



Mary Lu Wise, sophomore, is snowbound and awaits her rescue. Donald Cotton leads the rescue party with Delaine Larson, sophomore, Ruth Hanagan and Marjorie Ross, freshmen, giving an assist.

Old Man Winter Sets In . . . It's A Marshmallow World For McPherson College

Students brought out their heaviest winter wear to say farewell to January and welcome to February with the first heavy snowfall of '36.
Receiving six inches of snow the first part of the week and around three the later part, the cumulative cover was 8-10 inches. The snow has produced a white landscape which has remained with the nippy winter temperatures.
Lee Kendall, superintendent of buildings and grounds, and his work crew have been busy clearing walks leading from the dormitories to the class buildings. As early as 5:30 a.m. several mornings Kendall and his crew were "on the job."
The college Fordson tractor was employed to clear many of the walks and circle drive.
No accidents were reported by any of the students or faculty members and class attendance did not seem to be hindered. Many students had to help one another get their cars pushed away from the curbs and parking areas around the campus.
The street department crews of the city moved 250 tons of snow from the business area streets

during the past week. Plows were sent out to open the streets so that traffic could move.
The storms brought falls of snow from the Rockies to the New England States. From three to ten inches of snow were reported over Kansas.
The temperature read a few degrees below several mornings here in the McPherson area and rising to thawing temperatures during the day.
The Weather Bureau reported a low of -24 at Big Piney, Wyo., during the week.
This snow, which was general over most of the state, is evidence of a near break in the drought pattern. If the snow would remain from six to eight weeks it would almost guarantee a moderate wheat crop.
This snow helps greatly in three ways for the crop. It will protect crops against severe cold, it will check further deterioration of wheat from wind erosion of the soil, and it will halt soil moisture losses through evaporation.
These conclusions were given by the State and Federal Agriculture Departments.

Secret Deeds To Be Style During Heart Sister Week

The annual Heart Sister Week will begin Feb. 7. The women students, the women faculty members, and the wives of faculty members will be invited to participate.
Betty Holderread, president of Women's Council, will direct the drawing of names after chapel Tuesday.
During the week each one is supposed to do a kind deed for her Heart Sister. Gifts may be given, but the price is to be kept under a dime. The identity of the giver will remain secret during the week.
One Feb. 14, Valentine's Day, at 8:30 p.m., the girls will meet in the social room of the College Church for a party. The girls will bring a gift for their Heart Sisters. The gift should cost no more than twenty-five cents.
At this party the names of the Heart Sisters will be revealed. The program will be part narration and part recreation. Refreshments will be served.
The members of the program committee are Ginny Russell, chairman, June Forsyth, Eva Navarro, and Nancy Keim. The members of the food committee are Arlene Watts, chairman, Elsie Lu-core, and Juanita Eike.
The girls on the decoration committee are Adele Bernstorff, chairman, Lucy Reeves, Marlene Lau-ver, and Virginia Bowers.

Interviewers Seek Teacher Prospects

Mr. Whitson, superintendent of Topeka public schools, was on campus Tuesday Jan. 31, interviewing prospective teachers. Three of last year's graduates are now teaching in Topeka. They are Keith and Dorothy (Lucore) Kipp and Joan McRoberts.
Next Tuesday, Feb. 7, the superintendent from the Denver, Colo. public schools will be on campus to interview prospective teachers. The superintendent of grade schools of Wakeney, Kas. will be here next Tuesday also.
Anyone interested in being interviewed by these superintendents should contact the Placement Bureau.

Debaters Depart For Pitt State

Three teams are planning to attend the Pittsburg State Teacher's College Debate Tournament to be held from noon Friday, Feb. 3, until the following Saturday afternoon.
Those who will leave campus on Friday are Don Faules and Don Ulom, Joan Walters and Lu Wise, and Gary Pamberg and Loyal Sherred.

Students Practice In Local School System

Twenty-one Macollege students are doing student teaching this semester in intermediate and senior high schools of the McPherson city school system.
Altogether, these twenty-one students are teaching eight different subjects.
Shirley Hamilton is teaching music in the senior high school. Jan van Asselt is teaching science, also in the senior high school.
Teaching history in the intermediate high school are Beverly Barr, Evelyn Mollhagen, Galen Stifler, and Ted Kalltsouin. Carol Trostle is teaching history in the senior high school.
Four of the student teachers are teaching in the field of English. Lois Delauter and Max Pamberg are teaching English in the inter-

mediate high school. JoAnn Silver is teaching literature in the Senior high school, and Bob Wise is teaching speech and dramatics in the senior high school.
Dwight Blough and Vernon Dosssett are teaching industrial arts in the intermediate high school.
Teaching physical education are Charles Atkinson, Cliff Reeves, and George Toews. They teach two days a week in senior high school and three days a week in intermediate high school.
Four students are teaching in commercial courses at the senior high school. Arlene Merkey is teaching shorthand. Robert Schmitt and Paul Stucky are teaching typing, and Don Ulom is teaching bookkeeping.
Virginia Bower is teaching art in both the senior and intermediate

Mac Honor Roll Lists Twenty-Seven Students

Thirty Students Make Honorable Mention

No less than seven McPherson College students maintained an average of "A" throughout their entire semester's work. The juniors and seniors predominated in the "lucky seven." Three seniors and three juniors represented their respective classes.
The seniors with perfect averages were Beverly Barr, Joan Keim, and Leland Lengel. Juniors who were equal to the occasion were Irene Shull, Ed Wolf, and Galen Stucky. The lone sophomore with a 3.00 average was Joyce Flory.

Others with an average sufficient for the special recognition of honor roll include Barbara Gooden, 2.88; Carl Harris and Donald Ulom, 2.82; Gordon Carls and Mark Marlene Jamison and Jan Van Asselt, 2.79; Bob Burge, 2.75; Carol Trostle, 2.72.
Glendon Button, Don Colberg, and Mary E. Swinger, 2.71; Richard Carney, Birdene Jamison and Willard Stucky, 2.65; Don Cotton, Richard Bittinger, 2.63; Marlene Jamison and Marlene Bower, 2.56; Garner Berg and Donald Moeller, 2.50.

Twenty-seven students held averages of 2.50 or better. The grade point average is computed on the basis of three grade points for each hour of "A", two grade points for each hour of "B", and one grade point for each hour of "C."
An average of 2.50 is necessary to place one's name upon the honor roll. To receive honorable mention which requires a likewise concentrated effort on the part of the student is to receive an average of between 2.25 to 2.50.

Those who received honorable mention for their scholarship abilities numbered thirty. Among those thirty were Charles Atkinson, 2.29; Richard Bittinger, 2.26; Dwight Blough, 2.40; Diane Bowers, 2.29; Rachel Brown, 2.36; Jeanine Corn, 2.31; Rita Evans, 2.33; Don Faules, 2.41; Duane Fike, 2.31; Joan Ford, 2.38; David Frazier, 2.31; Richard Frazier, 2.28.

Norris Harms, 2.40; Richard Horner, 2.35; Carl Hintz, 2.29; Nancy Kiern, 2.38; Forrest Kruschwitz, 2.44; Elsie Luore, 2.41; Joyce Miller, 2.44; Vivian Olivier, 2.31; Dwight Oltman, 2.31; Max Pamberg, 2.31; Harold Palfgraf, 2.40; Dean Reynolds, 2.44; Lois Roberts, 2.35; Ralph Royer, 2.33; Patsy Schechter, 2.28; Ann Schnaitman, 2.25; Mary Alice Smith, 2.33, and Norma Switzer, 2.38.

Hess Announces Oration Contests

Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

Dr. Maurice A. Hess has announced that anyone wishing to enter the Peace or Alcohol Oratory Contest should make arrangements immediately for a conference in Room 30, Sharp Hall. Contest is Feb. 26 at 6:30 p.m. in the McPherson First Church of the Brethren.
Contestants in the Alcohol Oratory must write a manuscript of 1,200 to 1,800 words. Of this, not more than 150 words may be quoted.
Prizes of \$25 and \$15 will be awarded if from three to five or more enter the local contest. The manuscripts should be completed by Feb. 12.
State prizes of \$35, \$25, and \$15 will be awarded to the winners accordingly. The winner of the local Alcohol Contest will be eligible to enter the state contest.
Not over 1,200 words are required of the Peace Oratory and 10 per-

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CBYF Offers Tickets For Season Of Six Movies

Students To Save Money On Entertainment

"Ulysses," the movie based on Homer's "Odyssey," and "Othello," a dramatization of Shakespeare's play are two of the six movies for which CBYF members are selling tickets.
The other movies included in the season list for which tickets are three dollars are "Beggars Opera," "The Divided Heart," "Beachcomber," and "Marty."
Plaza Theater in Lindsayburg is sponsoring the movies.
CBYF is raising money from this project to use in sending Elsie Luore to Germany as an exchange student next year.
By buying a season ticket, the purchaser saves a total of \$1.50, or 25 cents for each movie.
Every member of CBYF has tickets to sell.

College Calendar

Tonight, Feb. 3, Movie in Chapel at 7:30. Title, "Laura."
Tomorrow, Feb. 4, Basketball, C of E, here, Time 8 p.m. High School Auditorium.
Wednesday, Feb. 5, Basketball, Bethany, there.
Thursday, Feb. 6, English Proficiency Test, 7:45 a.m., Chemistry Lecture room.
Friday, Feb. 10, Basketball, Bethel, here, Time 8 p.m. High School Auditorium.
Saturday, Feb. 11, Movie in Chapel at 7:30. Title, Brigham Young.



Mrs. Yoder directs Forrest Kruschwitz and Peg Hoefer in early rehearsal of "Ring Around Elizabeth."

Kruschwitz, Hoefer Take Leads In Spring Production

"I look forward to working on "Ring Around Elizabeth." I think it is one of the most enjoyable plays with one of the finest casts I have ever directed," stated Mrs. Wilbur Yoder, Instructor in Speech and Dramatics as she gets production of the final dramatic presentation of the year into full rehearsal.
The lead roles are filled by Margaret Hoefer, a junior from Minn., as Elizabeth the leading lady. The main male part is Elizabeth's not-too-brilliant husband Ralph, will be acted by Forrest Kruschwitz, an Iowa sophomore.
Rehearsals began Tuesday evening and a full schedule has been worked out so that the play will be ready for curtain-call on the evening of March 3. The play will

be presented at the Community Building during the Regional Youth Conference.
Other roles were assigned to Norma George as Jennifer Cherry, Lois DeLauter plays the part of Mercy, Carol Albee as Laurette Carpenter Styles, Diane Bowman plays the maid, Vilda Duane Eike portrays Hubert Cherry, Mary Lou Wise fills the Irene Oliver role. Neela Jean Brighton takes the part of Harriet Gilpin.
Andy Blayne is played by Dean Reynolds, Billy Joe Hildreth will have the role of Dr. Hollister.
The first performance of Charl Armstrong's "Ring Around Elizabeth," was played on Broadway in New York, presenting Jane Cowell in the lead role Elizabeth.

SoCo Presents 'Laura' In Chapel

The movie, "Laura," will be shown in the chapel this evening at 7:30 A cartoon will also be shown.
Dana Andrews, Gene Tierney and Clifton Webb star in this murder mystery which has a surprise twist at the end.
"Laura" won an Oscar which indicates that it has been recognized and awarded the highest honor by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences.
Dwight Blough has charge of the movies.

Former Prof Writes Book

Dr. Ray C. Petry, professor of philosophy and religion at McPherson College from 1933-37, is the author of a new book "Christian Eschatology and Social Thought," to be released by the Abingdon Press early this month.
Petry graduated from Manchester College and did his graduate work at the University of Chicago. While a student at the University of Chicago, Petry was reported to have had one of the finest scholastic records of the graduate school.
In his new book he discusses such controversial issues of current religious thought as death, resurrection, and the kingdom of God.
Dr. Petry's book traces the connection of Christian eschatology and social thought over a span of time, extending from the early days of the church to 1800 A.D., in the development of Christian doctrine and life.
There can be no effective Christian society, Dr. Petry expresses, unless the vision of God's kingdom is active in everyday living and stimulates the Christian to greater concern for his fellow man.

CBYF Plans Party

The CBYF is going to have a party and a worship service Sunday night, Feb. 8, at 6:00 instead of the regular time.
The Steering Committee suggests that each member come with new ideas for future CBYF meetings.

