

## TOUCHDOWN IN SECOND QUARTER GIVES STIFF BATTLE TO WILDCATS

Wright of Baker Stars, Making  
78-Yard Run.

### BULLDOG LINE EXCELS

Out-Plunge and Out-Kick Wildcats—  
Slippery Field Increases  
Bulldog Fumbles.

Baker Wildcats defeated the M. C. Bulldogs Friday in the first game of the season by a score of 6-0. Baker's counter came at the beginning of the second quarter when Wright caught McPherson's punt, fumbled, recovered, and ran 78 yards for a touchdown. His kick in the try for point failed. Light showers during the game increased Bulldog fumbles. The Bulldog line had a slight advantage, while Baker's gains came through Wright's end runs. Wright made five attempts for field goal. Baker's offense centered about Wright, their triple threat man and slippery broken field runner. The whole Bulldog backfield figured in the ball lugging. McPherson out-plunged and out-kicked Baker consistently, making 109 yards from scrimmage to Baker's 53 and kicking an average of 24 yards to Baker's 29.

#### First Quarter.

Baker kicked off with the wind and downed Koltow on the 25-yard line. After three tries at the line Barton punted. With Baker's ball on the 35-yard line M. C. drew an offside penalty, then Baker the same. Wright drop kicked unsuccessfully but M. C. offside gave Baker the ball. A second drop kick failed. Two tries at the line and Hahn punted to the 45-yard line. Evans advanced the ball 11 yards around the end. A third drop kick with M. C. offside. By a series of attacks and penalties McPherson was forced back to the 4-yard line.

#### Second Quarter.

Baker lost a yard and failed to make field goal. McPherson gained 3 yards in two attempts and punted. Wright returned to the 10-yard line. Three plays and an offside netted Baker 1 yard. A fumbled forward pass was recovered by Showalter on the 30-yard line. Twice at the line and Showalter punted. Wright recovered and ran 78 yards for a touchdown. He failed to make an extra point. Baker kicked off; the ball was downed on the 18-yard line. Hahn fumbled, losing 5 yards. Showalter punted to the 45-yard line.

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## SAN ROMANI'S BAND IS NATIONAL K. K. K. BAND

Band Was Formerly Official State  
Klan Band—Made National  
at K. C. Convention.

At the recent National Ku Klux Klan Convention at Kansas City, the McPherson Klan Band, which was formerly official state band, was made the official National Band of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The band was presented a silk banner in recognition of its services since its organization last spring and its work at the recent convention.

The fact that this honor was bestowed upon the local band above all others reflects most favorably upon the talent of McPherson musicians and upon the ability of their leader, Archie San Romani.

### RAILY DAY NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday is to be Raily Day for the Sunday Schools of the city. To the school having the largest attendance in proportion to its membership a beautiful pennant will be presented. Considerable rivalry is already evidence between the various schools.

## GLADE FISHER IS BUSINESS MANAGER FOR QUADRANGLE

By action of the Student Council and approval by the various classes, Glade Fisher, '25, was made business manager for the 1925 Quadrangle to take the place of Merle Travis, who was chosen for that position in the general election last spring, but who did not return to school this fall. Mr. Fisher expects to put on his first sales campaign next week.

### KURTZ MAKES TRIP TO ILLINOIS

President D. W. Kurtz left Friday for Elgin, Ill., where he met with the Educational Commission of the Church of the Brethren. On his way home he stopped at Wakarusa, Ind., where he gave a missionary address in the morning, talked to the young people in the afternoon and in the evening gave a lecture on "Conditions in Europe."

## COUNCIL COMPLETES YEAR'S ORGANIZATION

Vivian Long Is Elected Vice-President—Fidella Frantz Is Secretary.

Work of the Student Council for the new year was started before the opening of school, but as not all the members had yet arrived, the first meeting at which there was a full representation took place Wednesday evening. The organization was completed and other matters taken care of.

Jay Eller was elected president and Marlin Kelly treasurer last spring in the general elections, and to complete the organization Vivian Long was elected vice-president and Fidella Frantz secretary.

Due to the resignation of Floyd Kurtz as ticket manager, Prof. L. L. Briggs was chosen as his successor. For his assistants in the work the Council selected Kenneth Rock, Herman Jones, Emmert Stover and Prentice Odle.

The appointment of Harold Barton as student representative on the athletic board was approved.

As the students are this year paying for their activity tickets in the incidental fee, a new activity ticket was provided for those not connected with school who wish season tickets. This ticket will be sold for six dollars.

### STUDENT COUNCIL

President—Jay Eller.  
Treasurer—Marlin Kelly.  
Senior College—Vivian Long, Fidella Frantz.  
Junior College—Laura Hammann, Milton Dell.  
Sophomore College—Mary Harnly, Glenn Rothrock.  
Freshmen College—Leo Crum-packer, Merle Stouder.  
Senior Academy—Philip Spohn.  
Junior Academy—Vera Glatthart.  
Sophomore Academy—Royal Yoder.  
Faculty—Dr. J. W. Hershey, Prof. G. N. Boone.

Send the Spectator home.

## HEADS FOR COLLEGE CLASSES ARE CHOSEN AT MEETINGS FRIDAY

Good Representation at All  
Conclaves.

### SENIORS ELECT S. B. KEIM

Dell, Rock, and Reel To Direct  
Other Classes — Freshman  
Officers Temporary.

Impelled by a spark of class spirit from within, a large majority of the students sought out their respective class meetings last Friday morning to select officers for the year.

Stanley B. Keim, the popular president of the dignified Seniors, demonstrated executive ability by efficiently directing his classmates in some of the early business of the senior year. Election of the remaining class officers resulted in the choosing of: Vice-President, Harkie Wampler; secretary, Lorinda Leath-



STANLEY B. KEIM  
President Senior Class

erman; treasurer, Vilas Betts; reporter, Fidella Frantz; athletic manager, Richard Keim. Ralph Garman was elected chairman of the pin and invitation committee.

The class of '26 also assembled to choose leaders to pilot them through the complications of Junior year. The results were as follows: President Milton Dell; vice-president, Mary B. Swope; secretary, Alta Mohler; treasurer, Paul Lentz; reporter, Vivian Spilman.

#### Sophomores Hatch Plot.

The Sophomores voted: President, Kenneth Rock; vice-president, Morfat Lukes; secretary, Lillian Andrews; treasurer, Floyd Cotton; reporter, Nellie McElaffey. Among other items of business a plot which spells doom for the freshman was laid. Several hushes were authorized to enforce the freshman caps program.

#### Fresh in Pandemonium.

But in the chapel the most exciting scene of the hour took place. More than one hundred gay, giddy, giggling frosh congregated in response to the all-but-present call. "Eler, president of the Student Council was there to keep the youngsters quiet and out of mischief, also incidentally to impart to them the essentials of college class organization and the art of parliamentary rules his ears were greeted with the united child-

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## MRS. MABEL ANDERSON TO TEACH HISTORY OF MUSIC

The music department has been strengthened by the addition of Mrs. Mabel Anderson of McPherson, professor of music history. Mrs. Anderson is a graduate of Bethany College and has over fifteen years of teaching experience to her credit. She is one of the prominent members of the Kansas State Music Association, having served as secretary to that organization. Mrs. Anderson has enriched her already wide experience by considerable travel and music students find her an interesting teacher.

### TO STUDY SPANISH DRAMA

Due to the demands of interested students, a course in third year Spanish is being offered by Miss Elsie Pokrants. The class will read three modern Spanish dramas in a three-hour course this semester.

## SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA HOLDS FIRST MEETING

Many Are Trying for Places; In-  
strumentation Practically  
Complete.

The McPherson College Symphony Orchestra had its opening meeting Wednesday evening to re-organize under the direction of Prof. J. Lewis Doll. This organization in the past has played a wonderful part in giving to the music lovers of McPherson and surrounding cities concerts of the highest quality. They were highly recommended wherever they went and were greatly appreciated by all who heard them.

All indications point to an even better year than ever before, for nearly all of the old members are back this year and also a large number of college students who are trying hard for places in the orchestra. Professor Doll was especially pleased with the large number present at the first meeting, and he predicts a successful year. All the sections were fully represented with the exception of oboe and bassoon whose places undoubtedly will be filled soon. Practice will be held every Wednesday evening beginning promptly at 7:45.

### ENGLISH MAJORS LEADING; HOME ECONOMICS SECOND

Majors have been recorded for eighty-four members of the Junior and Senior Classes. The number majoring in different departments is as follows: English, 12; home economics, 11; chemistry, 10; physics and mathematics, 10; history, 9; education, 7; biology, 6; agriculture, 5; manual training, 3; social sciences, 3; modern language, 2; music, 2; and physical science, 1.

Of the eighty-four majors chosen, forty-seven were chosen by women and thirty-seven by men. The English, chemistry, mathematics, agriculture, and manual training departments contain more men than women. Numbers show that chemistry is the favorite subject of men and home economics of women.

## CORNERSTONE OF NEW CHURCH OF BRETHREN TO BE LAID SATURDAY

Foundation Has Stood On Plot  
for Three Years.

### KURTZ TO GIVE ADDRESS

All Day Program Being Planned—  
The Rev. H. F. Richards  
Also To Speak.

Erecting the steel and laying the brick as fast as skilled workmen are humanly able, these men are continuing the work on the Brethren Church in an effort to have it ready for the laying of the cornerstone October 4. The completion of this building, the foundation of which has stood on the plot of ground east of the College for the past three years, is now being looked upon as a reality.

To Be Homecoming Day. The day on which the cornerstone is to be laid is to be a day of rejoicing and festivity. It is to be a homecoming day. Handbills are to be distributed to the pastors of Brethren churches for hundreds of miles around McPherson inviting them and their pastors to come with their baskets of good things, to eat that they might join in and experience the feeling of fellowship that will prevail.

#### President Kurtz To Lay Stone.

Capable men are arranging a program that should satisfy everyone. For those looking forward to the enjoyments of a picnic lunch, there will be the well filled baskets and coffee and cookies served by pleasant ladies. For those who delight in music there will be provided solos and quartettes. For those looking for inspiration, there will be a talk by the Reverend H. F. Richards and the main address by President D. W. Kurtz which he will conclude with the laying of the cornerstone at 11 a. m. Sealed in a little copper box, which is to be placed in a niche behind the cornerstone, will lie the history of the Church, safe from the deteriorating influence of time.

#### Eberhardt Company Doing Work.

After a delay of nearly three years on account of insufficient funds, work on the Church was actually resumed the early part of the summer. The Eberhardt Construction Company will enclose the building and do some work on the basement. This building will be finished as soon as the necessary money is provided, costing approximately \$100,000.

## Y. W. C. A. WILL START DISCUSSION GROUPS

Leaders Will Be Chosen To Direct  
Small Groups—Details To  
Be Given Later.

Under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. every girl in McPherson College will be given a chance to blend her mental and spiritual development. The cabinet has planned to hold discussion groups regularly in which each girl may take an active part. The book used as a basis of discussion will be: "How Jesus Met Life's Questions and Their Application to Our Daily Problems." The exact method to be followed has not been fully worked out, but leaders will be chosen to direct the groups. Definite time will be scheduled for each group which will be small enough that every girl in it will be able to derive a real help in solving her daily problems.

### MISS KITTELL ON REPUBLICAN

Due to the fact that she is now a local reporter on the Republican, Marianne Kittell has given up her position on the Spectator staff. She will be greatly missed by the other members of the staff and they sincerely regret her leaving.

## "Al" Speculates on Why Frosh Are Here—Juniors Get Bouquet

The thirty-seventh enrolment of the College spells a new epoch in the lives of some 150 newcomers. These are here for various purposes, the chief of which probably is to educate themselves. I say probably, for it is very hard to determine from a freshman what his true purpose is coming in.

A good time seems to be the first requisite of the college. Will a failure in the realization of this, lead them to scramble upon the true purpose; or will it engender in some such disastrous thing as we see when we view a sophomore slowly ambly-

ing professor.

Mayhap it will lead eventually to the development of such a being as we see now, a young man just old enough to vote, will his self soon be a candidate, the only important being in the world, for next year he will be no more. The place is too small for him. There is no humility in his makeup. He knows more than any professor and he knows that he does. He is the all-knowing, self-centered egotistic senior come to life, here at the present then heard of no more.

along, a book in hand, indifferently entering the classroom with a look and furtive look, seemingly his last one, at the fair Juliet whose fond smile means so much to him?

Or will it lead to the making of a group of enterprising young men and women such as we view when looking upon a group of juniors, eagerly entering the recreation room, poker ready, penned poised for business. Here and there you see a mouth open in amusement and remain so, as they eagerly drink of the fountain of knowledge that is pouring from the lips of the cross-

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The sophs deserve sympathy. Just when they are completing plans for thrusting green caps on the ivory domes of the frosh, the young things take steps of their own accord to adopt that popular means of identification. Something is always taking all the joy out of life.

### TO THE FRESHMEN

Freshmen, M. C. is looking to you to find among you new talent, new abilities, looking for the leaders in the College of the next few years. The old students have been pretty well diagnosed; you are an unknown quantity. Attention is now focused on you, to discover what qualities you possess. The old students are looking for you to make yourself a part of the school, to get into the life of M. C. wherever your interests may lead you. Do not hide your abilities; no one suspects that kind of modesty. Ambition is more to be admired. Be one of us; show us what you like to do and what you can do.

The Bulldogs have the grip, but it was the speed of a Wildcat that resulted in the touchdown Friday.

### FEN—PUSHERS, TAKE HEED

The Spectator encourages contributions from the students, and as suitable talent makes itself known on the campus, new departments will be introduced into the paper. Contributors should not quit writing if the first contribution fails to be accepted, but should do better the next time. The Spectator staff changes slightly every nine weeks, and those interested in Journalism should make their talents and interests known. Contributions must be short because of lack of space. Please observe the space given to similar articles when making contributions. No anonymous articles will be accepted, so sign your name.

A freshman wishes to know where is the best place to do their outside reading. Some find the automobiles an excellent place.

### A NEED FOR READJUSTMENT

In the earlier history of M. C. the Academy was larger and more influential than the College. In those days each academy class sent one representative to the Student Council, and each college class, because of its superior standing, was allowed two representatives on the Council. Since then times have changed. The Academy has diminished in numbers while the College has grown. The representation in the Student Council has remained the same. According to the present ruling a Freshman Academy Class of four members is ant-

itled to one representative in the Council. The College Freshman Class of a hundred and fifty sends two representatives; it has only one-twentieth as much voting power per capita as has the academy class. The College Seniors, sixty-three in number, have one-eighth as much voting power per capita. Throughout the Academy and the College the ratio is similar. Clearly the old order must change if fairness is to be our policy.

Rub—What is a dead letter?  
Dub—One you give to your roommate to mail.

—Janina Echo.

## Student Opinion

### ARE WE EQUAL TO THIS?

In the last few years, McPherson College has forged ahead wonderfully in the athletic world. From a constant tailender in the conference standings, she has risen in a short time to the upper division. She has come to be recognized as one of the leading athletic schools in the Kansas Conference.

Many schools in the conference have a custom for the freshmen which they have had for some time. Each freshman provides himself with a "freshman cap," a very small cap which is of some specified color, usually green. This he is required to wear on the campus and at all athletic events for a certain length of time. These caps serve as a mark of class identification until the new students are known.

Washburn has organized all the freshmen into a special cheering section, seats them in a certain part of the stand, and makes them wear their green-topped heads on some of the yells. Then they look peppy as well as sound peppy. Baker, Fairmount, Ottawa, Kansas Wesleyan, Bethany and Hays are some of the other schools which require the freshmen to wear green caps.

Last year, when the Bulldogs went to Hays for the football game, a crowd of about 150 Hays students were at the station to welcome them. When the train pulled in about nine o'clock the evening before the game, real yells were roaring from the station platform for "McPherson." Then a crowd of green-capped freshmen relieved the Bulldogs of all their baggage, overcoats, etc. and escorted them to the hotel. It was a royal and sportsmanlike reception.

October 10 Hays will come here for a game. How are we going to receive them? Are we going to show real hospitality?

Green caps for the freshmen will be a new custom for McPherson College. M. C. has grown and progressed considerably in the last few years, why not institute this new custom now? While the Sophomores are the real pushers of the matter, the whole school should co-operate in getting it started.

Following is a set of rules which most of the schools follow regarding the custom:

Every freshman shall provide himself with the approved style of cap, which will be furnished at minimum expense.

Said caps should be always worn on the campus, and should be lifted to every lady met there, student or teacher.

Every freshman was to wear his cap in all "due humility," while in the presence of upper classmen or professors.

They were to be worn at every football game.

If the team won their "BIG" game, every freshman would be permitted to burn his cap at the big celebration bon-fire that night.

If the team lost the "BIG" game the caps would be worn until the next game was won, or until Thanksgiving.

If some freshman got stubborn, upper class men should take him in hand.

Why couldn't McPherson College start a custom something like this, instituting more class tradition with the freshmen? Make them have special meetings to learn the yells, school songs etc. Our "BIG" game, of course, would be the Bethany game. The freshmen would surely be loyal rooters at this game if at no other.

ARE WE EQUAL TO THIS OR DO WE WANT TO BE?

## Candidate Upsets Juniors' Political Plans—Not Junior

The unusual fevness of the Juniors may account for their scarcity of executive ability. Two junior politicians, eager to railroad their candidate through for class president, investigated his high school record, followed it by the publicity staff, and by election time were all set for a glorious victory. The candidate's name was placed on the nomination, and voting was already begun when the opposition disclosed the fact that said candidate was not eligible, as he was not and never had been a member of the class of '26. The disappointed ones kept on saying "nothin", but their explanation now is that an error in the chapel seating is to blame for the misapprehension.

## Exchanges

### Wear Ribbons, Too.

This year, in addition to the regular freshman cap, the yearling must wear suspended from the button of their cap a crimson and a blue streamer not less than eighteen inches long. This they will be required to wear for the entire day on the Friday preceding each home football game. This order was formally approved by the council and it further authorized the 'K' club, Sachers, Seniors, and members of the council to carry paddles on those days to see that the rule is fully observed.

—The University Daily Kansan.

### Notice to Freshmen

Whereas it has been the custom during previous years for the Freshmen to wear "Freshmen caps" on the campus, therefore—

Be it resolved by the Student Council of Bethany College in session September 17, 1924, that the Freshmen shall wear their caps at the first football game, and during the Football and Track season. The caps that are to be worn shall be green, complying with the petition presented by the Sophomore class and accepted by the Student Council.

The upper classmen will be required to co-operate with the Student Council in enforcing this resolution.

Laurence Anderson

Pres. Student Council.

—The Bethany Messenger

### Freshman Hint

Beginning on the day of the Friends football game, October 3, wear your green caps whenever on the campus. —The Ottawa Campus.

Business at the Washburn bookstore reached a new peak with a rush that resembled a fire sale on old Bourbon last Monday morning. The business peak was the result of the announcement that those bluish-green coverings so necessary to all freshman peaks were on sale at the bookstore. With only a day of leeway, the freshmen crowded to the front. They made wholesale demands for this now most necessary article of clothing for every freshman on the campus.

—Washburn Review.

## COMPLETE REPORT OF THE STUDENT FRIENDSHIP FUND

In reply to the contributions made by M. C. students to the Student Friendship Fund for European relief the Spectator has received a letter of appreciation from the committee, also an extended report of the work of the Fund, 1922-1924, with the request that it be placed before the students. Following is given a part of the report:

The Students Friendship Fund finished last June four years of work. This fund represents America's share in the larger organization of the European Student Relief, which was also begun in 1920 to help the students of Europe finish their university courses as a preparation for the enormous tasks of reconstruction awaiting them after the war.

The enterprise is worldwide. During its four years of activity the students of forty-two nations have participated in it. The giving of help by students for students has developed good will and friendship of deep significance.

the self-help enterprises which in those four years have become large and influential organizations in the universities where relief has been distributed is one of the most important results which has come from the relief program. These self-help undertakings, without which the cost of studying would be prohibitive, have many branches and many lines of activity: kitchens, tailor shops, laundries, shoe repairing, printing presses, employment bureaus, etc. The enterprises have a two-fold advantage, for they not only give employment to hundreds of students but they reduce the cost of the necessities to a minimum. It is through these agencies that many students in Russia and Central Europe are able to work, and work they do, often laboring from six to eight hours a day in addition to going to classes and carrying on their studies. Some universities are now open only during the evening because of the large number of "work students."

The new student magazine, Vox Studentium, was issued at the request of the students who were delegates to the conference in Parad, Hungary, and is one means of meeting this new desire for an interchange of thought and idea. The annual international student conferences also give an opportunity for the students of many nations actually to meet and talk things over and find out, not how different each is from the other, but how like. Out of the intercourse surely will come an understanding which may change the whole trend of international relationships.

Aside from the work for the students overseas, European students, as well as many from the Orient, have come to the United States. Almost all are in need of a friendly hand to help in learning American ways, and in many cases there is a real need among the students of Europe. The students of the United States have made gifts through the Student Friendship Fund, to help these young men and women who have come here seeking both an education and also a chance to carry back to their own lands the best of our culture and learning.

Contributions which have come this year from 596 institutions amount to \$150,575. The distribution of these funds from July 1, 1923 to June 30, 1924 including both the gifts from the students and those from larger contributors has been:

Russia	\$254,227.60
Germany & Central Europe	146,235.13
Foreign students in U. S. A.	8,550.00
World's Student Christian Federation	18,000.00

Tomorrow is the time to join the "Y."

## Poets' Corner

**Strictly Germ-Proof**  
The Antiseptic Baby and the Prophylactic Pup  
Were playing in the garden when the Bunny gambled up;  
They looked upon the Creature with a leathing undiguised,—  
It wasn't Disinfected and it wasn't Sterilized.

They said it was a Microbe and a Hotbed of Disease;  
They steamed it in a vapor of a thousand-odd degrees;  
They froze it in a freezer that was cold as Banished Hope  
And washed it in permanganate with carbolated soap.

In sulphureted hydrogen they steeped its wigly ears;  
They trimmed its frisky whiskers with a pair of hard-boiled shears;  
They donned their rubber mittens and took it by the hand  
And leeted it a member of the Fumigated Band.

There's not a Micrococcus in the garden where they play;  
They bathe in pure Iodoform a dozen times a day;  
And each imbibes his rations from a Hygienic Cup—  
The Bunny and the Baby and the Prophylactic Pup.  
—Arthur Guiterman.

### IN A MUSICAL VEIN

Granny—Girls nowadays are so uglems. Why, I believe you don't know what needles are for.  
Flapper—Why, they are for the phonograph, of course.

Boss—Musical! Why, you don't even know what a scale is.  
Bambo—I sho do. A scale am a freckle on a fish.

Drum—I feel all beat up today.  
Music Raok—Stand up like I do and take your music.

Instructor — "Get into high C."  
Her — "I have no bathing suit."

The tight-wad's song: "Save your new glasses all you can. When you ain't lookin' at nothin' in particular, take 'em off.

Vic Trolls — What shall I play?  
Hugh K. Layle — Find a piece you like and then play something else.

Not all are musicians who ride in the band wagon.

One flat note that's also sharp: Pay your rent or get out.  
—En-ar-co National News.

With the opening of college we are inclined to believe that if some of the "shicks" wear their trousers much larger, they will be able to get into them by simply slipping them over their heads.  
—McPherson Daily Republican.

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An old man who lived in St. Paul  
Kept a cow that did nothing but  
bawl;  
His neighbors got rash  
And wanted some lash,  
So they killed her for beef in the fall.



**About People**

Mrs. E. S. Strickler with her daughter, Evelyn, came last week from El Centro, Cal., to spend the winter with her children.

Miss Mercedes Chapman did not meet her classes last week because of the death of her grandmother.

Luelte Hoover visited in Conway over the week-end.

Lola Myers visited at her home in Lovewell over the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Saylor were here from Ramona, Kan., Friday to see the McPherson-Baker game and to visit their son Lavelle.

Hazel Vogt, A. B. '24 and Cecil Holloway, who teach at Window visited friends here over last week-end.

Mr. Kolzow from Hope, Kan., was in McPherson Friday to see his son Ted play football.

Harry Lehman, Academy '23 from Carlton visited here Sunday.

Anson Hornung spent the week-end at his home in Larned.

Mabel Fleming, who teaches at Bushon, visited friends here Sunday.

Harriett Mohler, Bernice Hoover, Sidney Sondergard and Rufus Daggett were at Twin Mounds Saturday evening.

Miss Lora Trostle was entertained at dinner Sunday by Coach and Mrs. Mishler.

Truman Grogan, who spent the summer near Herington, stopped here Sunday before returning to his home at Plattsburg, Mo.

Leon Morline spent the week-end in Ramona.

**Among the Alumni**

Beckner Takes Mt. Morris Job. Prof. W. O. Beckner, formerly field secretary of M. C., has moved his household goods to Mount Morris, Ill., where he this month assumes the position of dean and professor of Bible in Mount Morris College. For the last two years he has been taking graduate work in the University of Chicago, from which institution he has secured the A. M. and B. D. degrees.

The removal of Professor Beckner from McPherson College means the loss of one long connected with the school. He came to M. C. in 1897 and from that time until two years ago, barring a term of service in the U. S. Government schools in the Philippine Islands, he has been more or less a part of the institution. He finished the normal course in 1904 and the college in 1909, combining his college course with some tutoring. He taught in several schools of the country and was widely known, particularly in Sunday School work. While in the Philippines he wrote a creditable text-book on civics. His field work for McPherson College brought him into contact with hundreds of students and patrons in the college territory.

Professor Beckner is a force in the affairs of the church. Since its creation he has been Chairman of the permanent Program Committee of the Church of the Brethren and has therefore made a special study of the talent of the church which has been used at the annual conference.

Harnly Works in Chemical Plant. John Harnly, B. S. '24, secured work last summer with the Abbott Chemical Plant of Chicago. Mr. Harnly, who is taking advanced work at Manhattan Agricultural College in connection with his position as assistant in the Chemistry department, was elated at this opportunity he was given to come in contact with the practical phase of chemistry.

W. F. Vaniman to Leland Stanford. Wilbur F. Vaniman, A. B. '18, is now doing graduate work in Leland Stanford University in California. Mr. Vaniman, after graduation from M. C. worked for one year in the People's State Bank in McPherson, after which he spent a year in graduate work in Oberlin University. He taught manual training in McPherson High School and for the past two years has been principal of the Junior High School in McPherson.

Returned Missionary in School. Mrs. Myrtle Pollock, who was graduated from the Academy in 1917, is again in school. Mrs. Pollock has been in China at Liao Chou doing nursing under the auspices of the Church of the Brethren. She intends to spend this year at M. C. and then take graduate work in the East before returning to China.

**CLASSIFY YOURSELF**

Highbrow: Browning, anthropology, economics, Bacon, the uplift, inherent s'n, Gibbon, fourth dimension Euripides, "ezyther", pate de foies gras, lemon phosphate, Henry Cabot Lodge, Woodrow Wilson.

Low-highbrow: Municipal government, Kipling, socialism, Shakespeare, politics Thackeray, taxation, golf, grand opera, bridge, chicken a la Maryland, "eother", stocks and bonds, gin ricky, Theodore Roosevelt, chewing gum in public.

High-lowbrow: Musical comedy, euvre, baseball, moving pictures, small steak medium, whiskey, Robert W. Chambers, fringe socks, chewing game with friends.

Lowbrow: Laura Jean Libbey, ham sandwich, haven't came, pitch, I and her, melodrama, hair oil, the Duchess, beer, George M. Cohan, red flannels, toothpicks, Bathroom John, chewing gum in public.

Line o' Type: Columa, Chicago Tribune.

**Smile a While**

Giddap

She stole softly up to him, and laid her hand caressingly upon his head, ran her fingers through his silky dark brown locks, then gently placed a hand on each of his smooth soft cheeks. She raised her face to him showing her soft carmine lips and looking knowingly at him from her deep blue eyes. She spoke not a word neither did he; the only movement perceptible on his part was a slight jerk of the head as she slipped the bit into his mouth. —The Hot Shot.

Also Cold Shoulder

An alecky dude of Coldwater sought the hand of the banker's daughter, But the hard boiled old man Gave the fresh dude the can And he now says the old man's a rotter.

Miss Trostle, returning from a momentary diversion, saw on the blackboard in her headquarters a phone number to call. Being conscientious in attending to her duties, she called the number, 812 Green, but was unable to secure the other party. Miss Trostle evidently was unaware that the little boy who ate an apple that was too green and went to heaven had failed to have his telephone connected.

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**Social Events**

Faculty Gives Annual Reception. The annual reception given by the faculty to the students was held Monday evening, September 22, in the chapel in Sharp Administration Building. An almost never-ending receiving line with much handshaking awaited the students on their arrival. Each student was introduced to each member of the faculty and given an opportunity to meet the other students. Prof. J. J. Yoder presided over a short program. Bonnie Dee McMurray and Ruth Harms played a cornet and saxophone duet. Miss Katherine Penner followed with two beautiful solos, and Prof. J. Lewis Doll gave a violin solo. In an address of welcome by President D. W. Kurtz each student was made to feel a part of the institution, and was convinced that he was in a school of great opportunity surrounded with ideals such as he never met before. Dr. Kurtz gave a more extended introduction to the members of the faculty by telling of their qualifications and their work. Howard Snyder, McPherson's bird man, won much applause by his clever imitations. Members of the local faculty served ice cream and wafers to the students. The students appreciated the welcome by the faculty, and everyone felt more than ever the spirit of a large family drawing together again for another year.

Sunday School Class Hikes. A wienie roast was enjoyed by the freshman-sophomore girls' Sunday school class Wednesday evening in the Brubaker pasture. After a few games and the wienie roast a short inspirational program followed, including a talk on loyalty by Viola Bowser, a reading, "Encouragement," by Lillian Andrews, and group singing.

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**THE LOST JOKE**

Seated one day in my office, I was hot on the trail of a wheeze, and my fingers wandered idly over the typewriter keys. I know not of what I was thinking; perhaps of the bills I owed, when a joke from my cerebellum like turbulent honey flowed. I rolled on the floor in my laughter; my face turned as blue as a plum; the tears down my cheeks came a-coursing, and still they continued to come. I laughed until I had apoplexy; a physician was rushed to my side, for fear on a barge of hysterics I should go drifting out on the tide. I have sought—but I seek it vainly—that one lost joke only to find it eludes me and haunts me entirely, and I fear I shall lose my mind. Perhaps in some dust-covered volume that long on the book shelves has lain of Puck or Judge or Joe Miller, I shall find that joke again.  
—Selected

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### BULLDOGS TO OPPOSE CATHOLICS THURSDAY

St. Marys Administered Defeat  
Last Year—Is Salnts'  
First Game

The Bulldogs will invade St. Marys Thursday on the St. Marys ground for the Salnts' first game of the season. A close mud fight with St. Marys here last year resulted in McPherson's being defeated by a 6-0 score, and the year before M. C. won 14-12.

Prospects indicate a good game as the fight put up against the Wildcats Friday shows that with another week's practice the Bulldogs will be hard to stop, however, since St. Marys has not played, her strength can be only estimated.

### TOUCHDOWN IN SECOND QUARTER GIVES STIFF BATTLE TO WILDCATS

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After three plays with 2-yard gain Wright missed field goal. McPherson advanced to the 25-yard line and was penalized 15 yards. After 5 yards gain Showalter punted.

#### Third Quarter.

Baker's kickoff went over side-line untouched. Second Kickoff over end brought to 20-yard line. On second play Barton fumbled and recovered with loss of three yards. Pass to Mishler, juggled and recovered, downed on 32-yard line. A forward pass gained 2 yards. A third pass was intercepted by Baker on the 45-yard line. M. C. offside. Forward pass, Wright to Burterf, 5 yards. Wright's drop kick was blocked and recovered by M. C. on 30-yard line. Forward pass incomplete. Hahn punted. Wright was downed on the 45-yard line. Unable to gain, Baker punted to 25-yard line. Mishler fumbled and Showalter punted. Baker sent in Akers for Payne. On the third play Hahn intercepted a pass and advanced to the 50-yard line. McPherson advanced ball 19 yards in seven attempts.

#### Fourth Quarter.

Showalter punted to Wright on 5-yard line. Baker punted to 25-yard

Yards gained in scrimmage—Baker, 53; McPherson, 109.

Punts—Baker, 5 for 149 yards; McPherson, 10 for 340 yards.

Penalties inflicted—Baker, 10 yards; McPherson, 45 yards.

Fumbles—Baker, 2; McPherson, 6.

Substitutions: McPherson—Showalter for S. Kurtz, Tipton for Kolzow, Crumpacker for Mishler. Baker—Akers for Lane, McKee for Stanton, Grotz for Barterf, Elliot for Wright, Collins for Lowe.

Touchdown—Wright (Baker.)

Referee—Edmonds (Ottawa U.)

Umpire—Phipps, (K. S. T. C.)

Head linesman—Scott, (K. S. T. C.)

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Kolzow . . . . . R.E. . . . . Burterf

S. Kurtz . . . . . Q.B. . . . . Lidikay

Hahn (capt.) L. H. B. . . . . Wright

Barton . . . . . F.B. . . . . Evans

Mishler . . . . . R. H. B. . . . . Hurt (capt.)

#### Father Had Suspicions.

A young man writing to the father of his girl, closed his letter with this appeal: "I want your daughter—the flour of your family."

And the cold-blooded old man answered: "Flour of the family is good, but are you sure it isn't my dough you are after?"

### HEADS FOR COLLEGE CLASSES ARE CHOSEN AT MEETINGS FRIDAY

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ish voices in fifteen rahs for the freshmen. The sedate Student Council president was on the point of fleeing this scene of disorder, but a repetition of the outcry, this time for himself, renewed his courage. He managed to stay at his post till he made them understand that they were to choose a temporary chairman, then retreated to more peaceful parts. Only those present know what happened the remainder of the hour. Rumor has it that the following persons are acting as officers of the class: Chairman, Earl Reed; secretary, Alberta Hawley; and treasurer, Ray Trestle.



### OTHER GRIDS

Bethany's 9-0 victory over Ottawa is regarded as a big upset of dope.

Southwestern beat Edmund, 9-0.

Fairmount won 6-0 over Phillips of Enid's strong team.

Washburn defeated Kansas City University 19-6 in a rather slow game.

Emporia Teachers surprised the conference by holding Sterling to a scoreless tie.

St. Marys, Hays, Wesleyan and others with which M. C. has games did not play last week.

#### Style Note

A gallant young gent from Galena Always wore on his coat a verbena. When they asked him "Why so?" He replied, "Just to show I'm the goofiest gink in Galena."

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The teacher, in disgust, told him to take his seat, but an old tobacco-chewing member of the board was not satisfied; so, after a well-directed aim at the cuspidor, he said: "Call that boy back. I don't like his manner, I believe he did do it." —Selected.

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