

Mac Has Kansas Mother Of The Year

Mrs. Bittinger To Vie For National Honors



THE 1956 KANSAS MOTHER OF THE YEAR, MRS. D. W. BITTINGER, is pictured above with her husband, President Bittinger, and two of her four children, Marianne and Dick. Besides having four children of her own, Mrs. Bittinger has been adopted by the students of McPherson College as their "Mom Away From Home." Mrs. Bittinger has assisted with the plans for many of the students' weddings and has served with her husband as host and hostess for numerous different receptions. "Mom" Bittinger will be honored at a state-wide celebration here in McPherson in the near future, and then will compete for the National Mother of the Year honors along with other nominees from United States, Alaska, Hawaii, and Porto Rico.

Mrs. D. W. Bittinger, wife of the President of McPherson College and Mother of the Year, is the 1956 Kansas Mother of the Year, an annual selection of the outstanding mother in the state. Yesterday the State President of the Kansas Mothers Committee met with Mrs. Bittinger to set up the plans for the state celebration which will be held here in McPherson in the near future. Plans will also be made for her trip to New York for the national celebration which will be held during the Mother's Day weekend. Mrs. Bittinger was the youngest nominee for Mother of the Year for Kansas and possibly the youngest ever to be selected to this honor. Her picture and write-ups about her have made the front pages of the leading papers throughout the state. Announcement was made by Mrs. Harry B. Brown of Wichita, general chairman of the Kansas Mothers Committee. Mrs. Bittinger was selected from 28 entries in the contest. She will compete with other winners throughout the United States, District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico for the title of American Mother of the Year. For eight years in the 1930's she and her husband served as missionaries in Nigeria, West Africa. Mrs. Bittinger was the first white woman seen in many of the villages. Mrs. Bittinger was born in Frytown, Penn. She received her Bachelor of Science degree from Elizabethtown College in 1926. Many times Mrs. Bittinger has filled in and taught Dr. Bittinger's classes when he was out of town. She holds a teaching certificate in the arts and crafts department. The Mother of the Year has four children of her own. Stanley, the oldest is a high school teacher in Falfurrias, Tex., and pastor of the Brethren Church there. Patricia Stern, who with her husband, is a missionary in Nigeria. Dick, who is a freshman here at college, and Marianne, a freshman in McPherson High School. Besides rearing four children, Mrs. Bittinger has worked with her husband in leading and counseling at McPherson College. She is co-teacher with Dr. Bittinger of the large college freshman Sunday School class at the College Church. She directs children of the junior department in a "seeds for peace" project, serves on many boards and committees of the organization and has served as director of woman's work in western Kansas. The Women's Work of the local church submitted Mrs. Bittinger's name to the Kansas Mothers Committee for nomination. Mrs. Bittinger is presently co-director of family life education in this region and does a great deal of traveling in the process. Religious writing has occupied much of her time. For three years she wrote the Sunday School lessons for juniors and has also written scripts for four religious movies.

College Calendar

- Friday, April 13, All-School Skating Party at Peterson's Roller Rink, 7 p.m.
- Sunday, April 15, Student Organ Recital, 3 p.m.
- Thursday, April 19, Miss Ruth Stout at F.T.A. meeting, 7:30 p.m.
- Friday, April 20, Band Concert, 8 p.m.
- Saturday, April 21, WAA Banquet, 6 p.m.

Students Study Politics In D. C.

This past week, 29 MacCollege students in American Politics class have been visiting New York and Washington, D. C. The students have been studying various government agencies as well as visiting Congress in session. They are spending today in New York and will be leaving tonight to come back to McPherson. Students on the trip include Charles Atkinson, Leroy Buskirk, Gary Carlson, Keith Coffman, Don Cotton, Jeanine Cotton, Ruth Eisenbise, Barbara Gooden, Beverly Hall, Delbert Hayes, Billy Joe Hildreth, Betty Holloway, Herbert Johnson and Lois Knackstedt. Also in the group are Shirley Knackstedt, Marian McElwain, Darius Miller, Evelyn Molhagen, William Molhagen, Eva Navarro, Wayne Oak, Clifford Reeves, Joe Rich, F. A. Schaefer, John Schrag, Irene Shull, Elwyn Taylor, Arlie Thissen, and Bernard Whirley. Dr. Raymond L. Flory, head of the history department, accompanied the group.

Pi Kappa Elects 1956-'57 Officers

Mary Lou Wise, sophomore, is the new president of Pi Kappa Delta, honorary forensic fraternity, for 1956-1957. At the election on April 10, the other officers elected were: Richard Bittinger, vice president; Joan Walters, secretary-treasurer; and Glenna Hawbaker, corresponding secretary. Six new members were admitted to Pi Kappa Delta this year. Four of them are freshmen: Glenna Hawbaker, Joan Walters, Richard Bittinger, and Larry Hayes. Two are sophomores: Norris Harms and Dwight Oltman. Eligible for membership in Pi Kappa Delta are those students who have attained certain standards in the field of forensics, as set forth in the constitution. Highlights of the year's activities is the formal initiation of new members into the chapter in the spring of the year which will be held soon.

Band To Give Concert

A public concert will be given by the McPherson College Concert Band, Friday, April 20, at 8 p.m. The concert will be held in the college chapel. Prof. Donald R. Frederick is band director.

Council Chooses Bradley As Dog House Manager

Phil Bradley, present manager of the Dog House, has been chosen by Student Council to continue as manager again next year.



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Students To Hold Recital

A student organ recital will be held at 3 p.m. this Sunday at the Church of the Brethren. The more advanced students are giving this recital. Each will play two numbers, which will be church music principally with a few recital numbers. Those playing are Carol Hintz, Peg Hofer, Mrs. Donald Frederick, Dean Reynolds, and Max Parmley. Mrs. Aggrey San Romani, Associate Professor of Piano and Organ, is their instructor.

Faules To Take Position At SIU

The administration of Southern Illinois University has selected Don Faules to a half-time graduate assistantship in speech. Don, who will graduate from McPherson this spring with a major in English, will begin his work at the University sometime in September. He will be an assistant to Dr. Walter Murrish, Director of Forensics at SIU. Half of his teaching load will involve a forensic assistantship. Don will have a major share in coaching the Junior Varsity Debate Squad. He will also travel with the debate team.

Other teaching duties which Don will have include the instruction of freshman speech classes. Don has attended Colorado A & M and Colorado State College of Education as well as McPherson College.

At Colorado State College of Education he was on the number one debate team which was coached by Dr. Ray DeBoer. Don has been on the McPherson College Debate Squad for three years. In 1955 he was one of McPherson's representatives to the National Pi Kappa Delta Forensic Tournament at Redlands University in California. He has served as vice-president of the local chapter of Pi Kappa Delta.

Other activities in which Don has been active are Men's Council and he is present editor of the Spectator. While at the University, which is located in Carbondale, Illinois, Don will work on his Master's Degree. He plans to enter the teaching field after completing his education.

Students Accept Positions In Teaching For Next Year

More students are accepting teaching positions. Mary Ellen Walters, sophomore, will teach fourth grade next year in Johnson, Kans. Carol Hink, junior, will be teaching in Wakeeney, Kans., and Betty Holderread, who is graduating this year, will be teaching in Newton, Kans. Both will teach fourth grade.

Three Mac Graduates Join College Faculty For '56-'57



John K. Sheets



Bob Wise



Dayton Rothrock

Dayton Rothrock, John K. Sheets, and Bob Wise are new members of the McPherson College faculty for next year. A fourth new member will be announced by the trustees later.

Dayton Rothrock, superintendent of schools of Gresham, Neb., has been appointed as assistant professor in education at McPherson College. He will be working with Dr. Mary Lee and Prof. Meritt Frantz.

Dayton Rothrock was born at Davenport, Neb., where he received his elementary and high school education. He graduated from McPherson College in 1947 with the A.B. degree and has pursued further studies at the University of Colorado and the University of Nebraska.

He received his Master of Arts degree from the University of Nebraska in 1951, and has followed that with further work toward his Ph. D. degree. He served as principal and coach at Carlton, Neb., from 1947 to 1948, and was superintendent of the Carlton schools from 1948 to 1951. He, then, became superintendent of schools at Gresham, Neb., in 1951, and has continued in that capacity until the present time. During his years of experience he has been active in church work and in boys' clubs. While at college he participated in athletics including track, football, and basketball. He likewise participated in dramatics, debate, student Christian groups, and school publications. He was editor of the Spectator one year.

He is married and has two children, Terry, 5, and Craig, 2. His wife is Rebecca Spear, 48.

Dayton was elected by his district to the Board of Trustees of McPherson College and was elected from that board to a position on the college faculty.

John K. Sheets of Quinter, Kans., has been appointed as an associate in the Department of Public Relations at McPherson College. He will succeed Glenn Swinger.

John was born in North Dakota and graduated from the high school at Surrey, North Dak. Following his high school he continued his education at Minot State Teachers' College at Minot, North Dak. and later at Chilloicthe Business College, Chilloicthe, Mo.

Subsequently, he transferred to McPherson and graduated from McPherson College in 1949 with an A.B. degree. While here he assisted in the business office and managed the book store. After graduation, he enrolled for graduate study at Fort Hays College, Hays, Kans.

He has had experience as a bookkeeper and accountant at Minot, North Dak., both in oil production and with the railroad. For the last seven years he has been employed as teacher of commerce at Quinter High School, Quinter, Kans.

He has been active in church affairs since his youth. He is a minister and held brief pastorates, while he was in school, in the area of McPherson College. He has been active in Scouts, in Rotary Club, and in local, state, and national teachers' organiza-

tions. He is married and is the father of three boys, Norman, 13; Delbert, 11; and James, 9. Bob Wise, a '56 graduate of McPherson College, has been employed to serve as assistant coach and to teach in the area of physical education. He will succeed George Keim, who has filled that position for the last two years. Bob comes from Nevada, Iowa. He attended the Fernald High School, where he was very active in sports and was an outstanding student. His area of sport participation was in baseball and basketball. In the field of basketball he achieved state-wide honorable mention as a high school performer. He was also active in speech and dramatics, and in practically every phase of high school activities. He also was interested in his church, and was active in local and district church activities. He served on the district and state cabinets of his state CBYF, and served as district and state president.

He was active in 4-H work and became state president of the 4-H for Iowa. In McPherson College, Bob has been active in almost every phase of college life and was elected this year to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. He has participated in dramatics and has been active in public speech and debate. One year his debate team won a state championship.

He has served as treasurer of the Student Council and has worked on many other committees and boards of the college.

While in college he has been active in all major sports as well. Starting from scratch in football, he played well. He continued his performance, also, in basketball and baseball. Bob will serve as assistant coach and instructor in Physical Education on the McPherson College staff.

On March 24 he married Anita McSpadden of Wiley, Colo.

Campaign Slated For Next Tuesday

Elections for Student Council president and treasurer will be held during the 9:35 period Tuesday morning.

Ballyhoo speeches will be given for each of the candidates before the ballots are distributed.

An unusually heated campaign is being waged by the managers of the various candidates.

Candidates for the election for president are: Don Colberg, Leon Neher, Delbert Hayes, and Gene Myers.

Competing for the job as treasurer are: Forry B. Wright, Oltman, and LeRoy Buskirk.

Students Try Out Block System

Six MacCollege students have been experimenting with the block system of student teaching, which goes into effect at MacCollege next fall, by spending two weeks this semester doing full-time student teaching.

Bob Schmitt has been teaching at Inman. George Toews and Don Ullom have been teaching at Windom. Teaching here in McPherson have been Galen Sifer in the Intermediate School and Lois DeLauster in the high school. Paul Slucky has been teaching at Canton.

In addition to these six who are experimenting with block system student teaching, Nancy Keim is teaching mathematics at Canton as substitute teacher. She is getting student teaching credit for this work.

Under next year's block system, secondary education students will be able to take all their education courses except Introduction to Education and their student teaching in one semester.

The first four weeks and last four weeks of the semester they will take their education courses. The middle nine weeks they will spend in full-time student teaching. Students who have done experimental block system student teaching this semester think it has been very worthwhile.

One student said of the block system, "It is far superior to the system of teaching one hour a day. It is more realistic, and you get acquainted with your teacher and the students and faculty."

Another student said, "It beats the old system by far. You get the entire feeling of being a teacher. If you want professional experience, it's as close as you can get to it before graduation."

Hot Wind Hits Campus

Campus Elections Held On Tuesday

By Mg. Lengel

Tall, dark, slow-spoken but versatile in his talents and his accomplishments: a brilliant musician, a first-class athlete, and the person whom anyone would be happy to have as a friend.

These are the qualities which distinguish Dwight Oltman well-known sophomore majoring in Music Education, who is one of the candidates for next year's position as treasurer of the Student Council.

Dwight's activities in his years in High School at the Chase County High School in Imperial, Neb., have served to show the extent of his talent in his many and varied activities.

In such diverse fields as music and athletics at the high school level he was able to gain honors such as an All Conference rating in basketball, the second place in the State of Nebraska in the half-mile run, and the Avion award as the outstanding music student in his class.

Since his entrance into Macollege, Dwight has continued his work in all fields, and his honors in this institution have not been lacking. As President of the McPherson College Band, Treasurer of the A Cappella Choir, and a member of the Student Court, he has shown himself to be worthy of that office to which he has aspired.

Aside from his fine record both past and present, those on campus who know Dwight Oltman (and nearly everyone does) know that he is a hard taskmaster on himself and on those with whom he works, but only hard because he realizes the need for work to gain accomplishment.

They know, too, that he is a fine Christian gentleman, and certainly fitted, through experience, training, personality, and inherent leadership, to set before his students in his office as Treasurer of the Student Council.

By Mg. Pamberg
Norris Harms — The candidate of the Progressives — With Norris Harms for a better school!

Running for treasurer of the student council for next year is Norris Harms. He hails from Haxton, Colo., and is now a sophomore. His leadership ability and his trustworthy personality are esteemed by all of his friends.

The student council and the

board of publications placed supreme credit on him by choosing him as the business manager of next year's Quadrangle. An even larger number of students demonstrated their confidence in his administrative ability by electing him as president of the Future Teachers' America.

His unceasing interest in church affairs earned him the well-deserved position of president of the Church Youth Fellowship in his hometown.

Norris Harms possesses all the necessary prerequisites for his future position, since he is majoring in just those fields which are indispensable for a successful tenure in the office of treasurer on the student council.

He stands for the improvement of the living and eating establishments on campus, and making them as inexpensive as possible. He also favors the promotion of modern recreation and amusements on campus.

By Mg. Pamberg
Gene Myers — the ideal man for President!

Every person on this campus knows the likable and friendly fellow with the Southern drawl who in his three years at college has earned for himself the universal respect and popularity of all college students.

His fellow students in high school demonstrated their confidence in him by electing him Vice president and President in two successive years, in F.A. He also served the young people of Missouri as president of the district and state youth cabinets.

In college he has held an impressive number of different offices. He is on the steering committee of the CBYF, and president of the executive cabinet of the Regional Y.

But he has also distinguished himself in purely college affairs, such as being the present business manager of the Spec, and shown an interest in sports by his work as freshman and varsity cheerleader.

At the end of this year he will terminate these activities to devote his time and energies to the office of President of the Student Council.

He will be working toward more opportunities for students both on and off campus through more inclusive extra curricular activities, and will have a concern for all student needs regardless of the size of the group.

Everybody who has seen Gene working on the college grounds with El Toro knows his tremendous capacity for hard work, a quality which will pay off when he is elected to be President of the Student Council.

By Mg. Fike
Don Colberg — "Friend of the workers and the rest of the Macollege students."

On the ballot for Student Council president for next year is Don Colberg, capable of leading the student body through a year of



prosperity and pleasure for all students.

Don Colberg has participated in the various activities on campus. He is treasurer of the SCA, has lettered in Track for two years, sings in the A Cappella choir, and is a member of Rec Council.

Last year he received the support of the student body, who felt like they could trust him and rightly so, and he was elected treasurer of the student council. He is therefore in a position to work and responsibilities of the council.

He is a man of high principles and is for clean honest government. He will be free from other obligations during his senior year thus making him able to donate his time to the functions of the student council for the benefit of all the students.

By Mr. Fancher

NEHER FOR PRESIDENT!
Out of the wildest of deepest, darkest India... from the rugged mountains of Korea... from the shanty of Hong Kong... comes the shout... NEHER FOR PRESIDENT!!!

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As a freshman on the campus, Leon participated in many and varied activities. He was a member of the Freshman male octette and was active in intermural sports. Then the next year he became a member of the Regional Youth Cabinet and took up debating. He was also active in SCA and Ag Club, not to mention A Cappella Choir.

Then came his trip to India to study for one year as an Exchange Student. Around the world he went.



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Pondering With The President The Man Who Stopped

All of us have been thrilled with John Landy's track record. John has run the mile in less time than any other human being ever run it. Three times he has broken the four minute barrier.

Recently John was running in a race and had a very good chance of breaking his own 3:58 record; suddenly the runner in front of

him fell. John jumped over the fallen runner, then stopped and came back to help him up. The fallen runner urged Landy to continue and Landy did, completing the race in 4.2 seconds. He probably lost 5 or 6 seconds by stopping, or he might have broken his own world record if he had not stopped. He was acclaimed in every newspaper for this excellent manifestation of good sportsmanship. One coach said: "It was the most gallant action I have seen in a lifetime of athletics."

Consultant To Be At FTA Meeting

April 18, Miss Ruth Stout, Kansas State FTA consultant, will be on campus to speak to the Maurice A. Hess Chapter of FTA. The meeting is to be held in the chapel at 7:30 p.m.

The FTA chapters at Bethany, Bethel, Friends University, Wichita University, Sterling, Hutchinson, Central College, Kansas Wesleyan, and McPherson High School have been invited to attend.



Miss Ruth Stout

Following the meeting, refreshments will be served in the SUR with Vera Mohler in charge.

Tomorrow, five members are going to Kansas State College in Manhattan to attend the State Convention of the FTA chapters. Norris Harms, newly elected president of the Maurice A. Hess Chapter, is driving the car and those going with him are Richard Carozz, Joyce Miller, Shirley Rhoades, and Nancy Keim.

Along side of this I have seen other pictures quite dissimilar. Recently a group of soldiers were photographed as they marched before Queen Elizabeth. It was a hot day and one of them fainted and fell; the others stepped over him without looking in his direction until the long line had passed. Once again I saw a picture of girls in uniform being reviewed by royalty; one of them fainted and fell. Neither royalty nor the others in line dared to look in the direction of the fallen girl in uniform.

It is good that athletes still can place high value on human personality.

The other pictures point out that in a highly militarized situation the individual does not count for much and the individual and human personality is lost in the mass.

We can be glad that athletics still prevail in our society. We should be pleased that at least in track stress is placed on the individual. It can be alarming that militarism seems to creep up as strongly as it does from all the edges of our society.

These two sets of pictures point out the difference between them.

Zeller Speaks On Chastity

Rev. Harry K. Zeller, Jr., will bring a message on "The Case for Chastity" on Sunday morning, April 15. This is a continuation of a series on the Ten Commandments.

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Campus Whirl

As time flies by in the academic years, students begin about this early to calculate the days left until the last activities will be finished. According to the calendar, there are only 30 school days left including test week.

Fleeting time is speeded along for Maccollege students as though hours are put in on semester projects which the professors urge to completion. Deadlines are creeping up on not only students but teachers likewise.

In the near future there will be student recitals which require the unpredictable weather warms up, the mood will be set for the retreats and picnics annually taken.

Students in New York

The members of the American Politics Class, who have spent the week in Washington, D. C., observing governmental proceedings are spending today in New York City before returning to Maccollege Campus on Sunday night.

Monday, the Growth of Culture class will take a field trip to the ancient burial grounds at Salina. The class will also view some of Sandzen's art work.

Traveling to Wichita Wednesday morning to visit the city jail and other penal institutions will be the Criminology class. In the afternoon the group will visit the reformatory in Hutchinson.

Med Technicians

Marleen Landuis, a sophomore at McPherson, has been notified recently of her acceptance into the School of Medical Technology of St. Luke's Methodist Hospital at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, which is affiliated with Coe College. She will begin her twelve months' training July 18. Marleen has taken two years pre-training for the work here at college.

A number of college youth will be going to the Youth Rally in Iowa this weekend. Leaving today will be Dwight Oltman, Mary Lou Wise, Linda Royer, Irvin Wagner, Erma Lea Brewer, Shirley Bowen, Max Royer, Ed Emmert, Larry Sanders, Ken Sheaffer, and Larry Kinzie.

Marlene Evans a junior student at Nebraska Wesleyan visited friends and relatives in McPherson last weekend. She attended Mac as a freshman.

Yvonne Dall, who is the fiancée of Virginia Holdreid, senior, returned to campus with her following Easter vacation for a week's visit.

Dinner guests in the Murrey home last Sunday were Ana Rosa Rodrigues, Israel Zayas, Ramon Paoli, Ted Kaltsounis, and Vilas Likhte.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sink were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wise, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Delk. After a chili supper, the couples played cards.

Doug Ullom, stationed at Ft. Riley, Kansas, was a weekend guest of J. W. Van Blaricum III.

Gene Elrod and Ken Brown, former McPherson students, were visitors on campus last Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Gene is on the police force in Wichita, and Ken is attending graduate school at K. U.

Mike Kendall, a former McPherson College student and son of Lee Kendall, who is associate superintendent of McPherson college grounds, has been transferred from Nappanee, Ind., to New Windsor, Md.

New Windsor is the former home of Mike's wife, Janet Myers Kendall. Mike and his wife will be helping in the processing of clothing to be sent to Europe for relief.

At the style show sponsored by the Home Ec Club, girls from surrounding towns, women from the college hill, and girls on campus were given a look behind the times in styles of wedding gowns as well as modern dresses of those just married.

An added surprise was a flash preview of a gown to be featured in the near future when Rachel Brown marries Bill Goering on May 12. Three of these dresses were made in a clothing lab this year by Anita McSpadden Wise, Arlene Watts Rolfs, and Rachel. All three were assisted in design and construction by their supervisor, Miss Mildred Siek.

Sunday Picnic

Celebrating the birthday of Max Royer, junior, were ten couples who picnicked in Black Canyon Sunday afternoon. The students climbed hills and, after working up considerable appetites, cooked their supper on hot coals.

Couples present were Dale Sheffelt and Donna Davidson, Ken Sheaffer and Ruth Davidson, Gene Myers and Shirley Bowen, Gene Snyder and Janet White, Richard Carney and Joyce Miller, Dick Bitinger and Joan Walters, Larry Hayes and Margie Ross, Ed Butler and Sara Ann Coffman, Lee Daidisman and Alma Goodfellow, and Max Royer and Sharon Bailey.

Erma Lea Brewer, Anne Caylor, and Wanda Swick went to Iowa last weekend. Wanda, a McPherson girl, was the guest of Anne for the stay. Chuck Ebbert and his fiancée, Glenna-Zuck, went to Quinter Friday evening and returned Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kendall recently entertained their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Freed, in celebration of the Freed's first wedding anniversary. The Freed's are living in Kline Hall and both attend college. Ronald is a junior and his wife Kathy is a sophomore.

Keim, Lengel

The Rev. and Mrs. Howard H. Keim, North Manchester, Ind., announce the recent engagement of their daughter Nancy to Leland Lengel son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lengel of Windsor, Colorado. Nancy is a junior majoring in biology. Her fiancée is a senior history major. Both are students at McPherson College.

Maccollege Entertains Educational Buyers

Today, McPherson College is host to the Kansas-Missouri group of National Association of Educational Buyers. Gordon Yoder, business manager, will represent McPherson College. This meeting is one of the regular meetings held throughout the school year.

Dean To Speak At CBYF

Dean James M. Berkebile will be speaker at CBYF Sunday evening. The meeting will be held at 6:30 in the social rooms of the Church of the Brethren.

Yoder Sees Dublin Players

Mrs. Wilbur Yoder, director of speech and dramatics, attended the drama production of G. B. Shaw's "Arms and the Man," presented in Kansas City last week by the Dublin Players of Ireland.

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MR. AND MRS. EDWARD R. FRANTZ are living in Abilene, Kansas, after their recent marriage March 18 in McPherson.

Tolar, Pigott

Mr. and Mrs. Conley Tolar, McPherson, have announced the engagement of their daughter Connie to Gary Pigott, son of Mrs. Ruth Pigott.

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NEWLYWEDS MR. AND MRS. MERLE D. ROLFS were married March 25 in an afternoon ceremony. After honeymooning in Colorado the two resumed their studies at college and reside at 146 N. Charles.

Home Ec Club Presents Fashions

An interesting note was added to the spring atmosphere on Tuesday evening, April 10, as girls on campus modeled wedding gowns from both the past, present, and future.

This grew from an idea of the Home Economics Club Council as it began its plans for the year last fall. Besides wedding gowns, students from the three clothing classes, Fundamentals of Clothing, Applied Dress Design, and Tailoring, modeled the garments which they had made.

Featured in this Wedding Gown Style Review were gowns from as far back as 1909. From that date were gowns from every decade.

The oldest garment shown was the jacket worn by Arlene Watts Rolfs' great-grandmother in her wedding in 1889. It was shown with

its quilted, hand-made, lining as Arlene modeled her grandmother's wedding gown of 1912.

Anita McSpadden Wise modeled her mother's wedding gown which was made in the 1927 flapper days.

Following the review, members of the Foods Class served a tea in the Harnly Hall Home Economics Department. Pouring punch were Marlene Jamison, president of the club, and Mrs. D. W. Bitinger.

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Canines Win First Place In Triangular Track Meet

The McPherson Bulldogs showed all around strength in capturing first place in a triangular track meet on the Friends University track, March 26, compiling 78 1/2 points to 20 1/2 points for the host school. Bethel College finished third with 15 1/2 points.

Tom Ragland pulled down top individual honors with 20 points as he finished first in the 120-yard high hurdles, 180-yard low hurdles and tied for first in the high jump. In addition, he placed second in the broad jump and ran a lap on the winning mile relay team.

Other McPherson firsts came in the 100-yard dash, Don Widrig — 10.1; 200-yard dash, Galen Stucky — 2:22.2; pole vault, Gene El-

liott — 11 ft. 10 in.; and the javelin, Widrig — 171 ft. 7 in.; Box scores for the McPherson entrants were:

MILE RUN: 2nd — DeVine; 3rd — Bittinger. Winning time, 5 min. 14.3 sec.

400 YARD DASH: 2nd — Heidebrecht; 3rd — Stucky. Winning time, 56.2 sec.

100 YARD DASH: 1st — Widrig; 2nd — Ragland. Winning time, 10.1 sec.

120 HIGH HURDLES: 1st — Ragland; 2nd — Smith. Winning time, 16.5 sec.

180 YARD LOW HURDLES: 1st — Stucky; 2nd — DeVine; 3rd — Widrig. Winning time, 2 min. 22.2 sec.

200 YARD DASH: 3rd — Widrig; 4th — Anderson. Winning time, 2:24.8 sec.

TWO MILE RUN: 2nd — Bittinger. Winning time, 11 min. 53.7 sec.

100 YARD LOW HURDLES: 1st — Ragland; 4th — Smith. Winning time, 27.1 sec.

MILE RELAY: 1st — McPherson (Ragland, Heidebrecht, Stucky, Widrig). Winning time, 3 min. 40.2 sec.

POLE VAULT: 1st — Elliott; 3rd — Smith. Winning height, 11 ft. 10 in.

SHOT PUT: 2nd — Bersuch; 3rd — Anderson. Winning put, 48 ft. 8 1/2 in.

DISCUS: 2nd — Anderson. Winning distance, 155 ft.

HIGH JUMP: 1st — Ragland and Warner of Friends, 4th Smith.

JAVELIN: 1st — Widrig; 3rd — Bersuch. Winning distance, 171 ft. 7 in.

BROAD JUMP: 2nd — Ragland; 3rd — Widrig; 4th — Heidebrecht. Winning distance, 20 ft. 10 1/2 in.

Mac Digs Cinders To Win Opener

McPherson College's track team opened its spring schedule with a 95 1/2 to 15 dual-meet victory over Bethany on March 23.

Competing under favorable weather conditions, Mac won first in each of eleven events. Bethany's Jack Bowman captured their only first in the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes.

Ron Anderson, McPherson's outstanding discus thrower and one of the top in the conference, won that event with a heave of 140 ft. 2 in. His last year's record-breaking throw of 155 ft. 6 in. set a new record for the Bulldogs.

Following is a summary of the McPherson score:

MILE RUN: 1st — Wray; 2nd — Colberg; 3rd — Bittinger. Winning time, 5 min. 38 sec.

400-YARD DASH: 1st — Stucky; 2nd — Cotton; 3rd — Scott. Winning time, 55 sec.

100-YARD DASH: 2nd — Widrig; 3rd — Heidebrecht. Winning time, 10 sec.

120-YARD DASH: 1st — Wray; 2nd — DeVine; 3rd — McPherson. Winning time, 2:15.8 min.

200-YARD DASH: 2nd — Widrig; 3rd — Heidebrecht. Winning time, 23.2 sec.

TWO MILE RUN: 1st — Colbert; 2nd — Bittinger. Winning time, 11:12.7 min.

JAVELIN: 1st — Widrig; 2nd — Anderson. Winning distance, 168 ft. 8 1/2 in.

SHOT PUT: 1st — Bersuch; 2nd — Anderson; 3rd — Nelson. Winning distance, 39 ft. 9 1/2 in.

POLE VAULT: 1st — Elliott; 3rd — Smith. Winning height, 11 ft. 5 in.

HIGH JUMP: 1st — Ragland and Smith; 2nd — Widrig. Winning height, 5 ft. 7 in.

BROAD JUMP: 1st — Widrig; 2nd — Anderson. Winning distance, 19 ft. 2 in.

DISCUS: 1st — Anderson; 2nd — Nelson; 3rd — Bersuch. Winning distance, 140 ft. 2 in.

MILE RELAY: 1st — McPherson (Stucky, Heidebrecht, Ragland, Widrig). Winning time, 3:43.6 min.



Roland Wray

Roland won the mile and the half-mile in the Bethany track meet. Roland did not participate in the triangular meet with Friends and Bethel Universities at Wichita. He is slated for the mile and half-mile at the Emporia State Relays.

Net Team Takes Tri Doubles Meet

McPherson College's tennis team won its opening meet of the spring season on March 23 by defeating Bethel College and Tabor College in a triangular doubles affair.

The Bulldog doubles teams won five of their six matches. On a point basis, the Bulldogs scored nine points to win the meet. Bethel was second with six, and Tabor third with three.

Following is a summary of the meet for the McPherson teams:

Penner-Hamm, Bethel, defeated Wolf-Pulford, McPherson, 12-10.

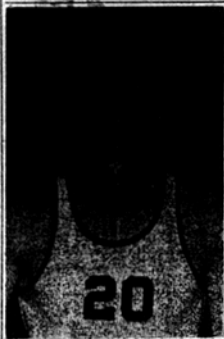
Wolf-Pulford, McPherson, defeated Gaede-Hamm, Tabor, 12-3.

Eisele-Royer, McPherson, defeated Grundman-Preheim, Bethel, 12-8.

Eisele-Royer, McPherson, defeated Ebel-Gerbrandt, Tabor, 12-2.

Likhte-Reed, McPherson, defeated Stucky-Goering, Bethel, 12-0.

Likhte-Reed, McPherson, defeated Wickert - Sawatzki, Tabor, 12-3.



Gene Elliott

Gene Elliott has been showing good form in vaulting thus far in the season and has two firsts to his credit with vaults of 11 ft. 10 in. and 11 ft. 5 in. at Wichita and Lindsborg respectively. He should hit the coveted 12 ft. mark before the season is finished.

Baseball Begins

The baseball-minded men of McPherson College are starting a spring baseball drive. Enthusiastic support has been given the forthcoming team. One practice has been held thus far with Vernon Petefish and Delmar Senger being the supervisors.

Several businessmen have expressed enthusiasm for the team, and about 15 men have participated at this time. Some were B J catcher, Bud Wingrove, and pitcher, Larry Sarna.

Veterans are Vernon Petefish and Roland Wray, with infielders Bob Nelson, Dwayne Jefferies, Rick Hood, Maxlin Sittner, and Lee Danyluck.

Others working out include Earl Gulot, Don Moeller, George Casebeer, Tom Ragland, Al Gibbons, Verlin Kolman, Gerald Fisher, Don Westmoreland, Rodney Westmoreland, and Don Glahn.

Several games have already been contracted and another practice session is slated for 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Anyone interested in playing baseball should be at the Washington School playground Sunday.



Tom Ragland

Tom tied for first in high jump and also ran on the mile-relay team at Bethany. Tom scored 20 points at Wichita and was high individual by winning both 120-yard high hurdles, 220-yard low hurdles, and tying for first in high jump. He was second in 100-yard dash and broad jump and ran a lap on the mile-relay team.



Galen Stucky

Galen won the 400-yard dash and ran on the winning mile-relay team at Bethany. In the triangular meet at Wichita he won the half-mile and placed third in the 400-yard dash. Also he ran on the winning mile-relay team. Stucky is showing lots of enthusiasm and promise in track.



Ronald Anderson

Ronald Anderson, who is McPherson's outstanding discus thrower and who holds that record, has a first and second in that event with tosses of 140 and 150 ft. thus far in the meets. However, he has not hit his usual distance in the meets and has been throwing the discus 155 and 165 ft. in recent practices. Anderson is expected to shatter his old record and has other events to participate in, too. He took second in the shot put and javelin and broad jump at the Bethany meet.

WAA To Be Underwater Soon

The WAA banquet, which has the theme, "Underwater Wonderland," is scheduled for April 21. This is an event planned each year by the WAA and is a girl-ask-fellow occasion.

Those on the decorating committee of which Harriette Grove is chairman are: Jeanine Corn, Donna Davidson, Bessie Jean Knode, Janet White, and Dorothy Blough. Mary Alice Smith is chairman of the program committee. Those assisting her are Betty Holloway, Neva Shenefeld, Ruth Davidson, Elma Holmes, and Kerin Hiller.

Those on the clean-up committee are Arlene Merkey, Carilyn Krehl, Pat Schechler, and Marlene Lauver.

Sterling Wins Tennis Meet

The McPherson College team, short one of its top players, lost a dual tennis match to Sterling College 7-5 here Tuesday afternoon on the college tennis courts.

Ed Wolf was not on the Bulldog team because of a bad rope burn on one hand.

Rodney D. Benton, '52 has been appointed one of the Cadet Captains of the ROTC at Kansas State College.

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Sports News By George!

The world's getting faster and faster. An English test pilot, Lionel Peter Twiss, set a new air speed record March 11 by averaging 1,132 miles per hour in a new Fairley delta-wing jet. This tops by a good bit the former record, held by an American pilot, Col. H. A. Hanes, of 824 mph set last August.

Baseball is now in full swing with most teams playing almost daily preliminary games. When the season opens next week, most of them will be in fair shape and ready to roll. Outstanding in the pre-season games are Herb Score, Cleveland pitcher, who fanned 21 Giants in 22 innings; and Willie Mays, who is having what may be his best year.

The sportswriters who are taking the long, long view are picking the Yankees in 6 games over Brooklyn in the 1956 World's Series. Dope like that is usually written by one.

Iowa school authorities passed a new rule last week, disqualifying any runner who collapses after breaking the tape. They say young athletes "must learn that winning a race is not the most important thing in their life if it endangers their health."

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