

Exams Signal Semester's End, Vacation

A flurry of preparation marks the final week of school for the first semester of the 1966-67 academic year, as examinations, vacation plans and the closing of residence halls signal the beginning of the Christmas holidays.

Today is Library Day. All regular classes for the semester have been completed and students are free today to study for final examinations and to prepare for Christmas vacation and the beginning of a new semester.

Final examinations begin tomorrow, Dec. 16, and continue through Wednesday, Dec. 21. Examinations Dec. 16 start at 7:30 a.m. with testing of all 12:30 MWF classes, continue with finals for 11:30 MWF classes at 10 a.m., and conclude with the 2 p.m. examinations of all 7:30 T Th classes.

On Saturday, Dec. 17, all 12

T Th classes will be tested at 7:30 a.m. and finals will be given to all 1:30 MWF classes at 10 a.m.

Examinations for Monday, Dec. 19, include 7:30 a.m. tests for all 10:30 MWF classes; 10 a.m. tests for all 1:30 T Th classes; and 2 p.m. tests for all 9:30 MWF classes.

At 7:30 a.m., Tuesday, Dec. 20, all 10:30 T Th classes will take finals, and 2:30 MWF classes will be tested at 10 a.m. Exams Tuesday will conclude with the 2 p.m. meeting of all 3:30 MWF classes.

Finals conclude Wednesday, Dec. 21, with the 7:30 a.m. testing of all 8:30 MWF classes and the 10 a.m. testing of all 7:30 MWF classes.

Evening classes will take final examinations during their last regular class sessions.

Instructors must submit grades to the registrar's office

before 5 p.m. Dec. 23. Final grades will be mailed to students' homes. Any student having an address change should notify the registrar's office.

Slater's Food Service will serve the last meal of the semester at noon on Dec. 21, and the Student Union will close at 6 p.m. that day. Dormitories will close at noon, Dec. 22.

Most students will vacation between semesters, but some

have enrolled in a sociology seminar to be conducted in Chicago. Faculty and administration will participate in a two-day workshop-retreat during the week of Jan. 8.

The library today begins its revised schedule. Hours will remain the same from Dec. 16-21, but materials, which are due today, may only be checked out overnight during that time.

Library hours will vary dur-

ing the weeks from Dec. 21-Jan. 18. The hours of 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. will be observed Dec. 21-23, and the library will be closed Dec. 24-Jan. 2. The library will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Jan. 3-18 and will observe regular hours thereafter.

Dormitories will open for second semester at 12 noon, Monday, Jan. 16, 1967, and food service will begin with the eve-

ning meal that day.

Second semester enrollment will begin Tuesday, Jan. 17, when students whose last names begin with A-G enroll from 8 a.m. until noon. Those whose last names begin H-O will enroll Jan. 17 at 1 p.m., and students whose last names begin P-Z will enroll Wednesday, Jan. 18, at 8 a.m.

Classes convene Thursday, Jan. 19, 1967, at 7:30 a.m.

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First Convocations Slate Film, MENC

Student participation, a film, and a guest speaker mark the first chapel and convocations meetings of the new semester.

The first convocations will involve a 50-minute color film on Jan. 19. The film, entitled "China," was filmed on location.

Don Fancher, Elgin, Ill., will speak in chapel on Jan. 24. He is church vocations consultant for the Church of the Brethren.

Students will perform in convocations on Jan. 26. Music Educators National Conference members, under the presidency of Ed Myers, sr., Dixon, Ill., are in charge of the program.

Those participating will be Roger Ditzler, soph., Polo, Ill.;

Frantz to Confer With ACKC Members

Dr. Merlin L. Frantz, dean of academic affairs, will meet today with deans of colleges of the Associated Colleges of Central Kansas at Bethany College.

Dave Weimer, sr., Haxtun, Colo.; Mary Anne Miller, fr., Waterloo, Iowa; Ed Myers, sr., Dixon, Ill.; Ken Dilling, soph., Nanty Glo, Pa.;

Gwendolyn Ditmars, fr., Grundy Center, Iowa; Meredith Haun, sr., Council Grove; Susan Frederick, soph., McPherson; and Glee Hoover, jr., Plattsburg, Mo.

Seminar to Aim Study At Development of Africa

The Associated Colleges of Central Kansas will offer a Seminar on Africa at McPherson College next semester. Dr. John M. Janzen, associate professor of anthropology at Bethel College, will conduct the three-hour course which will examine Africa south of the Sahara.

Dr. Janzen spent two years as an undergraduate in the Congo and did field work for his Ph. D. there and in Europe under a Foreign Area Fellow-

ship of the Social Science Research Council and American Council of Learned Societies.

The seminar emphasizes man's response to ecological conditions, and the cultural, socio-economic and political governmental development of Africa from pre-colonial to post-colonial times.

Students who would like to enroll may contact Dr. Raymond L. Flory, dean of student affairs.



SIGNS OF CHRISTMAS—Looking at cards on the Christmas card tree in Mohler Hall is Pat Greenway, Jr., Indianapolis.

Card Tree Shares Christmas Greetings

A Christmas card tree, which has been placed in the lobby of Mohler Hall, is the means of sharing faculty Christmas greetings with the campus community.

"Not only has this become a meaningful practice for the campus, but visitors have expressed appreciation for the Christmas card tree," stated Paul Wagoner, associate director of development.

Chicago Trip To Include Hull House

Sociology majors and interested upperclassmen will spend Jan. 3-10 in Chicago on a field trip.

The students will be housed in the YMCA hotel during their week's stay in Chicago.

Each morning a seminar session will be held to outline the day's activities. A tentative schedule includes trips to the Hull House, Garfield Conservatory, Marshall Field, the Planetarium, the University of Chicago and O'Hare Field.

One of the highlights of the trip will be a meeting with the city planner. The students will be meeting with several sociologists, learning some of the problems and solutions of urban renewal and zoning.

Another point of interest will be a visit to Juvenile Hall. This was the first juvenile court and was established in 1870.

Approximately 30 students will attend the field trip.

Circle K to Activate Year With Used Book Venture

In a Dec. 6 meeting, Circle K Club, men's service organization, outlined final plans for a used book sale, to begin Jan. 17, 1967, at 9 a.m. in the Student Union conference room. Beginning today, students

wishing to sell books may bring them to the conference room until Dec. 20. Ron Cassidente, sr., Denver, president of Circle K, indicated books should be identified with students' names and the prices they want to charge on the inside cover of each book.

Stuco Studies Communication With Courts

In the Dec. 7 meeting of the Student Council there was discussion concerning the lack of communication between the College campus and the College Courts.

The possibility of a bulletin board being placed in the Courts wash room was assigned to the campus improvements committee.

It was also moved that a letter be sent to the administration requesting that they provide a campus phone for the courts and one for the Student Council president's office.

In the same meeting, Stan Hoffert submitted his resignation from the Student Council to be effective second semester.

Keeping personal records will minimize confusion, he continued.

The club will deduct a five percent service charge from the sale price of each book, said Cassidente. Proceeds from the first semester totaled \$1300, with a profit of \$50 for Circle K. Profits are used in subsidizing club projects.

Basses Could Create Active Chapel Choir

The Chapel Choir may become a reality if enough basses are found, according to Dr. Doris Coppock, professor of physical education for women and director of the Choir.

Dr. Coppock is urging bass singers who have an interest in singing in the choir to contact her.

\$326,000 Grant Awaits Final OK for Library

An application for a Higher Facilities' Grant totaling \$326,013 awaits final approval from Washington, D. C., government officials. Dr. Dayton Rothrock, professor of education and psychology, announced Monday.

The funds will be applied to building of the new library facility, Dr. Rothrock said. He indicated the Library Building Committee expects to hear from Washington by Feb. 1.

If approval is granted, McPherson College will be responsible for matching the amount, and will apply for a loan to raise the total to \$1 million.

During the Christmas vacation period, members of the Library Building Committee will be visiting libraries in Indiana and

Oklahoma. The Indiana target is the new library at Manchester College.

In addition, the committee will be meeting with Dr. Edmon Low, librarian at Oklahoma State University and library consultant for McPherson College.

The Library Building Committee held meetings this week with architects and consultant preparing final plans for the new library building.

Dr. Edmon Low, librarian at Oklahoma State University, consulted for the second time on Dec. 10 with the committee and architects attended meetings this week.

This will be one of the most important buildings on the campus in meeting educational needs

of students," said Dr. J. Jack Melhorn, president of the College.

"In planning for this new library-learning-resource facility, we are trying to anticipate as accurately as possible, the needs in the area for the next 20 years."

Dr. Melhorn explained that the committee is planning as much flexibility as possible in the design of the building to accommodate future technical and mechanical changes in the field.

Plans will be completed before Feb. 15 and filed with applications for a Title 1 grant and a Title 3 loan under the Higher Educational Facilities Act of 1963.

Skiing, Traveling Call Vacationers

Trips home and far away and simple relaxing are being planned for the Christmas holidays by dormitory housemothers and various students.

Mrs. Viola Wilson, housemother at Arnold, plans to accompany her son Leslie to Wichita, to the wedding of her other son, Jerrold in Virginia. They will go to Chicago following the wedding.

Bittinger's housemother, Mrs. Mabel Markham, is going to California to spend the holidays with one of her sons, Sammy Markham, and his family.

A flight to Kentucky is being planned by Mrs. Elizabeth Russell, housemother at Fahnestock Hall. She will spend Christmas in Clay Center with her daughter before flying to Kentucky.

Mrs. Almira Shuler, Kline's housemother, plans to visit in Enid, Okla., with her nephew and family and then go to Ottawa for a visit.

The Dotzour housemothers, Mrs. Fern Miller and Mrs.

Laura Hill, plan to spend the holidays in McPherson relaxing at their homes.

Mrs. Marguerite Westfall, housemother in Metzler, is going to spend Christmas with her son and his family of Akron, Ohio.

Phil Grove, jr., Laurens, Iowa, plans to work and go ice fishing at the Iowa Great Lakes. Linda Kurtz, sr., McLouth, is going home and then plans to spend a few days in Denver skiing.

Chris Levi, jr., Berryville, Va., is going to work and visit classmates in the Washington, D. C., area in addition to skiing in Pennsylvania.

Dee Northey, soph., Waterloo, Iowa, plans to visit her brother and go skiing near Vail, Colorado.

Most students, when asked about their plans for vacation, replied that they were just going to go home and rest up after a busy semester and get ready to start a new one.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



Rocks, Notes Signal Shaky Philosophies

Editor:
I am sitting here in my room on the third floor of Bittinger Hall amid a scattered mess of broken glass.

The broken glass represents the climax to a series of events which started when my roommate and I put a sign on our window proclaiming "God is Dead."

First, our room was broken into and the sign wiped off. Second, we received threatening notes posted on the third floor bulletin board.

Friday night the climax came. Two rocks were thrown through our window by some of the more intellectual students on this campus.

Luckily, the blinds were drawn. If they had been open, one of the students sitting at the desk reading would now be in the hospital.

I suppose I represent one of the "long-haired" non-conform-

ists on campus, but if these "intellectuals" have to resort to throwing rocks simply because a sign goes against their beliefs, then how strong are these beliefs if a sign in a window can threaten their very existence?

I guess they have never read the first amendment to the Constitution which guarantees freedom of speech.

I would suggest that these "intellectuals" enroll in one of several religion courses offered next semester to strengthen their religious beliefs and a government course to learn about some of the freedoms that our Constitution protects.

Oh, and to the students who threw the rocks: You missed the sign! There must be a good physical education course to improve your aim.

Ulderic Racine

Peace Is Christmas Hope

The dreary, misty days of December in a now-anonymous winter during World War II had slogged by. Today, Christmas Eve, was a day for remembering days and nights filled with unending gunfire, sharp cries of pain, longings to be home for Christmas.

Soldiers at the front this year would spend their Christmas as they had spent the other days—

waiting and watching.

Somehow, though, on this particular Christmas Eve, a different atmosphere clung to the wisps of smoke and vapor from the men's breaths: A nameless trace of expectation, perhaps, or a slight hope—simply because it was Christmas Eve, the men reasoned, and shrugged.

The fighting grew intense and slow by turns, until, around midnight, a pitched battle erupted, bullets singing, rifles and bazookas coughing their deadly missives.

Suddenly a lull—and from one side of the lines—it doesn't matter which—a cracked baritone began singing: "Silent night, holy night; all is calm, all is bright . . ."

Others joined him, and above the occasional burst of gunfire, the hymn rose, swelling, reverberating in a jumble of languages.

Other carols followed, and then silence. And for several hours, the undeclared truce joined men of the fighting nations, who, moments earlier, had fired at each other, uncaring.

Christmas and New Year's truces are in the offing for the men in Vietnam. Let us hope that some of the spirit of the singers of World War II goes with them; and that, one day, all of us will know the peace and silent nights of a world untorn by war. Idk

Services Feature Carols, Candles

"Christmas Around the World" and a candlelighting service are slated at the McPherson Church of the Brethren during the holiday season.

On Sunday evening, Dec. 18, at 6:30, "Christmas Around the World" will be presented. This will be a look at Swedish, Dutch, Mexican and Jewish customs of observing Christmas.

Mrs. Una Yoder, instructor in speech, wrote the narrative for the scenes which will be acted out to portray each country. Christmas songs, native to the countries, will be sung by different choirs of the church.

A social will be held afterwards in the church social rooms.

The sixth annual carol and candlelighting service will be held Saturday, Dec. 24, at 7 p.m. The choir will sing, and will form a processional and recessional.

The meditation will be delivered by Dr. Harold Z. Bomberger, pastor of the Church of the Brethren. Philip Shankster, intern pastor, will assist in the service.

A unique feature of the eve-

ning will be the candlelighting service itself. The lights in the church will be turned out, and the ushers will light their candles from the Christ candle at the chancel.

The ushers will then light the candles of a person in each pew who will then pass the light on until everyone's candle has been lit.

On Jan. 22, communion will be observed during the morning worship service. This will consist of the Eucharist—the bread and cup communion observance.

Stump Is Recovering After Major Surgery

Dr. Harley Stump, professor of English, last week underwent major surgery at Wesley Medical Center in Wichita. He is recuperating well and hopes to return home this week.

Dr. Stump plans to give his own finals. However, his classes have been taught by Mrs. George Noyes, a retired McPherson High School literature and English teacher.

Staff Publishes Macalendar Final Issue Of Semester

This will be the last issue of The Spectator until Thursday, Jan. 26, 1967, with the present staff—Linda Kurtz, sr, McLouth, editor-in-chief, and Phil Grove, jr, Laurens, Iowa, campus editor.

Norma Tucker, jr, McPherson, will assume the responsibility of editor-in-chief, Phil Grove will move to managing editor, and Chris Levi, jr, Berryville, Va., will assume the campus editorship.

Linda Kurtz, who has been working on The Spectator for three years, stated, "I have appreciated the challenge and the experience that The Spectator has given me in my three years as part of the staff."

Phil Grove said, "It has been hard work, but I have gained invaluable experience working as campus editor."

He accepts the position of managing editor by stating, "I enjoy working for The Spectator, and it will further prepare me for my career in journalism after graduation."

Waltner Ends Fifth Semester Of Spec Help

Alan Waltner, sr, Pretty Prairie, is completing his fifth and final semester as distribution manager for The Spectator.

Each week, Waltner is in charge of folding, stapling, and taking to the post office, 475 issues of the College paper. He is also responsible for distributing 752 issues to on- and off-campus students.

"I usually put in about two or three hours of work each week," said Waltner, "and I get paid \$30 per semester."

Waltner has worked under three business managers during his five semesters as distribution manager.

He served two semesters under Jerry Barrows, two under Jim Lambert, and is presently under Bob Klockars, jr, Glen Ellyn, Ill.

Speaking Out

Does Fear of Revealing Name Clash with Goals?

Editor:
During the two years I have been a student at McPherson College, there have been some controversial subjects commented upon in The Spectator where

the individuals who wrote the articles would not disclose their names.

Recently a letter was written by a faculty member who also was unwilling to identify himself for reasons unknown.

Was it fear of losing his (or her) job? Or might it have been fear of admitting his convictions?

If this is the position taken, I wonder what the goals of such a person are. It seems antithetical to the position I understand the College takes and also to the goals of education.

It seems that a college professor, especially in a Christian college, should be a person who encourages students to have opinions on matters and to express them without fear. What kind of example is being set?

If this is an example of the typical American theme of "fear of being involved," I am completely disillusioned with the idea of Christian belief which was slightly suggested in the letter.

Ed Shapley

Copier to Provide Prints for 10¢

The College has purchased a new Xerox copy machine, which has been placed in the registrar's office in Mohler Hall.

Copies of papers will be made at the cost of a dime per page.

Ikenberry to Work on Plants While Taking Yale Sabbatical

By PHIL GROVE

Dr. Gilford Ikenberry, professor of biology, has been granted a sabbatical leave from McPherson College for the period July, 1967 through August, 1968.

He will attend Yale University, New Haven, Conn., under the National Science Foundation Science Faculty Fellowship Program, which has been established to provide an opportunity for experienced college and university science teachers who have demonstrated a marked aptitude for teaching, to enhance their capabilities in this profession.

Awards are made with the expectation that the increased competence gained by the Fellow through his fellowship experience will enable him to contribute more effectively to the training and motivation of science students and thus promote the progress of science and the national welfare.

"I have been fortunate to receive an invitation to work in the laboratories of Dr. Graeme P. Berlyn (School of Forestry)

and Dr. Ian M. Sussex (Department of Biology)," said Dr. Ikenberry.

Research will be conducted in the field of experimental plant morphogenesis. Dr. Berlyn has an active program investigating xylogenesis and cell wall formation in pine, using experimental and quantitative techniques.

Dr. Sussex is studying cell differentiation of Eucalyptus in the experimentally controlled environment of tissue culture.

"Although a major portion of the time will be spent in research, I will certainly be able to attend seminars, meet informally with other faculty, and possibly attend lectures in one or two graduate courses," commented Dr. Ikenberry.

This is one of about 300 post-doctoral fellowships of this type to be awarded by the National Science Foundation this year.



Dr. Gilford Ikenberry

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Cagers to Encounter Five-Game Schedule

The cagers of McPherson College are slated to play five ball games during the Christmas vacation.

McPherson will meet Sterling College at the Roundhouse, Tuesday, Jan. 3; Ottawa there, Saturday, Jan. 7; College of Emporia here, Saturday, Jan. 10; Bethany here, Saturday, Jan. 14; and Friends here, Saturday, Jan. 21. All games will begin at 7:30 p.m. with the B-team contests starting at 5:45 p.m.

Volleyball

3rd Metzler Nets Trophy For First

The third floor Metzler Hall volleyball team ran away with the first traveling tournament trophy by defeating the Fahnstock Hall third floor team in two straight games.

The first game saw Metzler come from behind to upset the "Fanny" team 15-11.

The second game was action-packed as the lead exchanged hands until the final minutes; when the Metzler team pulled ahead from a 15-15 tie, to win 17-15.

The third floor winners, who ended the regular season with a 21-1 record, will be presented the trophy after it has been engraved.

Members of the winning team are Alan Waltner, sr., Pretty Prairie; Dick Bowser, sr., Grantsville, Md.; Craig Miller, jr., Watgroot, Iowa; Bruce Klockars, jr., Glen Ellyn, Ill.;

John Drinen, jr., Coffeyville; Gary Flory, jr., McPherson; Phil Grove, jr., Laurens, Iowa; Dwight Ediger, jr., Buhler; Mike Fox, jr., Valley Center; Duane Powell, fr., Piqua, Ohio; and Keith Miller, fr., Waterloo, Iowa.

Intramural basketball will begin next semester with teams divided according to dorm and floor, as they were for volleyball.

Invitational Nov. 23.

In the matches last season with Ottawa, the cagers defeated them twice; 80-76 and 74-73. These two teams tied for fifth place at the conclusion of the Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference last season with records of 9-9.

C of E, who won the KCAC last season with a record of 16-2, is expected to have a repeat performance this year. The Presbies defeated the Bulldogs at their last outing 84-69.

The Swedes of Bethany College finished in second place in the KCAC last year with a 13-5. They also have a young team this season, just as McPherson. The Bulldogs defeated Bethany in the Moundridge Tournament

Dec. 1, 67-61.

Friends finished in eighth place in the 1966 season with a record of 7-11. The Falcons and Bulldogs split their two games last season with Friends winning first 82-69, then McPherson gaining a 85-68 victory.

Spelling of 'Vietnam' Altered in Spectator

The staff of The Spectator has decided to change the spelling of "Vietnam" to one word, instead of the two words its style has indicated in the past.

The decision was a result of the recent change the Associated Press announced Dec. 12.

Sportscope

Extravaganzas to Match Top Teams in Bowl Play

By GENE CZAPLINSKI
The ushering in of 1967 will mean punch bowls, merriment, festivities and pigskins.

Pigskins?
That's right. The pigskin-covered football will be flung and carried throughout the land on the second day of 1967 in those glorious financial extravaganzas—the bowl games. Eight teams will be out to prove themselves while a national television audience, cheers.

Enter Sportscope and this year's bowl predictions:

Cotton Bowl... Georgia vs. SMU — One point separated Georgia from a perfect season this year. They won their last nine games in a row. SMU on the other hand, is the first team, other than Texas or Arkansas in this bowl in the last nine years. They have a savage linebacker in John Lagrone, who brings groans from the runners he hits. Georgia 30, SMU 14.

Sugar Bowl... Alabama vs. Nebraska — The Crimson Tide still have a chance to snatch number one in the rankings. The Huskers are out to regain the prestige they lost on Thanks-

giving Day. Alabama 21, Nebraska 13.

Orange Bowl... Florida vs. Georgia Tech — Two wide-open ballclubs. The view from here is that Florida has a real field general in the mayhem that may ensue while Tech has won its games in inconsistent fashion: Florida 27, Georgia Tech 20.

Rose Bowl... Purdue vs. USC — Purdue was overwhelmed twice this year, by Notre Dame and Michigan State — and ended the season by annihilating Indiana 51-7. USC was beaten twice also, but by Miami and UCLA, and ended the season by getting thoroughly dismembered by Notre Dame 51-0. Due to all of this incriminating evidence, we illogically conclude an upset, USC 13, Purdue 7.

Builders Bring 1-1 Record

McPherson College cagers will host the Southwestern Moundbuilders, Friday, Dec. 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the McPherson High School Roundhouse. The B-team game will begin at 5:45.

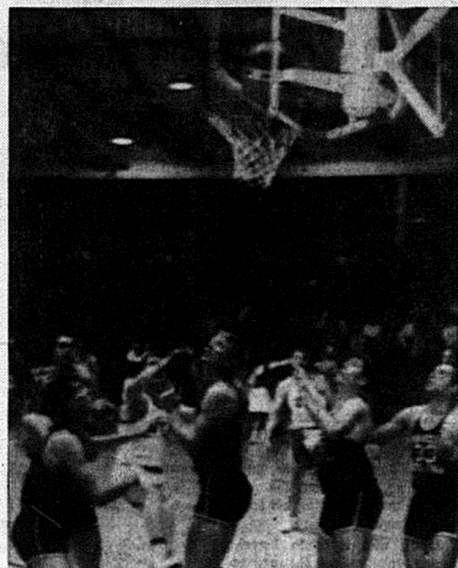
Southwestern is currently tied for fourth place in the Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference with Bethel, KWU and Sterling. Each has a record of one win and one loss.

McPherson and Friends are sharing last position with conference records of no victories and two defeats.

The Moundbuilders finished in seventh position last season with a record of 8-10 in the conference and 9-12 for the overall season.

The last time McPherson and Southwestern met, the Bulldogs pulled out a last three minute victory, 76-68.

Bethel Tags 2-Point Win In Overtime Struggle



FIELD GOAL ATTEMPT—Jeff Lambert (40), Jr., Inman, attempts a two-pointer in the Dec. 10 KWU contest.

The Bulldogs dropped their third consecutive conference game to the Bethel Threshers Monday night 70-68 in overtime.

Bethel jumped out to a quick 11-3 lead but the Bulldogs fought back to gain an 18-18 tie with 8:10 left in the half, one of 19 times the score was knotted. The score was 33-33 at the intermission.

Bethel led by seven at two points early in the second half. The Bulldogs came back late in the half with 8 consecutive points to wipe out the deficit. With 1:54 left Mac owned a 61-50 lead. Bruce Ediger and George Waddles each tossed in a field goal for Bethel and Mac's Don Woodcock hit a freethrow

to make the score read 62-62 at the end of regulation time.

Hal Wright led Bulldog scoring with 21. Don Woodcock added 17 and Tom Worthing 13. The Threshers were led by Ediger with 27 and Chet Roberts with 17.

Wednesday night Baker slid by Mac 72-71 on a field goal by Dave Struby with 58 seconds remaining. The Bulldogs outshot Baker, 47 per cent to 45 per cent but were beaten on the boards 39-19.

The Bulldogs went down 75-71 to the KWU Coyotes Saturday night in the Roundhouse. Rebounds again told the story as the Bulldogs were whipped on the boards 45-29.

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Debaters Match Wits On Foreign Aid Topic

By DEE NORTHEY
Southwestern College's annual invitational debate tournament was held at Winfield Friday and Saturday, Dec. 9-10. McPherson College sent two teams to the novice section to

debate the question: "Whether the United States Should Substantially Reduce Her Foreign Policy Commitments."

Bonnie Harris, fr. McPherson, and Fred Hines, fr. Wamego, won four debates and lost two

for McPherson's first team.

Defeated were Kansas Wesleyan University, Bethel College, North Oklahoma College and Independence Junior College. The team lost to Midland Lutheran College and El Dorado Junior College.

The second team, Gene Czaplinski, sr., McPherson, and Laurie Onstott, fr, Valley Center, won two debates and lost four.

They overwhelmed Wichita State University and Allen County Junior College, while being defeated by Texas Christian University, Fort Scott Junior College, Oklahoma State Junior College and Bethany Nazarene College, Okla.

Oklahoma State University defeated El Dorado Junior College in the finals to win the novice title.

Twenty-three college and university teams competed in the tournament. The McPherson College debate team was accompanied by debate coach, Mrs. Leland Moore, assistant professor in speech and English, and Leland Moore, professor of economics.

McPherson College will host its annual invitational debate tournament in February.

Classes Use Three Nights

Evening courses will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings during the second semester.

Monday evening courses include Machine Tool Operation, taught by Alvin E. Willems, associate professor in industrial arts and mechanics, and Seminar on Africa, which is offered by the Associated Colleges of Central Kansas.

Enrollment in Seminar on Africa is limited and students must obtain permission to enroll from Dr. Raymond L. Flory, dean of student affairs.

A Seminar on Religion and Science will be offered on alternate Monday evenings, and permission to enroll in this course must be obtained from Dr. Wayne L. Miller, director of religious life. This course has only been offered once previous to this time.

The six instructors who teach this seminar are Dr. Miller; Dr. John H. Burkholder, professor of biology; Dr. Wesley DeCoursey, professor of chemistry; Dr. G. J. Ikenberry, professor of biology; Dr. Lorell E. Weiss, professor of sociology, and Dr. Harley Stump, professor of English.

The Teaching of Reading in Junior and Senior High School will be conducted by Dr. Dayton G. Rothrock, professor of education and psychology, on Monday evenings; and William Janssen, Jr, new part-time instructor, will teach Principles of Feeding on Monday and Thursday evenings.

On Tuesday evenings, Gordon Zahradnik, ceramics, will offer introductory and advanced Ceramics classes, and Miss Mary Ann Robinson, dean of women, will teach Christian Education of Youth and Adults.

Dr. Stump will offer History and Philosophy of Education, which is usually taught only in summer by demand, on Thursday evenings.

Travels Give Jamil Tolerance, Friends

"It is not very hard to get along with people, if you try to win their friendship." This is the way Jamil Al-Attar, sr, Baghdad, Iraq, feels about the people he has met during his travels throughout his life.

Jamil, who loves to travel, began doing so at the age of 14. At that age he traveled 1,000 miles by bicycle: Baghdad to Basrah, Baghdad to Mosul, and Baghdad to Damascus, which was a trip through the desert and blowing sand.

Jamil always dreamed of coming to America, and after he graduated from high school, he decided to come.

Before he came to America, however, Jamil traveled extensively.

In Asia he went to Iraq, Turkey, Iran, Syria, Lebanon, Jordan and Kuwait. He went to Egypt in Africa, and then to Europe. Here he visited Turkey, Greece, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia, Hungary, Austria, Italy, W. Germany, Belgium, France and England.

In West Germany he studied for two weeks at the Goethe Institute. He also visited other universities in West Germany whenever he had the chance.

The place that is the most fascinating to Jamil is Istanbul. Here is a touch of the east and the west, as the city is partly in Asia and partly in Europe.

From his travels, Jamil has learned three things: tolerance, confidence and experience. He says he likes to have some trouble in traveling because it adds excitement.

Jamil enjoyed the Hyde Park in London. This is a place where people came just to express their feelings. He was also fascinated by the Wax Museum in London.

Most of his traveling has been done by train. He has, however, also traveled by car and bicycle in addition to doing some hitchhiking.

Jamil has been in America for four and a half years and has never gone home. He is one of six boys and six girls in his family.



Jamil Al-Attar

A chemistry major, Jamil enjoys sports in general. Among his favorites are swimming, soccer and boxing. He was a champion boxer while living in Iraq.

Reading Class To Augment Curriculum

Students who wish to improve their reading skills may participate in a second semester Reading Improvement class.

Reading Improvement, taught by Dr. Dayton G. Rothrock, professor of education and psychology, will meet at 12 noon, TTh, and is designed to improve ineffective reading and study habits.

Fair Draws \$2500 in Sales

About \$2500 worth of goods were sold during the third annual McPherson College Y International Fair, which was held Nov. 23-26, according to Neal Lundquist, jr, Denver, chairman of the fair.

Import companies, shipping costs and other miscellaneous expenses must be paid with the \$2500. The rest of the money will go to the MCY treasury, to be used for such things as sending students to conferences.

During this year's fair, approximately \$9000 worth of items were on display which showed the art and culture of 44 foreign countries.

"I would like to thank all the people who worked on the fair," said Lundquist, and added "I thought that it was a very good fair."

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Exam to Test Proficiency In English

The English Proficiency test will be given Saturday, Jan. 21, 1967, in Mohler 212 at 8 a.m. It will be in two parts: an objective test and a formal essay.

All students who have attained 50 or more hours and who have not passed the test are requested to take the English Proficiency Test.

Students taking the test will need only a pencil for the standardized objective test.

Students will be allowed the use of a dictionary on the essay. Paper will be provided but they will need to furnish pen and ink. The essay must be written according to approved manuscript form from the listed topics of current interest related to the liberal arts concept of education.

Attendance Tops 120 Average

An average of 127 persons have attended Chapel each week this semester. This attendance is notable as this is the first year that Chapel has not been compulsory.

"I feel very encouraged by the high average because attendance of both faculty and students is completely voluntary," said Dr. Wayne L. Miller, director of religious life.

"We intend to continue to emphasize student participation in music and program-planning in the coming semester."

Programs this semester have been limited to one-half hour, and the focal point is usually a five or ten minute meditation. Some new experimental forms will be added next semester.

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Wakeman, Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. Galen F. Wakeman of Edinburg, Va., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Faye Florence, to Jerrold John Wilson, son of Mrs. Viola Wilson, McPherson, and Woodrow Wilson, Perry, Iowa.

Mr. Wilson, 1965 graduate of McPherson College, is a student at Bethany Theological Seminary, Oak Brook, Ill.

The wedding is being planned for Dec. 27.

P.E. Talks Take Dr. Coppock To Washington

Planning to attend a conference for College Teachers Preparing Elementary Education Majors to Teach Physical Education is Dr. Doris Coppock, professor of physical education for women.

Scheduled for Jan. 24-27, the conference will be sponsored by the American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation, at the Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Conferences of this type occur only once each five or six years, Dr. Coppock indicated.

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