



Guest Editorial

# Foreign Missions Call

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As a student in a Christian college in the United States you have advantages which only an exceedingly small percentage of the world's population enjoys. The program of foreign missions challenges you to use all of your abilities and training to assist in the work of making Jesus known to all people and to bring his principles to bear in all areas of human life and relationships.

The program of missions calls you who have enjoyed special privileges to share in the task of meeting the mental, physical, social and spiritual needs of those who live in ignorance, superstition, fear, poverty, disease, strife and misery.

Whatever your special abilities or interests are, there is a place where you can serve. Are you interested in medicine? Then the challenge comes to you to use your skill as a doctor or nurse to bring life and health to people dying from malaria, leprosy, or disease in many areas of our world.

To technical workers in the field of agriculture, engineering, or mechanics the challenge comes to introduce new methods of agriculture and industry so that the people become self-supporting and provide adequately for their families.

On the foreign field the educator may have the happy privilege of seeing fears and superstitions replaced by intelligent understanding; of seeing girls learn the elementary principles of homemaking; of witnessing men being freed from the fear of economic and political oppression.

To a young minister the foreign mission program offers the opportunity of ministering to the spiritual needs of people who have never before heard the gospel.

To workers in every field of mission endeavor comes the challenge to help men through kindness and loving service to understand the love of God which gives meaning to the present and hope for the future. To the missionary also comes the happy privilege of helping to build a world-wide Christian brotherhood—to bring all people into fellowship with Him "in whom all things hang together."

In this day of increasing tensions and conflicts this truly presents

a great challenge.

There are those who would say that the day of foreign missions is coming to an end. To them we would answer that the Christian gospel is timeless; that so long as men continue to experience the love and power of God in their own hearts and so long as there are others who have not had this experience there will be foreign missions.

Christianity by its very nature is missionary; it involves an inner compulsion to share the love of God with others wherever they might be. Changing conditions merely present an ever-growing challenge to Christian missionaries, requiring them to use all of their creative abilities to interpret the Christian message in terms relevant to the changing conditions and to adapt their program to meet the needs of the people with whom they work.

As students you are needed in the program of foreign missions. Some of you are needed to give your lives in missionary service in a foreign country. All of you are needed to support the work of foreign missions with your prayers and with your finances.

# Oh, Those Butterflies

A disease, one which appears unpreventable although it never affects its victims long and leaves them as well as it does before, has again in recent weeks.

This affliction, call it stage fright, butterflies, or whatever you like, became known to the members of the one-act plays just before the rise of the curtain when "this fit it."

Actors have brief twinges of anxiety as cues are flubbed or ad libbing is necessary because, "things never went like this in practice."

A Cappella Choir members, who managed to catch a high percentage of colds just before the big night, were well aware of dry parched throats and other tremors of nervousness as they held their place "on stage."

Orators on campus have been receiving a workout in the limelight. They quiver and shake for state contests this weekend just as they and their competitors did in local competition. Double thoughts seem to focus as one part of the brain keeps the memory working and orating while another part observes the audience and that man asleep in the far corner.

Indications of this disease which strikes at the crucial moment vary with the individual. Prevalent are knees which feel like cardboard, an iron heart which skips further and further down from its high chest position, and a fervent desire to hibernate in Siberia until all this is over.

Shakitis frequently affects certain parts of one's body. "Actually can those clammy cold things called hands, except in physiology and anatomy class, be part of one's warm blooded body?"

Time has a habit of passing, seconds go like lightning. Some persons are bothered by this disease only briefly, possibly a minute or so, while others suffer for days, losing their appetites and sleep and acquiring a collection of handkerchiefs which are permanently pleated, like accordians. Just an "occupational hazard" is this fearful feeling experienced by the actors, orators, choir members, and others as they take their turn on stage, but it's still rough.

# Mac Debaters Enter Tournaments, Will Participate In Oratory, Extemp

McPherson College's four debate teams and the squads' advisor Prof. Max McAuley, and Dr. Maurice A. Hess will travel to Winfield, Kans., this weekend for two different tournaments.

Debate coach McAuley and two male teams, Donald Ulom and Don Faules, Bob Burge and Eugene Elrod, left the campus this morning to enter a tournament at St. John's College, in Winfield.

Each team is taking part in three rounds of debate today.

Tomorrow morning at 5 Dr. Hess and two more debate teams will drive to Winfield where the teams will take part in a tournament at Southwestern College.

All MacCollege debate teams will debate at a league tournament at Southwestern College. Seven schools will take part in the tournament.

Schools which are members of the league are: Bethel College, Hays State Teachers College, Sterling College, Southwestern College. Two guest schools will also enter in the debates. They are Wichita University and Kansas State Teachers College of Pittsburg, Kans.

Saturday afternoon at 4 the peace oratory contest will begin. Anne Kiem and Don Ulom will represent McPherson College in this division.

Dr. Hess, who is state chairman

## Election Time

Petitions for nominations of Student Council officers are in circulation this week at MacCollege.

The procedure of election at MacCollege is as follows:

Section 1 of the by-laws of the student handbook:

The President and the Treasurer shall be elected by a majority vote of the Student Body not later than April 15 during the second semester of the year preceding their tenure of office from candidates nominated by petition bearing the signatures of fifty members of the Student Body.

The President shall appoint an election board from the seniors who are members of the Student Council. Election shall be by ballot.

of the Kansas Intercollegiate Peace Speech Association, states that all of the 'schools in the league will have entries in the peace orations.

Mary Lou Wise and Don Faules will enter the extemporaneous speech contest. In this contest the entries are given a list of 50 topics from which they draw three. From these three topics, the contestant picks one and must speak for eight minutes on the topic.

## CBYFers To Discuss Early Church History

A series of topics concerning the Church of the Brethren is being started for CBYF programs. The first of this series of three will be discussed on Sunday evening, March 13, at 6:30 in the church basement.

Those in charge for Sunday evening's discussion on the history of the Church of the Brethren are Ruth Kauffman, Vera Mohler, Kenneth Brown and Lyrall Sherrard, who is chairman.

Last Sunday's CBYF was led by Wanda Will, returned BVScer from Europe. Wanda showed slides concerning her work in Germany. She was assisted by Dale Blough, who has recently returned from BVS work in Greece.

## Six To Represent Mac At International Weekend

International Student Weekend Conference will be attended by several MacCollege international students when it is held in Emporia, Kans., on March 11-12.

Mary Romero, Ted Kaitsonis, Isaac Grillo, Ana Rosa Rodriguez, Gary Pamberg, and Israel Zayas, all members of the international society, and their advisor, Dr. Wesley DeCoursey, plan to represent McPherson this year, as Isaac Grillo and Eugen Lupri did last year.

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## Library Displays Art Masterpieces Of Skilled Kansans

Oil paintings done by 22 Kansas artists are now on exhibit on the walls of Beeghly Library.

Sponsored by the Kansas Federation of Artists, this is the ninth exhibition of this kind, circulated among different schools and colleges in Kansas. Each year an entirely new exhibit is compiled.

"It's a fine exhibit. The best way in which to enjoy paintings in a display such as this is to decide to focus attention. Looking at a painting once or twice isn't enough to truly enjoy it," is Prof. E. S. Hershberger's comment about the display.

"If a student finds one or two drawings which he learns to appreciate after the exhibit, it will have been a success," Hershberger continued.

A few of the paintings in the exhibit are "Clown," by Robert Kiskaddan of Wichita; "Connoisseur" by Eugene McFarland also of Wichita; "Figure Study" by E. J. Tomaseh of Manhattan; "Two Masks and a Bottle" by Norman Eppink, Emporia; and "The Pause" by John Bashor of Lindbergh.

These paintings, all located in the main reading room of the library, are, with the exception of two, for sale. The average price is about \$120.

## 60 Per Cent Of Students Belong To Brethren

According to the president's annual report to the Board of Trustees, 60 percent of the student body are members of the Church of the Brethren. Other students represent eighteen different church denominations.

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## Profs To Hear English Authority

The Kansas Association of Teachers of English will hold their annual meeting in Hutchinson tomorrow, March 12.

The guest speaker at the meeting will be Dr. Walter Loban. He is the assistant professor of education and the supervisor of teaching of English at the University of California.

Dr. Loban will give two speeches during the meeting. They will deal with problems of speech and written language and listening and problems of reading literature.

Dr. Loban has been studying sensitivity and cruelty among adolescents and is working on a study of language development in children. In addition, Dr. Loban is an author.

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These thoughts following the great impression Dr. Faust made upon us might help us to raise the question, "How can I be a greater religious power? How can I help people?"

These strong religious convictions and methods are some of the things which have made Dr. Faust a great religious leader.

It was good to have so many young people here. May God bless them as their lives mature and develop.

## Wha' Hoppem?

A couple in Lawrence, Kans., got an unpleasant surprise one night when two baskets full of trash came tumbling into their living room. It seems they lived in the basement of a three story house, the top floor of which was occupied by a group of University students.

The students didn't realize that the basement was occupied, the University Daily Kansan reports, and decided to empty their wastepaper basket down an old laundry chute. The chute opened into the middle of the couple's living room.

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## Former Students Marry



Mrs. Galen Bretches

A marriage ceremony united two former McPherson students, Norma Jean Johnson and Galen Wayne Bretches, Sunday, March 6, at 2:30 p.m. in the McPherson First Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Johnson and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bretches. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Roy E. Paslay before an altar adorned with branched candelabra and two baskets of white gladioli and white carnations tied with blue satin bows.

Traditional wedding music was played by the organist Mrs. Ronald E. Lewis. She accompanied the soloist, Sonia Swenson, who sang "With This Ring," "I Love You Truly," and "The Lord's Prayer" while the couple knelt at the altar.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her white gown was fashioned in satin and lace. The tulle yoke was accented by a tiny scalloped collar of Chantilly lace and scalloped lace bodice. Long sleeves tapered to the wrists and the tulle overskirt was caught with inserts of Chantilly lace. The bridal fingertip veil was held by a small hat of satin and lace. She wore a double strand of pearls, a gift from the groom. Her bouquet was of happiness and sweetheart roses.

Virginia Schmidt was maid of honor. Ellen Willems, and Shirley Schmidt were bridesmaids, while Sharon Green and Peggy Yowell, cousin of the bride were candlelighters. All of the girls wore evening length dresses of blue taffeta with a cowl neckline, elbow length sleeves, and a petite waistline with U-shaped back interest from which fell a shower of garters, with matching headbands.

The maid of honor carried a flower bouquet made up of white and blue carnations and the bridesmaids flowers were made of white asters. Blue asters made into wrist corsages were worn by the candlelighters.

Janet Kay Johnson, sister of the bride was the junior bridesmaid, attired in a light blue taffeta dress with a Peter Pan collar, short puffed sleeves and a full gathered skirt with matching headband. She carried a white aster bouquet. Twin cousins of the bride who acted as ringbearer and flowergirl, were Gregg and Diane Miles from Okeene, Okla. Diane wore a dress identical to that of the junior bridesmaid and carried a basket of rose petals.

Max Bretches, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsman were Richard Gregg and Gaylen Rodgers. Ushers were Bob Barker, and Gerald Smith, also including the groomsman.

Mrs. Johnson, mother of the bride wore a mauve suit with pink accessories. The mother of the groom was attired in a navy blue dress with navy accessories. Both had corsages of white hyacinths.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Walt McCrea and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schmidt served as hosts and hostesses at the reception held immediately following the ceremony in the church parlors.

Alma Bretches, sister of the groom, presided at the coffee service, and Mrs. C. F. Erickson, Lindsborg, cut and served the cake.

Zelma Bretches, sister of the groom, was in charge of the guest book. Rosella Hiebert, Barbara Thyne and Nancy Barragree had charge of the gifts. Others assisting at the reception were Mary

## Canine Tales

What weeks these have been, with the gay fits of spring fever descending on the young at heart in between the seiges of rain, sleet, and snow. Windy Kansas has given MacCollege students a few days with delightful sunny days and a whisper of a breeze to speed any seasonal display of the romantic fever.

These amazing spring days are just the trick needed to put one in the gay mood for the next several weeks until the long awaited Spring vacation comes. The days are numbered until the Easter season will arrive.

Now that the energetic group of young people from all over the region have left, Macampus seems just a little more quiet. Rooms have been put in order again and the routine has once more become the usual thing around the college.

Honoring the recent marriage of McPherson students Dick Eder and Idell Hick, two showers were given. Idell was the guest of honor at a shower Thursday night which was given by Mrs. Maizie Schmidt and Joan Silver.

Among the guests were Betty Moore, Connie Brooks, Eva Navarro, Marilyn Spohn, Ruth Eisenbise, Phyllis Boyd, Phyllis Hamilton, Nancy Keim, Mary Alice Smith, Beverly Hall, Kathy Albin, and Mrs. Simon Eder. Light refreshments of apple pie ala mode and coffee were served to the ladies. The theme was carried out in pink and green colors. The new bride received many gifts.

Wednesday night when the McPherson Nurses' Club met at the home of Miss Della Hoerner for a covered dish supper a surprise kitchen shower was held for the new Mrs. Eder. Games were played with the prizes going to Idell.

Packing up their bags for a weekend trip to Haxton, Colo. this weekend were McPherson coeds Ina Switzer, Evelyn Jarboe, Nadene Correll, Carol Hintz, and Irene Shull. Ed Switzer also traveled with the group. Norris Harms was still deciding at the last minute whether to join the gang or not.

Back to the pulpit this Sunday will be Rev. Harry K. Zeller and somewhere in the congregation will be his wife who accompanied him on his trip to Europe. Students will be glad to see the minister resuming his usual duties, and be waiting to hear all about the

Lou Stucky, Mary Lou Yowell, Mary Mathes, Myrna Anderson, Anna Mae Clark, and Janice Loeckle.

The new Mrs. Bretches chose a charcoal linen suit, with buckle accents on the cuffs and pockets with black, white, and blue accessories and a corsage of white hyacinths.

After their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Bretches will be at home at 610 1/2 S. Maple.

Both the bride and the groom are graduates of McPherson High School and have attended McPherson College.

## Krehbiel-Ollenburger

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas J. Krehbiel of Conway have announced the engagement of their daughter Marilyn to Dean Ollenburger of El Dorado. He is the son of Mrs. Arthur Ollenburger, of Tampa.

Marilyn is attending McPherson as a sophomore student, this year. Dean attended El Dorado Junior College last semester.

numerous exciting incidents which occurred during his journey.

In the recent one-act plays which were just produced Ed Switzer and Dunne Pike were fighting over a girl. Now in the three-act production, "Stage Door" they are still fighting, only, over a different girl.

Lacie Weaver, freshman at Mac last year, arrived Sunday afternoon. She visited with friends on campus until Wednesday when she returned to her home in Keota, Iowa.

Bob and Rowena (Merkey) Willis from Kansas City were down last weekend. Bob is attending Med School there while Rowena is teaching the third grade.

Ida Zunkel and her fiancé Ross Stinnette were on campus to visit sisters and friends and make plans for their wedding in May.

D. A. and Carolie Huffman, Crist, former McPherson students, and their small son were visiting friends while attending the youth conference here last week.

Liz Keim and Shirley Knackstedt went to Inman to spend Saturday and Sunday. Sunday evening they were raving about the good home cooking.

Ronnie Sams went to his home last Saturday morning and returned Sunday with his car, better known as "the big job." It seems the weather warmed up a little. But according to Sams, it is raring to go now.

Esther Cotton and Phyllis Hamilton drove to Kansas City last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cotton to see Esther's husband, Dean. They returned late Sunday evening.

Janice and Tommy O'Dell, who are now living in Wichita, came down last Thursday for several hours to visit friends on campus.

The blood bank hit the jack pot when they came to college hill for donations. From early morning the donors at their appointments for giving blood. The general run of class sessions was upset by missing students who were absent for this reason.

Idaho spirits certainly weren't dampened this week when Boise Junior College basketball team was in Hutchinson for a Jucio tourney. The games were played in the sports arena. The town of Boise is located only twenty miles from the town of Nampa from which several Mac Idahoans hail.

To add special excitement to the Krehbiel twins' birthday Monday, March 7, Marilyn received her diamond from Dean Ollenburger. Carolyn agreed it was a perfect birthday present for both of them.

## Sophomore Takes Highest Honor In State Contest

Irene Shull, who represented McPherson College at the State Alcohol Oratorical Contest in Winfield took top honors with her oration entitled "Invitation to Death." The contest was held March 4. Irene is a sophomore from Nevada, Iowa. Her prize was \$35.

Five other schools competed against Irene. Contestants from Fort Hays State College, Miss Shirley Krug, won second place and \$25. Miss Mary Evans of Sterling College placed third and received a cash prize of \$15. Other schools which were represented are Bethel, Southwestern, and Hesston.

An interesting sidelight on the contest shows that the first three ratings were given to the girls who participated. The other three ratings were given to the boys who were competing.

The contest was held in connection with the state convention of the WCTU. This was the eighth annual Alcohol Oratorical Contest. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Shelly, of McPherson, were in charge of the contest.

## Boosters Support McPherson College At Yearly Affair

On the college calendar of coming events, the all important Booster Banquet appears. But taking a backward glance into the calendar dates which have passed, there comes to light the first Booster Banquet held by the college in 1931.

Finances were a matter of concern in that era, and McPherson College was not untroubled with the problem: The Booster Banquet originated. President of McPherson College at that time was V. F. Schwalm, who presently holds the top administrative position of a sister college at Manchester.

Gov. Harry H. Woodring of the state of Kansas, was the feature speaker of the initial Booster Banquet. This first such gathering of college supporters totaled nearly 600, although conditions were so stormy that the guest speaker was brought from Larned, where he had delivered an address, to McPherson by a "special" train chartered by the college, which turned out to be the caboose of a freight train.

During the war years the Booster Banquet was tapered down to receptions, although the purpose was still the same.

The Booster Banquet this year will be held March 25 in the Community Building with Julian Gromer, professional photographer, as main speaker.

## Seniors Sign Contracts To Teach Next Year

Four MacCollege students have signed contracts to teach in Kansas schools next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kipp will teach in the elementary schools at Topeka.

Miss Joan McRoberts also has a teaching position in Topeka.

Teaching in the elementary school at Newton will be Miss Donna Ford.

All four are Education and Psychology majors.

At the present time 83 letters reporting teacher vacancies in schools have been received by the Placement Bureau. A total of 234 vacancies are on record. Many more schools are reporting positions which are unfilled. In previous years the number has reached as high as 500.

## Former Student Serves In Women's Reformatory

Virginia Holderread, former MacCollege student, who is in Brethren Volunteer Service, is serving her year working in the Federal Reformatory for Women at Alderson, West Va.

Virginia has written a letter to Miss Della Lehman, of the English Department, describing her work and giving some of her observations at the reformatory, which is the only federal one for women in the United States.

Virginia wrote that about one-half of the 600 women ranging in age from 15 to 65 have been sentenced for narcotics and forgery. Others are serving time for bank robbery, prostitution, income tax fraud, kidnapping, and murder.

One of Virginia's observations is that the women have had very different backgrounds from hers or those of most MacCollege students.

Although Virginia's main work is in the storehouse, she has many opportunities to talk with the girls and women about problems that are bothering them. She is interested in helping them find reading and hobbies to fill their time when they are not on their eight-hour a day job assignments.

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Collegiate baseball players who are interested in playing this summer may be able to play on a Ban Johnson team. The players must be under 21.

Mr. John Fincher, who is president of the Kansas Ban Johnson Baseball Association, has announced that Hutchinson has accepted the invitation to join the Ban Johnson League and McPherson may, April 3 is the deadline for accepting the invitation to join the Ban Johnson League.

If Salina, Liberal, and McPherson join, there will be a ten-team loop this summer. This will give each team a full schedule.

Mr. John Colyn, Mr. Andy McLean, Mr. Bill Moore, and Mr. L. E. Lindell are the McPherson organization committee. It is their job to discuss all angles of the program.

Mr. Fincher thought it would be best for the team to be supported by the civic clubs and other organizations in the city of McPherson. This would not entail a heavy expense on any specific group.

# KU Dedicates Allen Fieldhouse

Doors of the new Allen Fieldhouse at the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, were opened on Tuesday, March 1, prior to the Kansas State game that night. Interested persons were invited to look at the structure before the Jayhawk basketball squad played its first game in the fieldhouse.

About 6,000 seats were reserved for students, and approximately 17,000 fans packed the fieldhouse for the game.

Dr. Forrest C. "Phog" Allen was presented with a 1955 Cadillac during the dedication ceremonies.

A pageant, given at half time, portrayed the history of basketball at KU since 1891.

Among those participating in the ceremony were Governor Fred Hall; Oscar Stauffer, Topeka, board of regents member; Larry Mullins, Kansas State Athletic Director; Dr. James McCain, Kansas State College President; Ernie Quigley, former Kansas University Athletic Director; "Dutch" Lomborg; and "Tex" Winter, Kansas State cage coach.

Open houses were held for visitors in various buildings on the campus.

# Intramurals End

Miss Doris Coppock, director of women's athletics, states that there will be no organized women's intramurals now that basketball is over. Heavy spring schedules do not allow the time.

Girls wishing to participate in sports may do so by taking advantage of the sports being offered by WAA.

# College In Black For Second Year

Macollege again came out in the black for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1954, with a balance of \$8,724.82 at that time; however more expenses come in the second semester. The total income for 1954 was \$14,901. This is the second year that the college has come out ahead. In 1952, the college was \$2,838 in the red for the entire year.

The college cafeteria came out \$2,225 ahead for the six months, while the athletic program was \$2,487 in the red. The college farm was \$1,160 ahead, and the college courts squeezed over by \$162, and the dormitories made \$1,095. The library cost \$3,243.

Tuition and fees last year accounted for 46.8 percent of the total general income, auxiliary enterprises (cafeteria, dormitories etc.), 32.8 percent; gifts, 11.7 percent, endowment, 6.1 percent.

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# Student's Wife Wins Cash Night Drawing

Anna Lou Kerscheneister, wife of a McPherson College junior, Edward Kerscheneister, was the winner of \$200 last Monday night. She was in one of McPherson's stores which made her eligible for the cash night drawing.

The top prize is \$50 each week unless the winner is not in one of the stores. This then increases the prize to \$100 the next week. Each week the top money is unclaimed. It is increased by \$50.

# Art Prof Speaks At Faculty Party

A lecture by Prof. E. S. Hershberger, of the college Art Department, on "Why Painters Paint," will be heard by faculty members and their husbands and wives at the Annual Faculty Formal. The dinner will be served at 6:30 in the church social rooms on Monday, March 14.

Paintings from the art exhibit which is on display in Beeghly Library will be used as illustrations by Professor Hershberger.

The Home Economics Department, which will prepare and serve the meal, is planning for approximately 60 people.

Ruth Ann Davidson, a sophomore home ec major, is chairman in charge of the food for the formal. Kathy Hamm, also a sophomore, will be in charge of serving the dinner.

A St. Patrick's Day theme will be used by Ellen Willemys who is in charge of decorating the church parlors on the dinner tables for the banquet.

# Library Receives Current Biography

Current Biography 1954, with portraits and informal life stories of 345 celebrities who hit the headlines in 1954, has been added to the reference collection of the McPherson College Library, Miss Virginia Harris, librarian, announced.

Nikita S. Khrushchev, perhaps the strongest bidder for Stalin's political legacy; General William F. Dean, most famous war prisoner; Pierre Mendes-France, the "almost strong man" of France; Attorney General Brownell, Jr., exposé of Communist infiltration; and Viacheslav Molotov, most persistent survivor of purges, are among the famous public figures included in the 1954 Current Biography Yearbook.

Movie fans will be delighted with the straight-from-the-shoulder biographies of stars like Leslie Caron, Montgomery Clift, Cyd Charisse, Doris Day, and "Oscar" winners Audrey Hepburn, and William Holden.

Sports fans will find new statistics for their next bull sessions in the life stories of Ralph Kiner, Al Rosen, Walter Alston and others.

In addition, those who followed the ascent of Mount Everest will want to read the fascinating stories of Sir Edmund Hillary, Sir John Hunt, and their Nepalese guide, Tenzing Norgay.

Like its 14 predecessors, the 1954 Current Biography has the intimate story of 1954's most current news. The Yearbooks are a one-alphabet cumulation of articles, portraits, and obituaries. Each sketch is the product of extensive research.

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# Smith Outlines Spring Sports

At a general session attended by interested participants in spring sports, Coach Sid Smith outlined the spring sports. This meeting was held at 3:30 Monday in the Chemistry lecture room.

A limited number were training for track Monday after giving blood. Tuesday had a better turnout.

The tennis court is a scene of activity as the tennis boys practice their strokes.

Golfers are limbering their arms and preparing for the coming season.

No specific practice time is set up, but each individual can train at his convenience with the approval and under the supervision of the coaches.

# Berkbile, Frantz Report On Chicago Meetings

The faculty of the Education department of Macollege will meet Monday, March 14, at 3 p.m. to hear reports which will be given by Dr. James M. Berkbile and Prof. Merlin Frantz.

Professor Frantz will tell about his trip to Chicago. He attended the meeting of The American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

Dr. Berkbile attended a meeting of the Association of Higher Education which was also held in Chicago.

# Nelson To Direct Religious Emphasis

Dr. John Oliver Nelson, Professor of Christian vocation at Yale University Divinity School is to be on Macollege campus March 27 to 30 for Christian Emphasis Week.

Dr. Nelson will be speaking in church on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and at chapel here at Macollege on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Dr. Nelson will also speak that Sunday morning in the Church.

Rev. Nelson will meet with special groups and will be available for a limited number of individual conferences.

Christian Emphasis Week is an annual occasion which comes every spring here at Macollege. It is usually the last big religious event on the campus each year. Last year Rev. Bob Richards was the speaker for this week.

# Cub Scouts Visit Museum

A host of people visited Macollege last Friday and among these a number were a bit more excited and inquisitive than the average. These members were the blue-clad Cub Scouts of the city of McPherson who were taking a tour of the Macollege Museum.

Clifford Burkholder took the group through the museum on their tour. There were 55 Cubs and 15 leaders from Pack 133 of the Trinity Lutheran Church, Pack 131 of the Presbyterian Church, and pack 130 of the Brethren Church.

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# Arnold Eight, Oddfellows Win Finals

Oddfellows in the upper league and Arnold Eight in the lower league were victorious Tuesday night in basketball intramural finals. The Oddfellows played Bersuch's team, and the Arnold Eight played Ullom's team.

In the semi-finals of the upper league Bersuch played the Vets and the Oddfellows played Richardson's team. Bersuch and the Oddfellows emerged victorious.

In the lower league semi-finals, Lucky Seven played the Arnold Eight and Sloppy eight played Ullom's team. Arnold Eight and Ullom's team were the winners.

# Lehman Plans Tour Of Europe

Miss Della Lehman, traveling professor of English, plans to take a party of about 15 persons on a tour of Europe this summer.

The group composed of teachers and professional people plans to leave the United States during the second week of June and to return during the second week of August. They will travel most of the time by private bus.

Miss Lehman plans to be in six countries of Europe during one month and spend one week in England. Countries which they will visit include Holland, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, and France.

They want to visit in The Hague, Rotterdam, and Amsterdam while in Holland. In Germany the party will visit Cologne, Heidelberg, and Munich.

The destination in Switzerland includes Interlaken and Geneva. They will visit Innsbruck, Austria; Venice, Milan, Florence, Rome, and Genoa are the towns they wish to visit in Italy. Paris, France will be included in the itinerary. The group will spend about a week in London, England, and the surrounding area.

Miss Lehman says they will not do any bicycling, but she does hope to make arrangements to sail on the Rhine River.

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# Students To See Slums, Skid Row On Urban Sociology Field Trip

Dr. Kenneth Bechtel, professor of sociology and psychology at McPherson College, will travel with twelve members of his Urban Sociology class to Chicago, Ill., for a field trip. The group will leave late on Wednesday March 16, and return to campus in time for Monday morning classes on March 21.

Art Benson, Karl Baldner, and Leon Albert will drive cars to carry the others of the Chicago-bound class. Those attending will be Esther Merkey, Karl Dalke, Wilbur Davison, Dale DeLauter, Martin Gauby, Leland Langel, Wendell Lentz, Norman Long, Tom Taylor, and Harvey Miller.

Ruth Kauffman will accompany Esther Merkey, who is the only girl in the class attending the field trip.

A study of the ecology and culture of a large metropolitan area is the chief purpose behind the

trip. Dr. Bechtel, who will be making this trip for a second time, has planned a full schedule.

Some of the highlights of the trip will be visiting Madison Street's Skid Row, Hull House, The Gold Coast, Board of Trade, Ghetto, slum areas, Merchandise Mart, and other places of interest.

The group will have an opportunity to meet with a Chicago University sociologist, Clifford Shaw, who is head of the Institute for Juvenile Research.

A personal interview with a member of the City of Chicago Planning Commission has also been pre-arranged.

The class will attend services at the Church of the Deliverance, a large negro church on the south side of the city.

While in Chicago the students will stay at the Bethany Biblical Seminary.

# New Library Periodicals Include More Interests

New periodicals have recently been added to the list now received by the library. These magazines will help supplement textbooks, are a good source for report material, and are interesting reading.

American Heritage is one of the new periodicals. It is history.

There are four new education magazines. These are Childhood Education, Child Study, Journal of Education, and National Parent-Teacher.

In the art and home economics department there are two new magazines, Design and Design Quarterly are the new ones.

Ladies Home Journal and Coronet are two general information periodicals added to the library.

For those who are interested in aviation a new magazine, Flying, has been added.

Motor Trends and Radio and Television are two new periodicals. These are all available at the present time.

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