

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR ENTERTAINING THE HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Annual Event Will Be Held Saturday;
Considerable Interest
Is Evident

PROGRAM STARTS AT 1:30

Athletic Contests, A Banquet, And
A Musical Program Will
Make Up Events

The third annual High School Senior Festival to be held next Saturday at McPherson College is arousing considerable interest among high school seniors of the county and surrounding towns. Replies have been received from the seniors of the McPherson County schools with the single exception of Lindsborg as well as from Hutchinson, Newton, Marion, Lyons, and Loral.

This event is conducted for the purpose of affording prospective high school graduates an opportunity to see a few of the advantages offered by McPherson College.

Program Starts at Gymnasium

The first part of the day's program, starting at 1:30 P. M., consists of a demonstration by the Physical Training Department under Coach Mishler, and a field meet for the visitors. The winners of each event will receive a gold medal bearing a full face view of the McPherson College building, so that everywhere the wearing of one of these medals will identify its possessor as a successful participant in the field meet of the High School Senior Festival. Those winning second place in the events will receive a like medal of silver instead of gold.

"M" Club in Charge of Fun Hour

A pleasant diversion will be offered to the visitors at 4:30, when the "M" Club, for thirty minutes, will conduct a "fun house" in the gymnasium. This will be followed by the get acquainted hour, with Professor Ebel in charge. During this period a tour will be made of the College campus and buildings.

A Banquet In The Evening

The evening's entertainment will commence at six o'clock with a banquet in the dining room of Arnold Hall. The program will end with a musical and dramatic program at eight o'clock conducted by the McPherson College School of Fine Arts.

High school seniors who take advantage of this opportunity will feel a sense of gratification from a day well spent, and will leave for home with a new and keener appreciation of the hospitality and friendliness that forms a part of the school life at McPherson College.

Senior Play Cast Chosen In Tryout

Forty Contestants Took Part; Faculty Members Assisted Coach In Selections.

The cast as chosen for the play, "The Passing of the Third Floor Back," was announced late yesterday. Considerable competition was shown in the try out which was continued through the afternoons of Friday, Saturday, and Monday. A committee composed of Miss Anderson, Miss McGaffey, Professor Ebel, and Dr. Craik was employed to co-operate with coach C. E. Oelrich in casting the play. From the forty contestants entering the tryout the following persons were chosen for the production: Joey Wright Frank Boone
Christopher Penney Rufus Daggett
Major Tompkins Leland Moore
Mrs. Tompkins Elizabeth Mohler
Vivian Eunice Almen
Jape Samuels John Harnly
Harry Larkom Arthur Prathet
Miss Kite Hazel Vogt
Mrs. De Hooley Gertrude Wilmore
Stasia Rhea Post
Mrs. Sharp Elsie Forney
The Stranger David Brubaker

RUTH MOHLER RECEIVES POSITION AT LA VERNE

Ruth Mohler, a member of the senior class of McPherson College, has recently signed a contract to board the History Department at La Verne College, La Verne, California, next year. She will take the position left vacant by Miss Muir, who will take graduate work at the University of California on leave of absence. Miss Mohler will take her Bachelor of Science degree this spring in education.

Miss Mohler was recommended by Dr. Craik to President Studebaker of La Verne. She was asked to take graduate work in a California school this summer but cannot do so. She will spend the summer at her home at Leeton, Missouri, and go to La Verne in the fall.

It is certain that Miss Mohler will adequately fill this position, and she carries with her the best wishes of the student body for her success.

DAVID BRUBAKER TAKES PEACE ORATION PRIZE

WILL REPRESENT M. C. IN STATE
CONTEST AT WICHITA
APRIL 25

The Peace Oration Contest last Sunday evening was won by David Brubaker whose oration is entitled: "After the Vision, the Task." To him as winner goes the first prize of seven dollars, and the privilege of representing M. C. in the state contest at Friends University, April 25. Horner Eby won the second prize of five dollars with "Progress toward Peace." F. E. Bailey and Ralph Hoover gave orations on "The Fight for Peace," and "The Creative Future."

America Must Lead in the Task.

The vision of the winning oration is a vision of horror that of civilization, self-destruction through war. The Task is to prevent the materialization of this vision. To prevent it we must educate for peace; the Church must reassume the final judgment of moral questions, and there must be international organizations, of which the World Court is the open gateway, in all of which America must lead.

Six Judges For Contest.

Reverend Richards presided, and the delivery of the orations was judged by Professor Morris, Miss McGaffey, and Dr. Craik, thought and composition having been judged before by Reverend Ashley, Mrs. Hisey and Reverend Sayre.

The prizes in the local contest were made possible through the generosity of Mr. Rogalsky and Mr. Heibert of McPherson. M. C. is assured of worthy representation in the state contest to be held at Wichita.

PLAY HAS REAL MESSAGE

"The Pill Bottle," a missionary play of wonderful appeal, will be given next Sunday evening in the chapel by the Mission Band. The play consists of four scenes, and twenty characters vividly portraying the life of the missionary. It has a real message for young and old. Lillie Crumacker, who is coaching the play, and Velma Bailey, her assistant, are giving their time and effort unreservedly toward making the play really worth while.

Alumnus Named Presidential Elector

Ed. M. Eby, Academy 1894, of Wellington, Kansas, was named by the late Democratic state meeting at Hutchinson as presidential elector from the eighth district of Kansas. Mr. Eby is a contractor and has one of the largest firms in the state.

Professor Hershey (in Chemistry class). "Mr. Schneider, How do fish live in water?"

Carl Schneider: "They breathe in oxygen through their fins."

LAURA MCGAFFEY AND PAUL KURTZ TO HEAD COLLEGE PUBLICATIONS

Sidney Sondergard Is Elected Business Manager of The Spectator

INTEREST RAN HIGH

Merle Travis To Head Financial Work on The Quadrangle For Next Year

With enthusiasm and interest running high, the election yesterday for the College publications brought to a close a week of political activity previously unequalled in M. C. The school spirit manifested is shown by the comparative close results in nearly every case.

Spectator Election Is Close

Laura McGaffey was elected editor-in-chief of The Spectator; Sidney Sondergard, business manager; Paul Kurtz, editor-in-chief of The Quadrangle; and Merle Travis, business manager. In no instance was the competition so keen as that for editor of The Spectator, the result being a difference of only four votes.

Officers Are Experienced

The Spectator for next year promises to be a success under the



LAURA B. MCGAFFEY

efficient leadership of Miss McGaffey, who enters her position well qualified for the work. That she has unusual literary talent and ability has been proved this year as editor of The Quadrangle and associate editor of The Spectator. Mr. Sondergard will not be new in his position as business manager, having held a similar position before.

Paul Kurtz, who this past year has filled the position of associate editor of The Quadrangle, has proved himself quite capable for his new position of editor. With Merle Travis in the position of business manager the financial success of the annual is assured.

ELECTION RESULTS

Editor of The Spectator
Laura McGaffey 145
Vivian Spillman 141
Business Manager of The Spectator
Sidney Sondergard 157
Glade Fisher 129
Editor of The Quadrangle
Paul Kurtz 184
Mabel Hoffman 102
Business Manager of The Quadrangle
Merle Travis 160
Earl Morris 126

LAW BOOKS FOR THE LIBRARY

Senator Frank O. Johnson of our city is the donor of five books of a legal nature that will fill a much needed place in the College library. One book is the Congressional Directory of the Sixty-eighth Congress, and the other four are the laws passed by the Legislature of Kansas at the sessions of 1915, 1917, 1919, and the special session of 1920. The sincerest thanks of the College are due Senator Johnson for his kindness and thoughtfulness in thus remembering the Library.

He: "What are kisses good for anyway?"
She: "Just their face value."

PRESIDENT GIVES TALK AT ROTARY CONFERENCE

After a trip to Minneapolis, Wichita, and Bloom during the week-end of March 27-30, Dr. Kurtz arrived home Sunday evening. A lecture down town Wednesday evening was his only appearance last week, although he spoke at the Academy of Science banquet Friday evening. Sunday was spent at the East Wichita Church where Reverend Luckett is pastor, and Monday at Derby, Kansas, where he was the main speaker at the dedication of a new high school building. Next Friday he will address the Oklahoma and Kansas Rotarians at Topeka on the subject "Rotary and World Fellowship."

Much of the lecturing done by Dr. Kurtz is in smaller congregations and communities where it is most needed. Many of the lectures are given gratis, while only the expenses are paid by the hearers.

GYM WILL BE SCENE OF THRILLING PERFORMANCE

ATHLETES HAVE BEEN WORKING
HARD ON STUNTS FOR
TONIGHT

The outstanding event of this season of the school year will be given at the gymnasium tonight when Mishler's troupe of gymnasts are scheduled to perform in a varied program of athletic stunts. Mishler, a clever, trained gymnast himself, has selected a group of athletes well adapted for their parts in the various acts, and has trained them to act with skill and precision. Three weeks of intensive work have been spent in preparation for the event, and a clever and thrilling series of performances are in store for the students and fans.

Mudra and Sargent to Tangle

Spicer, Boone, and Fisher will take part in the outstanding stunts on the flying rings, while Rock, Timmons, and Hill will add to the thrill of the evening by their performance on the spring board and mats. "Big Bill" Mudra and "Si" Sargent, Hal Barton and "Bill" Burgin will be the fistic performers to furnish entertainment in the way of gladiatorial combat. Clifton Dutton and Rollin Brunk will engage in a wrestling match at the same time. The pyramid work will be of three types: those using mats only; those using tables and mats; and those using parallel bars as a base.

An entirely new feature will consist of the cowboy drill to be performed by a squad of sixteen picked men. These men do various steps, such as the lariat step, the quick step, and the handkerchief step.

The volley ball game between the town Y. M. C. A. and the College Hill team will also be included in the evening's program as an added attraction. An inter-class obstacle race will be the concluding number of the gymnastic show. Those interested in seeing something in the way of skilled and trained gymnastic stunts cannot afford to miss this splendid exhibition beginning at eight o'clock tonight.

CREDITABLE WORK BEING DONE IN CHARCOAL CLASS

Portrait work is now being given the class in charcoal by Mr. Lundeen, and some very creditable work is being done. Willets Durst and Elder John have been sketched, and Mrs. Fahnestock will pose for the class this week. They have finished the drawing of casts which is foundation work, and will do portrait and landscape sketching for the rest of the year.

This class and the one in oil painting are planning to go to the bluffs near Lindsborg later in the spring for landscape drawing. The class is composed of Mrs. Luckett, Mrs. Ellwood, Ruth Mohler, Ursula Flory, Loren Curtis, Harriett Mohler, and Rozella White.

PROFESSOR NININGER IS CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF KANSAS SCIENTISTS

Meeting of Academy of Science Held at McPherson Is Decided Success

ATTENDANCE IS EXCELLENT

Dr. Cady Gives Masterful Presentation of "The Structure of the Atom"

With a decidedly scientific atmosphere pervading the McPherson College campus the latter part of last week, the Kansas Academy of Science held in Harnly Hall one of the most successful of its yearly sessions in the history of the organization. Along with the honor of having as guests the scientists of the state, comes the additional distinction in the election of Professor Nininger of the McPherson College faculty as president of the society.

Attendance Exceeded Expectations

The attendance far exceeded the number expected, almost one hundred scientists from all parts of the state registering, beside many local townspeople and students. Practically every educational institution in the state was represented and Kansas University and K. S. A. C. of Manhattan had large delegations present.

Was Fifty-sixth Annual Meeting

The fifty-sixth annual meeting was opened on Friday, April 4 at 10:30 A. M. by a business meeting with Dr. H. P. Cady, the president of the Academy for the year just past, presiding. At this time the following officers were elected:

H. H. Nininger President
J. E. Ackert First Vice-president
Frank Agrellius Second Vice-president

L. D. Havenhill Treasurer
E. A. White Secretary

The remainder of the day was spent in the reading of papers by various members and the discussion of the same.

Home Economics Department Serves

In the evening a banquet was held on the second floor of Harnly Hall

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Plans Underway For May Day Festivities

Miss Chapman Has Charge of Program for The All-School's Celebration.

An event of unusual interest will take place on the College campus as one of the spring features when May Day will be honored in true May Day style. The festivities will begin at nine o'clock with the track and field events, at which time the knights of the various classes will compete for their respective ladies. The lady whose knights have most bravely fought and carried off the most laurels will be proclaimed the Queen of May and will be crowned with all honor and dignity.

The seniors selected Helen Elliott as their candidate for May Queen; the juniors chose Margaret Wall; the sophomores, Margaret Mikosell; and the freshmen elected Maurine Stutsman to represent them in the May Day festivities.

The program has also been planned for the remainder of the day following the all-school day picnic dinner. This program will consist of drills, winding of the Maypoles, and folk games for all. One of the most interesting events on the program will be a hobby horse race between the "M" Club Derby Five.

The activities for the day have been planned by Miss Chapman, the girl's physical director, and will be worked out by her with the close co-operation of committees appointed from the faculty. The day promises to be a great success, and it is hoped that the recognition of May Day will become a permanent feature in M. C.'s spring activities.

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THE HIGH SCHOOL FESTIVAL

The High School Senior Festival, to be held next Saturday, is primarily an advertisement for the College. Its purpose is to direct high school students toward M. C. by introducing them to College life and getting them acquainted with the campus and the students.

Since this is the case, we must do our best to make them feel at home. It would be discouraging, indeed, to be greeted by only a half-hearted support from the students. By meeting our guests with a welcome word and smile, and co-operating with the faculty committee in every way possible we may help to make this annual event a success.

MOHLER TALKS TO GIRLS

The Y. W. C. A. girls heard an unusually fine talk Wednesday morning by Professor Mohler on "The Essentials of Real Womanhood." He pointed out that there are four fundamental qualifications: the physical, the intellectual, the cultural, and the moral and religious.

"To attain the first every girl must have regular habits in eating, sleeping, and exercise. The second is attained only by the right kind of education. Professor Mohler also gave the true purpose of education—a motto which hangs in his classroom—'Learning Maketh A Man Fit Company For Himself.' 'Culture, the third qualification, should not be confused with wealth. It is living and treating others in the true Christian spirit. The last qualification, the moral and religious, is probably the most important. It is one which, often unknown to us, exercises influence either for better or worse upon our friends.'

Professor Mohler will speak to the girls again next Wednesday morning.

LIFE DECISIONS IMPORTANT

"For God so loved the world—not America," said Mr. Connolly, traveling secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement, in Mission Band Thursday morning. "that we must make intelligent life decisions in terms of world needs."

"The spirit of Christ is the spirit of missions, and the need of the hour for serious-minded Christians is that we are brought face to face with world problems through missionary education. This will give us a personal concern for establishing a true Christian society."

DEBATE UNICAMERAL SYSTEM

The McPherson College Debate Club held its regular meeting April 2. The subject under discussion was Resolved, that the commonwealths of the United States adopt the one-house form of government. The affirmative, Omer Vancosyoc and Pearl Rhine, won from the negative, Clifford Dutton and Floyd Kurtz, by a two to one vote of the judges.

RECITAL GIVES TESTIMONY OF THE WORK BEING DONE

The student recital given Monday, March 21, bears testimony to the splendid work being done by the Fine Arts Department this year. Each department was well represented, which resulted in a delightfully varied program. Each number was rendered in an excellent manner and the selections were of the highest merit. The program was as follows:

Sonatina.....Dvorak Op. 109
Allegro Risoluto
Larghetto
Scherzo: - Molto Vivace
Allegro

Helen Garst, Bessie Brennan
Nachstück F Major.....Schumann
Furiant.....Novak

Mrs. Iva Gilson
Adagio from Concerto in D Seltz
Minuet in C.....Beethoven

David Groves
The Fugitive.....Dvorak
The Modest Maiden.....Dvorak

Mildred Fisher—Herkie Wampler
Melody in F.....Rubenstein
Jones versus Jones

Ruth Hawkins
One Act Play
Alice Jones.....Fredrie Scott

Carlton Jones.....Arthur Prather
Mrs. Polly Keene.....Della Prather
Mary.....Addie Himes

LADIES' GLEE CLUB GIVES CONCERT AT Y. M. C. A. MEETING

Another feature program was given the Association men Wednesday morning by the Ladies' Glee Club under the direction of Professor Gaw. It was a sacred concert throughout, and was thoroughly uplifting and inspiring. The program follows:

Shepherd of Israel.....Morrison
Choral.....Grieg
Chorus of Seraphim.....Debols
(Soprano solo by Mrs. Alice Birkin.)
By the Waters of Babylon. Niedling-

er
Hail Thou Star Resplendent.....Grieg
By Babylon Wave.....Gounod
One Sweetly Solemn Thought.....Ambrose

Every number was splendidly given and worthy of great commendation.

ALUMNI BOARD MEETING

A special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association was held in Miss McGaffey's room last Thursday night. In the absence of Professor Mohler, president of the Association, Miss McGaffey presided. The resignation of Dr. E. L. Craik as Secretary-Treasurer of the Association was read and accepted. No successor has as yet been appointed. The Board voted to accept the responsibility of raising the \$100,000 quota of the endowment asked by the College Board of Trustees of the membership. It was voted that thereafter all solicitation of the membership for money first be approved by the Board. This move was taken in order to prevent the exploitation of former graduates of the college for purposes not necessarily related to the general work of the school. It was felt that the demand for endowment bulks so large that other calls for money must give way.

JUDGES DRAMATIC CONTEST

Samuel B. Kurtz left Thursday morning on the Rock Island for Partridge, Kansas, where he acted as one of three judges in a dramatic contest of Reno County High Schools Thursday and Friday. The selection of Mr. Kurtz speaks well for his dramatic ability, as well as for the McPherson Dramatic Department.

YODER ATTENDS CONVENTION

Professor J. J. Yoder attended the Saline County Sunday School Convention last Tuesday afternoon and evening. He gave an address at the young people's conference in the afternoon, and delivered his lecture in the evening on "The Missionary Appeal of the Sunday School and the Church."

MISS DAVENPORT GETS RAISE

Miss Willa Davenport, A. B., '23, who teaches home economics in the high school at Liberal, Kansas, has recently been reelected to her position at a substantial increase in salary for next year. Miss Davenport spent last summer in study in the University of Chicago. She is a graduate of McPherson High School, and her home is in McPherson.



I've Been Reading

"The Bible"
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"The Bible and Literature—Noblest thoughts of noblest minds, worthily expressed in noblest words, and enduringly recorded for the generations to pursue—this is the world's true literature. And simply as literature, religion aside, the Bible is peerless, the greatest book in the world. Mankind's deepest thinking, purest feeling, highest aspiring are there recorded in finest and most fitting phrases for all ages to read. Whether for inspired poetry, or dramatic portraiture, or eloquent oratory, or thrilling narration, or profoundest argumentation, or merely most beautiful folk lore and love tales, the literary equal of the Bible is not to be found in all the earth: and the man who well and worthily reads that Bible but ten minutes a day will form a fine literary taste upon the highest standard known to literary students."

The Bible is the word of life. I beg that you will read it and find this out for yourselves—read, not only little snatches here and there, but read long passages that will really be the road to the heart of it.

You will find it full of real men and women not only, but also of things you have wondered about and been troubled about all your life, as men have been always; and the more you read the more it will become plain to you what things are worth while and what are not; what things make men happy—loyalty, right dealing, speaking the truth, readiness to give everything for what they think their duty, and, most of all, the wish that they may have the real approval of the Christ, who gave everything for them—-and things that are guaranteed to make men unhappy—selfishness, cowardice, greed,

and everything that is low and mean.

"When you have read the Bible you will know that it is the word of God, because you will have found it the key to your own heart, your own happiness, and your own duty."
Woodrow Wilson.

Father of Former Students Dies.
Mr. W. H. Frantz, of Conway Springs, Kansas, father of Roy C. and Bertha (Frantz) Engle, worthily away at his home on March 10. He was slightly over 63 years of age and had been in poor health for some time. Mr. Frantz was a good friend of McPherson College and had often visited here, especially while his children were students.

Thanks.

In the name of the Kansas Academy of Science I wish to thank all of those who assisted in making the recent meeting at McPherson College a success. I wish to thank especially the various science teachers and assistants who gave unstintingly of their time and energy to make the various phases of the meeting satisfactory to all concerned. Particularly deserving of our gratitude are Miss Walters and her helpers who so faithfully strove, and so successfully achieved in the matter of refreshments.

H. H. Nininger.

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The comet came back

The great comet that was seen by William of Normandy returned to our skies in 1910 on its eleventh visit since the Conquest. Astronomers knew when it would appear, and the exact spot in the sky where it would first be visible.

Edmund Halley's mathematical calculation of the great orbit of this 76-year visitor—his scientific proof that comets are part of our solar system—was a brilliant application of the then unpublished Principia of his friend Sir Isaac Newton.

The laws of motion that Newton and Halley proved to govern the movements of a comet are used by scientists in the Research Laboratories of the General Electric Company to determine the orbit of electrons in vacuum tubes.



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GENERAL ELECTRIC

By The Way

Ruth Greene, Julia Jones, Myrl Curtis, and Henry Hahn were in Wichita Tuesday.

Professor Lauer played on the monthly afternoon concert at Junction City Sunday, March 30.

Kenneth Rock, Gerald Eddy, Dorance Jordan, Ralph Himes, Addie Himes, and Ted Kolzow spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Margaret Mikesell, Elva Shirk, Minnie Edgcomb, and Dick Keim drove to Nickerson, Saturday.

Della Day was a guest in Arnold Hall, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Templeton drove to Topeka, Saturday.

Marlin Kelly visited C. H. Drescher at Inman, Friday night.

John L. Mohler, who is teaching in Assaria, Kansas, attended the Academy of Science in McPherson, Friday and Saturday.

Carl Dell spent the week-end with his brothers Milton and Ted at Fahnstock Hall.

Dorothy Myers from Abilene visit-

ed Florence Lehman last week.

Minnie Mugler visited her sisters, Mrs. Harold Beam and Miss Carrie Mugler in Nebraska last week.

Cecil Holloway and Jacob Ratzloff made a business trip to Moundridge, Saturday.

Miss Lota Neher accompanied by her brother, Roy went to Pawnee Rock, Saturday.

Jesse Carney went home with Philip Spohn last week-end.

Miss Grace Greenwood and Miss Edith Riner from Friends University were dinner guests in the dormitory Saturday evening.

John and Vivian Harnly and Gordon Heaston visited in Moundridge last Sunday.

Glenn Strickler and Galen Saylor from Ramona, Kansas, attended the Academy of Science lectures Friday.

Clyde Rupp, who is teaching at Halstead, spent a few days last week visiting friends at the College.

Frank and Harold Barton, Paul Sargent, Stanley Keim, and Dale Strickler spent Sunday in Ramona, Kansas.

Harold and Hoyt Strickler, Gertrude Witmore, Mary Harnly, Reetha Studebaker and Loretta and Royal Yoder spent Sunday at Monitor.

Mary B. Swope, Maurine Stutzman, and Margaret Mikesell were guests at the home of Margaret Wall for Sunday dinner.

Elizabeth and Ruth Mohler were guests of Margaret Muse, Sunday.

Loretta Zongker spent last week-end at her home in Wichita.

Henry Hahn attended a church dedication service at Inman last Sunday.

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Social Events

In Honor of Cleo Hill

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hill were the cordial host and hostess at an informal dinner party, given at their home, "The Bide-a-Wee," on Monday evening, March thirty-first, honoring the birthday anniversary of their son, Mr. Cleo Hill. The guests found their places at one large table and two quartet tables by means of dainty cards. Blooming begonia plants graced the center of each table. The delicious turkey dinner was served by the hostess, assisted by the Misses Mildred Bead, Elaine Beard and Mattie Shay. In the after-dinner contest Miss Ruth Greene and Mr. Harold Kreitzer received the prizes, boxes of bon-bons. Those who enjoyed the splendid hospitality of the Hill home were: the Misses Aoid Gray, Ruth Greene, Selma Engstrom, Margaret Wall, Elberta Vaniman, Eunice Almen, Margaret Mikesell, Julia Jones, Cordelia Anderson, Helen Frgeburg, Bernice Woldridge, the Messers. Cleo Hill, Gordon Hill, Harold Lundeen, Gordon Heaston, Frank Barton, Earl Morris, Dale Strickler, Henry Hahn, Marion Switzer, Aubrey Hale, and Harold Kreitzer. Regrets were received from Mr. Albert Colburn.

Minnie Edgcomb, Doris Ring, Mayme Matson, Dick Keim, Summer Eshelman, and Marcelus Penland made the nice weather the occasion for an impromptu steak fry Tuesday evening.

Yoders Given Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Yoder were given a surprise on their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, Sunday, April 6, by the Monitor community. Mrs. Pearl Stutzman, with the aid of Neva and Loretta Yoder, planned the surprise. As Mr. and Mrs. Yoder motored from church Sunday morning many cars followed directly to the Yoder home, as was soon discovered by Mr. Yoder. A large basket dinner was immediately prepared on a long table in the yard by the ladies, while the men stood about in a group discussing various farm topics. After dinner a short program was rendered, with Professor J. J. Yoder in charge. A brief ceremony took place in which Mr. and Mrs. Yoder were asked to renew vows relative to married life, after which a marriage certificate was presented to them. Following this a large box of letters and several gifts from relatives and friends in various parts of the United States were presented. The remainder of the program consisted of a reading entitled "Home," by Edgar A. Guest, given by Edith Murray; talks of appreciation by Loretta Yoder, Mr. Klepinger, and Mrs. E. F. Sherly; a violin solo by Royal Yoder, and response by Mr. and Mrs. Yoder. The rest of the afternoon was spent by the young people in playing games, and by the older people in lively conversation. About one hundred and fifty were present at the commemoration. Besides the Monitor community, the guest list included Professor and Mrs. J. J. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. James Rothrock and family, Professor and Mrs. F. E. Misher, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Harnly and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Sherly and family, Misses Gertrude Witmore and Reetha Studebaker, and Messrs. Harold and Hoyt Strickler, all of McPherson.

PROFESSOR MORRIS GIVEN NEW OFFICE FURNITURE

The office of the Physics and Mathematics Department has recently been equipped with new furniture. The meeting of the Academy of Science gave occasion to a desire among the students and alumni of this department to properly equip the office of their instructor. The old furniture, which had been transferred from the old office was inadequate.

The Board of Trustees and Professor Morris have given the donors a vote of recognition and thanks.

When comes the night of dreaming
And I go courting Rose,
I wish we lived in Greenland,
And we were Eskimos.
Before I know, the evening
Has vanished like a song.
That's why I'd be in Greenland
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Regardless of last year's heavy loss in track stars, the prospects for this spring look promising. With three old squad men and the large amount of new material in evidence, McPherson College should again put out a winning team. With the choice of May Queen dependent upon the winning of the class tournament, a large representation is expected in which new material will be discovered. The scarcity of sprinters should be an attraction to dashers.

With a track meet scheduled for the 23rd of this month, this week should see the hopeful competitors out training for the events.

The track schedule is as follows:

Kansas Wesleyan, at McPherson.... April 23.
Pentangular meet, at Salina.... May 2.
Bethany College, at Bethany.... May 8.
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The practice game with the city team last Thursday saw the M. C. nine's first action after a withdrawal from baseball for one year.

No runaway for the city nine either. The Collegians seemed to have as good an eye for the ball as the veterans, although their fielding probably lacked the proficiency of their more experienced opponents.

The team will probably engage in a couple of practice games again this week.

St. lanky and rangy, seems to have the necessary qualifications for a position on the first bag.

LeMar Mast at third, Glade Fisher or Leland Kuns at short, and Duke Strickler or Virgil Ellwood at second, seem to form the necessary combination on the infield.

The pitching staff including Kolzow, Rock, and Ellwood, should acquire considerable strength and experience before the Kansas Wesleyan game on April 17. The work of the pitchers in the first game was even better than had been expected.

That lad Kubin, with the experience gained with the city team last year, should make good at any position assigned him. He has done his best work behind the bat, and will probably alternate at that position.

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We have been hindered greatly in our work because of the weather conditions but we hope the weather has not chilled the blood of the promoters of our favorite nag and we trust that the joints of our nimble "Susie" have not become stiff.

Hip! Hip! Hurrah! for "Sassie Susie" for she is out to win.

Yours,
(Signed) Oliver H. Austin.

To "The Old Gray Mare". Greetings! May your speed increase! And if my small donation helps to bring you lasting peace I'll try to get another job of typing science lore.

And add a few more shekels to boost your fame some more.

My heart is with you "Old Gray Mare" so

Keep your pep and watch your step And hit the dust like sin.

Hopefully yours,
(Signed) Gertrude M. Mishler.

So run two letters from loyal alumni who are backing their respective horses in the "M" Club Derby. With "Sassie Susie" and "Spark Plug" running neck and neck at \$80 and the other horses coming close behind, the cash returns to date are around \$400. This money will be paid out for materials and bleachers to be used on the new field and at present there is enough work pledged to get a long way toward completing all the improvements the club has proposed. By the closing date of the race work will have been started and after September, 1924, McPherson College teams will compete in inter-collegiate games on their own improved athletic field.

MUSIC CLUB AT MONITOR

The Music Club of McPherson College gave its fourth program of the year at the Monitor Church last Thursday evening, April 3. The entertainment was received by a very attentive and appreciative audience. The program was varied. Special numbers other than those given by the Club consisted of a solo by Mrs. Gaw, two numbers by Mr. Carl Freeburg, vocal duets by Mildred Fisher and Herkie Wampler, three numbers by the ladies' quartet, and a piano solo by Hazel Scott.

PROFESSOR NININGER IS CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF KANSAS SCIENTISTS

(Continued from Page 1.) with over a hundred present. The Home Economics Department, in co-operation with the Cosmos Club prepared for the affair, which was a decided success in every respect. Following the banquet the annual address of the president was given before a large audience in the College chapel. Dr. Cady of Kansas University rendered an intensive and masterful presentation of "The Structure of the Atom." Although the subject is one which is only familiar to the more prominent scientists of today, Dr. Cady's explanation was of such a nature that no one present went away without a somewhat clearer conception of the minute structure of matter. Moving pictures made by the General Electric Company, helped to make the nature of the different elements more concrete.

Local Members Read Papers
Professor Nininger, Professor Hershey, Dr. Kurtz, and Dr. Harnly of McPherson College faculty, and Mr. Knaus and Dr. Robb were members who read papers at different times during the session.

A number of McPherson students took advantage of the meetings by attending. Among the M. C. alumni present were S. J. Neher of Durham, F. S. Hoover of Little River, W. Wampler of Manhattan, John Mohler of Assyria, and Carl Dell of Hunter.

McPherson deeply appreciates the honor of entertaining the Academy this year, and judging from the splendid success with which the affair was conducted, it will not be many years until McPherson will have this privilege again.

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