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New Faculty Added to Mac

Dr. Merlin Frantz, Dean of Academic Affairs, announces new faculty appointments, both full time and part time, to be effective in the Fall of 1965.

From Columbus, Ohio, comes Leslie Fraley, Jr., who will serve as Assistant Professor in the department of physics.

After taking his Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degrees at Ohio State University, Mr. Fraley studied in the graduate school of Cornell University.

Besides serving as a teacher in the U.S. Navy, he has had 7 years of teaching experience at the secondary level.

Presently enrolled in a doctoral program, Mr. Fraley will complete his residency requirement before he arrives on Mac campus in September.

Dean Frantz praises the appointment of Mr. Fraley to the academic community. "I feel very fortunate to have secured him," he said. Mr. Fraley is married and has three children.

Dennis Dirksen, a graduate of McPherson College, will assume the post of Assistant Professor of Industrial Arts. His appointment is to fill the vacancy created by Prof. S. M. Dell's partial retirement.

With his Master's degree from Emporia State Teachers College, Mr. Dirksen has started a doctoral program at a Texas institution.

He is married to the former Sherland Ng; also a graduate of McPherson College. They have one child.

Two part time instructors have been appointed to the Mac college faculty. Mrs. Birchley Haycock from McPherson will teach one course in home economics. Mrs. Haycock attended Bridgewater College in Virginia and has had several years of college teaching experience.

Instructing two classes in elementary accounting will be Mr. Marvin Sellberg, from McPherson. Besides teaching for 12 years at Central College in McPherson, Mr. Sellberg served there as business manager and coach. He is presently a local businessman.

O'Neill Play Will Be Presented May 20

Cuttings from Eugene O'Neill's "Long Day's Journey Into Night" will be given Thursday, May 20, at 8:00 p.m. Jackie Raymond, instructor in journalism, is directing the laboratory theatre production.

It will take place in the round in Brown Auditorium. There will be limited seating.

The cast consists of Loren Reyher, assistant professor of English and the theatre, Dean Reynolds, registrar; Doris Coppock, associate professor and director of physical education for women; Billie Billsborough, senior, McPherson; and Mike Collins, junior, Denver.

Coming . . .

Friday, May 7 — A Cappella concert, Brown Auditorium, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 8 — Alpha Psi party, Student Union, 8:00.

Sunday, May 9 — Senior Recital, Brown Auditorium, 2:30. Reception following in Friendship Hall.

Friday, May 14 — All Schools Day.

Nettleton Given Science Award

Steve Nettleton, freshman, Albert Lea, Minn., has been named outstanding freshman science student by the McPherson College science department, according to Dr. Wesley DeCoursey, professor of chemistry.

Sponsored by The Chemical Rubber Co., the Science Achievement Award Program will honor Nettleton further by presenting him with a copy of the New 46th Edition "Handbook of Chemistry and Physics."

Convocations Calendar

May 11: Sterling College Exchange Chapel

May 14: All School's Day, no chapel program

Church Events

Morning Worship (10:05 a.m.)

May 9: Mother's Day, "Morality in the 'Pill Age'" - Rev. Bomberger.

Evening Worship (7:30 p.m.)

May 9: "The Christian Home" Rev. Robert Keim.

Students Vote On Changes

Next Tuesday in assembly students will vote on several amendments to the Student Body Constitution as proposed by the Student Council.

The proposed changes are as follows: Article II, Section 1, Clause A, be changed to begin with a new sentence with the faculty members of Council and to continue as follows: "The Dean of Academic Affairs, the Dean of Women, the Dean of Men, and the Dean of Student Affairs shall be non-voting members. The Chairman of the Social Committee and the Chairman of the Campus Improvements Committee shall also be non-voting members, ex-officio."

Clause D, of the same section be changed to read: "Each elective member shall have the right of one vote." "A quorum shall consist of two-thirds of the voting membership of the Student Council."

The effect of these changes will be that, first, the chairmen of the Campus Improvements Committee and Social Committee will be non-voting members, and secondly, the faculty members will become non-voting members rather than voting members as they have been in the past.

This means that only the members elected by the students in the spring elections will be able to vote in Council meetings and

that the quorum rule will apply only to these same elective members.

Ballots will be distributed as students enter the auditorium. Further explanation of the changes will be made at that time.

Classes Out May Day for Celebration

Classes will be dismissed Friday, May 14, for the city of McPherson's annual All - Schools - Day day activities.

The sophomore class, in accordance with the May Day parade, will decorate a float to be entered into the parade representing Mac college.

Those on the float committee are: Duane Gibson, Tim Matthei, Carolyn Pieratt, Dave Weaver, Elaine Claassen, and Marty Lehmer.

The theme of this year's All-Schools-Day is "Playday: Midway, U.S.A." The float will be decorated around this theme.

Anyone from the sophomore class wishing to help decorate the float should contact Duane Gibson.

'Spring Festival' To Be Final A Cappella Concert

In their final concert of the season, the 34 member A Cappella choir will sing a variety of choral selections in conjunction with the activities of the Fine Arts Festival.

Entitled "Spring Festival," and directed by Donald R. Frederick, professor of voice, the concert will take place in Brown Auditorium this evening at 8 p.m.

Besides highlighting classical works by Palestrina, Tschesnokoff, and Paladilhe, the program will include selections from the Broadway musical, "My Fair Lady" and oratorio choruses by Bach, Handel, Mendelssohn, and Haydn.

Contemporary works as well as compositions and arrangements written by members of the choir will be featured in the concert.

Admission to the concert will be \$1.00 for adults and \$.50 for students without activity cards.

Alpha Psi Sponsors Unusual Beat Party

Tomorrow Alpha Psi Omega, along with the McPherson College Players, is sponsoring a very unusual party in the Student Union basement. This is no ordinary party and will be quite different from any previous one held on the Mac college Campus.

The theme for this party is "Stage Door Opens on the Village." The main purpose of this party is to let everyone relax and have good clean fun in a very informal atmosphere.

In keeping with the beatnik theme of the party, dress will be very informal and will be left up to the students.

The party will last from 8:15 to 11:30 and refreshments consisting of root beer and pretzels, will be provided.

There will be dancing to combos from the campus and the high school. A stage show will also be held during the intermission. The Cat Canyon Singers from Kansas Wesleyan, who were so well received in chapel, will be the featured attraction of this show. They will perform and lead group singing.

Various contests will also be held. For all you men who have grown your beards, there will be a contest for the most unique beard. There will also be a contest held for the most appropriately dressed couple.

Advance reservations are preferred and can be secured from any Alpha Psi member. Since a party of this caliber will involve a considerable expense, there will be a 50c "required donation" per person.

Any profit from this event will go into the Alpha Psi treasury and will be used to improve campus theatrical equipment.

If you want an opportunity to get out of your rut and attend a most unusual party, secure your reservations and be in the Student Union basement tomorrow night for a party you will remember for a long time.

Mac college To Host KCSA

McPherson College tomorrow will host the annual spring conference of the Kansas Conference Student Association in Brown Auditorium.

Beginning at 9:30 with registration, the 11 member schools of KCSA, an organization for representatives in student government which includes colleges in the KCAC as well as Tabor College, will participate in a day of discussion and business sessions.

Featured speaker of the day will be Adel F. Throckmorton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Mac college students are urged to attend Mr. Throckmorton's address at 10:00 in Brown Auditorium.

Discussion groups will adjourn to the Student Union to meet with Mr. Throckmorton to discuss points in his speech or other topics of general interest.

After lunch the conference will reconvene in more discussion groups to probe responsibilities and purposes of student government, campus social activities, student convocations, and improvement of campus facilities.

A mid-afternoon business session will conclude the conference by organizing the KCSA for next year with the election of a new president and selecting the host of the next full conference.

Siek Holds Dinner

Mildred Siek, professor of Home Economics, entertained the 27 members of the Home Economics Chapter at a Hawaiian dinner at her home last Sunday.

Installation of new officers for the Chapter was held following the dinner.

Week of Activities Set For Seniors and Alumni

Commencement activities for the seniors and alumni will begin on Thursday, May 27, and will continue through Sunday, May 30.

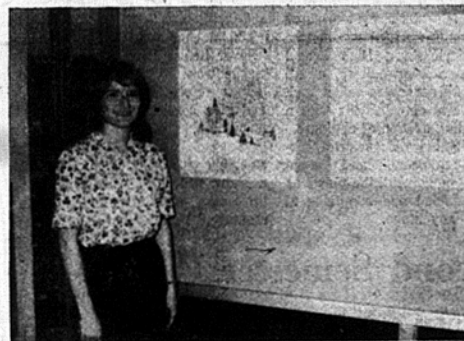
Beginning the events will be the annual President's reception for the Seniors, which will be held in the Student Union at 8 p.m. on Thursday.

Saturday morning at 10 a.m. the Alumni Board meeting will be held. At 12:30 the classes of 1915, 1925, and 1940 will have their class reunion luncheons in the Student Union. The class Reunion Fellowships will be held at 3:00 p.m. following the luncheons.

Commencement Day activities will begin at 11 a.m. Sunday, May 30, with the Baccalaureate Service in Brown Auditorium. Dr. Emory Lindquist, President of Wichita State University, will be the speaker.

A reception for seniors, parents, and friends will be held in Friendship Hall at 3:00 p.m.

"Pillars of Salt" is the title of the address to be given by Dr. D. W. Bittinger, president, at the commencement exercises at 7:30 that evening. Following this will be the awarding of citations and degrees.



Modena Hoover, sophomore, Rock Ford, Colo., stands by her drawings, which are being exhibited for the Fine Arts Festival.

Fine Arts Festival Activities To End

By Tim Bomberger

Although the Fine Arts Festival is drawing to a close, there are still some very worthwhile activities remaining. Tonight at 8:00 p.m. in Brown Auditorium, the McPherson College A Cappella Choir will present a "Spring Festival of Song."

The concert will include classical choral works by Palestrina, Tschesnokoff, and Paladilhe; selections from the Broadway musical, My Fair Lady; Oratorio choruses by Bach, Handel, Mendelssohn, and Haydn; and contemporary works by Berger, Kodaly, Bright, and Sateran.

The concert will also feature new compositions and arrangements written by student members of the choir. A final attraction will be Songs of the People, which will include folk

songs and a novelty.

On Saturday, May 8, an Art Symposium will be held at 10:30 a.m. in Friendship Hall. The Fine Arts Festival Committee is also sponsoring a Literature Symposium at 1:30. This symposium will include the presentation of two short stories and poems, which will be followed by a short discussion.

The main purpose of these symposiums is to offer students with creative ability and talent a chance to display it to the student body.

A highlight of the Festival will be the party sponsored by Alpha Psi Omega. The theme for this party is "The Stage Door Opens on the Village," and it will be held in the Student Union basement beginning at 8:15.

A Senior recital by Terry Tietjen's at 2:30 Sunday afternoon will round out the activities of the Fine Arts Festival.

Stealing May Distort Image

Last week a letter appeared in the "Spectator" entitled, "Are Locks Needed?" This letter, written by a disillusioned Macollege student, brought into focus a problem that has been rapidly increasing at McPherson College this past year.

Students have reported, not only clothing losses, but also losses of such personal items as class rings, of no value to anyone but the owner, phonograph needles, and, of course, money.

Many of these losses have occurred in the gymnasium where students leave their clothes, wallets, and other valuables while playing intramural sports. In other cases items have been stolen from the dormitory rooms of individuals.

Of course, this problem is not new to Macollege, nor is it exclusive to Macollege, but most upperclassmen agree that stealing is on the rise at McPherson.

As recently as two years ago students at Mc-

Pherson were proud of the fact that they never had to lock the doors of their rooms. Today no unoccupied rooms are left unlocked. This fact testifies to the trust that Macollege students have in each other.

Why should one student steal from another when they both have the same college expenses, derive the same pleasure from the money, come from approximately the same income background, and, most important are both students on an equal basis at a church related college?

An enterprising college student should be able to find other methods than stooping to stealing to acquire needed cash.

If this activity should continue, prospective students may begin to decide that there are no advantages at a church related college?

In the past this has been one of the advantages that Macollege has offered; it is up to the students of today to see that this image is projected to future students.

The Commentator

Requiem For A Slob?

By C. L. Dadisman

The new student dress code was posted in the student union. President-elect Hendricks was seeking to hear public opinion as to his proposed idea. A mass movement of moans and groans swept the campus, and Mr. Hendricks had his answer.

This whole episode was marred however, by the yet unknown gradeschool students who stole into the union and slashed and tore the sheet on which the code was written. As of yet, these elementary students have not been caught.

In viewing the proposed code, the Commentator formed a frown on his brow, a frown of questioning, of doubt, of concern. As he pondered this move by the new president, a strong

opinion was quickly formed.

Naturally he found the problem quite pronounced for there is, indeed, a problem of dress standards, a problem of collegiate styles and needs. But as the code stood boldly there before his eyes, he knew that this would never work. In this world which is saturated with rebels, the campus held more than its share and such a proclamation would lead to wholesale grubbiness. No, in the mind of the Commentator, this is not the answer.

Then he realized the real problem which reared its head from this episode, the problem of some gradeschool student(s) who ran into the union and ripped the code into several pieces. This act could have only been done by some extremely juvenile person who has not learned what it is to be a person, not a disrespectful slob.

What kind of an individual does it take to walk around and destroy ideas and ideals of others? What kind of a "groty" person does it take to display such actions as to resemble a socially retarded bore?

Perhaps in our midst on campus we have the judge of all ideas and activities who feels it's his duty to decide what is to be and what isn't. These types of judges should be sent to Russia.

A slap in the face such as this action toward our new president is a sign of a person who needs some kind of help, either from his parents, his fellow students, or his God. One of the three have let him down. Surely there can be nothing misplaced in the person himself.

'Becket' Cast of Six Returns After Tour Of Four States

After experiencing an immensely exciting and successful tour through Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, and Minnesota, the college touring company of Jean Anouilh's "Becket" returned to the campus early Monday morning.

Travelling nineteen hundred miles in eight days, the group performed before, scattered church and community audiences who greeted "Becket" with much enthusiasm and response.

The high point of the tour came with an unscheduled appearance at Fredericksburg High School in Fredericksburg, Iowa, where the performers were called back for several curtain calls with a resounding ovation of applause.

Highlighted with colorful costumes, a make-up, and stage lighting equipment, the play was self-contained and adaptable to almost any stage.

In spite of technical handicaps caused by innumerable obstacles on different stages, the play gained momentum and impact through the 13 performances, resulting in near-perfect production.

The greatest success of the play, however, according to Loren D. Reyher, who accompanied the group and directed the play, was the outstanding ability, insight, and interpretation given to the play by he actors and actresses.

Mr. Reyher went on to say, "Never before have I seen six people work so hard before so many diversified audiences and give consistently good performances."

"They worked together smoothly and molded together a show which was artistically impressive in its magnitude and message," Prof Reyher went on

to say.

Professor Reyher praised the cast's adaptability as well as their stage presence and delivery, which held audiences spellbound night after night.

Ken Dauer, Ron Cassidente, Jerry Barrows, Velma Hoyer, Ellen Sell, and Dennis Davies were the members of the traveling cast who "trouped like professionals" on the long trip, according to Prof. Reyher.

Believed to have been a great publicity vehicle for the College, the touring play also gave to audiences a message of great depth and meaning in its religious concept.

Before returning to Kansas the group appeared in Warrensburg, Leeton, and Rockingham, Mo.; Greene, Des Moines Valley, and Fredericksburg, Iowa; and Minneapolis and Lewiston, Minn.

Second Semester Final Exam Dates Announced

The schedule for the second semester examinations has been released by the administration. The schedule is as follows:

Monday May 24, 1965

7:45-9:45 All 10:30 T. Th. F. classes

10:00-12:00 All 2:10 M. W. F. classes

1:30-3:30 All swimming classes, all 3:05 classes, all 2:10 T. Th. classes, all 4:00 M. W. classes, and all unscheduled examinations and appointment classes. (If conflicts exist, contact the Dean of Academic Affairs.)

3:45-5:45 All Oral Communications classes

Tuesday, May 25, 1965

7:45-9:45 All 11:25 M. T. Th. classes

10:00-12:00 All 1:15 M. W. F. classes

1:30-3:30 All 10:30 M. W. classes

Wednesday, May 26, 1965

7:45-9:45 All 9:35 M. W. Th. classes

10:00-12:00 All 8:40 M. W. F. classes

1:30-3:30 All 7:45 M. and 8:40 T. Th. classes

Thursday, May 27, 1965

7:45-9:45 All 7:45 T. W. F. classes

10:00-12:00 All Freshman Written Communications classes. All 11:25 W. F. classes (except as below)

1:30-3:30 All 1:15 T. Th. classes. History of Art class

Evening classes

All students in evening classes will take final exams during the regular sessions Monday, May 24, and/or Thursday, May 27, 1965.

Dems Elect New Officers

The McPherson College Young Democrats Club held their final meeting of the year last Tuesday night at 6:45.

Craig Rich, freshman from McPherson was elected to the club presidency for next year. Ron Cassidente, sophomore from Denver will serve as vice president and Terry Summers, junior from Hutchinson will act as membership chairman.

Following the business meeting, Dan Zinn and Norman Howell led a discussion on "Easter in the South".

Tietjens Gives Recital

Terry Tietjens, a music major from Robinson, will present a vocal recital in Brown Auditorium at 2:30 Sunday afternoon May 7.

Terry will feature music by Brahms, Schubert, Dowland and Frantz. His accompanist is Meredith Haun.

Seniors Sign to Teach In Africa and In States

Africa will be next year's home for two senior education majors. Karen Oltman and Leah Standafer have signed teacher's contracts in this distant land. They will both be teaching in Waka School in Nigeria.

Even within United States borders, Mac students will be teaching from California to Wisconsin and Pennsylvania. Gayle Wood signed at Bakersfield, Calif.; Nick Petrucci will be teaching in Pittsburgh; Ellen Sell will be journeying to Milwaukee.

Other students teaching out of state include: Emilee Solomon, Lombard, Ill.; Carol Christy, Guthrie Center, Iowa; and San-

dy Hoover and Larry Kitzel both in Bruning, Neb.

Those teachers remaining within Kansas borders include: David Cheek, Holyrood; Eugene Grant, a rural school near Hutchinson; Jan Fasnacht, Kingsley; Geneva Flickner, Sunflower School; Dorothy Davidson, Countryside School in Inman; Barbara Eikenberry, Sterling; Donna Bogner, Hutchinson; Judy Penny, Clafin; Byron Welch, Cunningham; Elva Stryker, Grainfield; and Elaine Flory, Buhler.

Other seniors who have previously signed contracts were noted in an earlier Spectator edition.

We Get Letters . . .

Sloppy Dress Habits Indicate Laziness

Dear Editor,

Recently there has been much controversy over the mode of dress of certain individuals attending our institution.

I feel that the average student does dress adequately and in an acceptable manner. However, from my own observations, I find that there is a minority who do not, not because they do not have proper clothing to wear on a college campus, but because they are literally too lazy to dress in an acceptable manner.

Perhaps these individuals are attempting to be nonconformists, or perhaps they are trying to radically orientate the other members of our campus population.

Whatever their reasons, they are indirectly lowering the respectability of the college. For example, during homecoming I noticed many of our men walking into the cafeteria with dirty jeans and mud-caked cowboy boots.

I also noted many women eating who were dressed in slacks and sweatshirts, which were torn off at the elbows. Imagine the impression that the visitors on our campus received.

Many times a student will come to class without any socks on, or properly mended clothing. With this type of individual we find holey sneakers and holey shorts and sweat shirts. This, I feel, is definitely an insult to our professional integrity and intelligence.

Yes, it is true that some students may not be able to afford new clothing, but certainly they should be able to afford thread and needle.

Some students cannot afford much clothing and therefore must wear this type of dress occasionally; however, I know that this is not true in the majority of cases.

We have a fine campus. Let us show it off properly by dressing properly.

Bill Duryea

Oxley Edits Practice Issue Of Spec

This week's issue of the "Spectator" is the practice issue of those assuming the new editorial positions next fall.

Jamie Oxley, junior, Lamar, Colo., is editor-in-chief; Ron Cassidente, sophomore, Denver, is managing editor; and Linda Kurtz, sophomore, Billings, Mont., is campus editor.

Stansel, Wagner

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon H. Stansel of Little River announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice Lynn, to Richard Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar K. Wagner, R.D. 2, Hummelstown, Pa.

Janice is a senior at McPherson College majoring in home economics. Richard is a sophomore majoring in sociology.

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Mac Golf Team Handed First Loss By Emporia

On Monday the McPherson golf team suffered its first defeat in eight matches. The College of Emporia was the team that turned the trick. In the triangular match at McPherson C. of E. scored 25 points to 21 for McPherson and 5 for Kansas Wesleyan.

Gene Czaplinski and Ancel Neuberger both shot 77's to pace the Bulldog team. They were one stroke off the score of the medalist.

Despite their loss, the Mac college team is still regarded as one of the favorites in the conference meet which will be held May 10-12 at the Spring

Lakes Country Club in Wichita. Baker and C. of E. are expected to battle with the Bulldogs for the conference championship.

Bulldog Net Team Loser

WINFIELD — Southwestern College nosed by McPherson College 5 to 4 here Saturday afternoon in a dual tennis meet.

McPherson won two singles and two doubles matches in the Kansas Conference meet. Following are the results:

David Grove, SW, defeated Lynn Warner, M, 7-5, 6-1; Leon Burnett, SW, defeated Phil Miller, M, 6-2, 7-5; Larry Jantz, SW, defeated John Tegeler, M, 6-4, 8-6; Byron Welch, M, defeated Lawrence Stanton, SW, 2-6, 2-6, 6-4; Willie Franks, SW, defeated Max Warner, M, 5-7, 6-2, 6-3; Larry Evans, M, defeated Charles Prather, SW, 6-2, 4-6, 6-1.

Grove-Burnett, SW, defeated L. Warner-Miller, M, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4; Tegeler-Welch, M, defeated Stanton-Franks, SW, 6-2, 6-4; M. Warner-Evans, M, defeated Prather-LaPoint, SW, 6-1, 6-2.

Sell To Work For Senator At Capitol

Ellen Sell, senior, Conway, has been one of four persons from Kansas chosen to work for Kansas Senator Frank Carlson this summer in Washington, D. C.

Ellen, a history major, is presently secretary to Dr. Raymond Flory, Dean of Students. After completing her work for Senator Carlson, Ellen plans to teach school in the fall.

Bulldogs Beat Swedes 77-45

LINDSBORG — The McPherson College Bulldogs defeated the Bethany College Swedes 77 to 54 in a dual track and field meet here Saturday afternoon. A strong south wind was a handicap throughout the meet.

McPherson captured 10 first places and Bethany five. Times and distances were only average and no records were broken. Only one relay event was run, the mile relay, and McPherson won it in 3:55.6 minutes.

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Track and Tennis Teams Nearing Season Peak

The spring sports season neared its peak this week. Last Saturday the Builders from Southwestern defeated the Mac college tennis team 5-4. On Monday the Bethany net team beat the McPherson team 6-3.

The team is now preparing for the conference meet May 10-12 at Southwestern in Winfield. The Bulldogs are regarded as a dark horse team. Bethany and Southwestern are picked as the teams to beat.

Also on Saturday the track

Softball Action In First Week

In the first week of Intramural Softball action, Laurel Patrick's team (Team 3) defeated Bob Fox's team (Team 1) by the score of 9-8.

Jamie Oxley's team (Team 2); easily defeated Arthur Newberger's team (Team 4) 15-7. Glenn Walker was the winning pitcher and Keith Schradel was the losing pitcher.

Keith Hummel hit three home runs for the winning team.

Hayes Takes Trip

Guy Hayes, director of admissions, has recently returned from a ten-day trip to Eastern Iowa, Northern Illinois, and the College Admissions Center in Evanston, Ill., where he contacted future students of the 1965 school session.

Mr. Hayes also visited the Brethren Church in Waterloo, Iowa, and high school in suburban Chicago.

Mr. Hayes reports that admissions statistics show that the pre-enrollment total at this time is 229 compared to last year's pre-enrollment of 155, at this same time.

Bulldogs Host Last Track Meet May 10

Coach Don Widrig announced that the last home track meet will be held Monday, May 10, at 3 p.m. The Bulldogs will play host to the College of Emporia and WU.

Coach Widrig said he would like to thank all the men who have helped run the track meets which have been held at McPherson in the past. He added that they have helped make the meets run smoothly.

Volunteer help to run the last meet of the year as in the past, would be greatly appreciated. Anyone interested may contact Coach Widrig.

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Chance To Defend 440 Conf. Title

John Chance, sophomore from DeKalb, Illinois, is a consistent winner who passes unnoticed. Most fans only recognize John when he fails to finish first.

John is a dash man who specializes in the 440. He also runs the 880 occasionally, or he tries to pick up points in the shorter dashes. At Bethany he swept all three short dashes.

At present he holds the school record of 50.1 seconds for 440 yards. His biggest goal now is to lower this time below the 50 second mark.

John played halfback on this year's football team. Football is his favorite sport, but track is a close second he said.

In discussing track in general, John said that getting in shape is a team effort, but after that it is up to the individual. He credits the smallness of the team for increasing the team concern for all members.

"The 440 is a gut race," reflected John. It is necessary to run near top speed all the way. Beside being in top physical shape, one must be mentally up for the race.

For approximately the first 330 to 360 yards he runs a fast striding pace. Then depending on the position of the other runners, he sprints or "kicks" the remaining distance. This is "if you have anything left," he added.

To get in shape this spring John ran around nearby sections for two weeks. Then sprints became the order of the day. Distances build up the legs, while the dashes increase the wind of the runner.

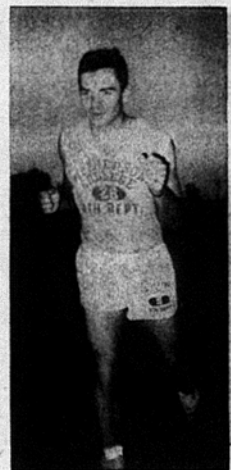
When asked about the best

M-Club Plans Picnic

McPherson businessmen will be honored by the "M" Club of McPherson College with a picnic and various types of games and entertainment.

The games will include tennis, horseshoes, volleyball, and bow and arrow shooting. Each "M" Club member will have one of the games to supervise.

This annual event is held by the athletes of Mac college to thank the businessmen of McPherson for their cooperation throughout the year.



John Chance

440 men he has seen this year John names Harry Siemens of Tabor and Dial of Southwestern. He will face Dial in the conference meet soon.

It was last year in the conference meet that John set the school record when he became the conference champion. Looking forward he said, "I'll be in there trying for it."



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Linda Kurtz

Kurtz Selected For Spec Campus Editor

By Anjie Benton

"When I submitted my application for campus editor I stated my sincere desire to do something for the college," states an attractive and very capable Macollege coed.

Linda Kurtz, sophomore, Billings, Mont., is a talented writer in the field of journalism.

"I'm awfully glad I got this opportunity to do something creative for McPherson College." Linda feels that newspapers should never be a static thing—they should always be ready to voice opposing and different opinions. "It should be a medium through which people can speak their views," Linda said. She feels the Spectator has reflected this view in the past and she desires to make it the voice of the students even more so.

Linda was also actively involved in civic responsibility in high school. In the summer of 1962 she not only was a delegate to Nevada Girls State, but she also was one of two representatives from Nevada to Girls' Nation in Washington, D. C. Both conventions are sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.

"For one week the delegates live the experiences in state and national government — as a type of mock government," Linda adds. "The girls elected the same officers as are elected in state government; they started with the city officials and progressed through county and state officers." Linda was elected Secretary of State.

"Girls' Nation resembled Girls State as they started with the lower committees and party caucuses and progressed through the big party convention," Linda

said. The assembly was held on the American University campus and the girls were divided into two political parties. Likewise, the girls elected their officers and the officers named the cabinet.

"The remainder of the week was spent touring Washington, D. C. We visited such points of interest as the White House, a session of the Senate, Arlington National Cemetery, the Capitol Building, the Pentagon, and the Department of Justice where we heard Justice Byron White lecture on the judicial branch of the government," Linda remarked.

Linda is a transfer student from Colorado Women's College in Denver. Her major is English and she wants to be a high school English teacher. "I have always been interested in creative writing but I never had tried Journalism before this year," Linda said. "I enjoy newspaper writing and it has also given me an opportunity to become acquainted with more people and become familiar with the campus."

Some of Linda's recreational interests include snow skiing (not easily pursued in Kansas!), swimming, and all kinds of spectator sports. She played the role of Ellen in "Visit to a Small Planet" and has participated in several lab theatres. She is also interested in progressive jazz; she had the opportunity to hear Cal Tjader at the University of Nevada.

Linda's duty as campus editor deals with "figuring out what newsworthy items there are, assigning them, and following up and seeing they are in by the deadline," added Linda. "Aside from that, the job is mostly a jack-of-all trades."

By President D. W. Bittinger

My name is Wang, Henry Wen-lang Wang. I was born on Hanoi sixty years ago. Hanoi is an island in Southeast Asia on which much attention is presently focused, since military maneuvers in the Far East center around it.

A great dream for me was achieved when I was able to go to Peking University for advanced education and then to get a scholarship to Harvard University. I received my Ph. D. at Harvard, and taught in Harvard and several other American universities. Later, I returned for further education to Europe; now for the past decade or more I have been teaching in universities in Southeast Asia, my homeland.

Some of my very close friends are Americans. Some of these whom I have come to know best are American university professors who have taught with

me in universities in Southeast Asia. The Chinese university professor and the American university professor know and appreciate one another. Very little stands between them; their minds are integrated.

The American professor realizes and appreciates the great culture which this part of the world produced. From Asia the rest of the world learned much about the domestication of food plants, of irrigation, of rotation of crops, of domestication of animals, of cooking, of medicine. In fact, the so called Westerner was able to sail the seas better after he learned of the compass from my people.

On the other hand, we have learned much from the Westerner. His mind has focused on travel, on machinery. He has added much to the comforts of life: electricity, extensive roads, more comfortable living conditions. These we are utilizing and appreciating.

We also appreciate one another's religious points of view. To the Westerner religion is something more personal. He is saved as an individual. To us, religion means something more social. We operate and think in terms of families and groups and we think more of being saved in these terms. We can learn from each other at these levels.

But I do not know much about the American military who are now in this part of the world in great strength. They isolate and segregate themselves in military billets or compounds. If they bring their families, they place them in these isolated islands. They bring their own food, their own house furnishings, and in the main they regard us as "coolies" or "gooks."

Unfortunately, it is these isolated Americans who are determining the policy in Southeast Asia. Some American government officials fly out quickly and confer with these isolated Americans about what should be the policy out here; then they fly back.

If they confer with our people at all, they confer with those who are momentarily in government positions. These really are not our people either; rather they are Asian people who rise to power, willing to play Americans against any other group, utilizing all that they can from both groups.

We, the educators and working men, who are the home people of this area know little of what is going on in our homeland and have little influence in determining it.

I think I speak for many people who live in the Far East when I say that we think military strikes and military retaliations only heighten and deepen the difficulties here. Every bomb dropped by Americans is really dropped against themselves; they represent colonialism in the minds of many and the days of colonialism are ended.

It is only when those in authority are willing to sit down together and talk things over, that the difficulties can be understood and repaired. Such a confrontation should include wide representation among the groups of Asia; it should include Americans and Europeans who have actually lived with the people here and who understand something of their thought patterns and of their culture; it should include the Chinese as well as the varied peoples of the South East.

My name is Wang; I belong to this important part of the world. What is happening here now is disastrous. What could happen here should be beneficial to the total world. Can't we discover a way to have that happen?

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My Name Is Wang

Mac's W.U.S. Accepts Fund Drive Challenge

Macollege W.U.S. has accepted Kansas Wesleyan's challenge to conduct a World University Service drive on campus. A white elephant sale will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, May 12 and 13 for the purpose of supporting W.U.S.

This sale will give students and faculty a chance to serve the cause of world-wide education through contributing items and participating in the sale.

The W.U.S. drive on Kansas Wesleyan campus has developed into a week of fun and games with the ultimate purpose being to contribute to W.U.S.

This year their money was sent to Korea to aid in the building of a new dormitory for a college. Macollege W.U.S. hopes to aid a college in India.

W.U.S. has been aiding universities of the world since 1920.

Since 1965 has been declared by the United Nations to be International Cooperation Year, it is imperative that W.U.S.

strengthen its efforts to provide opportunities for less fortunate students.

W.U.S. has committees in 48 countries. The most important needs will be met through focusing on student health, food and lodging, education centers, and individual and emergency aid.

Various methods have been used in college and university drives. Included are car washes, work - camps, penny races, and "prettiest (faculty) leg" contests. Kansas Wesleyan topped the list with a "nicest nose" contest.

In this contest students judged which faculty member owned the nicest nose by placing money for their favorite one.

Other colleges and universities participating in W.U.S. are the University of Michigan, the University of Chicago, Grinnell College, City College of New York, Tsuda College in Japan, and the University of Nicaragua Medical School.

Alpha Psi Will Present Drama Recital May 15

In honor of Dr. and Mrs. Bittinger, Alpha Psi Omega and the McPherson College Players Club will present a formal dramatic recital Saturday, May 15, at 8:00 p.m. in Brown Auditorium.

Arranged around a central theme, the program is unique because it is like a concert without music, according to Loren D. Reyher, professor of speech and dramatics.

The program will consist of poetry from the works of Carl Sandburg, Wilfred Owen, William Butler Yeats, Paul Devry, and other selected poets, as well as psalms from the Holy Bible.

Harold Liker's short verse play, "Unto Us the Living," will climax the recital.

Presenting the poetry will be a speech choir, solo readers, and a conductor, who acts in the same capacity as the director of an orchestra.

Speech choirs are organized in the same manner as a regular choir, with participants taking bass, tenor, soprano, and alto parts. The choir will read most of the poetry in unison, as one voice.

Tryouts for the dramatic recital will be Monday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. Rehearsals will continue during the week preceding performance time.

Awards Given During Chapel

The annual McPherson College Awards Assembly was the program presented in Chapel Tuesday, May 4. This assembly featured the presentation of awards and citations to students of Macollege who have made outstanding achievements during the past year.

Recognition was given in the fields of athletics, music, drama, student government, student publications, music, and scholastics.

Coach Sid Smith presented the athletic awards to the numerous athletes who earned letters this year. Dr. Doris Copcock presented the awards to the members of the Women's Athletic Association.

Student Council President Lowell Flory presented the citations to the members of the publications staffs and student government.

Music awards were presented by Professor Paul Sollenberger. Professor Loren Reyher and Dr. Wayne Miller presented the speech and drama awards.

President Bittinger presented the Who's Who awards and also honored retiring professor S. M. Dell with a Faculty Citation.

Dr. Frantz awarded the sophomore, junior, and senior Honor Scholarships and recognized the graduating seniors who will be entering graduate school.

The assembly was capped by the traditional passing of the gavel from this year's student council president, Lowell Flory, to incoming Stuco President Junior Hendricks.

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