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Two faculty chosen as Outstanding Educators

Miss Mary Ann Robinson, associate professor of art at Mac College and Larry Kitzel, assistant professor in music also at Mac College have been chosen as Outstanding Educators of America for 1974. Nominated earlier this year by college officials, they were selected on the basis of their professional and civic achievements.

Miss Robinson, a member of the Kansas Watercolor Society, Association of American United Professors, Kansas Art Education Association, National Art Education Association and Who's Who of American Women 1972, received her B.A. at Kansas State U; an M.A. from McCromick Theological Seminary and an M.A. from Wichita State. She

has taught at Mac since 1961.

Larry Kitzel, who has taught at Mac College since 1970, is a member of the Association of American University Professors, the Music Educators National Conference and the International Trombone Association. He received his B.S. at Mac College and his M.M. from Wichita State.

The guidelines used for the nominations include an educator's talents in the classroom, contributions to research, administrative abilities, civic service and recognition.

Both professors expressed questions about the award — neither knowing much about the award or organization issuing the title.

When questioned Dean Milton Goering replied "I feel that these two professors are exceptional and truly deserve such an honor. They both relate well to the students and have contributed much to the campus."

"Ms. Robinson has built her department up immensely in this past year with the limited facilities she has had to work with. Larry — the band speaks for itself in quality and discipline. An example of his skill with students is the fine job he did as head of the high school music festival held here on campus. I was very pleased to hear of these honors given to these two professors," concluded Goering.

Miller accepts ministry post

by Brent Peterson

Campus Minister for 1974-75 will be a new personality as Dave Bowman returns to Bethany Theological Seminary for his final year of study, and Paul E. Miller of Fresno, Calif., comes to McPherson College. Reverend Miller is a 1937 graduate of McPherson College. He then attended Bethany Theological Seminary, and completed his work there in 1940.

Since that time, he has been the pastor at the Panther Creek Church in Iowa, an associate pastor in LaVerne, Calif. and is now the pastor at the Brethren Church in Fresno, Calif.

Throughout his ministry he has been very active with youth groups. He enjoys such outdoor activities as camping.

Rev. Miller is the author of two publications. These are: "Shepherds at Work" and "Med-

itation of Mind and Heart." He has traveled in Nigeria, Russia, Germany and other parts of Europe.

After leaving Bethany, Rev. Miller studied at the Garrett Biblical Institute. He has also received an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from McPherson College in 1955.

Mary Hoover, sr., Modesto, Calif., who is an acquaintance of Rev. Miller said, "Paul Miller can bridge the generation gap if anyone can. Students should find him supportive and easy to talk to. He's really a great fellow."

Any senior wishing to have his Quad sent to a new mailing address should notify Les Dell or Brad Wille. Underclassmen not returning next fall may leave a forwarding address and 50c to cover postage.

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"Not easy, but fun"

Canada trip features camping, canoeing

A chance to take a scenic vacation in Canada while picking up two hours of P.E. credit will be offered to the outdoorsman this summer. The course, "Canoeing, Fishing & Wilderness Camping," is under the instruction of Art Ray.

The course will provide a challenge and an opportunity for the student to learn to live somewhat comfortably in a primitive wilderness environment. Instruction will be given in cooking, canoeing, woodsmanship and fishing.

The trip includes a nine day canoe voyage through six of

Canada's lakes. Traveling time will fall mainly between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., consisting of about 4 to 5 hours of paddling per day. This will leave time for cooking, making camp, digging latrines, fishing, relaxing, or just enjoying the countryside.

Coach Ray and his family made this trip last summer and enjoyed it so much that he wanted to make the opportunity open to others. They are looking forward to the trip again this summer. Coach Ray warned, "It's not always easy, but it's fun, even with the mos-

quitoes."

The cost of the trip is \$130. This covers travel to and from Canada, canoes and all food and camping gear not on the "furnish list." It does not include meals going to and returning from canoe trip or overnight lodging going and coming.

The group will depart from McPherson by school van at 7:00 a.m. on July 29 and arrive back in Mac August 9. Anyone interested in this summer wilderness course may contact and pick up more information from Art Ray in the Athletic Department.

It's that time of year!



It's that time of year again when papers draw due and finals loom near at hand for many Mac students. For some, this involves

many hours of hurried preparation while others prefer to take it at an easier pace

Improvement is key to what future holds

Throughout the past year, the editorial staff of "The Spectator" has tried to point out what might be improved in McPherson College. Because of this, we have been accused of "burning" Mac rather than building it up. Moreover, we have been accused of being "anti-McPherson."

Nothing could be further from the truth. If we did not believe in McPherson College we would not be here investing our time, our money and our futures.

McPherson College has many strengths, but there is also room for improvement. These weaknesses will not cure themselves nor will they disappear by continually griping about them.

By working together rather than wringing our hands in despair or wallowing in self pity we can accomplish those things which will strengthen Mac. The future lies ahead; it is ours to grasp.

The Editors

Macalendar

- Monday, May 13 — Last day of classes
- Tuesday, May 14 — Finals
- Wednesday, May 15 — Finals
- Thursday, May 16 — Finals
- Saturday, May 18 — Alumni Day
- Saturday, May 18 — Senior Coffee Hour, 9:15 A.M.
- Saturday, May 18 — Commencement Rehearsal, 10:00 A.M., Brown Auditorium
- Sunday, May 19 — Commencement, 2:30 P.M., Brown Auditorium

We get corrections

Schoen misquoted in Spec

In regard to my last letter to the editor, there was a mistake that changed the complexion of the letter.

It should have said, "If peo-

ple on this campus actually would strive to involve themselves in other's feelings, wants, and desires, then this is what the world needs now. — Shalom, C. F. Schoen.



Students vote to retain Mac's Football Queen

A poll taken Monday, May 6 showed that most of the students at McPherson College are in favor of selecting a homecoming queen and court. The poll showed that 84 were in favor of the present manner of selecting a queen and court and 42 were opposed. The Spectator gathered varied opinions on the dilemma.

"I think it helps promote school spirit." Glen Anderson, jr., Chester, Pa.

"If we didn't keep it, what

would we do?" Bonnie Schmidt, fr., Hillsboro.

"It really shouldn't be kept, but it's tradition and the alumni come back and expect to see it." Alan Pepper, fr., Harrisburg, Pa.

"It helps to promote conceit- edness and should be done away with." Vic Medore fr. Rockaway, N.J.

"It's a position just like any other such as class officer and the like and it's an honor to be chosen by the student body" Kris Layton, Soph., Mulvane.

"I don't see any reason to change it, we have gotten along with it pretty well so far." Dave Frantz, fr., Windsor, Colo.

"It helps keep participation in homecoming." Sally Warrick, jr., Wray, Colo.

"It's an honor for the girls to be chosen as queen or an

attendant." Bob Crist, fr., McPherson.

"We should keep it but choose the girls in a different way. Such as, use all the girls name from each class and have each class pick three. Then have everyone vote on both the queen and attendants." Jana Porter, fr., Quinter.

"We need it, but the whole thing is just a popularity contest." Dale Richardson, fr., Albuquerque, N. Mex.

"It's totally irrelevant, out- moded and chavenistic. Some- one should create a guerrilla theater on it. If we're going to recognize people for something, then let it be something really substantial, not just looks." Debi Snyder, sr., Clearwater.

"I don't feel that it is that big of a deal." Gene Barrett, soph., Madison.

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We get letters

Commends faculty support

Dear Editor:

In response to the letter that was printed last week, I just want to make it known that there was faculty support for the skating party held during Spring Fling.

I'm sure that it takes more courage to go skating than it does to attend an evening of one act plays. After all, they probably hadn't been skating for several years, but they did do a good job of maneuvering

around the rink. Therefore, I want to compliment Dr. Snell, Professor Krehbiel and Coach Widrig for taking part in and supporting a student sponsored activity.

I was also pleased by the good attendance of the faculty at the picnic supper in the park. I hope that interaction of the faculty and the students will continue in the future.

Sincerely,
Brent J. Peterson

From the White House

'74 graduates need to correct past mistakes

TO THE 1974 COLLEGE GRADUATES:

As graduates of America's colleges, you cross the important threshold from the classroom of academic learning to the other and equally exhilarating classroom of working experience. The world that awaits your skills and welcomes the useful knowledge you have acquired throughout your course of study is one of infinite challenge and excitement. It is a restless world, impatient to right past wrongs and ready to witness the realization of yesterday's dreams.

The focus of education in our country has been more than ever adapted to the practical realities with which you will have to cope. I know that the knowledge you have assimilated and the insights you have gained into many of the major problems we face bode well for

the America of the future. But more than this, I am confident of your spirit of involvement and your selfless desire to serve your fellowman. These are the qualities that will best guide you as you put to use for yourselves and for our nation the education opportunities you have shared in throughout your college years.

As you go forth each in your chosen endeavor, I can think of no words that better capture the thought that I want to leave with you than those of Woodrow Wilson:

"The day of our country's life is still but in its fresh morning. Let us lift our eyes to the great tracts of life yet to be conquered in the interests of righteous peace. Come, let us renew our allegiance to America, conserve her strength in its purity, make her chief among those who serve mankind . . ."

Richard Nixon

Communication degree to be offered in 74-75

Sights and sounds are gaining importance in the field of education, and McPherson College is keeping up with the times by offering a major in the area of audio-visual interdisciplinary communications.

Approved by the Educational Policies Committee on April 16, the program will cover a two- or four-year period. The four year interdisciplinary program is in audio-visual communications. It is designed to prepare a person to write and speak on radio and television, and to be able to handle and use technical equipment, with the assumption that he will be going into a career of this type.

The two main types of career choices this program train a person for are — 1) Broadcasting, speaking or actual communications, 2) use and technical care of equipment. The two year program approved by EPC is essentially the same thing, but is a more specialized type of program, for the basic two types of careers. The two year program does not include the general education requirements and is not as flexible a program as the four year.

The course outlines that have been worked out are only general suggestions for both the two year and four year degree. However, the two year schedule is a tight schedule that is not extremely flexible for the student who is not sure of his specialization. The four year plan is versatile and can be shifted around to please the

special desires of the student who might care to combine his major with teaching, history or any other subject area.

Dr. Frantz, head of the A degree committee, stated that the new two year program could lead to the college granting an AA degree in many other fields of study. "This type of a program will provide opportunities to students in a wider range. It will bring in the students we were unable to bring in before — the ones who aren't interested in a four year commitment, but one or two years. No additional expenses as far as new faculty members are seen — the courses will be handled by the present faculty. Not only the administration and faculty are interested in this type of program, but the Board of Trustees are extremely interested in the program."

A large part of the teaching load will be on Mr. Johnson

and Ms. Olson of the library staff. Mr. Johnson, who is head of the Media Center stated, "I think this a definite step forward into an area in which we have in the past had little progress in. Right now it is an expanding area of great possibilities, such as cable TV, business audio-visual material of all types and an opportunity for teacher aids and local teachers to become better informed about this type of field. I feel it is a tremendous opportunity for the school and students to really compete in their particular field."

Discus thrower to national track meet

In Dallas, Texas, a stadium will be full of excited, tension filled people on May 16, 17, and 18, for the National College level track competition. Carol Stone, a junior, Arkansas City, will be here competing for individual honors in the discus throw. Carol qualified with a throw of 119'3/4" a few weeks ago; and last week, when the track team traveled to Bethel, Carol beat her record and threw a 120'9" toss. "I was really surprised to get a better throw at this last meet."

Carol has been involved in track since junior high. "I was

involved in junior college competition, but I never thought that I would have a chance to be in college level national competition. This is the end of my season for this year, so I hope to do well."

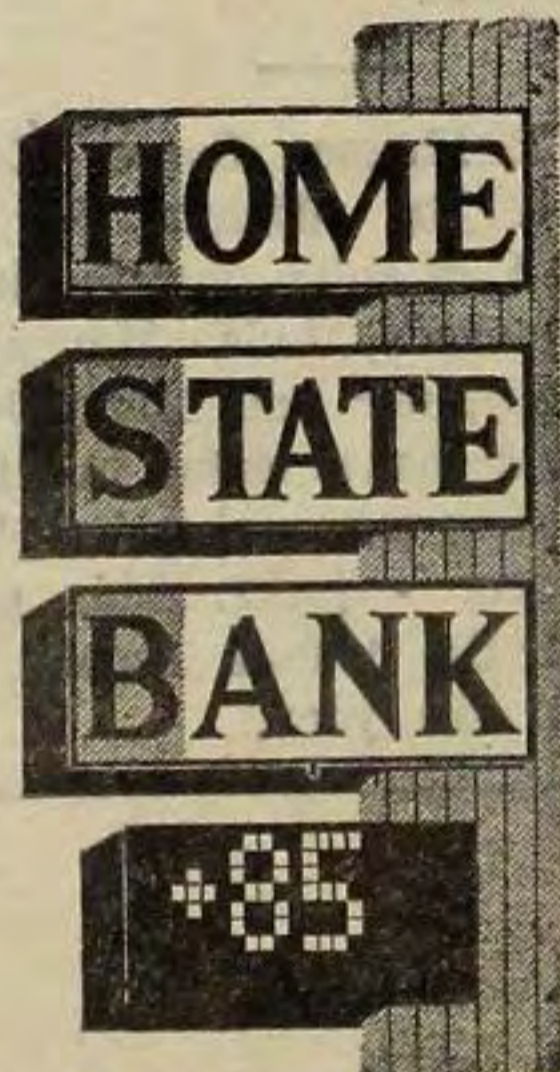
All library materials were due May 8, 1974. If you have any library materials which you have not yet returned, please do so at once. Your cooperation is appreciated.

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Women sprint to ACCK win

by Beth Wilhide

The Mac women's track team a winning performance at the ACCK Relays where they walked off the platform with the first place trophy in their division. Mac and Tabor were close competitors throughout the meet, but Mac pulled ahead and won with 54 points. Tabor followed with 46 points, Sterling with 20 points, Bethel with 14 points, and Bethany with 4 points.

Jan Foley won four places in her events to add 11 points to the team's total. She placed third in the high jump, third in the discus, fourth in the shot, and third in the 440 dash.

Carol Stone earned 10 points with two first place medals. She

threw a distance of 110'10" in the discus for a first and had a heave of 35'1" in the shot.

Corina Dean gained the most points on the team with a total of 14. In the board jump she had the longest jump measuring 16'6 1/2". She again placed first in the 100 yd. dash with a time of 12.1. Dean finished second in the 220 yd. dash.

In the 440 relay the Mac team broke the string first with a finishing time of 53.2. The Mac team again placed first in the mile run with a clocked time of 6:15.2.

Also placing in the meet was Pam Medford who finished second in the 440 dash for four points. Sandy Losbough ran across the finish line of the 880 yd. run in second place and Sue Cook finished fifth in the same event.

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Jeff Clark takes a pass from Rande Short as the Mac Soccer Club sneaks past Wichita 4-3



Elick Doll smashes a return to his Bethany opponent as the Bulldog netmen dropped their Match to Bethany last week.

Netmen third, T-men second

Men's teams wind up year

The Bulldog Yellow - ball smashers bounced back to grab third place in the KCAC conference meet this week. Bethany took first, followed by Tabor, Mac, Southwestern, Bethel, Sterling and Friends.

After a defeat earlier in the week to Bethany 8-1, Mac came on strong. Mark Melhorn, Doug Grothe, Larry Doll and Steve Burkholder won their singles matches. They were then eliminated in second round competition.

In doubles competition, the teams of Burkholder and Melhorn won their first round match but were defeated in the semis. Doll - Grothe also won their matches but were subsequently

defeated in the playoff rounds.

Mac's tee - men grabbed a second-place finish in the conference behind league leading Southwestern. Individually, freshman Bruce Clary shot a 78 to lead Mac to the second-place finish.

The McPherson Soccer Club defeated the Wichita Soccer Club, 4-3, in action last Sunday. Luis Quevedo, Luis Martinez, Jerry Serrador and Marty Nolan were instrumental in the win scoring one goal apiece for the soccer - jocks. This win brought the team's record to 6-1-1 for the year.



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