

during Homecoming weekend

College Players will present musical story of 'Peanuts'

The McPherson College Players will present "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown," a "Childhood Laugh In." The musical drama, directed in full by Karlene Tyler, is presently in rehearsal and will be presented Thurs. Oct. 17, Sat., Oct. 19, and Mon., Oct. 21.

This is the first full-length play to be directed solely by Mrs. Tyler who views her experience as

"very challenging because, in addition to directing the action on the stage, I'm directing the orchestra; but it is also a help, because this way I can co-ordinate the two aspects."

Cast members include Dan Sheets, jr., Napanee, Ind. as Charlie Brown; Debbie Dusenberry, fr., Kansas City, as Lucy; Les Dell, jr., Beatrice, Neb., as

Linus; Roger Helstern, sr., Dayton, Ohio, as Snoopy; Kent Wagoner, fr., Adel, Iowa, as Schroeder; and Holly Grone, sr., Davenport, Neb., as Patty.

Production Staff Chairmen are Donna Miller, soph., Wichita, stage manager; Randy Widener, assistant stage manager; Paul Keim, soph., Flagstaff, Ariz., lights; Tom Burns, fr., Adel, Iowa, set construction; Rosa Johnson, McPherson, and Bruce Blocher, soph., Lincoln, Neb., props; and Debbie Dusenberry, publicity. Production crews have not been selected.

"We will welcome help from any volunteers who would like to devote their time to painting and construction," said Mrs. Tyler.



Lucy, Debbie Dusenberry, and Linus, Les Dell, rehearse lines for the upcoming musical production, "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown."

Homecoming plans finalize

"Mac is back!" shouts the theme for the 1974 Homecoming weekend, which will highlight a faculty-student barbecue, class reunions and the coronation of the 1974 Homecoming Queen. In preparation for the big events, the football team is psyching-up for a victory over Kansas Wesleyan University.

Friday evening's faculty-student barbecue promises to be "finger lickin' good" as it kicks off the weekend of events. Following the "feed your face fest" will be a College and Trivia Bowl in which students and alumni teams compete to answer faculty posed questions.

A pep rally and freshman-sponsored bonfire will follow, with a "Good Times" period in the Student Union, ending the evening's activities.

Parents' Day events start on Saturday morning with a faculty visitation time for alumni and parents of students, followed by open house in the dorms.

The homecoming parade will begin at 12:30 p.m. and will take a different route from last year's.

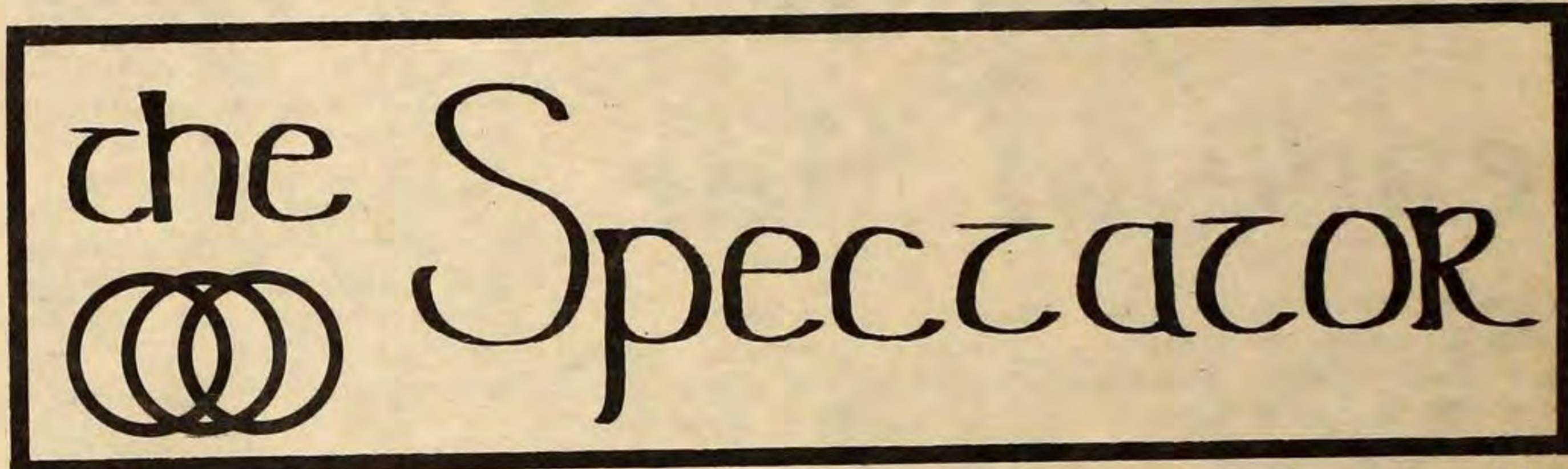
Starting on South Main Street and traveling to Euclid, it will then turn right and go to the college to aim emphasis on the football game.

The Homecoming Queen will be chosen from a field of seven candidates in a coronation ceremony held immediately before the game with the K.W.U. Coyotes.

Between 4:30 and 7:30 p.m. on Saturday night, members of several different groups will enjoy dinners on campus. The classes of 1954, 1959, 1964, and 1969 will have a dinner in the college cafeteria following the Sports Fans Sandwich Supper in the Gymnasium, along with the regular dinner served in the college cafeteria.

Another social hour in Friendship Hall will precede the Homecoming Queen's Ball held in the Student Union, which will end the day's events.

Paul Wagoner, associate director of development and chairman of the homecoming committee, reported, "Plans are progressing satisfactorily, and the committees are meeting and working hard."



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Extension courses to reach 5,000

by Cindy Mines

"Teaching in the Energy Crunch," "The Culturally Different Child," and "The Changing Role of the Instructor" will be among the professional level courses offered by McPherson College in various metropolitan centers in the United States.

According to Dr. Merlin Frantz, vice president and academic dean, the program was designed basically "to give teachers an opportunity to update themselves in the field of education."

Dr. Dayton Rothrock has co-ordinated the first off-campus continuing education program at Larned. Enrollment has been filled at 40, and teachers meet one night a week for three hours during one semester. Leaders of the courses are teachers from an area who have experience and training in that specific field.

Most of the centers will be affiliated with American Education Enterprises, Incorporated. To qualify for the courses, teachers

must have a Baccalaureate Degree, but the courses will not count toward graduate study.

Dr. Frantz anticipates an eventual enrollment of 5,000 teachers in the courses. Dr. Leland Lengel has been promoted to associate dean so that Dr. Frantz may devote more time to the program.

"We want to try to be helpful to teachers who want to be more effective in the classroom," summed up Dr. Frantz.



Eleven seniors were inducted into "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." They are: (front) Holly Grone, Qu Baham, Susan Blough,

(middle) Sheryl Holthus, Karlene Tyler, Floy Ditmars, Mary Sue Nicklos, (back) Dave Wine, Mike Nichols, Mark Melhorn and Tony Hoch.

Mac honors 11

An unprecedented eleven students were selected for inclusion in the 1974 version of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." Students were selected on the basis of academic achievements and extracurricular activities.

Quetta Baham, a biology major from Baton Rouge, La., has been active in dorm government, Stuco and Women's Council.

Susan Blough, also a biology major, from Nampa, Id., has played in the orchestra and was secretary of Science Club.

Floy Ditmars, a pre-med major from Nickerson, is now Resident Director of Kline and has served on Stuco and Women's Council.

Holly Grone, an elementary education major from Davenport, Neb., has been a contributor to music activities, dramatics and the newspaper.

Tony Hoch, an industrial arts major from Gardner, is a member of M-Club, has lettered in both

football and track and is resident director of Bittinger.

Sheryl Egle Holthus, who is a home economics major from Imperial, Neb., has participated in dramatics-forensics, music activities and Home Ec. Club.

Mark Melhorn, pre-med major from Emporia, lettered in football and was Metzler president.

Mary Sue Keinholtz Nicklos, special ed. major from Ft. Collins, Colo., was president of Dotzour Hall and has played in the orchestra.

Michael Nicklos, history major, served as president of Fahnestock Hall and has participated in faculty-student committees.

Karlene Morphew Tyler, drama major from Clarence, Ia., has acted in and directed several student productions, and is a member of Alpha Psi Omega.

David Wine, Wauneta, Neb., a religion and education major, served as class president and is currently Stuco president.

Apathy flees Mac; Velma, Rod dig class

action takes over

There is a killer loose on campus. The assassin's name is Apathy - that killer of dreams and spirits.

Apathy first moved to campus in the late 1960's, a product of hopelessness and indifference. It has made noteworthy appearances on faculty-student committees, student government, and in classrooms.

But wait! Apathy's bitterest enemy - action - has recently appeared on campus to track down and stop once and for all that prince of indifference. With the implementation of programs for faculty development, a relief program for the war torn country of Cyprus, and a general attitude change, Apathy's days may be numbered.

Apathy's demise will be mourned by few, for the rewards that we reap will far outweigh the amount of effort we must put forth to rid ourselves of this demon forever. We are so close. Can we do it? **The Editors**

NYC youth learn of Mac

"One of the most positive aspects of the event was that many Eastern youth became aware of McPherson College who had never heard of it," said David Hendricks, admissions counselor at Mac.

"The event" to which Dave was referring was the "invasion" of over 500 teenagers this past August on their way to the National Youth Conference who stopped off in McPherson for overnight lodging and free meals.

Hendricks, along with Mr. Joe Johnston, Director of Admissions, were instrumental in bringing the youth to campus. After contacting Mr. Will Harpus, co-ordinator of NYC, arrangements were made to accommodate groups attending or returning from the conference.

The first response came with 170 youth accepting the invitation followed by three or four groups of 100, a few groups of as many as 30

and numerous carloads.

The teenagers were fed, bedding was provided and a tour of the campus was given. Members of the faculty, wives, children, and church people all aided in making the travelers comfortable during their brief stay.

Dave and Jana Wine and Lynn Siefert, members of the NYC steering committee, helped give tours to the people that stopped on the return trip.

"Because the college is allowed to recruit students only as far east as the Mississippi River the fact that the Eastern youths are now aware of McPherson makes the outlook for potential students from the far eastern area in the future favorable," said Hendricks. Many of the youth directors who were with the teenagers at the conference have expressed interest in having Dave Hendricks come to their churches and tell about Mac.

"It was hot, dry, very dusty and windy but thoroughly enjoyable and fascinating," said Rod Neher, jr., Anna, Ill.

Rod was referring to the summer school course, "Archaeological Field School," in which he and Velma Bunch, soph., St. Louis, Mo. participated at Kansas-Wesleyan in Salina.

Dr. George Taylor of Kansas-Wesleyan and Mrs. Marge Reed of the Kansas Anthropological Association directed the course. The four-hour course was designed as an on-the-site learning opportunity providing basic instruction and experience in survey, excavation, report preparation and lab work.

The crew for the dig consisted of eight students - two from McPherson College, four from Kansas-Wesleyan and two from Marymount.

"We went out everyday from 7:30 a.m. until noon. The evening session from 4 to 7 p.m. was optional; if you weren't too tired you could go, but it wasn't required. A few of the evening sessions, though, were more fun than the morning ones," said Velma.

"I was really impressed by how the crew didn't let the wind and dust or full wheelbarrows tipping over get them down but kept on being cheerful. Dr. and Mrs. Goldsmith were really good about

bringing refreshments out to the site" commented Rod.

The site was approximately ten miles south of Salina, in the middle of a wheat field, near the Smoky Hill River. The earthlodge found was 30 feet square, an estimated seven feet in height, with a central firepit and a northeast entryway. It comes from the Central Plains phase, the Smoky Hill Valley aspect and the Middle Ceramic period and the living period of 1000-1300 AD. The types of pottery found and type of dwelling relate this site to the Indian burial pits that are also near Salina.

"We didn't find as many artifacts as we should have, but we came to the conclusion that this house was deliberately abandoned and stood empty for awhile before it burned. The family took what it wanted and needed and left only useless items," said Velma.

Artifacts found included potsherds, thumb scrapers and side scrapers, hammerstones, flint

chips, arrowheads, burnt bone, smooth and chipped, a milling stone and a piece of a clam shell that is believed to have been used as a hoe by these people.

Tools used by the crew included pick axes, shovels, dental picks, brushes, trowels and wheelbarrows.

To accurately date the artifacts, carbon 14 dating and archaeological testing are being used. The carbon 14 dating will be done in Japan under the supervision of Dr. Tom Witty of K-State, who was also a consultant to the dig.

"By the end of the dig we were knowledgeable enough to pick out the next site in the same area, and also eligible for membership in the Kansas Anthropological Association," said Velma.

This year's dig was ACCK sponsored and supported. Plans are in the making for another dig next summer, offered through Kansas-Wesleyan and giving advanced credit to any of this year's crew that returns.

Macalendar

Friday, Oct. 4 - A hayrack ride is one of the easiest ways for guys and girls to get to know each other. So c'mon, girls, don't be shy! Tonight you have your big chance! Meet in front of Dotzour at 7:30 p.m. - End of first five weeks.

Saturday, Oct. 5 - The McPherson Bulldogs take on defending KCAC champ St. Marys of the Plains in the season's first home tilt at 7:30. A dance following the game concludes the Sadie Hawkins activities.

Monday, Oct. 7 - The women's tennis team locks horns with Ft. Hays in a home match at 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 8 - Convocation, 9:00 a.m. - Art Gish and Panel.

Wednesday, Oct. 9 - You will not want to Ms. the ACCK Women's Tennis Tournament here on the Mac tennis courts. The love affair liberates at 1:00 p.m., and hopefully the Mac girls will have a few aces up their sleeve!

Thursday, Oct. 10 - MCCC will (finally) have a meeting at 7:00 p.m. Agenda items are due in the president's office by Oct. 7. - The Home Economics club will have something cooking in Harnly Hall at 7:00 p.m. - The German Club will meet for the first time at 8:00 p.m. in the private dining room.

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La-goons make big splash in fall sport

by Holly Grone

Vicious threats of bodily harm and scandals of bribery and extortion have possibly jeopardized the continued existence of Mac's novice "Lagoon Squad." The controversial student-formed league began unofficially as the "freshman fraternity" during Orientation Week.

With the arrival of upperclassmen, however, the goals

of the group changed towards more active participation in student life; and lagooning was adopted as the team sport in order "to exert an influence on other people."

Credited with the introduction of the sport to the rookie squad are participating player-coaches, Rick Doll, Steve Fulmer and Doug Grothe. "As second and third year students, we felt obligated to teach the freshmen to throw a Lagoon Party properly, and we're surprised at how fast they caught on," commented Doll.

Officially, the squad has six charter members who occupy different positions in the official vehicle of the Mac College Lagoon Squad. The starting lineup is: Mike Roberts, driver; Tom Burns, shotgun; Paul White, back-seat left; Dale Eason, front door; Delton Coddington, tailback right; and David Jilka, tailback left. The reserve team includes Gary Hogle and Mark Appel.

The team has perfected a strategy in which Coddington jumps from the back of the Blazer to start the main pursuit, and the remaining squad members rush for the door towards which the victim is headed. Roberts, however, remains in the Blazer to carry the "prize" to the final goal



- the deep, black slime of the lagoon.

A major problem is keeping the victim in the Blazer (which to the dismay of the squad has been nicknamed the Jeep), but the team has scored on five different occasions!

It is rumored that one of the cheerleaders will be the next tally for the semi-retired lagooners. "We don't want to reveal the name

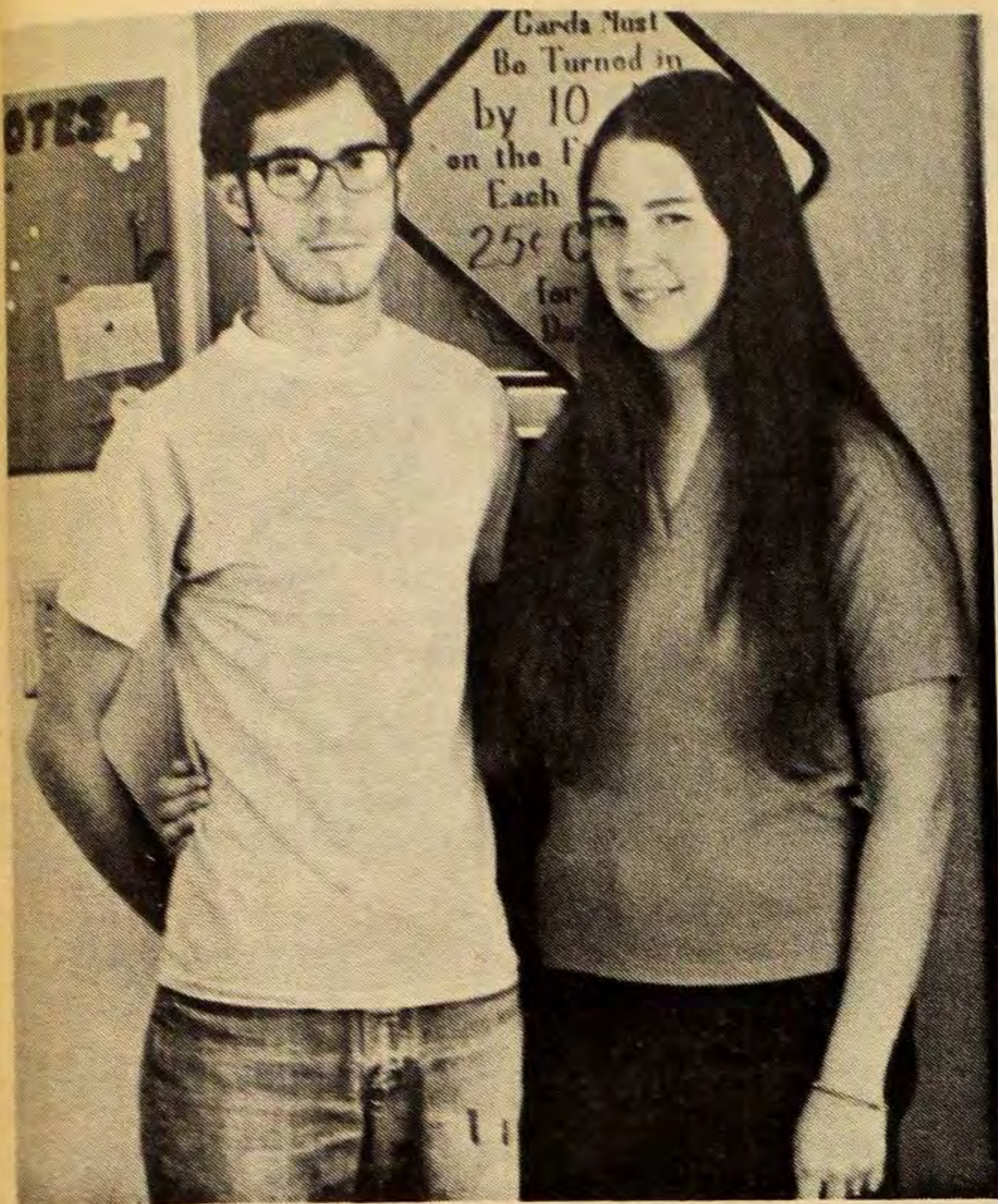
of this individual as yet, but we're setting our sights on this one. It's one of our biggest challenges," said coach Fulmer.

The blue-clad squad has suffered numerous injuries including pulled hair and kicked teeth, and one major play was broken up. But the Mac College Lagoon Squad claims to be leading the conference after a splashing victory over Bethany.

Will the Lagoon Squad be allowed to continue? A number of calls by the officials have put the lagooners into a temporary resting period. But the squad is convinced that their cause is "for the good of the college," and they have become known personally all over campus.

"How many women on this campus can get a 65-mph. escort to the City Park Water Front by midnight by eight handsome young men?" commented Dale Eason. "The fighters are the most fun," said a fellow lagooner.

One team member summed up the policy of the squad as "If you're there, and we're there, then you're in!"



Assuming this year's Resident Director duties in Dotzour Hall are Steve and Ginny Mason.

Masons' enthusiasm reflected in R.D. life

by Holly Grone

It's not surprising that Steve Mason finds it hard to study at night. Living in a women's dorm with 115 female boarders would affect the study habits of any normally-functioning male. Steve and Ginny Mason, the new resident directors of Dotzour Hall, came to McPherson from the small town of Bedford, Pennsylvania. Steve has attended Bridgewater College, Mansfield State, Eastern Mennonite College of Virginia, and is now taking courses at Mac as a religion and philosophy major.

Anyone who is acquainted with the Masons knows that they are outdoor enthusiasts. They have adopted bicycles as their primary mode of transportation in order to save driving their pickup truck. Camping is a favorite activity; in fact, "we made moving here into a vacation by camping out," said Ginny.

Ginny is also an "artsy-craftsy" individual who enjoys all types of crafts. Most Dotzour residents are aware of her "enthusiasmo" for cooking, as they are frequently bombarded by pleasing odors from her kitchen as they drudge to

their evening meal at Slater's. In addition, Steve and Ginny are both avid readers.

As resident director, Ginny feels responsible for the well-being of everyone in the dorm, and she sees her duties as keeping things running smoothly and reporting damages. "I'm enjoying it, and am impressed by how friendly everyone is." Girls come in with problems which vary from borrowing the key to the kitchen to relating deep personal situations. "I'm here to be whatever I need to be to each person. . . their needs vary," she said.

Mac warm spot in Rev. Miller's heart

by Linda Schoof

"I have a warm spot in my heart for McPherson," says Dr. Paul Miller, the new campus minister. "My wife and I and our two children have all attended McPherson College."

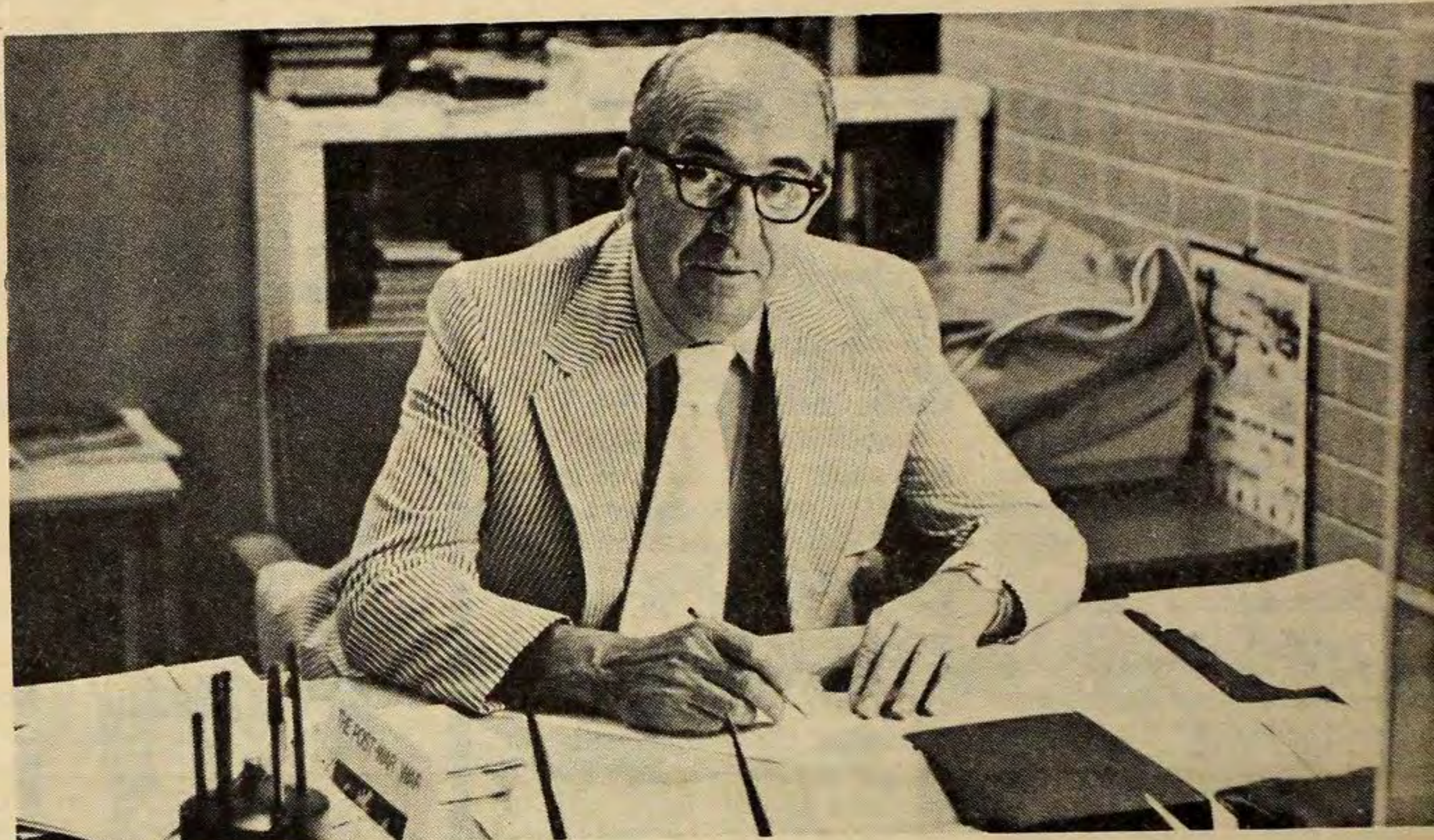
After obtaining a B.A. degree from McPherson College, Rev. Miller attended Bethany Seminary near Chicago. Originally from Iowa, Dr. Miller has traveled 18 years to various countries such as Russia, Germany, and Nigeria. Dr. Miller and his wife hope to make McPherson their home. "I am looking forward to the change of being a college minister, after the structured life of a church minister."

Stressing that he wanted to be a good team member with the faculty, Rev. Miller also stressed that he wanted to help each student of McPherson College "to

be a whole student in mind and spirit."

Dr. Miller feels that his age and experience are an asset to a campus minister. "As you can see, I don't have to compete with the student in years of experience."

One point Rev. Miller would like to make clear is that he is here to help the students and others on campus as well. "I am impressed with the good morality and good quality of the students here at McPherson College."



Dr. Paul Miller, new campus minister, takes a time-out from the never ending snow of paper work to chat with students.

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Tigers maul 'Dogs, 43-6

by Joe Hale

Poor field position and early mistakes by the Bulldogs gave Colorado College a quick lead and an easy road to victory. Colorado defeated McPherson 43-6 in Colorado Springs last Saturday afternoon.

Coach Rominger commented that the Tigers executed extremely well on defense as well as on offense. "They are the best team we'll face this season," said Rominger.

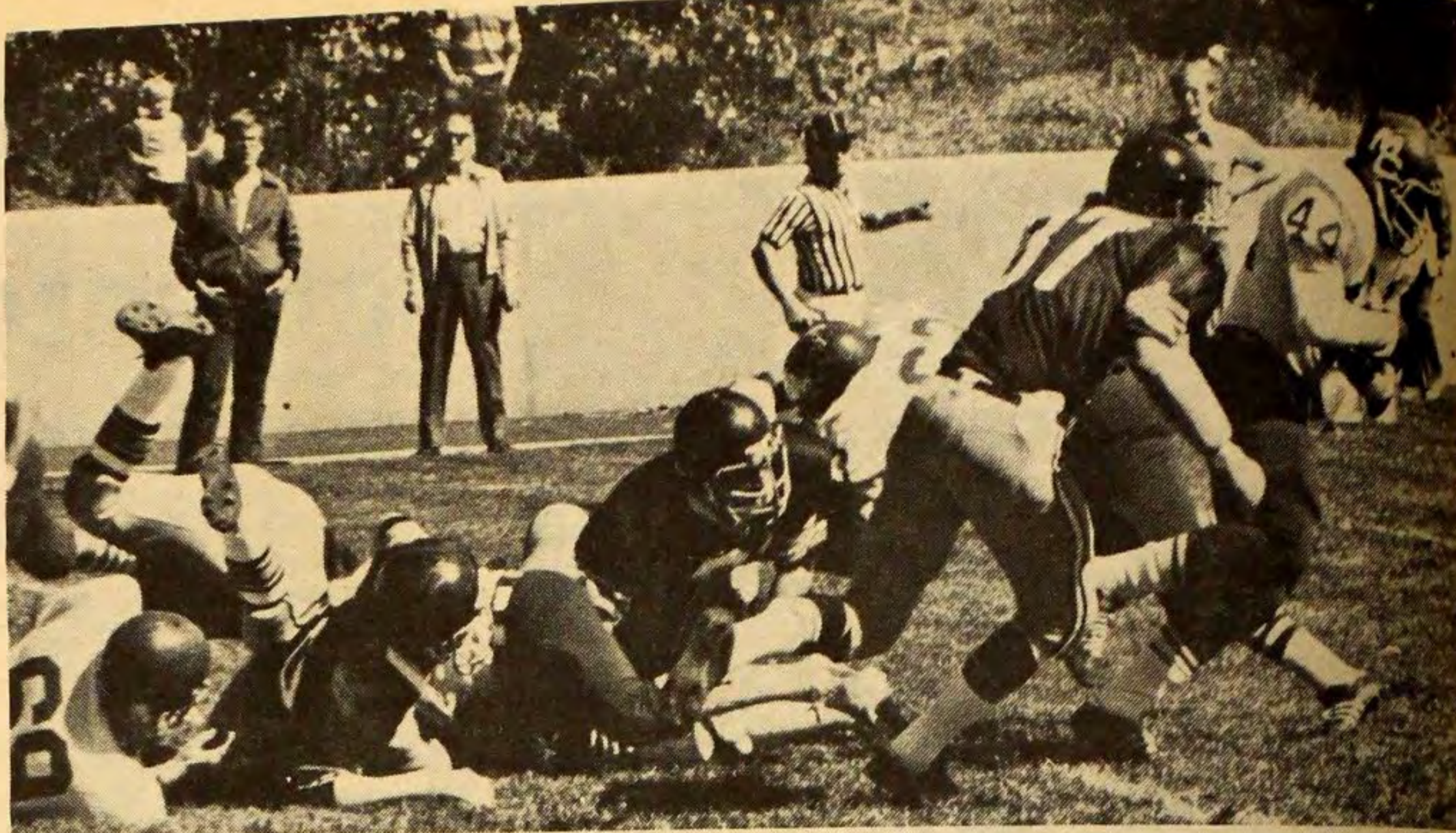
Colorado's Ted Swan broke a school record with his five field

goals, the longest a 52-yarder.

Monte Spangler, a freshman from Media, Pa., gained 54 of his 89 yards on Mac's 60-yard scoring drive. Spangler ended the drive with a 28-yard run to the end zone.

The Bulldogs rushed for 87 yards, passed for 77 yards, were penalized 60 yards, and lost five fumbles. Colorado College gained 209 yards. They were penalized 95 yards, but they lost only two fumbles.

McPherson hosts St. Mary's of the Plains this weekend. St. Mary's is picked to win the KCAC again this season.



Monty Spangler, No. 44, rushes for six of his 89 yards in the game against Colorado College last Saturday at Colorado Springs.

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Wins highlight netters' week

by Lisa Gaskill

A sweep of two meets and a doubles victory in the Barton County Invitational highlighted last week for Mac's women racqueteers.

Sterling sponsored a triangular Sept. 25 at Sterling. McPherson took top honors by winning all of the doubles matches and five out of six singles matches.


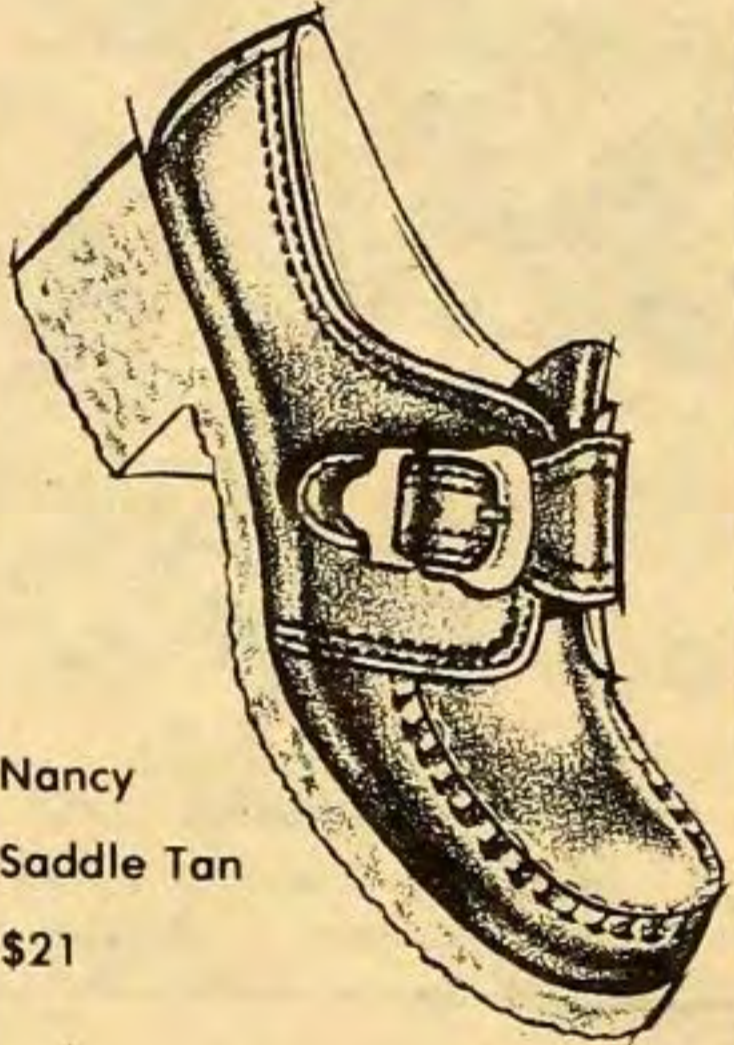
Laura Sundahl won number one singles, Jan Foley number two singles, Lisa Gaskill number three singles; number four singles went to Ann Lobban and Lori Brown took the fifth singles spot. Laura and Jan took first in number one doubles, Pam Medford and Lisa Gaskill were first in second doubles and Lori and Ann took first in number three doubles.

Three members of the Bulldog team traveled to Great Bend Sept. 27 to participate in the Barton County Invitational Tournament. Jan Foley and Laura Sundahl, both seniors, combined to win the doubles competition.

Singles player Lisa Gaskill won in the first round but lost in the second.

McPherson proved too much for Marymount of Salina Monday Sept. 30. Winning all but one match the Bulldogs coasted to an 8-1 win with Laura Sundahl, Jan Foley and Pam Medford all defeating their opponents in straight sets. It took CeCe Zavala and Lisa Gaskill three sets to decide the winner. Jan and Laura again won number one doubles. CeCe and Lisa took number two doubles and Pam Medford and

Lori Brown combined for a win in the number three slot.


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