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The Expansion Program Is Expanding

McPherson College has had a long and enviable record of service. From a meager beginning, and with only a few students and one building the result of much sacrifice and struggle - the college has risen to the place she proudly fills today. There has been much development and noble progress, and it has always been at the price of this sacrifice and struggle. Our forefathers set a good example by sharing their, many times, small earnings in order that their children and grandchildren might have the opportunity for Christian Education. That same spirit of sharing and sacrifice has continued on the part of many people. The faculty of McPherson College has always been motivated, to a large extent, by the service motive. Salaries have always been low in comparison to those received by many others in similar places, and with similar or less training and experience. But when the Service Motive looms large, salaries are not the most important consideration.

As McPherson College continues to fill her place in the educational world her consistency and her faculty will be called on to continue to struggle, sacrifice, and share. Things such as this are a part of what makes life interesting and worth-while.

The Expansion Program of the college offers a splendid opportunity for each of us to have a part in the soul-refining activity of sacrifice and sharing. This is a challenge for each of us. The faculty can not do it all, neither should the Alumni nor the general constituency do it all. It is a task for all of us working together.

The response thus far is encouraging. The attitudes of those who have been contacted is splendid. As you can readily see, it is not possible to make a personal contact with everyone. Yet the ideal is for everyone to make a contribution. Some gifts will of necessity be larger than others. This is as it should be for from those who have shall more be expected, but each gift is deeply appreciated. Each of us may well look at our own personal responsibility, rather than at the responsibility of some one else, and then follow our very best judgment in regard to giving.

Write and tell us your decision. Send your check or pledge, or ask for a representative of the college to call on you if you want to talk over your plans.

Approximately one fifth of the total goal of \$500,000.00 has been raised but there is still a long way to

go. It is a big job, but not too big if each of us will accept this as an opportunity to share with others in making it possible that the students of McPherson College may have adequate eating and living facilities as well as those for study and recreation. Then, too, we must enlarge the permanent endowment to give added security for the future.

McPherson College is expanding and she must continue to expand so that she can make her greatest contribution to tomorrow's world by instilling in the lives of today's youth the ideals that must prevail in the days ahead.

As you invest in Tomorrow's Generation you are making the most permanent investment it is possible to make, and one that will bring great returns in noble Christian Character. Shall each of us share and keep the Expansion Program Expanding.

Earl M. Frantz, Director

Dear Alumni of McPherson College:

We are living in a New Year! To all of us who have some common college heritage, this means more than just a new calendar year, 1948. McPherson College is particularly planning for new things and in no small way does this involve the alumni.

As time goes on and plans progress, the alumni association is correcting the problems that were inevitable during the War years. This planning revolves most positively thru the efficient work and interest of our new Secretary, Mr. Brammell. Thru him we have a coordinator; the loose ends are being tied together and the results which we all desire, will accrue.

Let us cooperate in the new plans for a Greater College and a more active alumni association. It is imperative that we help speed the work of the up-to-date and complete alumni directory; that we support local alumni groups and efforts toward Our College reunions; and that we support and encourage our Secretary and others in their plans and efforts to make our Alma Mater and our college friendships mean all that they should.

May New Year's joys, successes and opportunities be great for each of you. Most sincerely,

Guy Hayes, '34 Alumni President

Opportunity

The Service Diamond Tool Co., Ferndale, Michigan, is interested in obtaining as a consultant for their experimental work a graduate who has worked on synthetic diamonds with Dr. Hershey. This might prove to be a profitable side activity for a qualified person.

From The President

W. W. PETERS, President

It is indeed a pleasure and an honor to extend greetings and good wishes to the more than two thousand members of the alumni family of McPherson College. I am certain all of you rejoice in the fact that it is again possible to publish and to distribute the Alumni News Letter. This is your publication and it is hoped that it is a welcomed guest at your reading table. Any news items and constructive suggestions will be highly appreciated.

As you know this is my seventh year as president of your alma mater. I could list many events and items of worth in the growth of your college within the years since 1941, all of which evidence the loyalty to, and support of, not only the alumni but many other friends. The type of higher education provided by McPherson College is continuously under study and consideration for improvement.

Among the significant evidences of the growth of your college is the fact that an alumni secretary in the person of Ira N. H. Brammell has been added to the staff. He is becoming well orientated in his work and has already made significant contributions to the best interests of the college. You will be kept informed. He is a member of the Class of '23 and is your servant in the continuous growth of your alma mater.

However good the buildings and adequate the equipment, a college is no better than its teachers and administrators. Everything worthwhile and possible, therefore, should be done to secure and to maintain a strong faculty.

In conclusion, I am happy to assure you that a cordial welcome awaits you any time you may be coming this way. Your college is at your service.

Dues

Some of you have asked about alumni dues. This is a timely question and becomes increasingly important as we try to send you more information from the alumni office. We are limited in our service to you because of lack of funds and it is our responsibility as alumni to supply funds for our own publication.

It has been our policy to send our publications to all of you rather than to those only who pay annual subscriptions. Many colleges use the subscription method but we feel that your loyalty will keep the Alumni News going to all alumni of the college.

Dues are one dollar per year or fifteen dollars for a life membership. Why not strengthen your loyalty by sending dues or a gift to the alumni association. Several alumni have sent in gifts to the association recently. These gifts have been appreciated as they have helped make possible the renewal of publication of the Alumni News Letter. Thanks for your response to the financial needs of your association.

Alumni News

1890

Dr. Harvey Hahn, for twelve years Nebraska Assistant State Veterinary and Live Stock Inspector, has retired. His home is at Falls City, Nebraska.

1891

E. T. Barnes, 545 Court St., Salem, Oregon, has retired from active work.

The Deputy License Commissioner of Kansas City, Missouri is Charles H. Baumbaugh.

Mrs. Mary Kuns Klepinger of Kansas City, Kansas is still engaged in homemaking for her husband, Dr. John C. Klepinger.

Harrison W. Miller is engaged in Banking at Hinton, Oklahoma.

1892

W. E. Chisholm and wife are living on a farm two miles from Roxbury. W. E. has lived there nearly seventy five years, his father having homesteaded the farm in 1873.

The typist for the Black Hills Ordinance Depot is Edward S. Farringer who lives at Lyloo, North Dakota. He has one son who is a dentist and another who is in Government service in the West Indies.

Harriet Yoder Gilbert has been living alone since her husband's death in July 1945. She continues to be active in church work. Early this year she moved from Los Angeles to 2372 Cooley Place, Pasadena, California.

Mrs. Emma A. Maxwell is at home in McPherson. Her address is 312 South Main St.

1893

Lizzie Arnold, deceased in June 1946, suffered a broken hip sixteen months before her death.

"Despite the fact that I am almost blind, I flew to Nebraska City August 15 and 16 to attend the Garst Reunion. On my way home I visited in McPherson and Newton. "Quite a trip for a 75 year oldster," writes Nina Garst Blake of 320 Douglas St., Wenatchee, Washington.

An early graduate of the Music department was Modena Hutchinson Miller, now a housewife at 2017 Fifth St., LaVerne, California.

While en route to California from Virden, Illinois, Elmer E. Vaniman died suddenly from a heart attack, February 19, 1947. He was a former Music teacher at McPherson College. While farming at Virden he became a noted exhibitor of prize winning mules. His music ability, always at the disposal of his local church, was one of his major interests.

1894

Joseph J. Yoder, although retired from the college, is on the trustee board and his counsel is still sought on many questions.

Albert N. Gray, M. D. is at Burlington, Kansas and is still active in the General Practice of Medicine.

1895

Mrs. Myrtle Hoff Patten is a house keeper in Elgin, Illinois.

Samuel J. Miller writes from LaVerne, California: "Am living a happy life, wife and I call on many people who need comfort."

1896

Susie Slusher Saylor, who was professor of English at the college for three years following her graduation, is retired and living at Wichita, Kansas.

1897

Sadie L. Nice is making her home with her daughter and family in Columbus, Kansas.

1898

Dentistry, retail lumber business, and now business management pretty well describes the activities of William Glenn Cheney since leaving McPherson College.

Mrs. Anna Fakes McGlochan is a Community Social Welfare Leader in St. Joseph, Missouri.

Frank Schmalzried is retired and living in Los Angeles, California.

1899

Since 1911 Dr. George J. Goodsheller, physician and surgeon, has been located at Marion, Kansas.

Stephen D. G. Miller and wife are enjoying good health as they farm at Carleton, Nebraska.

1900

Etta Geiman Leek is a housewife at Stamford, South Dakota.

Mrs. Nellie M. Lindell, Windom, Kansas, finds time for teaching piano in addition to her house work.

1901

Emma H. Eby and her husband Enoch H. Eby have moved to La Verne, California, where they are helping to develop Hill Crest Home for retired aged people.

Farming occupies the time of E. P. Gauss, who is living with his daughter in Centerview, Missouri, since his wife died nearly two years ago.

Walter B. Hedlund is engaged in automobile and tractor business in Elk City, Oklahoma.

1902

G. C. Dresher is farming in Canton, Kansas.

Remaining active in business as president of the Conway Springs Water Company and the Frantz Ice and Locker Company, is Erwin J. Frantz, Conway Springs, Kansas.

Peter A. Koehn has lived in sunny California since 1923 and states he is enjoying single bliss. He also says his library is his companion.

1903

Mound City, Missouri, and farming give the address and occupation of John M. Andes.

Raymond W. Baldwin is associate professor in Business Administration at the University of Houston, Houston, Texas.

Ruby Buckman Crisler is a house wife at Columbia, Missouri. Her husband, Dr. O. S. Crisler, is teaching in the University of Missouri.

1904

Porter M. Bolinger is a barber in Portland, Oregon. Merrill Q. Calvert lost his companion September

11, 1947. He is manager of a Van and Storage Company in Los Angeles, California.

Homemaking occupies the time of Mrs. J. M. Carter, Wichita, Kansas.

1905

Edgar D. Baldwin is now retired and living in McPherson, Kansas.

Sunday School teaching, housekeeping, and dotting over her three children and six grandsons makes Mary McGill Felton a very busy woman.

O. C. Frantz lives in North Manchester, Indiana, and is engaged in Real Estate and Insurance.

1906

Ralph L. Fishback has retired to an acre plot of ground near Portland, Oregon where he improves his time raising chickens, berries, and fruit. Because of his hobby he is known as a Numismatist.

After a long tenure in school administration, S. C. Miller is now retired, and is living at Elgin, Illinois.

Henry M. Stutzman, after 38 years of teaching is now an orange grower at Lindsay, California. He is a trustee at LaVerne College and also a trustee of the Lindsay Mutual Orange Growers.

1907

Merle C. Slagle, retired mail carrier, is living on the farm where he raises fruit, a small nursery, and a pineapple field. He is at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

Conrad D. Rasp '10 and Frances M. Goodsheller Rasp have been retired from the finance business since 1938. They are living in Elkhart, Indiana.

Bruce A. and Mary Mohler Miller have retired from the farm and are at home at Scottville, Michigan.

1908

Grover F. and Flossie Brubaker Andes are living on, and farming, the Andes ranch at Windom, Kansas.

Mattie Stutzman Baldwin, wife of Raymond Baldwin '03, is his homemaker in Houston, Texas. She also finds time to share with her two grand-children.

Henry H. Garst is a rancher at Chico, California. He and Mrs. Garst announce the arrival of a grand-daughter a few months ago.

1909

Mrs. Myrtle Wiborg is a housewife in McPherson. Bartel E. Ebel, a former teacher at McPherson College is Head of the German department and chairman of the Graduate School at the University of Redlands at Redlands, California.

Harvey Blaine Hoffman of Great Falls, Montana is a lawyer and a member of the International Association of Insurance Counsel.

1910

Verteenes (Verd) Brunk is a Chiropractic Doctor in McPherson.

Ole Robert Cram, an attorney at St. Francis, Kansas, suggests that schools should place more emphasis on human relationships and economics.

Jav Crumpacker is in the real estate business in McPherson. He is a trustee of the college. His wife, Ester White Crumpacker is his faithful homemaker.

1911
Dr. L. J. Beyer of Lyons, Kansas was married June 15th to Dorothy Runnels of Hutchinson.

Jouette Clark Russell is Research Professor at the University of Nebraska and Soil Conservationist for the United States Department of Agriculture.

Anna Kimmel Sanders, a housewife at McLouth, Kansas was a campus visitor at homecoming last fall.

1912
Reverend John W. and Blanche Thompson Carrier are at Larned, Kansas.

Grover C. Dotzour is in his twenty-ninth year in the secondary schools in Wichita, Kansas. He and Mrs. Dotzour attended the Estes Park Foreign Relations Institute in August.

Paul E. Faw suffered a heart attack July 25th, and died a few hours later. His home was at Roanoke, Virginia.

1913
Margaret M. Dudé is a chiropractor at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

After teaching history in the Emporia high school for several years, Maude Jackson became librarian in the senior high school at Emporia.

Eva Wise Jenkins is a housewife at Winfield, Kansas.

1914
Peter S. Goertz, Dean of the College, and Professor of Philosophy and Religion at Bethel College, North Newton, Kansas, was granted a year's leave of absence and is spending 3 year in Relief and Rehabilitation Work in Europe. Until July 15, 1948 his address will be: Koningstaan 58, Amsterdam, Holland.

For the past ten years, Andrew T. Hoffert has been promoting Rural Sunday Schools and Daily Vacation Bible Schools in Clarke County, Iowa. He is a salesman of religious merchandise.

In addition to being President of General Credit Corporation, George Arthur Price of Miami, Florida is a director of and on the loan committee at the Dade Federal Savings and Loan Association. To make certain he keeps out of mischief, he was also made president of Miami Rotary Club and treasurer of the Miami Travelers Aid Society.

1915
Oliver H. and Hazel Q. Austin are pastors of the Church of the Brethren at Denver, Colorado. Hazel is church organist and a representative on the Denver Council of Church Women. Oliver is the Brethren representative on the Inter Church Temperance Movement of Colorado.

Mrs. Esther Rasp Dickey and her husband are both employed by the National Council of Business Schools, Washington, D. C.

One of the men to whom we are indebted for saving the life of McPherson College during some of her early struggles for existence is Edward Frantz now living at LaVerne, California. He was granted the D. D. degree by the college for meritorious service.

1916
Roy M. Brubaker is a Real Estate Broker at Denver. His interest in the college continues to be strong. Elvin Freeburg is a Magazine Distributor in McPherson.

After thirteen years in Houston, Lillian F. Kasey has purchased a property near Kerrville, Texas and is employed as secretary in a law firm.

Harley A. Nelson, Palmetton, Pennsylvania, was impressed with the park between the college and the town. He visited briefly in McPherson last June. He is Research Chemist for the New Jersey Zinc Company.

1917
Crawford F. and Sue Flora Brubaker are at LaVerne, California. Crawford is with the California State Department of Education. He is Rehabilitation Officer in the Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation. Sue is a homemaker and active in P. T. A. and church work.

Dr. Dewitte Brubaker is a dentist in Kansas City, Missouri.

H. M. Brubaker, LaVerne, California is gardner at Bonita High School.

Mrs. Phebe K. Cox operates an apartment house at Geneva, Nebraska.

1918
Samuel B. and Golda E. Bowman are farming at Quinter, Kansas.

Mary Edith McGaffey Bright, who was on the college faculty several years, is a housewife in Topeka, Kansas. Her husband is a member of the faculty at Washburn University, Topeka. Mrs. Bright is the alumni representative on the college board of trustees.

Paul E. Dannelley is employed as a dispatch clerk at the Post Office in McPherson.

1919
Mothering four children, teaching full time in junior high school, and being active in church work is the present picture of Ione Ebaugh Anderson. She did not reveal the amount of work she does on the side on their tract of land near Trinidad, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clyde Forney are located at Roanoke, Virginia where J. Clyde is pastor of the Central Church of the Brethren. He had the D. D. degree conferred upon him by McPherson College during 1947 commencement exercises.

"Hope that any McPherson friends travelling through here will stop to see us," writes Mrs. Gladys Naylor Hook from Caldwell, Idaho. The Hooks moved from Osborne, Kansas to Caldwell in June 1947.

1920
Ida F. Brubaker is a housewife at Conway Springs, Kansas. She and her husband, Amos O. Brubaker, attended the Brubaker reunion at Girard, Illinois last July 27.

Roy C. Frantz is manager of the Ice and Locker Plant and the City Water Works at Conway Springs, Kansas. He also farms some and is a trustee of McPherson College.

Harry and Margaret Muse Gilbert are teaching in

Los Angeles. Harry is teaching chemistry in the Los Angeles City College. They report many McPherson alumni are in California.

1921

M. G. Blickenstaff is employed by the Washington State Council of Churches. He is located at Seattle.

Helen Garst Boettner is a housewife at Watson, Missouri.

Church, school, community, and farming activities keep Louis and Mary Miller '22 Bowman very busy. They have two children attending McPherson College this year.

1922

Grace Brubaker is in Chicago, Illinois studying in the School for Social Service Administrators at the University of Chicago. In September 1948 she will be School Social Worker, Child Guidance Clinic, Portland, Oregon.

Margaret M. De Cou is a housewife in Manhattan, Kansas. Her husband, Donald T. De Cou, is professor of economics at Kansas State College at Manhattan.

J. Howard '21 and Bertha Frantz Engle are in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Bertha cares for the home and J. Howard is Commercial Manager of Radio Station K. O. M. E., Tulsa. Their son is a music major at Tulsa University.

1923

Alice Olsen Arnett, housewife, Arkansas City, Kansas says, "her husband is one of the most outstanding poultrymen in Kansas." We do not doubt the truth of her statement but may drop in for a fried chicken dinner some day.

Robert O. and Doris Plum '24 Blough are farming near Polo, Illinois. Robert is not only a very successful farmer but also a designer of farm machinery.

Another alumina in California is Arno H. Bowers of Glendale who is Assistant General Manager of Anadolic Food Products, Inc. and its three affiliated companies.

1924

Myrl L. Curtis, Chicago, Illinois, is Supervisor of Training for Standard Oil Co. (Indiana.)

W. Earl Becon, former Director of Public Relations at McPherson College holds a similar position at Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Virginia.

Engaged in Administration education, and also in the process of building a new home overlooking the pacific, David E. Brubaker is teaching his twentieth year in the Los Angeles schools.

1925

"We are on an island about twenty five miles from Seattle. Must take a ferry to get to the Mainland. Island about four miles wide and twelve long. Population 7,000. No noise, no smoke, no hurry like a city. Lots of fruit and vegetables. Beautiful scenery. No hot nights. Just a d--- good place to live." H. R. "Hal" Barton, his wife, the former Kate Penner, and his daughter, Helen give us the above description from Vashon, Washington.

Mrs. Velma Bailey Bothwell is a housewife and

mother of two children. Mr. Bothwell, her husband, teaches at Toppensish, Washington.

A homemaker whose husband is a bank cashier and whose home is at Stephens, Arkansas is Mrs. Mercie Mae Bryan. Stephens is an oil boom community producing millions of dollars annually from the "black gold."

1926

Fay E. Bailey, dairyman at a Government Indian School at Concho, Okla., writes that his son, Wallace, represented Chisholm Trail District at the World Jamboree for Boy Scouts held in Paris, France.

William Roy Burgin has worked with plants since leaving college so we are not surprised to learn that he owns a five acre nursery at Hutchinson, Kansas.

Bernice Hoover Cook is a homemaker at Plattsburg, Missouri. We hope to accept her invitation for a visit in their home.

1927

Mary Hamley Aroniss is teaching at Westport, Connecticut.

After sixteen years in the schoolroom, L. M. Baldwin is now giving full time to the ministry. He is pastor of a large rural church in the Northeastern district of Ohio. His address is Thornville, Ohio.

Paul E. Blickenstaff, dentist, located at Portland, Oregon, writes: "I saw Alvin Voran with his Louisiana choir at the International Lions Club Convention in San Francisco in July, 1947."

1928

Ronald M. and Evelyn Richards Warren are at River Forest, Illinois. Ronald taught chemistry fifteen years at Michigan State College before accepting the position of Senior Research Chemist with American Can Co., Maywood, Illinois.

Keeping house and keeping up with four sons gives Myrtle Moyers Freed of Homestead, Oklahoma full time employment.

From Mrs. Mabel Beyer Grover of Colby, Kansas: "My husband and I have a farm north of Colby where we raise registered Hereford cattle and wheat."

1929

Mrs. E. Norma Miller Auernheimer is a housewife at Canton, Kansas.

R. Hulse Barber is a Foreign Trade Economist, U. S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

Francis M. Berkebile is a Sales Manager at Harlan, Iowa. His leisure time is claimed by Susan, 7; Marv Jo, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$; and David, 3.

"The longer I'm out of college the more I appreciate the fine calibre of the professors I had and the influence they, and the spirit of the college, have had on my thinking and attitudes," writes Lela Hultquist Broth, a minister's wife in Montreal, Canada.

1930

Doris Ballard is teaching in the Norton Community High School, Norton, Kansas. Last summer she attended a Workshop in Basic Communication at the University of Denver. Doris is sponsor of the school

newspaper and annual.

In 1946, Paul R. Bowers moved to Lodi, California to become principal of the high school. His wife, Ruth Turner Bowers, is active in music and is the homemaker for Paul and their three boys.

Reuben E. and Alberta Horis Bowman are at Stafford, Kansas where Reuben teaches in the high school.

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Effie M. Abeldt teaches the fourth grade in the Abilene, Kansas schools.

Fred J. and Velma ³⁰ Andrews are at Loveland, Colorado. Fred resigned his position in the Loveland school in favor of a contract with the Equitable of New York. His present plan is to make insurance his life work.

"Our family was among the fortunate who escaped injury during the Texas City disaster, although we were close enough to the docks that the blasts were terrifying and our windows crashed in all around us. This experience has made me feel that the use of the atomic bomb is entirely wrong." The above quotation is from Christine Mohler Bagby of Texas City, Texas.

¹⁹³²
Mrs. Nora Stump Dennison and her husband are farming ten miles west of Perryton, Texas.

Clifford H. and Mrs. Naomi Witmore ³¹ Dresher are teaching in the McPherson City Schools. Last November Clifford was elected to the board of directors of the Kansas State Teachers Association.

E. Herbert Eby, Alliance, Nebraska has been employed as Field Supervisor of eight counties in the Panhandle area of Nebraska by the Nebraska Department of Assistance, since May, 1947. Previously he had been a Professional Analyst in Washington, D. C. and Minneapolis, Minnesota.

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Mrs. Harold Arnold is a housewife at Hiawatha, Kansas.

Charles L. Austin is pastor of the First Methodist Church, Queen's Village, New York. He served as U. S. Chaplain in the Air Corps from 1943-46, and was minister and co-headworker at the Church of all Nations and Neighborhood House, New York City from 1937-1943.

Raymond L. Buskirk is manager of Prairie Gardens Nursery at McPherson.

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Delvis F. Bradshaw is teaching in the high school at Hanover, Kansas.

Edwin E. Carlson is teaching Industrial Arts and farming at Ellinwood, Kansas.

After six years as pastor of the Omaha, Nebraska Church, Milton C. Early is now pastor at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Everett M. Fasnacht writes from India: "We plan to leave India for our regular furlough in April or May, and reach America in time to attend Annual Conference at Colorado Springs, if passage is available. Fur-

ough plans are indefinite, but we may be addressed at Wiley, Colorado.

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J. Dennis Andes is principal of the Longfellow Junior High School at Richmond, California. His wife, Elrae Carlson Andes is teaching in the El Cerrita Junior-Senior School of the Richmond system.

Maxine Ring Burress is a housewife for her husband who keeps himself busy teaching at the University of Wichita, helping run a dairy farm, and preaching. They live at Derby, Kansas.

The Assistant Personnel Director for the Buick, Oldsmobile, Pontiac Assembly Plant is Russell Y. Carpenter of Kansas City, Missouri.

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Corwin E. and Leone S. Bare are living at Hays, Kansas. Corwin is chief administrator for the Veterans Administration Guidance Center in Hays, and Leone keeps herself busy caring for their two children; Rex Owen, 4; and Diane Lee, 10 months.

"I have been working in Hawaii Hickam Field for the past two years as clerk typist and have found the Islands to be very beautiful and the climate wonderful. Not only do I enjoy my work, but I think that I am enjoying a wonderful vacation," writes Phyllis E. Barngrover.

After having taught for 9 years, Mildred Stutzman Carpenter has taken up to duties of housewife and mother and is living in Lyons, Kansas.

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Mrs. Pauline Stutzman Carter is a housewife in Columbus, Ohio.

J. E. and Mildred Miller ⁴¹ Chisholm are living in Roxbury, Kansas, where J. E. is Superintendent of Roxbury Consolidated Schools.

Chester Colwell is the Industrial Arts instructor in the High School at St. Francis, Kansas.

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The Research Engineer for the Caterpillar Tractor Co. is Erwin J. H. Beitz. He, his wife, and young son are living in Washington, Ill.

After teaching in LaVerne College for five years LaMar Bollinger has recently moved to Caldwell, Idaho, where he is associate Professor of Economics in the College of Idaho.

Lawrence D. Boyer continues in the pastorate of the Methodist Church in Courtland, Nebraska.

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Rosalie Fields and Orville Bechler are living in Windsor, Colorado. Orville is Industrial Arts Instructor in Windsor Junior and Senior High Schools, he has spent the past summers working towards his master's at Colorado State College of Education. Rosalie spent '39-'40 at Kansas State, Manhattan qualifying for teaching vocational home economics.

Lowell K. and Eugenia Hogan ³⁸ Brubaker are living in Hawthorne, California. Lowell K. is teacher

and counsellor in the high school. Eugenia is the housewife.

Frances Campbell Creamer is a homemaker at Glendale, California. Besides caring for her home and three children, Frances is also responsible for the following: teaching an adult Sunday School Class, church pianist, vice-president of the Glendale Youth Symphony Orchestra Association, District Chairman of Youth Conservation for Los Angeles District, member of the Board of Directors of the Glendale Philharmonic and Artists Association which presents the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra in Glendale for three concerts, member of the Women's Civic League of Glendale, and a member of the Republican Women's Study Club of Glendale.

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer R. Baldwin, who have been in America on furlough from the African mission field, expect to return to Africa as soon after April 1 as they can secure passage. They were recent visitors at the college where they renewed acquaintances and were available for conferences.

1940

Mrs. Audrey Hammann Bedell and her husband have bought the McPherson Music Shop and plan to make McPherson their home.

Discharged from Coast Guard in November of 1945, Carroll R. Crouse began farming in Adel, Iowa, the following spring.

Mrs. Marjorie Kintzie Curtis is a housewife living in Salina, Kansas. Her husband is manager and part owner of the Hotel Warren in Salina.

1941

After teaching school for four years and giving a year of volunteer service at New Windsor, Maryland, Mamie Wolfe became Mrs. John Brown on May 25, 1946. Her husband is the manager of the new Co-op Pantry, a deluxe traveling store, which services the Greenbelt area. They are living in Greenbelt, Maryland.

Mrs. Lucille Wade Clannin is living in Champaign, Illinois, where she serves as Church Secretary in the First Methodist Church.

James Crill is Engineer of Tool and Manufacturing processes in Detroit, Michigan. He states that he and his wife have three children—all beautiful.

1942

Lucille Horner was united in marriage to Leonard E. Vaughn '40 in June, 1947. They are living in Chicago attending the seminary, preparing for the mission field.

After teaching five years in two Kansas high schools, Sarah May Vancil is now teaching English and assisting in the library at McPherson College.

Richard and Ann Witmore Burger are home on furlough. Ann is a patient at the Mayo Brothers Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota. After leaving the hospital she will return to the home of her parents in McPherson, until she is able to travel among the churches. We welcome the Burgers back to America for their visit.

1943

Dorothy Gail Barrett is a chemist for the Plaskon division in the Libby Owens Ford Glass Company. She is living in Toledo, Ohio.

Jean L. Oberst Beaver is a housewife in Grinnell, Iowa. Her husband has purchased, in partnership, a veterinary practice in Grinnell.

Robert Brust '46 is an auto dealer in Geneseo, Kansas, Gladys Wiggins Brust '43 is his wife.

1944

Teaching is the occupation and Minneapolis, Kansas is the address of Alice Mae Boyce.

Elvin Frantz is a minister of the Church of the Brethren. He, his wife, and daughter live in Arriba, Colorado.

Wayne F. and Maurine Gish Geisert live in Hamilton, Kansas. Wayne F. is teaching social science and speech at Hamilton Rural High School for his second year. Maurine is a busy housewife.

1945

Dan L. Blickenstaff is a student at Bethany Seminary in Chicago, Illinois.

Blanche E. Geisert was married to Reverend Norman F. Brooks in August, 1947. Blanche has been working towards her M. A. degree at the University of Chicago. They are living in La Grange, Illinois.

In addition to pastoral responsibilities, Paul L. Dick is general director of Christian Education for Nebraska Conference, secretary of the Conference Commission of Church Federation and Union, member of the Conference Committee on Conference Relations, The Board of Ministerial Training, and the Board of Publication. He is living in Du Bois, Nebraska.

1946

Wilmer E. Brubaker is the minister of the Richland Center Church in Beattie, Kansas. The Brubakers have a small daughter who arrived on July 2, 1947.

The minister of the Polo Church of the Brethren in Polo, Illinois, is B. Wayne Crist.

A. Blair Helman is serving as pastor of the Ottawa Church of the Brethren and professor of sociology at Ottawa University. His wife Patricia Kennedy Helman '47 is teaching in Appanoose, Kansas, grade school.

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Orlo Allen is in Douglas, Wyoming, teaching Manual Arts.

Jane Bell is the Medical Technician at Wesley Hospital in Wichita, Kansas.

The vocal music instructor in Nashua, Iowa schools is Lucy Blough.

Life Membership

Alumni sending in Life Membership dues since the October College Bulletin was published are the following: LaVerne L. Martin, Mrs. Russell Yader, Charles Sheller, Warren W. Hoover, Eileen Ebel, Paul V. Sollenberger, D. Earl Bower, Mary E. Spessard, Frank S. Kravbill, and Dayton Rothrock.

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Rock Island Moves

The Rock Island Depot is now located on the college farm about two blocks south of the college library. The following article from a Hutchinson paper could easily describe the feeling some of you alumni might have should you come to McPherson via Rock Island.

"A McPherson pioneer went to California two months ago. He returned one morning this week. When he stepped from the Rock Island train at 4 a. m. he found himself in the middle of a wheat field with an observation car parked on a siding.

"He asked what town this was and was advised it was McPherson. He said: 'I have lived in McPherson almost 70 years and have never seen this place before.'

"He had to be convinced it was McPherson with the rail line rerouted a mile and a quarter east of town. He hadn't been advised of the change."

Calendar of Events

February 22-26 Regional Conference
March 26-29 Easter Recess
April 9 Booster Banquet
April 24 "M" Club Banquet
April 26-30 McPherson College Players
May 8 W. A. A. Banquet
May 25-28 Final Exams
May 29 Class Day
May 29 Alumni Reunion 6:00 P. M.
May 30 Baccalaureate
May 31 Commencement 10:00 A. M.

Football

The close of the 1947 football season found the Bulldogs in the Conference cellar with a Won-Lost standing of 0-6. The scores of some of the games were close, however, and the other scores do not give a true picture of the battle in every case. That "old school spirit" is not dead at McPherson and we predict a 1948 football team that will repeatedly pack the stadium and win its share of games. The 1947 season scores follow:

McPherson	6	Baker	7
McPherson	6	Sterling	0
McPherson	13	C. of E.	14
McPherson	0	Kansas Wesleyan	26
McPherson	6	Ottawa	28
McPherson	0	Bethel	12
McPherson	6	Becham	33

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Coaches Resign

Both coaches at the college have given official notice that they will not be at McPherson next year. This leaves the field wide open in the Physical Education and Athletic Department. The Administration will spare no effort to fill these vacancies with highly capable men.

Coach Thomas C. Hayden came to McPherson College in 1940 and very capably directed the athletic program alone during, and immediately following, the war period.

Coach Rolla Reiling is coaching at McPherson for his first year. He has coached football and basketball and will have the track team this spring.

Coach Hayden has been Director of Athletics this year and will coach baseball.

The college appreciates the services these men have given to McPherson College and wish them well as they continue their services in other places.