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SENIORS FAIL TO WIN INTERCLASS CONTEST IN WEEK OF TOURNEY

rree Teams Are Tied As Result Of Sophomore Victory Over the Upperclassmen

FINALS PLAYED TONIGHT

The Seniors, Having Taken Hor Hdge Over Opponents

tournament ended in a tie between the Freshmen, Sophomore and Senior teams last Thursday evening when the Sophomores, in a rough and tumble game, defeated the fast and scrappy seniors in a twice tied game with a score of 14-12. The entire tournament was featured by fast and hard playing. Especially noticeable was the good guard work done by Tipton, Strickler, Eakes and Morine. The scoring end was well looked after by Crumpacker, Holloway, Dag gett, and Ellwood. Holloway, by se-curing 22 points for his team in the three games, is high point man. Tournament Opened Tuesday

The tournament opened Tuesday evening when the Freshmen defeated the Sophomores in a hard fought game by a score of 11-7. The Senfors took their first victory from the Juniors by a 17-13 score. The second evening the Sophomores defeated the Juniors and the Seniors defeated the

Freshmen Eliminated the Juniors The Freshmen eliminated the Jun iors Thursday evening by handing them their third defeat by a 12-6 score. The real scrap of the tournament proved to be the game between latter having taken first honors in the tournament for the last two years were determined not to bow in their final trial. Although they outplayed the Sophomores in nearly every department of the game they were tied with the Sophomores when the final whistle blew. But the fur-jously fighting Sophomores were not to be outdone, and at the end of the second five minute extra period the score stood 14-12 in their favor.

[Will Decide Championship Honors By winning two games and loosin the three teams are tied first place. The tie will be played off tonight and tomorrow night. The teams will draw for places and one team will be forced to play two

MOHLER IS DELEGATE TO THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE

mbly of Collegiate Athletic Representatives Will Be Held At Atlanta

Professor R. E. Mohler, as a men ber of the executive committee of the Kansas Intercollegiate conference, will represent the state colleges at eeting of the National Collegiate Athletic Association to be held at Atlanta, Georgia, December 27th and

28th. Professor Mohler was chosen at the meeting of the conference officials held last week.

The chief subject of discussion at the conference will be the administration of athletics by the colleges. The discussion will be led by President Angell of Yale. It is believed that this subject is of great import-ance and that practical results in the way of standardization of methods may come from the discussion at the conference. It is the plan that participation in the discussion should be general, and lead up to definite rec-ommendations as to the proper methods of exerting faculty direction both of intermural and intercollegiate ath-

The Cilonian and Biblical literary ocieties of Baker gave an Indian Pageant on the North side of Lake

M. C. EVANGELISTS CLOSED MEETINGS AT PORTIS, KAN. M. C. OBSERVED PEACE

The Rev. and Mrs. Austin, colleg etangelists, closed a series of revival meetings at Portis, Kansas on Dec ember 1. There was good attend ance throughout the meetings and the town and school cooperated in a splendid manner. Many of those who attended the meetings stated that the Austins were the greatest evange-lists that had ever come to Portis. For the last discourse Rev. Austin spoke on "The Harvest Of The World" and the house was crowded even to standing room. The Chris-tian Workers hour was given over to song service. In a short testimonial meeting many expressed their appreclation of what the meetings had talks and lectures on peace.

LECTURE BY DR. OTT GREATLY APPRECIATED

SPEAKER VIVIDLY PORTRAYED THE INPORTANCE OF HEREDITY

"The fathers ate sour grapes and "The fathers ate sour grapes and six go for war purposes directly detective children's teeth were set on edge." quoted Mr. Ott as he began his lecture on "Sour Grapes" Thursthalm of the grapes and source grapes and source grapes and source grapes and source grapes. Thursthalm of the grapes grapes and source grapes are grapes and source grapes and sourc ture's penalty for sin is sure and most often the innocent suffer as a result of some youth's gay life.

Too Many Misfits in Life According to Mr. Ott. the reason for our lack of better products from our schools is because people have been emphasizing good buildings and good equipment which is well and ing. It aggravates old causes good but in so doing the individual creates new ones, tendencies of the pupil have been overlooked. "This failing produces no safety in arms overlooked. misfits in life. No two children are taste, or talent. That instruction which is an aid to one pupil may be a hindrance to another. Each student should be a particular problem to be solved by the teacher and the parent. A misfit in life is a tragedy, all law must promote Peace, not con-So many people try to do the thing trol War.
they are unfit for, consequently they fall while they leave undone many Resolve things in which they could have suc-

"Our legislatures have not been debate, said that war is an open conthinking about folks but about poll-flict between nations, and is wholeshould have the interests of the children at heart. There is a great Vivian Spilman, on the unpopular children at heart. There is a great need for the art of living, and the art of living being taught to folks. It is a dangerous thing. The rule of love is to be good to others in their own way. There can be no generalizing of human nature. Individuality and freedom of type must be considered. There is a fight on for clean living. There is a fight on for clean living. Get into this moral battle so that Children may not be poorly born. It is no disgrace to be born poor but it is a handicap to be poorly born."

Mr. Ott used many humorous illus.

FOR BENEFIT OF QUADRANGLE barbarians A program that no McPherson College student will wish to miss is that to be given Thursday evening at 8:00 p. m. in the college chapel, Sept. 26—Baker at McPherson at 8:00 p. m. in the college chapel, when local celebrities will demonstrate their talents for the benefit of the 1924 Quadrangle. There will be a piano solo by Helen Garst, two Oct. 24.—Kansas Wesleyan at Saino group numbers by the Ladies' Glee Oct. 31.—Friends at Wichita. Club. a violin group by Wilter Nov. 6.—Friends at Wichita. Durst, a reading by Lillie Crumpacker, and a selection by the String Quintet. Each of these is adjacent. Nov. 11.—Bethany at McPherson. Quintet. Each of these is adjacent. Nov. 9.—Sterling at Sterling; well as the Quadrange, will apprewell as the Quadrangle, will appre-ciate the support of a large audience, Admission will be twenty five cents. Back those on the program, and back the Quadrangle. Be there.

WEEK WITH A DEBATE AND CHAPEL SPEECHES

Dr. Kurtz, Prof. Morris, And Pr Stoll of Central College Were Speakers

BISHOP AND SPILMAN DEBATE

Devotional Periods Were Devoted In Efforts To Create Sentiment For Peace

Week from December 3rd to 7th by daily chapel periods given over to sor Morris on Monday, Dr. Kurtz or Tuesday, Messrs. Bishop and Spli-man on Thursday, and President Stoll of Central College on Friday, contributed their time to the p

"The Cost of War"

"If the prophecy that men shall no learn war any more is to be fulfilled," said Professor Morris, "it is now For every seven dollars paid in taxe six go for war purposes directly de

Good Will the Only Solution Dr. Kurtz said, "The business of life is to promote the survival and well-being of the race. Ninety-five per cent of the causes of war are economic. The rich man causes war and becomes richer by it. The com-mon man suffers, fights, and dies and those of his brethren who remain pay for the war. War settles noth Peace committees exactly alike in feature, temperament, guns there. Our only safety is in taste, or talent. That instruction good will. The law of nature is to

is a handicap to be poorly born."

Mr. Ott used many humorous illustrations and clever irony in his lecture which will, long be remembered and the large audience in attackage.

Let use the control of t and the large audience in attendance cannot estimate the value of the truth which he presented.

Even the early classics over emphasize and war. We must emphasize peace as Napoleon emphasized war, through our text books. Napoleon acta with at St. Helena, "War is the business of

"Early to bed and early to rise," and you day.

Boost your class team tonight.

BASKET BALL SCHEDULE Jan. 11-Friends at McPherson

Jan. 14-Southwestern there Jan. 15-St. John at Winfield.

Jan. 16-Fairmount at Wichita

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*Jan. 24-Fairmount here. Jan. 29-Bethel at Newton

Feb. 1—Washburn at Topeka. Feb. 2—Ottawa at Ottawa. *Feb. 9—Hays at McPherson.

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*Feb. 18-C. of E. at McPherson *Feb. 26-Bethel at McPherson.

March 4-Bethany at Lindsborg March 5-Kansas Wes at Sailne

• March 7—Bethany at McPherson • Home games.

PAST GRIDIRON SEASON WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL

BULLDOGS MET THEIR SUPERIOR ONLY ONCE IN THE NINE GAMES PLAYED

The McPherson College Bulldogs under the tutelage of Coach Mishler, with the assistance of Harry Colburn as line coach, established an enviable record in their third year of Kansas Conference football. Mishler, has built up a team that would make any veteran mentor justly proud.

No Defeat on Foreign Soil The season's record of 60 points scored by the Bulldogs to 33 by their scored by the Bulldogs to 23 by their opponents shows the class of play the Mishler warriors exhibited. No deteats on foreign soil in six trips is a necord that will stand the test of the superior showing made by the 1923 Bulldogs they deserve the honor which now comes to them.

Charges Were Definitely Proved. many seasons. At the rate the footballs came home in 1923 the trophy of the officials but that Sterling Col-case will soon have to be enlarged.

sans there. Our only safety is in good will. The law of nature is used to struggle against one's environment and love one's fellow beings. Man is the only beast that follows another of his own kind to kill. International law must promote Peace, not control War."

War Must He Ostracized
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the first great accomplishment, for it established for McPherson College a prestige that will long endure.

and as a result McPherson College is forced to state her claims to the Kansas Conference title. prestige that will long endure.

Death of Swede Jinx Means Much

The second great accomplishment was the over-powering of the Swedish Jinx on Armistice Day. This victory alone would have made a successful eason for the Bulldogs. To end the leason on Thanksgiving Day, victor lous over the Southwestern Mound-builders for the first time in the his-tory of athletic competition with the Southern Methodists, was indeed a fitting clir ax with which to close th annals of M. C.'s 1923 gridiron history.

CAMPAIGN WILL CONTINUE

The Board of Trustees is planning to procure another man to aid Mr. there was considerable interference Wagoner in the endowment cam- or "howling" produced/by other realgn, since the help of Reverend Sar-gent is no longer available. The plan for the next seven months is to The receiving set bel

The committee to make arrange—
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ments for the third annual High
School Senior Festival to be held tion, and it is hoped they will be able
here next spring was named last to give the public the benefit of outweek. Ray S. Wagoner is chairman, standing lectures and concerts as they
the other members being: Dr. Harnly
are broadcasted from time to time. and Professors Mishler, Ebel and Mohler.

CHAMPIONSHIP HONORS WON BY BULLDOGS AS A RESULT OF FORFEIT

as Conference Officials, However, Do Not Award Titles to College Teams

STERLING PLAYERS INELIGIBLE

r-Colburn Team Has the Best Record of all Remaining

Although the Kansas Intercollegiate Athletic Conference did not award a 1923 football championship at the meeting held at Topeka last Friday and Saturday, McPherson College, through the action taken by the executive committee in declaring the Sterling College victories forfeit-ed is at the top of the conference ladder. According to Professor Moh-ler, who is a member of the executive committee, the present conference ruling does not permit the officials to award championships, but leaves the choice to the different colleges and sport officials.

Bulldogs Deserve Honors
By withdrawing the Sterling defeat from the season's record Co Mishler's team has a total of six victories as opposed to five for their Kansas Conference football. Mishler, nearest rival, while the Bulldogs' rein his first year of college coaching, has built up a team that would make nulment in the record of each of the near contenders. It may be held by some that championships are won or lost on the gridiron, yet by the rules

There was no question in the mind

the only beast that follows another games were played on a desirable of his own kind to kill. International law must promote Peace, not control War."

War Must Be Ostracized
Resolved: that war is never justicable. W. E. Bishop, defending the affirmative side of Thursday's debate, said that war is an open contlict between nations, and is whole sale murder. Individual murder is ostracized. We must ostracize war. With a spill must be unspoulded in the first proportion of the conference. Since then soft a succession of a success were the winning of three sale murder. Individual murder is ostracized. We must ostracize war, who was the succession of a success were the winning of the conference. Since then soft a success was the succession of the conference. Since then soft a succession of the conference. Since then soft a succession of the conference. Since then soft a success was the succession of the conference. Since then soft a succession of the conference. Since then soft a succession of the conference. Since then soft a succession of the conference of the conference of the season.

HEARD PRESIDENT DELIVER
HIS MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

Words Of Chief Executive Coolidge Were Heard Distinctly Over College Radio

Pherson College and residents of College Hill received a real treat last Thursday morning when they "lis-tened in" to President Coolidge as he delivered his message to congress. Atmospheric conditions were good for the operation of the radio that day so the words of the President were heard distinctly. At times or "howling" produced/by other re-

The receiving set belongs to the physics department of the College plan for the asmake a thorough canvass of Nebrasha, Northern Missouri, Eastern Colorado, and Northern Kansas. Harvest of the radio club. The physics defonditions next year will determine in the direction of further plans for the campaign.

WAGANER HEADS COMMITTEE.

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Be in chapel Thursday evening

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AN INDICTMENT OF WAR

War is an outrage against human-It is a crime against our so cial mature outlawed by our cor ence, yet we nurture it by our philo sophy of material values. War pro mises to settle the great social and racial problems, It fulfills those promises by intensifying the original nal problems and creating hundreds of others more gigantic. If war was ever useful and valuable it has out-lived its original usefulness. Recent wars have settled one great fact. But never again shall war settle a fact so conclusive. In recent times, each war that was fought proved beyond all doubt, that war itself was barism. War has done nothing for humanity in this generation except to reveal its own true nature. Through fear, hatred, deception, violence, robbery and murder, all agencies of war, peace, prosperity and happiness have been removed from the nations and nothing but wrecked homes, broken spirits and degenerate nations are left to testify of its glories. War is a curse of hell increased to the nth

"Economic Imperialism" is the foundation of all wars. This imperial power demands concessions in for eign territories for the purpose of exploiting the natural resources in that territory. Or this money power may demand markets for the over production at home. Now diplomatic pressure plus navies and armies is needed to enforce such policies. This needed to enforce such policies. This intoxicated monéy power getting con-trol of the press can easily give the American people a vision of Span-ish cruellies in Cuba, when Ameri-can capital invested in sugar production is endangered. We were very slow in acting upon the cause of justice represented by the allies, but when the securities which this coun try held against England and France were endangered by German submar ine warfare, we decided that we must go to war "to make the world safe for democracy" and to make a war upon the war makers in order that war might be ended.

It would be a crime of the ages if the American farmer would make war upon any other people in order to obtain markets for his over produc-tion. Likewise it is wrong for any other moneyed power to force this country into a war to protect concessions made for the express purpose of favoring a small percentage of our citizens. If we are willing for ethical principles to rule in the forma-tion of our national policies, then the standing army of United States will have to be reduced to a national emergency police. The only use we With sympathetic aid:
would have for a navy would be to
patrel our coasts and to render aid Day of a worthier cause we'd have in case of distress or disaster that Within the hearts of men; might befall our insister possessions or some other unfortunate group of Desire for might to hold people. The power to make war should be placed in the hands of the people. A press that misropresents the truth which involves national And carry on good work!

action should be held accountable to the law of the land to the external that such agents could be placed the penitentiary for life. Then to attitude of the law respecting life property should be reversed. In ase of war, life should be placed or the free list and property only, should be made the object of conscrip-Then diplomatic servant might be depended upon to give na-tions a fair deal in foreign courts.

Principles as suggested above or others better may not bring the pub-

lic (parasites) servants, who love to make wars, to time. If not, another Assistant Editor. Everett Brubaker horizon.

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Feature Editor. Hazel Vost ety of martyrs can word from the content of the conten ing to come from either the church or the great middle class to bear the brunt of every war that is fought. Alden Potter the great war that is fought, Selma Engatrom The church has a difficult task to take a stand against war, when Starley B. Keim economic questions are at stake. Summer Eshelman Moneyed interests have wall flowers present in almost every denomina-tion. These are strong factors in getting any religious group to catch the righteous cause at stake in any war. To produce martyrs under such influence is a task. But the martyrs are going to come. If the church does not awake to her task the martyrs are going to be recruited from the mass-es who have to bear the burden of every war that has been fought upon the face of the earth, while the church stands by asking God to bless the great cause of Mars.

J. W. D.

Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Robinson, who gave a number of talks at the Baptist church last week, spoke to the men of the college at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Wednesday morning. The speaker pointed out the causes for poor church attendance and placed the responsibility upon the individual member. Dr. Robinson illustrated the effect of individual weakness on the power of the church by several old Testament stories. Everett Brubaker had charge of devotions

ин Опиничения ин приничения и п ESTES PARK SPIRIT

Occasionally there is a person who rises above the common level of hu-manity and reaches that higher plane, a higher type of feeling, of interpretation, of expression. Every one can appreciate the finer arts, some to a very limited degree, however. But few there are among us who can so relate the inspiration and the expres-sion as to produce something really worth while. We are glad for those we do have, and we feel that every en-couragement should be given them in order that each one may steadily press forward until he has reached his goal and become an artist. Last spring a local contest was

conducted among the girls, in peoms expressive of the spirit and the ideals of the Estes Park Conference. eral girls responded, highest honor being attained by Rose Turcotte. The poem was set to appropriate music by Harry Bowers of the class of '23, and was entered in the song contest which is held annually at the Y. W. C. A. conference at Estes Park.

Rose's production follows:

Dawn of a nobler love we seek Along the paths of men; Belief in personality, Belief in power to win The best that dwells within the soul Of every man and race. Let's kill the power of greed and hate Through sympathy and grace!

Gleam of a brighter day we woo Among the walks of man; Belief in human brotherho Belief in power to lift



I've Been Reading

W. E. Bishor

The Henry Ford written by Henry himself in collaboration with Crew-ther but as my knowledge as to the form and requirements of an autoblography is almost in a state of malautrition I refrain from criticis-ing until I am further informed. I've peen reading advertisements, and find that the art is refreshing, enlighten-a devotional jesson. that the art is refreshing, enlighten-ing and practical. There are so many things that one can get refreshment from in this line. There are the Coles Phillips designs for the best grade of hosiery, the Crane plumbing and household fixtures that are almost an argument to quit the dorm and get married, the Rolls Royce wingget married, the Rolls Royce wing-ed female beauty, the anti-fat fig-ures, the Bonicilla beauties, the Hart Shaeffner and Marx he-man-and the pictures of adventure love and daring. There is, in advertisements, enough variety to refresh anyone from the prattling brat to the feeble vener- the necessary information outside of Do you doubt that there is an edu-

cation in advertisements? Last Fri-day evening the lecturer mentioned a man who learned to read by the a man who learned to read by the roadway sign boards. Did you know we do wonder if they are willing for that over seven billion Chesterfields were smoked every year---twenty as teachers of the future, practicing million every day, isn't that proof that "they satisfy?" Did you know learning daily by example. But why that, one of the best commercial paintings ever made was rejected because the woman in the picture holding a loaf of the advertised bread did not have a wedding ring on her finder. LET'S HAVE AIR!!!! type of beauty, or that Coles Phillips designs for the community plate, or that the he man of the ad has burns of the Greek and the features of the Nordic, or that the Metropolitan Life says we have a four square life, phy sical, mental, social and financial? Do you know that it was ads and not workmanship that put Main Street on the map and that it was an experi-ment to test the weight of allver-tising in the literary field? Do you know that "you can lose twelve pounds of fat per day," - - - uh, uh uh, be careful!

And reading ads is practical. Kindly tell me a few things about Mah Jongg and why it is called by so many other names. Kipling's most used quo-tation and why he is used so much in ads just now, the why of the aggita-tion for Oscar Wilde the last year, what type of magazine you think the Smart Set, or who are Conard, Doyle, Des Passos, Hamsun, Papini, Peer Gynt. Lorado Taft, Betty Wales, Dorothy Canfield, Edna St. Vincent Millay, Khayyam, or even Sandzen o Duse

All of these can be ascertained and understood by reading advertisements. I wish some on would tell us how to most successfully read ads, we need it badly. They are worth while and should be considered, at least to the extent of perusal.

A DISSECTION

We perceive, Itza Fact, when we try to assemble your Scraps, that you are an anarchist, grammatically as well as socially.

In the first place, we find you place ing I Spec So in the feminine gender while the populace is supposed to be ignorant of the sex of your friend. When one is in doubt, or speaking it general terms, it is best to use the asculine pronoun.

We wonder, do you find the word "dorm" in the dictionary? Also, were the tin cans to which you refer-red behind the other floor, or behind the second floor of the other dorm?'

the second floor of the other dorm?"
Were you speaking in general of
hard-boiled people in their thin"shell," or of them in their individual thin "shells!" You like flappers,
but are particular about the kind of flappers. Perhaps you like cake-eat-ers too, that ia, those which are sold for five cents. Your tastes are very much like other people's tastes in that

Do you use punctuation marks to give the desired meaning or merely

for decorative purposes?

We commend you for your fluency in Latin and German. May we suggest that you try also to master your native tongue? Purist.

Y. W. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. girls had a real The Y. W. C. A. girls had a real treat in chapel Wednesday morning. Mrs. Robinson, a world-wide speaker gave a very interesting talk on the conditions of women in other lands, and how grateful women of America should be for their opportunities. There are 100,000,000 women in India who do not know the gospel of Christ, and a better way of living. Or Christ, and a better way or hving, of the control of heathen women, while virtue is the greatest of Christian womanhood, Mrs. Robinson closed her talk by saying the need of the West is the flying round like heek; gapel of Jesua Christ.

Alias Mary B, Swope rend the third the control charge of the Corinchians.

They never do committed the committee of the com

Student Opinion

GIVE US AIR

tilation - -training which will be in cluded in the requirements for a teacher's certificate. Blest will be the schools which take such a step! May that day quickly arrive! Until it does, the students must acquire his regular duties, and as a side is-sue it is in danger of being neglected. We're not going to inquire where the faculty members received their train-ing. That doesn't interest us. But we do wonder if they are willing for

Varied Verses

"I want to be an angel" was the lyric cry.

Then let such go be angels. Heaven speed them! but not I. I want to be a camel and with the

camels stand, With no career, no destiny, no strate-gic work at hand,

The angels must on missions go, and But camels feel no mighty urge, nor duty's pushing palm; They never do committe work nor rush to prayer and psalm.

I want to be a camel and like a camel

grace With majesty and dignity my indivi-

dual place; Oblivious to schedules and to pro-grams I would be, And wholly deaf to crises and to opportunity.

As to raiment, imperturbable; serene in winter's fur,

And calm in spring when off it drops as it moth-eaten were; Impervious to climate, be it Peking

dust or mud: Grant me a camel's life and

time to chew my cud! Mrs. Burgess.

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By The Way

Winona McGaffey spent the week-

Professors Mighler Mohler Roon and Harry Colburn left Thursday for Topeka to attend the conference for ches and athletic managers, where football" and basketball schedules were made out

Miss Margaret Walters spent Saturday in Salina shopping.

Ada Miller spent Sunday at her home in Canton.

Goldfe Vickers spent Sunday in

Len Harden left Saturday to at-tend the funeral of Henry Bowman of Quinter, Kansas.

Miss H. Francis Davidson was a guest at dinner in Arnold Hall Fri-

Mrs. Strickler of Ramona visited her son Dale, Wednesday. Glen Strickler accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Moundridge pent Wednesday with their daughter, ler.

Mohler stopped several days at M. C.
Lillian Sandy to their home in Falun
on her way to California.

for the week-end.

George Merkey gave a sermon at Windom, Sunday evening. A number of cormitory students heard the talk. Harry Nickle, class of '23, spent

the week-end on the campus Milo Herr, a student in summer school, visited on the campus Sun-

day. Mr. Herr is now principal of the high school at Buhler. Rev. Switzer of the Methodist church preached in the chapel Sun-day morning on The Rule of Rightmess. Rev. Richards took charge

of the pulpit at the Methodist church Ruth and Elizabeth Mobier spen Sunday with Ruth Pentecost in Ra-mona. Ruth Shoemaker visited with Mr. and Mrs. Foutz at the same place.

Frofessor and Mrs. Hess and Mrs.
Oyler spent the week-end at Great
Bend visiting with relatives.
The Ladies Aid Society of the
Brethren church held a Christmas

guest at dinner in Arnold Hall Friday.

day.

Wirgil Miller of Aidem, Iowa, and Miss Kline of Pasadena, California was a guest of Miss Trostle Fridaye enrolled in the freshman and sophomore academy classes respect-

Herkle Wampler went to Gard City, Friday, to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Wamp

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Teeter motored Mrs. Mohler, mother of Professor to McPherson Friday morning to take

M. C. Graduate, Again Enrolled in the College, Formerly Taught in Porto Rico

gan a year of some interesting exper-iences. After having remained only a short time in this city, she learned one thing, and that was that foreigners are entirely at the mercy of these natives who charge them double prices for everything and take advantage of their ignorance of Porto Rican customs.

The position to which Mrs. Sharp had been appointed was at Lares, a town of about 5,000 inhabitants in the coffee growing re-gions in the western part of the island, and in order to reach her destination, it was necessary for her to travel first over a narrow gage railread and then on horse over rough mountain trails for in this particular section of the country, there were no wagon roads. Mrs. Sharp first taught in a

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Shortly after the Spanish-American War, Mrs. Theodore Sharp, who is a graduate student here, received ashool buildings were put under an appearance of the Library in as substantial an appearance to buildings were put under the Library in as substantial an appearance to go to Porto incompanies. States government to go to Porto incompanies of the Spectator can render a great Rico as a teacher of English. Porto Rico, as will be remembered, was at this time a newly acquired possession or a mixture of these two races.

this time a newly acquired possession of the United States, and efforts were lives in the pupils were Spanish and negroes, of the United States, and efforts were lives in the state of these two races. It was Mrs. Sharp's privilege to being put forth in various ways to live in the home of a Spanish dochetter the conditions on this island.

Upon landing at San Juan, the found in Spain with its center court capital of Porto Rico, Mrs. Sharp began a year of some interesting expan. live in the home of a Spanish doc-tor. The home was typical of those found in Spain with its center court and imported Spanish furniture. This home was representative of the heiter class of Porto Ricans. As a teacher, however, she also came in contact with the poorer classes and she found their living conditions in sisting of various fruits, nuts, vege many instances depiorable. Their tables, and spices made in natural homes were nothing more than color and sizes by native Indians. dirty hovels containing very little. There are also several clay figures furniture; their clothing was scant; of Indians dressed in their native and their bill of fare consisted main-costumes according to their occupaly of coffee and bananas.

> veloped; coffee, tobacco, rice, sugar Mr. Eby for his generousity. cane, pineapples, and bananas are the chief products, which are serving as a source of great wealth to the island. Mrs. Sharp expresses her prediction of a bright future for her prediction of a bright future for Society last Tuesday at 5.30 p. m...
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> Portor Rico. Many internal improve. Miss Kelly, professor of English at ments have been made and the people have been taught the right lecture on "Expression." She cm-principles of living, which for a phasized the knowledge of the subtime was morally at a very low ject and free bodily expression as two

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VISITED FRIENDS ON HILL Miss H. Frances Davidson, former-ly on the faculty of McPherson College, at present on furlough from Africa where she has been a mission-ary for the Brethren in Christ Church for twenty-six years, has been spending the last week in McPherson visiting old friends. Miss Davidson was professor of Latin and English at was professor of Latin and English at M. C. from 1888 to 1894 and of Eng-lish and Pedagogy from 1896 to 1898. She was on the M. C. faculty the first year after the college was founded

Mrs. Roy Brubaker, a former stud-ent of McPherson College, called on Miss Trostle, Wednesday. Her home is in Wiley, Colorado.

The rural high school at Covert Kansas was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The building was a \$45,000 structure, insured for \$25, 000. Samuel Maust of the class of 23 is superintendent at Covert,

VALUABLE GIFT TO LIBRARY

The sincerest thanks of the Librar lege Hill for a recent gift to the stacks of twenty-eight beautifully and dur ably bound volumes of the Congress ional Record. This donation is time ly since it contains material which will be useful to the college debaters The fact that the Library does no have certain volumes of the Rec has been the cause of more or les that they may be induced to place their gifts with us. The fine example of Mrs. Andes is worthy of emulation

EBY GIVES INDIAN CLAY MODELS TO M. C. MUSEUM

costumes according to their occupa-tion or rank in life. McPherson The island is very fertile and College is fortunate in securing this many resources still remain unde-collection and is indeed grateful to

TALKS TO ORATORICAL SOCIETY

At the meeting of the Oratorical Society last Tuesday at 6:30 p. m., ebb. Protestantism is constantly primary requisites for a successful gaining ground, aithough Catholic-ism still holds sway.

Catholickeep his mind on his subject, regulating the bodily expressions through the action of the mind, thus making them more natural and normal. them more natural and normal. Size Anderson followed with the announce-ment of the local try-out which is to be held January 7. She asked for more students to enter the try-out, instilling a new Buildog spirit into those present.

Exchanges

Benno Moiseiwitsch, Russian pian ist, will play at the second concert on the regular University Concert

Course this year.

After a pep meeting at Fairmount, every freshman had to answer roll call by burning a cap or ribbon in a

Over a thousand boys attended the Older Boy's Conference at the Kansas University.

The Ottawa University is staging a popularity contest in connection with the sale of their annual, the Ottawan, The students of the advanced quantitative analysis class of Kansas State Teachers' College at Pittsburg have

een analyzing coal and bread.

The dramatic class of K. S. T. C. resented the four act comedy "Counpresented the four act comedy "Co ty Cousin" by Booth Tarkington.

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RADER DISCUSSED THE BUILDERS OF AMERICA

LECTURE ON "THE MAKING OF A EVENING*

Dr. William Rader, lecturer under the auspices of the University Exten-sion Division, spoke to the students of McPherson College last Friday evening in the chapel on the sub-ject "The Making of a Man."
"The sponer stude of machine

The proper study of mankind is n. To know what men do, think and feel is to have a liberal educa and teel is to have a liberal educa-tion." Dr. Rader then enumerated three qualities of greatness. "Health is an essential of greatness. The second quality of greatness is excellence.

A man or woman must do something Appearance is conducive to great-ness, though not an essential."

ness, though not an essential."

American Builders,

"We are all builders," said Dr. Rader, and he proceeded to enume tae some of America's greatest builders. "The preachers of America are among the greatest of hey builders and her most patriotic citizens. The orators of America have done a great deal to build her civilization and dir-ect public opinion. What would America be without smiles? Her America be without smilles? Her humorists helped to make her the great nation she is. American au-thors have done no little bit in build-ing this nation. The presidents are to be greatly honored in their work of building. We must not forget that the host of unheard, unsung Ameri-can fathers and mothers are doubtless America's greatest, group of

"We can build by doing our duty in the best possible way just where we are and without a thought of

ESSAY CONTEST CLOSED

The Peace Essay contest held in connection with Peace Week closed Friday at 12:30. A number of es-says have been handed in but they have not been judged. Results of the contest will be announced later.

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The Kansas hamps, the Bulldogs, are celebrating their first championship. Too bad it couldn't have come in the usual way.

However its a championship and no one can deny that the Bulldogs are deserving of it. Aside from Sterling's 14 points their goal line was crossed but twice and then no through the line.

Championships, of course, mean the coveted gold footballs, and it won't take argument to get any ath-

"No set-ups in that schedule," said one of the basketball men yesterday.
"But the harder the opposition the
sweeter the victory."

FRIENDS

Of course there are bound to be a few disgruntled people who are sour-ed on the world in every group of so-

ciety.

One can hardly be surprised that Itza Fact has chronic indigestion or that his saliva won't flow and that he has no appetite because invariably this would have to be the case before such "philanthropic" utterances concerning our splendid student body could be made.

The writer has been a very keen observer of student activity on colege hill for three years and can say that never, before has been as an expectally good program. Mrs. Gew. sololat, deserves apecial mention for her exceptionally good work, which was appreciated. a fine congenial bunch as the Col-lege can now boast of possessing.

We hope that the author of scrape will come out of his trance and be-hold the wonderful atmosphere of friendships, of mutual interests and common feelings of brotherhood in this hig family, the fine group of colloge students.

A Philanthropist

Silence is one of the cheapest, as well as the best things to be had on this green earth; and how little do some of us take advantage of it.

He in chapel Thursday evening

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ACADEMY DEBATE CONTEST TO BE HELD THIS EVENING

he academy debate tryout will be held in the chapel this evening a seven o'clock. Those competing for places on the team are: John Leh man, Marie Brubaker, James Elrod. Gladys Fishburn, Theodore Baker, Floyd Betts, Phil Ablen and Philip Spohn. Among those contending for high honors in this tryout, John Leh-man and Marie Brubaker are especially deserving of mention because of previous work in debate, Mr. Lehman, for one year of service on the academy team, and Miss Brubaker as last year's alternate. Rumor has it that rivalry is very keen among the that rivary is very keen among the contestants and since there is little doubt to be entertained concerning the veracity of it, a hot contest is promised to any of the public who enjoy good debate.

NEW POLISHED STONES GIVEN TO M. C. MUSEUM

A most beautiful collection of polished stones has been received lately by the McPherson College Museum from Mr. B. S. Niswander of Palmer Lake, Colorado. Mr. Niswander pol-ished these precious stones most of which were collected by the students at Palmer Lake last summer. Three of the specimens were donated by Mr. Otto Shruil, also from Palmer Lake. The collection includes the following stones: smoky quartz agate. onyx, chalcedony, jasper, caragate, onys, charecoony, pasper, car-nelian, rosy quarts, Amazon stone, lavas, granites, petrified wood, feld-spars, gypsum, and fron pyrites. The College is most indebted to Mr. Nis-wander who so willingly polished the entire collection.

Girls Glee Club Takes Trip. The Girl's Glee Club of McPher son College made its first appearance last Wednesday night at Centennial where everyone pronounce the concert a huge success. The

After the program the entertain-ment took the form of a box so-cial with the usual fun. The girls were treated with pie and coffee. A special feature was the selection of the most popular girl and the award of a box of candy.

This program is the first of

number of similar nature which the Glee Club will give this year.

...... Have you been in chapel the last week? What is wrong with the sing-

week? What is wrong with the sing-ing? Sounds to me like a conglomer-ation of misjointed, ungreased, bad-ly worn cogwheels running empty. The leader is not to blame, but the singers are, students and faculty alike. This kind of singing reminds me of a flock of turkeys lost in a wheat field looking to green house. wheat field looking for grasshoppers and calling out occasionally to each other for mere sport, without trying to join choruses and really make a noise which can be heard by those conducting a search for the lost.

Those of you, faculty and students who have not been there better comin and visit us this week .- just once will be enough to see how infamous ly we are getting along at the job.

But if you don't care to come at this mere suggestive whim of mine, why you MUST come or your credits WILL be withheld at the end of THIS mester. Shall we continue to forgive our

wayward brethren and sisters until "seventy times seven"? By excuse

I Spec Soo
Speaking of mushy girls reminds
me that mush and the thinner substance H2O (which is, being interpreted, boys) are mixing quite well,
and I fear that Itza Fact is either too thick or too stagnant to mix. Or perhaps he is so thoroughly intermix-ed that he can neither evaporate, effervesce, nor be drained, squelched, squeezed or in any other manner known to the modern separatist, be segregated from this so much deplored mushy admixture. Don't you think Itza Fact?

I Spec Soo

First student: fine lecture by Dean Wilson on the "Culture of Prunes?" Second student: "It certainly was

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