony.

Mrs. Van Popering graduated from Manchester College in 1940 and is now teaching English in the McPherson Junior High school. Lt. Van Popering is stationed at the Smokey Hill Army Air Base.

Rev. Browne Delivers Thanksgiving Message

The Thanksgiving chapel service was presented to the student audience one week ago last Monday, November 21. Dr. Burton Metzler presided over the simple and effective service.

In the absence of Professor Nevin Fisher, Joan Blough directed the group singing.

The Reverend C. Clayton Browne, pastor of the Baptist Church of McPherson, delivered the holiday message.

Thanksgiving is the time to relax our hurried pace to think and give thanks for the common things of life, little things that we so often take for granted.

Jesus, in his ministry, used the common things of life as his most powerful illustrations lilies, children, sparrows. Thanksgiving is the day to take time out to say "thank you."

In addition to the common things of life, we take people for granted, people who are essential to our daily life. We are forgetful of the coal man and the miner, of the baker and the wheat farmer, of the policeman who guards our streets while we sleep.

Thanksgiving Day comes once a year to remind us to give thanks for the commonplace things in life, and for the people who make that life worthwhile. And most of all to thank the all-loving God, who has planned his universe so that if man lives unselfishly there is enough for all his people," concluded Reverend Browne.

Rotarians Present Lecture On Russia

Four internationally known speakers, sponsored by the McPherson Rotary Club, are giving a series of educational lectures at the high school auditorium during the next three weeks. The first lecturer, Simon Davidian, appeared Tuesday evening, November 30, and discussed affairs in Russia. He has traveled extensively, especially in Europe, and had a thorough knowledge of the world situation. The next lecture is scheduled for December 7, at which time O. D. Foster will speak. Dr. Foster is a publicist and a student of Latin American affairs. He has been actively engaged in the first hand study of conditions in Central and South American countries. The third speaker in the series is David Coyle, a distinguished American author and diplomat who will appear December 14. He has been in England since September, 1942, and is an authority on the trend of British life and opinion in wartime. The last lecture, January 11, will be given by I. J. Fisher, who is an educator and lecturer on Far Eastern affairs. For twenty-two years he was a member of the staff of the University of Tokyo, and the only foreigner on the staff of the Naval College at Tokyo.

These lectures are being presented to promote international understanding. Each speaker is highly qualified to give an intelligent discussion of the subject. There is a discussion period after each lecture, at which time members of the audience may ask questions which the speaker will answer. No admission charge is made, but voluntary contributions are accepted at the door. The lectures begin at 8:00 p. m.

Elrod Tours In Iowa; Lectures In Institute

Rev. James Elrod has been on an extended tour through Iowa this past week in the interests of a Rural Life Institute.

This is a new and practical emphasis upon the work of the church. Rev. Elrod left McPherson Monday and is expected to return tomorrow. Lectures in three churches were presented by Elrod. The second speaker was Dr. Stacey of the Agricultural College, Ames, Iowa, who joined the tour.

The Institute met Tuesday in the Monroe County Church, Albia, Iowa. Wednesday lectures were given to Prairie City folk. The Fredericksburg congregation entertained the two speakers Thursday.

Peters And Male Quartet Give Program At Darlow

The Varsity Male Quartet will add another journey to its growing list when it deserts Macampus Sunday morning for Edward Murray's congregation at Barlow.

President W. W. Peters will accompany the quartet to Darlow at which the five men are scheduled to present the Sunday morning church service.

Church Of The Brethren Welcomes Students:

Sunday School for College Students ....9:45 a. m.
Church Service .....10:45 a. m.
Sermon—
Rev. Bernard N. King
Subject—
"Lovely Are Thy Dwelling Places."
College B. Y. P. D. .... 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p. m.
Sermon—
Rev. Bernard N. King
Subject—
"The Mystery of the Faith"
a pre-Christmas meditation.

A Cappella Gives First Performance

The A Cappella Choir makes its first trip and public performance this Sunday evening to the Methodist Church, Lyons, Kansas.

This musical organization is scheduled to present a program of Christmas music, and the choir will maintain the high quality of past performances.

Main feature of the program is the Christmas cantata, "When The Christ Child Came", by Joseph Clokey. Jean McNicol, Keith Burton, Eloise McKnight, Eugene Lichty, and Mr. Harold Beam of rural McPherson are interpreting the solo parts.

Other musical numbers will complete the evening's program. The choir will sing two Christmas songs; each of the Varsity Quartets will add its contribution.

Lucile Harris and Alvin Klotz have prepared solos for the occasion.

Cast Rehearsals Look Forward to Production Date

Thespians Stage "Letters" As Homecoming Feature

December 10 is the night of the Thespian Club's and the Play Production Class's presentation of the three-act play, "Letters to Lucerne." The play will be given after the basketball game as an added attraction for the Homecoming Festivities of that weekend. Both the play and the game will be in the Community Building.

The theme of "Letters to Lucerne" realistically presents the effect war has on innocent minds, young love and friendships; the action takes place in a Girl's School in Switzerland in the year 1939.

Six girls from Europe and America are the main characters and are portrayed by Maxine Ruehlen, Lillian Fulkerson, Lucile Harris, Norma Lea Jones, Betty Burger and Annette Glasier. Sympathetic teachers in the school are Jean McNicol and Berniece Guthals. The love interest is supplied by Don Keltner, while Keith Burton, Marvin Reeves and Alice May Boyce bring a note of laughter to the play.

Vocational Selections Stressed By Harper Will

"What are you going to do with your life?" was the question around which Rev. Harper Will centered his last chapel address Friday, November 19. "Be ashamed to die until you have won a victory for humanity," he urged.

Rev. Will took as his text the passage: "But when Jesus saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion for them." He stressed the sections, "Jesus had eyes" and "He had a heart to feel." College students, through selfishness, often fail to see the suffering going on about them and, even more often, fail to do anything about it. "We have failed," Will said, "in the purpose of life if we do not see suffering and are not moved to action by it."

Dell Travels To Nebraska

Professor and Mrs. Dell and family spent last week at the home of J. C. Dell in Beatrice, Nebraska. Professor Dell's father, J. C. Dell, is retiring.

Professor Dell helped in the dispersion sale which included fifty head of registered shorthorn cattle and twenty-five head of registered Percheron horses.

Arnold Hall Diners Feast In Holiday Mood

Soft candlelight, music, and Christmas decorations formed the setting for one of the annual formal banquets held in the dining hall of Arnold Dormitory last night.

Individual place cards marked the places for the seventy-two diners. Dr. and Mrs. Desmond Bittinger and Prof. and Mrs. S. M. Dell were guests of the banquet.

The planning committee was composed of Miss Edna Neher, Joan Blough, Elva Jean Harbaugh, and Lois Nicholson. Miss Mildred Siek and Mrs. Agnes Nickey planned the menu, and Miss Siek's Foods Class served the meal.

At The Stroke Of The Clock

Friday, Dec. 3, Basketball Game at Herington.
Saturday, Dec. 4, Debate Tournament at Bethel College, Newton.
Sunday, Dec. 5, A Cappella Choir to Lyons.
Friday, Dec. 10, HOMECOMING,
Chapel, 9:50 a. m.
Alumni Dinner, Arnold Hall, 5:30 p. m.
Snake Dance
Basketball Game with Bethany at 7:30.
Thespian Play at 9:00.

They Think It's Worth Forty Cents . . .

"The most popular fellow on the campus," it has been said, "is the one who every morning between 8:30 and 9:00 o'clock comes marching up Arnold Hall steps with his pack slung over his manly shoulders. Boys and girls alike flock around this noble bearer of tiding as he picks up the outgoing and lays down the ingoing parcels and letters. Yes, the postman is certainly not the forgotten man!

That was McPherson College . . . Imagine, then, the furor which would be aroused in an all-girls' school in Lucerne, Switzerland, at the sight of Marvin Reeves in the role of Francois, the ancient and even somewhat decrepit French postman. Especially, if the girls are thousands of miles away from their homes and if the times are typified by the unrest of the fall of 1939.

It's hard to visualize, but this time we will see Jean McNicol not as the hiccing wench of "You Can't Take It With You" or the "Blossom Girl" of "The Man Who Came to Dinner," but rather as the demure and staid matron of the school in which centers all of the action of the Thespians' and Play Production Class's latest play, "Letters to Lucerne."

In case you've been wondering about a brogue which may have developed in the speech of Annette Glasier, Maxine Ruehlen, and Berniece Guthals, will it suffice to say that the school at Lucerne, as is said so often of our own 'school of quality' is truly a cosmopolitan group? The three aforementioned girls happen to be playing Polish and German parts which require definite dialects.

Those who enjoyed the laughs which the eye-rolling escapades of Beverley Carlton aroused last year will be able to snicker again next Friday night as Keith Burton strikes home in the part of Gustave, the gardner, with his characteristic French accent and giggle in his banterings with Alice Mae Boyce, the loyal little French cook.

That no dramatic production is complete without a touch of "love stuff" seems to be a common ideology . . . well, "Letters to Lucerne" could not be said to be incomplete after one views the brief but romantic scene between Glasier and Keltner. The allied efforts of fellow cast members which were demonstrated by the panting noises which proceeded from behind scenes every time the young couple went into action during rehearsals . . . and the presence of one of the assistant directors in the audience . . . didn't help matters much so far as Don was concerned. However, it is believed that the two of them each have enough experience back of them (experience in acting, of course) that they will be able to make their scene really effective.

Lucile Harris leaves the Mrs. Cliveden-Banks affectations off the stage this time as she appears as Bingo, one of the most lovable and kind girls in the play. Betty Dean Burger and Lillian Fulkerson, as French and English students, respectively, contrive to make themselves generally disagreeable for a while as they demonstrate the feline tendencies which must crop up in any group from time to time.

"Sally" Norma Lea Jones, is a charming Southern miss with a typical drawl and the usual "man-complex" of the teen-age girl.

When disruption and unrest strike the usually peaceful atmosphere of the little boarding school, matters are made still worse by the grueling investigation of the Reich in the hands of Dean Hoefle, who appears as a member of the foreign police.

All in all, everything considered, (or whatever other expression that may fit here), the play is one which certainly is composed of variety in "skirts." The men are few, but their quality is good, and we trust that "Letters to Lucerne" will not disappoint you!

The Spectator

Official Student Publication of McPherson College, McPherson, Kansas. Published every Friday during the school year by the Student Council.

1943 Member 1944
Associated College Press

REPRESENTED FOR NATIONAL ADVERTISING BY
National Advertising Service, Inc.
College Publishers Representative
420 MADISON AVE. NEW YORK, N. Y.
CHICAGO · BOSTON · LOS ANGELES · SAN FRANCISCO

HOME OF THE BULLDOGS THE SCHOOL OF QUALITY

Entered as second class matter November 20, 1917, at the postoffice at McPherson, Kansas under the act of March 3, 1897.

Subscription Rates for One School Year $1.00

Address All Correspondence to THE SPECTATOR McPherson, Kansas

THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Blanche Geisert ..... Editor-in-chief
Anne Metzler ..... Managing Editor
Bernice Guthala ..... Campus Editor
Don Keltner ..... Sports Editor
Maurice A. Hess ..... Faculty Adviser

REPORTERS AND SPECIAL WRITERS

Maxine Ruehlen, Marilyn Sandy, Virginia Bales, Jane Anderson, Annette Glasier, Ernest Ikenberry, Jean McNicol, Mary Beth Loshbaugh, Mildred Cartner, Leora Dobrinski

THE BUSINESS STAFF

Vurile Howard and Keith Burton ..... Co-Business Managers
Lloyd Dale ..... Collector

CIRCULATION STAFF

J. H. Fries ..... Faculty Adviser
Helen Burkholder ..... Circulation Manager
Geraldine Corbett ..... Assistant
Lois Gauby ..... Assistant
Leora Dobrinski ..... Typist
Ila Verne Lobban ..... Typist
Margaret Peterson ..... Typist
Evelyn Weaver ..... Typist

Like Unto The Pendulum!

"The voice of the people" is a term we hear and use from the time we first learn that there is such a thing as a constitution and we continue hearing, and even saying, on through our educational careers. Yet sometimes after attending a so-called democratic meeting, I feel like saying simply, "So what?"

Nearly every club or organization on our campus and elsewhere is theoretically supposed to be ruled by public opinion or a majority vote . . . and I suppose it is true that they are goverened by majority votes. Yet after many such meetings are over, if a controversy has arisen during the meeting, a number of individuals will usually be heard complaining as to the result of the vote and maintaining that they heartily DISAGREE with the outcome.

At the same time these are the individuals who go to the meeting, sit there without moving a muscle (unless, perchance, to voice a timid "aye" when it looks as if that is the way the vote is going anyway) and when the time comes to vote upon an important motion, watch furtively to see how their neighbors are going to decide. All too often, even though the majority may have voted that way, the decision is made not by public opinion, but rather by the opinion of the minority . . . **merely because these people who are more than willing to speak up in a "gripe session" afterwards are afraid to do so when the issue is at stake.**

I attended such a meeting recently. Some of you may know of what I am speaking . . . but that is not the important thing. **I may disagree with the minority who are able to sway the majority, but I respect them for it! They, at least, are willing to state their opinions and to fight for them if necessary.**

If people old enough to be attending college are not mature enough in the opinions and adult enough in their minds to make their own decisions and then to stick by them regardless of how many are against them, perhaps we should not have the privileges of voting and expressing our opinions.

True it is that there is virtue in being able to admit that one is wrong and to change ones mind if the thinking which underlay the first belief was mistaken or illogical . . . but be careful how soon you admit it . . . and be sure that you have a good reason for changing and are not merely following the whims of the loudest talker!

Languages To Offer Field

To test their proficiency students also use phonograph records. While a man listens to his recording, he watches his original text; each mistake is corrected by the instructor, and speedy improvement follows.

In spite of the hard drill and constant memorization, men at Cornell have a cheerful attitude toward learning languages. Even the refugees among the students, who have the initial advantage of knowing the language, find the course stimulating. Instructors were surprised when they found that the top students in the language courses are usually native Americans.

The teachers are convinced that the post-war effect of the Army's program will be a new awareness of foreign languages in the schools, and they expect an enormous demand for qualified teachers. This enthusiasm will last only if some of the advantages of the "mimi-memo" method are used, one instructor said. Emphasis now given to the spoken language helps to do an urgent job efficiently, but it will have to be combined with more conventional methods of study, aiming at literature in a foreign language, in the post-war college language courses, he said.

"To Have And To Hold"

"To be at home in all lands and ages: to count Nature a familiar acquaintance, and Art an intimate friend: to gain a standard for the appreciation of other men's work and the criticism of your own: to carry the keys of world's library in your pocket, and feel its resources behind you in whatever task you undertake: to make hosts of friends among the men of your own age who are to be leaders in all walks of life; to lose yourself in generous enthusiasm and cooperate with others for common ends: to learn manners from students who are gentlemen, and form character under professors who are Christians: this is the offer of the College for the best four years of your life."—William De Witt Hyde, Harvard '70, reprinted in the Wartburg Trumpet.—By A.C.P.

Sunflowers and Sandburrs - - -

It was a thriller—speaking of the game with the Army. The cheerleaders will see to that—after they've learned a bit about the art of teamwork. Even though our cheering isn't exactly smooth and our yells are a bit insecure, we're right behind you; and our lusty squeals when you sink the ball through the net are as genuine as any you've ever heard. A bit of prophesy—there's a grand season ahead!

There were lots of khaki-clad youth in town the night of the game. Which fact led to at least one interesting incident. A soldier tapped Lois Nickelson on the shoulder. "Honey, are you married?" he said. And she, forgetting the serious man shortage, brushed right on by him.

Keith Burton was placed under a bit of stress and strain the other night at the down-town rehearsal of "Letters." You see, Miss D. L. was adamant that the person in question be present at the practice tonight. Keith blushed as he told of a high-school after-dinner program in which our own tickler of the ivories is to be an attraction. Keith blushed more when the whole truth burst into view. It seems that the poor fellow will also be the banquet guest of a certain city minister's daughter.

If campus clean-up day isn't an annual affair, it should be. If not for any reason than that classes are dismissed for one whole half day. (Isn't it strange that after paying money for those drowsy afternoon hours, we're so ready to snap up an excuse for skipping them?) But back to the clean-up. It's an excellent student-faculty mixer, and it certainly changed the campus appearance. Congrats on another SCM venture!

Homecoming is just ahead, and the busy week ahead has us all jumping up and down getting things ready and maybe taking a minute off here and there to study for a test that the teacher made a mistake in assigning in such a crucial period.

Oh, and please don't let me forget to trek to town to purchase a new pair of pajamas. I wore my old ones in the parade last year.

To The Editor:

As was suggested last week, it would seem that the "fat which has been in the fire" for the last few weeks should be burnt to a cinder by now. However, we have one more epistle which was too long to be used in the last Spectator. May we suggest that in the future it would be advisable to limit these letters to, perhaps, 350 words, as shorter letters not only require less space, but also are more likely to be read than long ones.

May we state again that these letters are not the policy or the belief of the Spectator but are merely unsolicited reader comments.

Dear Editor of the Spectator:

With the permission of last week's writer I should like to present my observation of the so-called democratic spirt as it exists on Macampus. Every story is made a bit more interesting by adding a bit of human interest, and since I do agree with him, I should like to add that touch which will bring it close home.

A survey of those who hold executive offices on the campus produces these facts:

The president of the junior class is president of the B.Y.P.D., besides being affiliated with the basketball team, second male quartet, other musical organizations, Recreational Council, and the S.C.M. cabinet.

One co-president of the S.C.M. is also on the Student Council, male quartet, basketball squad, Recreational Council, mixed quartet, and other musical organizations.

The other co-president of the S.C.M. is a member of the varsity women's and mixed quartets, president of the a cappella choir, besides her work in W.A.A., Recreational Council, Thespians, etc.

The president of the "M" Club is also president of the boys dorm, a member of the Student Council, Recreational and Men's Councils, a member of the S.C.M. cabinet, etc.

The president of the sophomore class is also a co-business manager of the Spectator, Thespian, and a member of the varsity male quartet in conjunction with his position as cheerleader.

The president of the senior class is president of the Thespians, president of the Pi Kappa Delta chapter, vice-president of the Student Council, as well as a member of the S.C.M. Cabinet, etc. ad infinitum.

This is just a sampling of what the democratic spirit can do for some people. Yet, I daresay that these people and their contemporaries are not the only capable people on the campus. Nor are these super-boys and girls always the victims of their own egotism (though I can't see how any one person can be the executive officer in more than two organizations without having acquired a highly exalted opinion of himself somewhere.) A lot of the responsibility rests with us who elect them. The spirit of democracy in the ordinary student seems to be one which puts forth the most popular person as his choice. Then it becomes an issue—not of who deserves the thing by virtue of their interest, length and quality of service, but rather who laughs loudest at the breakfast table, who has the most delicate tee-hee giggle, who tells you what a nice person you are most often, who squeezes your cheeks — ootchy-kotchy fashion, who tells you how to "Make the Shoe Fit" in six easy lesons, who can debate most eloquently and speak most fluently (especially on important subjects, such as door-knobs and hammer-handles), who quells every complaint which students might make about dormitory food or the music prof's latest blunder merely because "it couldn't be avoided this time" (and it happens constantly), who draws up a new constitution for every group of which he is a part (thereby showing a lack of a constitution for his own constitution), who, by virtue of their presi- of two organizationts, are sure that another one or two wouldn't hurt, rather, bolster their ego and spur them on to new and greater heights. dencies of two organizations, are sure that another one or two wouldn't hurt, rather, bolster their ego and spur them on to new and greater heights.

This type of democracy is a carry-over from high-school days. Nor will it cease until the gullible student quits worshiping idols and dares to stand for the deserving one rather than the popular one.

Signed,
A Student

Our President Comments:

As I find myself growing older and having to face more and more difficult and perplexing problems having to do with human relations and affecting personalities, I am reminded again and again of the little girl's prayer when she said, "O! Lord, make all the bad people good, and make all the good people nice."

I wish I could demonstrate better how to be nice, for "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he" and what we are to people is of much more value than what we may say to them.

If we are genuinely good, we are nice; and all who know us or have relations with us are conscious of the fact that we are good, not because we are afraid to be bad but because being good brings to us joy and satisfaction.

Bixby, Lindsay & Co.

For "Goodness Sake" Use
"W-R" FLOUR
MADE BY
The Wall-Rogalsky Milling Co.
Phone 100

McPherson Meat Market
Leading dealers in Fresh and Cured Meats in McPherson since 1919
Oliver & Nelson, Props.
Phone 107 & 108 104 N. Main

WIDE VARIETY - SUPERIOR QUALITY - LOW PRICES
HAWLEY HARDWARE
LOWELL HAWLEY - Proprietor
219 N. Main

GENUINE PARTS
for Magnetos, Starting and Lighting Systems
G. O. Swanson
ELECTRICAL SERVICE
Phone 187 310 N. Maple

We need 8,100 bushels of McPherson County wheat each day.
K. B. R. Milling Co.

THE HOME STATE BANK
M. G. Mathis, Cashier C. H. Heibert, President
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

IF
YOU NEED A
TABLE LAMP CHAIRS
STUDY DESK TYPEWRITER
TEXT BOOK BOOK CASE
Odd Jobs
or one of a hundred other things
Use a Classified Ad
10 Words 3 Days 35c
Phone 98
McPHERSON REPUBLICAN

McPHERSON
Professional Directory

Dr. Edward LeRoy Hodge
Dr. Dwight L. Smith
DENTISTS
306 South Main Phone 277

DR. A. W. GRAVES
OPTOMETRIST
Located Over Bixby-Lindsay
106½ N. Main Phone 759

Dr. W. E. Gregory
— DENTIST —
Office Phone 372
Res. Phone 295
MALTBY BLDG.

Douglas M. Hale
TYPEWRITERS
REPAIRS AND RENTALS
Lower Lobby F. A. I. Bldg.

College Orators Display Talents In Tournament

Bethel Debate Tourney Is Host To Eight Teams

Early Saturday morning eight debate teams from McPherson will leave for an inter-college, five-round debate tournament to be held at Bethel College, Lindsborg.

Representing the Men's Varsity Squad are Wayne Parris and Wayne Geisert, Charles Lunkley and Bob Yoder. On the Women's Varsity Squad are Blanche Geisert and Maxine Ruehlen, Anna Mae Tinkler and Annette Glasier. Other McPherson teams are Ernest Ikenberry and Charles Dummond, Dale Brown and Elvin Frantz, Mary Beth Loshbaugh and Maurine Gish and one mixed team, Keith Burton and Freda Aurell.

Coaches J. M. Berkebile and Maurice Hess will drive cars as will Wayne Parris. Acting as extra judges are Anne Metzler and Dean Stucky.

The debate coach at Bethel is in charge of this tournament and has extended invitations to fifty surrounding colleges.

The question for debate is "Resolved; that the United States should cooperate in establishing and maintaining an international police force upon the defeat of the Axis."

Gangs Participate In Campus Combing

S. C. M. Students Clean-up Prepare Campus For Guests

As part of the Homecoming preparations, gangs of students congregated yesterday afternoon dedicating their time to campus improvements. The clean-up movement was sponsored by the Student Christian Movement.

Paper scraps were picked from the yards, and three rake gangs gave the entire campus a complete combing. Sidewalks were swept and repaired.

Perhaps the greatest campus improvement was planting and trimming of shrubbery.

After a strenuous afternoon with rake, shovel, and broom, refreshments were served to hungry students and faculty member in the Student Union Room.

Afternoon classes were dismissed for the all-school project.

The various gangs that functioned on clean-up day were headed by Charles Lunkley, Mildred Cartner, Eunice Swank, Hellen Callon, Ila Verne Lobban, Marvin Reeves, Lewis Thomas, Wayne Parris, Dale Brown, and Roberta Stinnette.

The committee in charge of the clean-up, headed by Edwin Rodabaugh, wishes to thank all who so willingly participated and helped to make the project a success.

"If The Shoe Fits - - -"

Good grooming might be said to reflect good breeding. A small wardrobe is no excuse for shoddiness. Try pulling your comb clear through your hair sometime, instead of merely making a pass at the end curls. It might be interesting to see what you would find and, also, to note the contrast!

A little 3-in-one oil might not be amiss where you are concerned. Your voice may naturally be a bit shrill, but you certainly do not help matters any by neglecting to modulate the pitch. The rasp in a combine cylinder is pleasant when compared to some vocal noises we hear proceeding from some throats on this campus.

Let us see you as you really are. Your lingo and impersonations were funny the first fifty times we heard them. Can you blame us if we are growing a bit weary?

Piano-Voice Recital Follows Formal Party

The first formal music recital of the year was held last night at eight o'clock in the college chapel. This recital provided formal entertainment for those students who enjoyed the formal dinner party in the dining hall last evening.

Piano students of Miss Jessie Brown who took part in the program are Leora Dobrinski, Eisie Mast, Lois Kaufman, and Gertrude Conner.

Professor Nevin Fisher presented nine of his voice students, Lucile Harris, Joan Blough, Eloise McKnight, Mildred Heimer, Eugene Lichty, Kenneth Wampler, Elvin Frantz, Alvin Klotz and Robert Spann.

Mail Call

From a versatile student of last year known to the student body as "Killer," "Red Cow", "Red," etc. (if you haven't guessed by now, it's A. S. Jack Kough) a letter was received. Jack was very active in extra-curriculars during the past two years. A football player, he was also a member of the Men's Varsity Debate team. Jack is now attending college in St. Paul, Minnesota. The following is an excerpt from his letter:

"College in the Navy is a little different than it was at Mac. Instead of a proctor or "pop" hollering for us to shut up, we have a guard who makes darn sure it's quiet. If it isn't, it's just too bad. Instead of sleeping through breakfast we hit the deck at six for calesthenics. If we cut a class, we spend the week end on the restricted list, which means we lose liberty.

"I have fulfilled all the Navy requirements, so all my subjects are elective this semester. I'm taking twenty-two college hours. It's easier to carry a larger load here because you don't have so much extra-curricular work to distract you. We can't get out to go anywhere which saves a lot of time to study."

Hiss address is J. K. Kough, A. S.
College of St. Thomas
St. Paul, Minnesota.

From the "lone star state" comes word from a former McPherson College football star, Andrew C. Collett. Collett is a 2nd Lt. at the tank destroyer center at Camp Hood, Texas. He writes, "I certainly enjoy the 'Spec.' I look forward to getting it each week. Whoever is sending it to us deserves a lot of thanks. This check is to help pay for it, although it isn't beginning to express the enjoyment I get out of it. I like the part about the other boys in the service about the best. It is interesting to hear what they are doing.

"We are—or will be—through with our training before too long. There are all kinds of rumors about where we are going, but the best one seems to be that we are going up where it is pretty cold—still in the U. S. though. I shall be glad to get out of Texas anyway. It looks as though I were going to fight the whole war in Texas.

"I am thinking of trying to get into the Air Corps. I would like to get my first Lt. before I try. I have hopes but that is about all. There have been several to go up lately. It takes a long time for it to get through after the recommendation goes in.

"The war situation looks pretty good just now. Some things could be better, but the general opinion of most is that they wouldn't be surprised if the war would last a long time and they wouldn't be surprised if it were over pretty soon. It will depend on the inside strength of Germany."

His address:
Lt. Andrew C. Collett,
Hdq. Co. 666 T. D. Bn.
Camp Hood, Texas.

One of the talented Albright brothers took time out from the Army routine to drop the Spec a line. This time it's Wayne who graduated from McPherson College in 1939. His letter is as follows:

"What is so rare as a day in the Army"—when one begins to recall his college days gone by. It is thrilling, to say the least, to think of walks through the draw, on a windy night—a show at the Ritz—hamburgers at A. & W., or a coke at Hubbell's—then back up the hill, a goodnight to a maiden fair. "Fanny" was always waiting—study (?) bull-sessions, or an honest chat with the "wife." Then there was the burning of Ole, Homecoming, the queen,—watermelon feed, Senior-Frosh kid party, "M" Club initiation, and traditional banquets. Ye Spec brings back all those memories.

"World conditions have seemed to alter the life of each and every McPhersonite, whether alumnus, student or potential student. I have received many issues of the Spec. Many "faces" appear therein that I don't recognize, but most are at least familiar. It is hard to express in words just how much the Spec means to all students and former students.

This field—Hill Field, Utah—is No. 6 on my list. Just 6 weeks ago I was transferred here, back into a four-season climate, much different from Southern California, where I was for 12 months. I am still in the Army weather service and I enjoy it very much. My work has been, for the most part, in the office. There is much to be done, of great importance to all involved in this great scheme of "the Rulers."

"Hill Field is just 30 miles from Salt Lake City. I have visited there often. I have been in the Tabernacle, where I attended the weekly broadcast of the Tabernacle choir. The service is beautiful, and the music is the best, excellently rendered. I talked to the Director, to the Organist, to the members themselves. It is a small world indeed when one meets an old-timer who attended Kansas Wesleyan years ago, or a former singer of Bethany's annual Messiah. It is contacts like this that make Army life interesting.

It's been 15 months of Army life for me. I feel that I have been very fortunate. We are all waiting for the day when settlements can be made in a more peaceful way. Despite adversities, McPherson is forging ahead. It is all this that one thinks about after reading the latest issue of the Spec. "Keep 'em comin'."

His address:
S/Sgt. Wayne L. Albright,
Det. 1st. Weather Squadron,
Hill Field, Ogden, Utah.

"Scandalabra Glitterings"

Thanksgiving turkey is evidently not conducive to romance—or may-be the Macollegians didn't confide to yours truly the details of happy reunions at home (What's the matter? Don't you love me any more?) However there are a few choice bits that slipped through and I—being generous—pass them on to you!!

Another Dobrinski was in evidence on the campus last week—or should we say "re-in-evidence"?—and after inspection, we'd say he'll pass. Much good it did us though, that inspection, for Berniece saw him first, and after he saw Berniece who could blame him for not giving us a tumble? Besides we heard rumors to the effect that it wasn't the first meeting of this toothsome twosome. (Know what we mean?)

Note: We have absolutely nothing to write about "Ikie" this time. That in itself is news! Pay us later, Ernie.

And at last John Brown — We could pun there, but fear triteness . . . has come down to earth and started giving Mac girls a tumble—or at least one of them. It is no more than his patriotic duty in the present male situation and he doesn't seem to mind. How could he? We've seen Betty too.

Did you see—? or if you didn't, surely you heard others seeing—the arrival of Romeo Sanger, Neely's milkman, last week. Congratulations, Neely (how do you spell that whistle?)

And a new couple blossomed at the game this week—those off-campus freshmen, Elmore and Birkes. Ray's theme song could be a modernized version of "Carry Me Back to Old—" . . . only in this case it's "off with the old, and on with the new."

Oh, yes, and how about this Dale-Bently angle the other night? Sounds interesting, yes?

This column simply would not be complete without some mention of Dobrinski's (the girl, this time) "Chuckalates". For further information see Leora—we understand that they are all gone, however.

Mighty juniors are sometimes taken in by the slyness of freshmen . . . Witness Swinger this week when he heard in a roundabout manner that Herington had taken Camp Phillips for a trimming. Not that Glenn was really frightened . . . merely wary, to be sure. Yet it seems that our little Glenn did breathe a sign of relief when he learned the error.

It's a little old for news, but we can't resist mentioning the handsome brute who honored our fair community with his presence two weeks ago Sunday. Aye, you've guessed it . . . she's still talking about it, and who can blame her? That hunk of man-flesh who visited our fair business manager (feminine gender) at that time was all that the picture on Vurlie's picture forwarned.

Xmas Gift Worries?

With only nineteen shopping days until Christmas Macollege students wrack their brains to think of suitable gifts for the home folks. Relax—you'll find the solution for your headache in the college bookstore in which the Brethren Publishing House has an interesting display of gift books for sale.

Little brother or sister will be thrilled when gay wrapping reveals the colorful book cover of "Winnie the Pooh," by A. A. Milne. The clever antics of the small bear will capture any child's heart. Or to the pre-school children you might like to give "Cinder," the adorable adventures of a kitten.

Those brothers and sisters in the upper grades would be overjoyed with "Lassie Come Home" by Knight, a fascinating dog story. Either "Anna Elizabeth" by Long or "This Way to Christmas" by Sawyer would make good choices.

Since Mother's hobby is poetry, why not select a book of poetry for her? Usually it is so hard to think of something for Dad—get him "The Story of Our Church" by J. E. Miller, or perhaps he would prefer "Stories from Brethren Life" by the same author.

For that very special girl or boy friend? Any college student will be delighted with "Our Dwelling Place," a book of private worship. Beautifully illustrated, it has suitable devotions for every mood and need. Seldom does one see such a practical and desirable book. Your parents would be equally pleased with this useful book.

At any rate faculty members and students could all benefit by taking a few moments to look through the merchandise the book store has to offer. You might be pleasantly surprised at the ease with which you can accomplish your Christmas shopping!

PHOTO FINISHING
Expert Work
PER ROLL 25c
Abel's Gift Shop
221 N. Main

GET YOUR ICE CREAM AT
SELECT DAIRY
112 E. MARLIN

Attention: Car Owners
SEE US FOR
Tires, Batteries
Or Any Other Auto Needs
DRIVE IN TODAY
GOSS MOTOR CO.

LET BEAUTY GO TO
YOUR HEAD

FOR ACTIVE SERVICE ON THE CAMPUS AND ELSEWHERE, WE SUGGEST A VERSATILE
Cold-Wave Permanent
Moderate Prices—
Vivien's Beauty Shop

LOOK!

HERE IS A REAL TREAT . . . JUST RIGHT
WE HAVE THE
Hamburgers
AND ARE THEY WONDERFUL
YOU WILL ALSO ENJOY OUR OTHER SHORT ORDERS
KEN'S DRIVE IN

"Some Foods are Scarce—So What?" . .

We can still enjoy the good food and service of the new
LITTLE KASTLE
MRS. JACK WILSON, MGR.

Safeway Groc.
Distribution Without Waste

IT PAYS TO LOOK WELL-GROOMED!

For the best hair-cut in town—
Come to
Warren Barber Shop

When you think insurance
THINK
Fred K. Entriken

Let Mobilgas, Mobiloils & Mobilubrication
Keep your car running smoothly
FLOYD COTTON SERVICE
201 S. Main

For the Best of Food as well as the best of service—
BAKER'S CAFE

STATIONERY
COSMETICS
FOUNTAIN SERVICE
LOVETT DRUG CO.
N. MAIN

For years we have been known for friendly service, reasonable prices and fine quality.
GAMBLE STORES
THE FRIENDLY STORES ..... OWNED BY EMPLOYEES

STUDENTS!
How's the Food Situation?
BE THRIFTY - - - -
SHOP AT YOUR CLOSEST GROCERY STORE!
"Just west of the draw on East Kansas"
Circle Lake Grocery Store

Buy Flowers For
MORALE
Buy Bonds For
VICTORY!
Maud's Flower Shop

A & W CAFE
HEADQUARTERS
FOR FINE HOME-MADE
CHILI
and
10c HAMBURGERS
JUST OFF MAIN ON EUCLID

HOME MADE CHILI & VEGETABLE SOUP
King Oscar Coffee —
COMPLETE FOUNTAIN SERVICE — HOME COOKING
TRY US
DELUXE CAFE
PAULINE NAYLOR—MGR.
RIGHT NEXT TO THE MAC THEATER

Canine Cagers Play To Victory In First Clash

Bulldogs Hand Army Team First Defeat Of Season

McPherson College cagers started their season with a ten point victory over the previously undefeated Camp Phillips team. This was the first defeat handed to the army team in five games.

The game was a close and hard fought one throughout. The score through the first half was very close with neither team holding much of a lead. At the end of the first half the Bulldogs led by two points. The second half opened with the lead transferring to the Camp Phillips team. Gradually the Bulldogs began to wear down their opponents, and the final score stood at McPherson 49, Camp Phillips, 39.

Vance Carlson and Francis Markham, McPherson's two starting forwards, shared the scoring honors for the Bulldogs with 18 points each. The high scorer for the army team was Sgt. Thomas Paul, of Gaylord, Minn., who also accounted for seven field goals and four free throws with a total of 18 points.

The box score:

McPherson (49)	FG	FT	F
Carlson, f	9	0	1
F. Markham, f	6	6	2
Swinger, c	1	2	2
Barr, g	0	2	2
Lichty, g	0	0	0
Brown, g	0	0	0
Ferguson, f	2	1	2
Keltner, f	0	0	0
Lowe, g	1	0	1
P. Markham, f	0	0	0
Rogers, g	0	0	0
Totals	19	11	10

Camp Phillips (39)	FG	FT	F
Mohang, f	1	0	2
White, f	4	2	2
Scott, c	4	0	3
Pegg, g	0	0	4
Paul, g	7	4	2
Yancey, f	0	1	2
Brubeck, g	0	0	0
Total	16	7	16

Official: Carl Kopelk, McPherson.

Student Volunteers Give Sample Program

Two weeks ago Wednesday morning, the Student Volunteer deputation team to Colorado treated the chapel audience with a sample of their deputation program. The group left the campus early the next morning for their trip.

Robert Mays, co-chairman of the commission, introduced the group and directed the devotional thought of the chapel service.

Betty Burger, co-chairman with Bob Mays, read "The Sign of the Cross" as her offering toward the success of the deputation.

Lucile Harris, musician of the group, sang "Come Ye Blessed" by Scott. She was accompanied by Evelyn Wilson who served as pianist in the deputation program.

The Thanksgiving thoughts were given by Leslie Rogers, student minister. He stated that American people have been prone to misuse Thanksgiving Day. Most of our prayers are selfish and personal, instead of prayers for humanity.

We should be thankful that our God is the kind of God He is, that He is forgiving, universal, that He invites us all to Him in prayer, that He loves all alike.

We should be thankful that we believe that "In the world ye have tribulation, but be not dismayed, I have overcome the world."

With a note of hope, Mr. Rogers concluded his short talk with the lines, "Though the wrong seem oft so strong, God is the ruler yet."

Choir Committee Chosen; Swinger Is President

The Church Choir Worship Committee is an experiment in an effort to improve church worship services. The committee is composed of Lucile Harris, chairman; Nevin W. Fisher, choir director; Glenn Swinger, choir president; Anna Mae Tinkler, secretary.

This committee was organized last fall to study methods in which a more varied and effective worship program might be created and to instill in each choir member a sincere and desirous attitude of worship.

The choir anticipates social functions. Vurlle Howard is chairman of the social committee.

Canines Have Two Games In Offing

With one win under their belts the McPherson College Bulldogs depart this afternoon to meet new opponents. This evening they will play the Herington Air Base on the Herington court.

Not content with one game per weekend, the Canines, after tonight's skirmish, plan to leave for Manhattan, Kansas. There they intend to play Kansas State Saturday night.

Berkebile Draws Scientific Analogy

Monday after a prelude by Leora Dobrinski and a song by the audienre, Prof. Berkebile addressed the chapel group.

Prof. Berkebile analyzed the seat that the students were sitting on. He said that the seats were composed of the following elements: carbon, oxygen, and hydrogen. These elements can be divided into molecules and atoms; therefore the seat was only about 1/100 billion material that could be sat upon and the remainder was space.

It is just as logical to believe that Jesus fed the 5,000 as to believe some of the rules of science, said Berkebile. We have gone far in the field of science, but we have only scratched the surface. He expressed the thought that we could do the things that Jesus did if we kept our trust in Him.

Berkebile stated that there is enough food in this world to feed people sufficiently. God has not revealed His laws to men, because we do not use them for the good of mankind. When we have wisdom and understanding, then the knowledge of God's laws will be revealed to us.

We Are Active

It's No Secret Now - - - -

Hockey fan Glasier peeks at her watch. Father time points his finger at 4:30. Glasier comes down to earth to realize this is "Hockey Day". She puts her unfinished Spec story in the hands of Sir Ikenberry, rushes to the gym, grabs a hockey stick and races to the field of combat—all in four seconds flat. Glasier congratulates herself on being the first to arrive, only to realize later that Hockey is not meeting on said day. At least there is more than one way to get a Spec story finished.

The Gavel Descends

Club Prexy Gross called the Cabinet together Tuesday at 12:45 to choose which clubs should function during the winter and spring seasons and to nominate two new club managers for each new club.

At the general meeting these club managers were elected: **Volley Ball,** Betty Kimmel; Basketball, Shirley Wyckoff; Tumbling, Evelyn Wilson. Do-Si-Do will continue under the leadership of Lucile Harris. Softball, with club manager, Phyllis Reeves, will be the only new spring club.

If there is any girl who did not come out for W. A. A. during the fall season and who would like to belong to our club—we welcome you.

One, Two, Three Bow Club

Just wait until you see us strut our stuff at some of these basketball games. Looch, we welcome you back as our director—Thanks to Miss Lehman.

Meet - - - - -
Your Friends at McPherson's Popular Cafe
Treat - - - - -
Your date to a swell sandwich or fountain drink after the basketball games.
PURITAN Cafe
108 N. Main Phone 1685

A Study Of Cognomens: Can You Find Yours?

By Annette Glasier

Your name is your trademark . . . your means of identification. In olden times people were called only by one name, a name given to suit the individuals personality and character. Now when a child is christened, the original meaning of the name is seldom considered, so read on, "chillun", to see if you should "live up" to your name, or "live it down"!

Now take the Klotz family, for instance . . . Eva Mae means "life giving" and distressed" or "fearful"; Alvin means "beloved by all"; and Evelyn stands for either "hazel nut" or "pleasant."

"Mild of speech and gentle" should be the demeanor of anyone who bears the named of Mildred. Blanche means "beautiful", and Freda refers to a "peacable" person.

Dean refers to an officer of the church; Dale signifies a "small valley"; Keith means a "windy place"!

A "pearl" and "beauty" are the words associated with the name, Margaret, the "Lord's Grace" with Jane, and "pleasure" with Edna.

"Vivacious" is the word for Joyce, "King" is synonomous with Rex, and Susan means "a lily."

Eugene is "well-born", and Eloise is "famous holiness." Gertrude is "spear maiden", and John is the "Lord's Grace"-

All of this just goes to show that you never can tell when someone's calling you names!

College 'Four Hundred'

Majority of the Macollegians spent Thanksgiving vacation at their respective homes. Those of the feminine sex who visited their parents were: Ione Akers, Jane Anderson, Jane Bell, Evelyn Bentley, Alice Mae Boyce, Mildred Cartner, Alvina Dirks, Leora Dobrinski, Maurine Gish, Blanche Geisert, Bernice Guthals, Leona Holderread, Mildred Helmer, Mildred Jones, Lois Kauffman, Wilma Fae Kuns, Betty Kimmel, Ila Verne Lobbin, Mary Beth Loshbaugh, Eloise McKnight, Twila Neely, June Perkins, Twila Turner, Eula Wolfe and Shirley Wyckoff. Boys who returned to their homes were: Kent Naylor, Eldon Mohler, Don Keltner, Rex Wilson, Dale Brown, John Brown, Lloyd Dale, Elvin Franz, Wayne Geisert, Marvin Reeves and Bob Yoder.

Joyce Peter and Annette Glasier were vacation guests of Shirley Wyckoff in her home near Osborne.

Alta Gross spent the weekend with Kathryn McRae in Topeka.

Betty Greig went to Salina to enjoy her vacation with her aunt.

Virginia Bales stayed with relatives in Smith Center during the holiday.

Susan Ikenberry spent part of her vacation with Patricia Kennedy in Arnold Hall.

Eugene Lichty was the guest of Eloise McKnight in her home in Quinter.

Evelyn Royer visited Mildred Jones in her home in Cordell, Oklahoma.

Charles and Rozella Lunkley and Wayne and Melba Paris went to Fredonia to visit with friends during the vacation.

Lois Gauby was the guest of Kurtz Ebbert in Quinter.

Thanksgiving Day beckoned Vurlle Howard, Helen Burkholder and Gertrude Connor to Wichita.

S. C. M. Volunteer group left for its deputation trip through Colorado early Thanksgiving morning. Evelyn Wilson, Lucile Harris, Betty Dean Burger, Norma Lea Jones, Bob Mays and Leslie Rogers composed the group.

INDUSTRIAL SAVINGS LOAN COMPANY
A PLAN FOR EVERY NEED
SMALL MONTHLY PAYMENTS
Autos - Furniture & Co-signers
Buy War Bonds and Stamps
109 E. Kansas Phone 410

Squints from the Sidelines

done by don

Laurels and wreaths to the coach and all of the basketball team. There is no finer way to begin a season than with a victory. The first game of the season is usually the hardest. Now that the ice is broken, I'm sure that there are many more victories to come.

I'm sure that I am expressing the thanks of the coach and of the entire team when I say thanks to the student body and everyone connected with the game. The coach and the players appreciate all the support you have shown. That yelling and band playing might not seem so important to you, but it helps the fellows in knowing that everyone is with them. The basketball players aren't playing for personal glory or recognition. They are playing for the school and for everyone that is backing them up and supporting them. Keep it up, student body. Yell louder and louder, and you will be helping a team that will not let you down.

Facts And Figures

Did you know that the easiest place to lose a game is the beginning of the second half?

Did you know that Coach Hayden predicted that if the score were at least tied at the half that we would beat Camp Phillips?

Did you know that Fanny Markham and Vance Carlson were high point men with 18 points apiece?

Did you know that the guardwork of Glenn Swinger, Eugene Lichty, and Bob Lowe was something to be noticed by all?

Did you notice Bobby Barr getting rough with all those big brutes?

The basketball team has a big weekend ahead of them. It's Herington Air Base tonight and Kansas State tomorrow night. Both of these games promise to be good ones.

We beat Camp Phillips by ten points. By comparing the two teams we can very easily see that the game tonight will be a hard one. Directly after the game with Herington, the team will travel to Manhattan and play Kansas State. There are no predictions from this editor as yet except for one. Our team is going out on the basketball floor to win!

MAC
Bargain Prices
Mat Sat Sun 10c-15c
Nights 7 pm 10c-20c
All Tax Included
Fri - Sat — Two Fun Hits
Wm. Tracy & Joe Sawyer
"FALL IN"
A laugh riot of army life
Plus
John King, with Sharps and Terhune
"Two Fisted Justice"
The Range Busters at their best
Added Serial & Cartoon
Sun - Mon - Tues
HUMPHREY BOGART
with Mary Astor, Gladys George
Peter Lorre & Big Cast
"THE MALTESE FALCON"
A thriller made by the author of the "Thin Man", don't miss it
Added — Short Subjects
Wed - Thur —
Big All-Star Cast
"Pride Of The Blue Grass"
See the best horse-story ever screened —a fine show for all the family.
EXTRA—
"Spirit Of Annapolis"
and a comedy and novelty

HOUGHTON'S
Your Home
BAKERY

—SKATE—
For Fun and Health
at
PETERSON'S
ROLLER RINK
Open Sundays

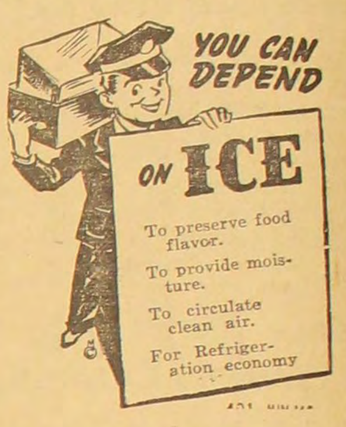
QUALITY
The Same High Quality You Find At Home
You'll Find At - - - -
PAT'S CAFE
The Mac is Just South of Us

RITZ
Friday and Saturday
Joel McCrea and Claudette Colbert
in
"The Palm Beach Story"
and
Chester Morris - Ann Shirley
in
"HIGH EXPLOSIVE"
Sunday - Monday
James Cagney - Humphrey Bogart
in
"The Oklahoma Kid"
Tuesday - Wednesday
Betty Rhodes - MacDonald Carey
in
"Salute For Three"
10c It Costs So Little At The Ritz 20c

CONSERVATION IS PATRIOTISM
You can keep your clothes wearable by giving them the care they need. For cleaning done with a minimum of time, effort and cost on your part see Vurlle Howard.
College Agent
NU WAY CLEANER

GOOD FOOD,
Prompt Service,
Pleasant Atmosphere
at
WALKER'S CAFE

MANOR
Matinees Sat - Sun
PREVUE 11:15 p. m. Sat. Sun - Mon - Tues
ERROL FLYNN
in Warner Bros.
NORTHERN PURSUIT
with Julie Bishop
Helmut Dantine
John Ridgely
Wed. Thru Sat.
BEST FOOT FORWARD
M-G-M
IN TECHNICOLOR
starring LUCILLE BALL
ALSO
SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS
BUY MORE WAR BONDS



OUR COURTEOUS MEN DELIVER YOUR ICE, WHICH IS SO NECESSARY TO FOODS, IF THEY ARE TO RETAIN THEIR NUTRITION.
McPHERSON ICE CO.

Supply Your Grocery Needs
at
Rothrock Grocery
WE DELIVER
302 N. Main Phone 467

COLLEGE STUDENTS
You can supply your every day needs at our counters, and enjoy a Duckwall Special at our fountain and luncheonette bar anytime.
DUCKWALL'S

We are glad when we can be of service to you, and welcome the opportunity to do even more.
Quiring Furniture

TO YOU . . . .
Students and faculty, a part of your success depends on efficient money management.
We place our banking facilities at your convenience.
PEOPLES STATE BANK Member F. D. I. C.
Corner—Main & Kansas

Lake Superior Lumber Co.
GEORGE H. GOODHOLM, Mgr.
LUMBER — HARDWARE
PAINT — COAL
301 N. Maple Phone 40