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### OPPORTUNITY.

Address to the Boys of America.

"A judgeship is vacant, the ermine waits  
The shoulders of youth brave, honest and  
true.

Some one will be standing by Fame's open  
gates—

I wonder, my boys, will it be one of you?

The president's chair of a great railroad maze  
Is empty to-day for Death claimed his due.

The directors are choosing a man for his  
place—

I wonder, my boys, will it be one of you?

A pulpit is waiting for some one to fill—

Of eloquent men there are only a few.

The man who can fill it must have powerful  
thrill—

The best will be chosen—will it be one of you?

The great men about us will pass to their  
rest;

Their places be filled by the boys who pursue  
The search for the highest, the noblest, the  
best;

I wonder who'll find them?—I hope t'will be  
you."

Prepare for Life's Work  
at McPherson College.

### A P A R A B L E

An American traveler, crossing Europe, bought a first-class coach-ticket for a day's ride through a mountainous country where there was no railroad.

After riding on the coach for some time it occurred to him that he was very foolish to have bought a first-class ticket when all passengers apparently fared alike. And so, with that famous American characteristic, he appealed to the driver as to "What he got on his first-class ride that the second and third-class passengers did not?"

The driver assured him that his value would appear before the end of the journey, and it was fully acknowledged by the American traveler when, as they came to the bottom of a seven-mile hill, just after dinner, the driver threw down the reins and made this announcement: "FIRST-CLASS PASSENGERS, PLEASE KEEP YOUR SEATS! SECOND-CLASS PASSENGERS, GET OUT AND WALK! THIRD-CLASS PASSENGERS, GET OUT AND PUSH!"

There is an exact parallel to this in securing an education. When a student enters McPherson College, he may be excused from wondering what he gets that the second and third-class colleges do for students, who pay a less price, do not secure. But it is sure to appear before the end of the journey, as is proven daily by the valuable things our students enjoy.

But don't make the mistake of comparing our college, (which is backed by the great State of Kansas, and is accredited by the State Board of Education, and students in Normal and College Courses get State and Life Certificates) with many small and poorly equipped Institutions not backed by the State.

No; be wise! Refuse to believe that second and third-class Institutions give the same advantages

as first-class, or that you can find a college where better work is done than in McPherson College.

### R E S O L U T I O N S

Whereas it has pleased our All-Wise Father to call from earth and place in His Celestial Choir the music filled soul of our beloved Nellie McVey and by her death our hearts have been filled with sadness. We deem it fitting that we pay to her memory this tribute of respect and express our trust in Him who doeth all things well. Therefore be it Resolved—That by her death the church has lost a devoted Christian and her wide circle of acquaintances a noble, pure and loving character, her teachers a conscientious student and her pupils a teacher whose guidance should be an inspiration to their lives.

Resolved—That as Faculty and students of McPherson College we express our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved relatives and that we commend them to Him who said "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

Resolved—That a copy of these resolutions be published in the Rays of Light and that a copy be sent to the immediate relatives of the family.

Mrs. S. J. MILLER.

F. G. MUIR.

## **McPHERSON COLLEGE**

Still contains an abundance of good fruit, notwithstanding it has been clubbed and vigorously shaken. Watch us grow. Enrollment nearly 400, and students enrolling almost daily.

## **P O S I T I O N S**

The difference between two boys is not so much ability as it is energy. If you have the energy to spend a little time in school we can change your \$5.00 or \$10.00 per week position to one of \$15. or \$30.

Prof. Fahnestock at the head of our business department is one of the best penman and business educators of Kansas, having had 30 years of practical business experience. Being connected with several of the largest employment bureaus of the U. S., we get positions for all our qualified students.

We can help you to get a better position and save you from \$25. to \$50. on a complete Business or Penmanship Course.

Visit us or write at once for further information.

## **Concerts and Lectures**

McPherson College and the Inman Juvenile Band have united forces and offer the following excellent lecture and concert course:

Tuesday evening, Nov. 14, Miss Ullery's recital.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 12, "The Successful Life," by Pres. Frantz.

Tuesday evening, Jan. 9, "Literature in Public Schools," by Prof. S. J. Miller.

Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, "Psy-

chotherapeutics" and "Foundations of Human Knowledge" by Prof. H. J. Harnly.

Tuesday evening, March 18, "Ancient History" and "Combustion," by Prof. Elder.—Inman Review.

## **An Interesting Game**

The High School and McPherson College base ball teams crossed bats recently on the college grounds. The game was a close and interesting one all the way through and was witnessed by an unusually large number of the High School and college pupils. The game resulted in a score of three to two in favor of the college team. The batteries were Stoltenberg and Mannon for the college and Colburn and Edwards for the H. S.

## **ARE ENTERPRISING.**

W. O. Beckner and the members of the Galva High School have made arrangements for a good lecture course this winter. The course will consist of five numbers which are as follows: Nov. 10, "Literature in the Public Schools," Prof. S. J. Miller; December 12, Elocutionary and Musical Recital by Miss Jessie Ullery and Chas. Fahnestock; January 18, "The Successful Life," Prof. Edward Frantz; February 8, "Ancient History," Prof. L. W. Elder; March 15, "Psychic Therapeutics," Prof. H. J. Harnly. All who take part in these entertainments are instructors in McPherson college and are efficient men.—McPherson Daily Republican.

## **"DEEDS NOT WORDS"**

We invite parents of young people to visit us at any time, and investigate, for it is difficult to tell in print wherein our difference and unusual excellence consists. Big enrollment.

## **AN EGG PROBLEM**

A farm woman went to market with a basketful of eggs. They were of various sizes colors and shapes, and the dealers somewhat reluctantly paid her ten cents a dozen for them.

A man had a limited supply of eggs that he did not have to take to market to sell, for he was besieged by buyers who were only too willing to pay him \$1.50 for thirteen.

Why this difference in eggs? Are not all eggs eggs? By no means, dearie; there are just common, plain, every day eggs and there are eggs of quality that are in demand and command high prices because the supply is limited.

A story of a similar tenor: Five hundred young men and eight hundred young women are assembled in mass convention in front of a store where it has been rumored a six dollar a week clerk is wanted. But this same firm is scouring the country to find a three thousand dollar man to fill an important and responsible position. Why this difference between men and MEN? Just this: the aspirants for the six dollar place are not qualified to do high grade work while the three thousand dollar man is. So he commands a high place while the inferior ones beg for the scrub places.

Now, young people, take your choice. Be a thoroughbred and get thoroughbred places or remain a scrub and be obliged to subsist on scrub pay. In other words EDUCATE for what you expect to BE.

The hen is sure to have a successful hatching. To prove it write us and we will send you one of the hens and you can see the kind of eggs she is setting on.



## NEWS NOTES

Effie Horner, of Chalmers, Ill., has made marked improvement the past term.

H. J. Detrick, of Cushing, Okla., is making fine progress in book-keeping.

Levi Stump, of Miami, Texas, is a good hard working student in Normal work.

Mohler Shirky, of Norborne, Mo., is now doing good work in the collegiate department.

Emma Horning, of Frederick, South Dakota, will complete her collegiate work this year.

F. E. Pfoutz, of New Sharon, Iowa, is one of our best students in the Normal department.

Mrs. C. E. Arnold and daughter Ruth have gone to Lordsburg, California, to spend the winter.

Eulalia Fishback, of Beatrice, Neb., is one of our most studious girls in the business department.

S. H. Bashor, of Jamestown, Colo., is one among the best students in the penmanship department.

'03 P. N. Bollinger, writes from Josephine, Mont., that he closes one term of school only to begin another. Porter is a very earnest worker and we are pleased to learn of his success.

A movement is on foot to build a trolley line from Salina to Hutchinson via McPherson and Lindsborg. It is only a question of a few years until the towns of central Kansas will be united by trolley lines.

'03, P. J. Lowen, Register of Deeds for Blaine County, Okla., sends us a souvenir of his city Watonga. His picture appears in it with the county officials, also a fine picture of his residence. His salary was over \$3,000 last year.

The new Law building at the Kansas University was dedicated at Lawrence, Oct. 26, with appropriate ceremony. Everything indicates that this will be by far the greatest year in the history of the Institution. The faculty now numbers 188, not including fellow and student instructors and the enrollment last year reached 1528.

Our Missionaries, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Eby are now located in their new mission field at Mandod, Rajtipla, India. They have good health and are enjoying their work very much. Their letters to the church and Sunday School are a great inspiration to us and the support for more than a year ahead is in the treasury.

### *Sunday School Conventions*

The McPherson City S. S. association held their annual convention on Oct. 29. Among the speakers were Reverends Morrison, Schnacke, Woodward, Todd, Dr. Nyvall of Walden College and Pres. Frantz of McPherson College, Hon. G. F. Grattan, B. A. Allison, Judge Galle, Prof. S. J. Miller, and Hon. E. R. Burkeholder, president of the Kansas State Sunday School Association. F. A. Vaniman was chosen president and Robert Matthews secretary and treasurer for the ensuing year. It was decided to organize a Normal Training class.

On Nov. 3rd and 4th the regular county convention was held at Lindsborg. A large delegation was present from McPherson and about half of the program was furnished by the faculty and students of the college. While McPherson county has one of the best organizations in the state and is doing aggressive, systematic work, yet there are several thousand in the county who are not enrolled in Sunday School. It is the plan of the county officers to push the work until every man, woman and child in the county is brought under the direct influence of the S. S. Prof. Shirk was re-elected president and W. O. Beckner secretary for another year. This is a just tribute to the earnest work they are doing.

### *WEDDING BELLS*

Someone has wittily said that if you do not wish to have your name in the paper you must not be born, get married or die. A notice of your birth is published as a notice of approaching disturbance and of your death as a relief to your friends. An account of your wedding is

printed for the satisfaction of the parties so long engaged. There are so many weddings for this issue we can only mention each briefly.

On Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, Miss Gertrude Hulse was married to Samuel Cramsey at Hutchinson. They will reside on the groom's farm near Windom.

Miss Nannie Hulse was united in matrimony with Charles Mulnix an enterprising young barber, at the home, of her sister, Mrs. George Steel in this city. They will reside at White Water where the groom has charge of a shop.

Mr. Gus Webb one of our former students joined the throng of the blessed by uniting his fortunes with Miss Maude Wallace. They will reside in the city.

Mr. Grover Severtson was married to Miss Mabel Thomas on Nov. 11. They will reside at McPherson.

### *ATTEND Y. W. C. A.*

A large party of young lady students of McPherson college attended the state convention of the Young Womens' Christian Association at Manhattan. Among the party were Misses Ebal, Emma Horning, Lizzie Neher, Della Vaniman, Leota Thorue, Myrtle Stump, Margaret Dudte, May Bowers, Cora Boone, Sadie Boone, Mabel Kimmel, Lillian Taylor, Lulu Hildebrand, Pearl Blondfield, Mattie Stutzman, Edna Ziegler, Katie Heirbert, Grace Vaniman, Mattie Bartels and Vada Kuns.

McPherson college has a large Y. W. C. A. and also a large Y. M. C. A. They have reading rooms and a library at the college and do much for the social betterment of the institution. Not a state convention of either is held at which McPherson is not well represented.—McPherson Republican.

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## EDITORIAL

### MOTHERS

When the Mothers of a great State like Kansas and its adjoining states look upon McPherson College as an educational Institution for their boys and girls—the college that has educated so many young men and women and placed them in good positions—that college will be found a splendid place for your boy or girl.

Recently, we have had a number of parents to visit us, and so many say, "Your pictures and your advertisements don't do you justice." "Yes, that is so, but we have so many good things here that the only way is to come and see.

Then you can, with a truth go away and say, "The half has not been told."

### COLLEGE NOTES

Miss Gertie Eicker '04, is teaching in district 100 in Harper township.

J. M. Snyder returned from a business trip to Marshalltown, Iowa.

Mrs. Carrie Snyder Lichty and

son Gaylord are visiting with her parents on College Hill.

A new brick sidewalk has been constructed from the college to the Santa Fe college station.

S. H. Bashor of Longmont, Colo., a student of last year, has returned and will continue his studies.

Rev. L. C. Schnacke of the city conducted the chapel exercises and gave the students an excellent address.

Chas. Ardinger moved with his parents to Greenville, Ohio, where he will assist his father in their new store.

Mr. Harvey Horton was here over Sunday and he says the McPherson College boys are making progress in the K. S. A. C.

Herman Allen '04, recently spent a few days with his parents in McPherson. He is assistant in Chemistry at Kansas University.

Clyde Hornbaber of Reno was here. He is a teacher and has decided to enter this institution next year and take a college course.

Mr. C. V. Hope and wife, Mrs. Williams were visiting their mother, brother and sisters and also visited several classes at the college.

'05 Misses Mary McGill, Melinda Byer and Helen Slosson recently visited their Alma Mater. They are succeeding very nicely with their schools.

Mohler J. Miller who is completing his Medical Course at the Kansas City Medical College recently spent a few days with his mother on College Hill.

S. C. Miller, president of the Senior Collegiate class, returned last evening. He spent the summer selling views of Underwood & Underwood and his sales amounted to over two thousand dollars.

P. A. Kane, a Normal graduate class '02, recently received his life certificate. He has been appointed associate examiner in place of Prof. Clement. He will complete the full Commercial course in his Alma Mater next Spring.

Plans are completed for a special car over Santa Fe via Mo. Pac. at

Lyons to convey the teachers of the county to the Central Kansas Teachers Association to be held at Sterling, Nov. 30, and Dec. 1st and 2nd. No true teacher can afford to miss this meeting.

J. H. Williams was called home to Belleville by the death of his niece, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams who completed our Academic Course in 1898. We can only extend our sympathy to the bereaved parents in this loss of a household gem.

Prof. and Mrs. George Edgecomb of Canton spent Saturday at the college recently. George will complete the Normal course next Spring and has just announced his candidacy for the nomination for County Superintendent. He is eminently fitted for this position and we hope to see him nominated and elected.

The county teachers are arranging for a series of contests between the various districts of the county. A scholarship will be awarded in either McPherson college or Bethany college to the four best spellers in the county. Much interest is being manifest by the teachers and pupils of the county and no doubt much good will result.

Dr. A. W. Vaniman, formerly student, teacher and Business Manager of McPherson College but who for the past five years has been a missionary to Sweden arrived on Friday evening accompanied by his faithful companion. On Sunday evening he gave a lecture on Sweden in the college chapel. He will spend the winter in the west to regain his health.

A number of the professors and students attended the District Meeting at Larned. They report it the best ever held in the district. About \$2000 was pledged for Home and Foreign Missions. Prof. Frantz was chosen Moderator; Elder J. J. Yoder, Reading Clerk and Rev. H. M. Barwick, Writing Clerk. Elder S. J. Miller was chosen to represent the District on the Standing Committee with Elder M. Keller as alternate.

Fred Hill, a student of the college



in 1890 and who later finished the Law course at Kansas University being the youngest lawyer admitted to the bar in Kansas up to that time, is winning high honors as an actor. He performs with perfect ease and naturalness the part of a comedian. His rendition of the difficult play "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" places him in the front ranks as a performer.

We were very much shocked when Prof. Miller received a telegram from Lordsburg, Calif., announcing the sudden death of Miss Nellie McVey. Miss McVey was a graduate of the collegiate course in music of McPherson college and taught for several years at Juniata Pa., college. She was a noble lady with many excellent qualities of character and her many friends regret that her useful and promising career was cut so short.

Juniata college at Juniata, Penn., was given a donation of \$15,000 for a Carnegie Library and at once raised \$17,000 for furnishing and maintaining it. When the plans of the building were laid before the architect he saw that more money would be needed so a copy of the plans and a complete explanation were submitted to Mr. Carnegie and he raised the gift to \$28,000. This will give them a beautiful and commodious library and we congratulate our sister college on her good fortune.

Prof. C. W. Kline and Principal C. E. Wright were welcome visitors at the college Saturday.

Joe Hutchinson of Colorado, is visiting his mother on College Hill.

Mr. H. A. Hoffert and wife, formerly Miss Katie Horner, arrived from Carlisle, Neb., and will continue their studies.

Ira H. Frantz, of Summerfield, Kansas, has enrolled in the Normal Department.

For many years Elder Dickey has asked to be relieved of the oversight of the church at this place. He has charge of quite a number of churches and is kept very busy. His request was granted at the last council and Levi Mohler was

selected as Elder for the ensuing year.

The Elite Literary Society is doing excellent work. They have closed doors, but on Nov. 13 they gave an excellent open door program.

Quite a number of students attended the Shakespearean Play "As You Like It." They report it as being well played.

Olyde McCoskree of Dighton, Ks., and Mr. Henry Klepinger of Eldorado, Ks., have enrolled as students.

The Chemistry laboratory and literature rooms have been nicely fitted up with steel ceiling and at present are being painted which adds much to the appearance of these two rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Minor of Lost Springs spent two days with their daughter who is attending college. They speak very highly of the institution and are well pleased with the environments.

Miss Adah Alles is paying a visit to her old classmates. She will be in school in the near future.

There is not much class spirit displayed among the college students but in order to hold the class together the Freshman students perfected an organization. Howard Shirkey was chosen pres.; C. A. Lowen, vice pres.; Pearl Ebaugh, sec.; Ruth Bukey, trans.; and Marian Spillman reporter. Black and old gold were chosen as the class colors.

The Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. are observing the "week of prayer among college students." They meet for a half hour each evening at 6:30 and the attendance and interest are growing. On Sunday evening, Nov. 17, a series of meetings will begin in the college chapel.

'05, H. M. Barwick is kept very busy conducting revival meetings in the surrounding churches. He just closed a series of meetings in the Kansas center church with

several accessions and at once began meetings at Ramona.

Mrs. Sue Saylor and children of Ramona visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Slusher on college Hill. She will never forget the "dear old college" and the many friendships formed here.

November 13, the following officers were elected in the Elite Society: F. E. Phoutz, Pres.; Ida Jacobs, Vice Pres.; Miss Ridgeway, Sec.; W. E. Cline, Asst. Sec.; H. C. Weiss, Treas.; S. H. Bashor, Critic; Howard Kasey, Sergeant; B. Wichman, Asst. Sergeant; Choristers, Miss Johnston, Miss Pearson, and F. W. Matthies.

Notice, they are alive and doing good work. Come and see for yourselves.

## SUCCESSFUL TERM.

Today, Nov. 11, McPherson college closed the most successful term in the history of the institution. No better class of students have ever met within her walls and there is not a drone in the whole line but all are busy workers. The enrollment is climbing rapidly towards the four hundred mark and before the year is completed will no doubt reach five hundred. McPherson College has always stood for the best in education as well as in character. Thoroughness has been the watchword and the splendid success of her graduates attests to the excellent training received while in school.—McPherson Republican

## Womens' Occupations

If a woman does not wish to be a housekeeper there are four hundred recognized occupations for women from which she may choose a way to earn her daily bread, but she will be almost sure to find that she will meet with competition in every one of these occupations and that she needs to be mistress of her trade, whatever it is, if she expects to receive fair wages. To aid her in this is one of the special provinces of the BUSINESS SCHOOL. We believe it is the duty of parents to have their daughters trained to do at least some one useful thing, so that in case of misfortune, they can become their own bread winners.

## THE BIBLE DEPARTMENT OF McPHERSON COLLEGE.

### Some Things Some People Want to Know.

1. How long does it take to complete the Bible Course?  
We have two courses, one requiring two years, the other, three years.
2. What is the difference between these Courses?  
The chief difference is that the longer Course includes Greek and Hebrew.
3. Does it pay to study Greek and Hebrew?  
That depends. If your previous education has been such as to prepare you to pursue these studies successfully, and if at the same time you can do so without neglecting your English Bible, it will pay you. But it is a waste of time to study Greek and Hebrew at the expense of a good, working knowledge of your Bible as you have it in your mother tongue. This is of the first importance and upon this the emphasis should be laid.
4. If I take Bible studies must I take the regular course, or may I select such studies as I wish?  
You may take any part of the Course you desire.
5. If I finish a course will I then know all about the Bible and understand everything in it?  
No. The probabilities are that the field of unexplored knowledge will look larger to you than when it does now.
6. Then what good will it do me to take the Course? Would I not better stop before I begin?  
O, no. It is a good thing to find out how little we know, even if it does pinch our pride a bit. By taking a course we get our eyes opened to the vastness of the field of Bible knowledge. We acquire a greater love for the Bible and a higher appreciation of its worth. We learn much that is helpful, and, what is more important, we acquire an interest (that is to know more, and learn how to pursue our own study to greater profit).
7. Do you not make use of other books as helps to Bible study?  
There are a few subjects closely related to Bible study which we consider desirable to the Bible student, such for example, as the history of Christianity, in which we are compelled to use other books than the Bible. But by far the greater part of our work consists in the study of the Bible itself, and in the majority of the classes we use no other textbook. Our position on this point will doubtless be regarded by some as extreme, but we deem above all things that the student should get his ideas of what the Bible teaches from the Bible itself, and not from books which men have written about the Bible. The experience of ten years in teaching Bible classes fully convinces us of the wisdom of this course.
8. What is the cost of tuition?  
In the Bible Department tuition is free.
9. Is tuition free because it is not worth anything?  
No. And it must not be supposed that it does not cost anybody anything. It is free because certain friends of the work are so strongly impressed with the need of it that they are willing to pay for its support themselves, that the largest possible number may enjoy its advantages.
10. Is it advisable to take other studies in connection with Bible studies?  
If you already have a good general education or if you can spend only a very short time in school, you would probably better confine yourself to your Bible studies. But if you can spend a longer time, and especially if your previous educational advantages have been limited, it is best to take a part of your work in the literary department.

11. How does such an arrangement affect the cost of tuition?  
You pay no more for such other studies as you take. If you take one literary study with Bible studies you pay one-fourth the full tuition, two studies, one-half, etc. This is a special concession to Bible students and applies only to those who take two or more studies in the Bible Department.
12. Tell me something about this HIGHER CRITICISM we hear so much of these days. What does it mean and what does your school do about it?  
At the turn of the century and among scholars it was somewhat common. In the primary sense it means a critical study of the books of the Bible for the purpose of knowing all that can be known concerning the circumstances of their writing. The name was chosen to distinguish it from TEXTUAL or LOWER CRITICISM, which is the study of the different Bible manuscripts for the purpose of determining the text. The terms HIGHER and LOWER signify nothing more than the order in which these processes naturally occur. But because a few of the scholars who have pursued these lines of study have promulgated views which virtually deny the divine inspiration of the Bible, the divinity of Christ, and other fundamental Christian doctrine, the term HIGHER CRITICISM has come to be used most commonly as a name for such views. In this sense of the term you may be sure that we have no use for it, except to do all we can to subvert its influence.
13. What theory of inspiration do you teach?  
We do not teach ANY THEORY of inspiration. We teach the FACT and let the THEORY take care of itself. We know that electricity is a real thing, for we see its manifestations, and, within certain limits, can control its operations. But nobody has yet been able to tell us precisely what it is. Just as the evidence that the Bible is inspired of God, that it is the message of God to man, is to our minds overwhelming, and the exact nature of the process we do not pretend to be able to define.
14. Do you spend a good deal of time in discussing puzzling and speculative theological questions?  
No. We ignore such matters almost entirely, unless attention to them is forced upon us. If a student is really troubled by such questions we do our best to help him, and have found that usually we can help him most by trying him to persistent, prayerful Bible study and patient waiting. Both a study and attitude of mind inevitably result in an increasing faith in God and His Word, and as the student gets a real acquaintance with his Bible and an appreciation of its true character, difficulties of this class either disappear or lose their importance to the mind. To know the message which the Bible has for us is the burden of our effort, and if you are more interested in knowing "who Christ's wife was, or why God made the devil, than you are in learning what God wants you to do, it is not likely that our work would suit you.
15. I believe that is all that occurs to my mind just now and I wish to thank you for the information you have given me. If I think of something else later, how shall I proceed?  
We suggest that you write a personal letter to Edward Frantz, President of the College and Head of the Bible Department.
16. Is it worth while? Will he answer my questions if I do write him?  
He will if he can. If he cannot, he will tell you so. At any rate it will be worth a stamp to see what he has to say.
17. Must I put in an extra stamp for his reply?  
Exercise your own pleasure about that. If you do he will appreciate your thoughtfulness, and will have a little higher opinion of your chances for success. Still he will answer your letter whether you put in the stamp or not.
18. Must I put on the envelope all that string of words written after his name in your reply to my fifteenth question?  
That is not necessary. You can save both a little ink and time, and your letter will reach him just as soon if you simply write EDWARD FRANTZ, McPherson, Kansas.

## DIED

Clarence M. Law died at his home in Spring Valley after a lingering illness of many months due to tuberculosis.

He was a son of S. M. Law; an old settler of Spring Valley township. Clarence was twenty-four years of age last February. The greater part of his school life was spent in McPherson. He was very popular with his school mates both in public school and college and won a large circle of friends. He was a member of the class of 1899 of the High School and in 1901 graduated from the Academic department at McPherson college. Later he commenced on a business course but did not finish. About two years ago he began to fail in health. He was sent to New Mexico and Arizona for his health but to no avail and he was at last brought home last spring in a serious condition. This summer he was sent to a hospital in Wichita but was again brought home last week in almost a dying condition. He became continually weaker until his death.

## CARNEGIE LIBRARY

We, the undersigned agree to give the sum opposite our names in endowment notes bearing 5 per cent interest, for the 10,000 upkeep endowment to secure the Carnegie Library, for McPherson College. Paid up subscription to become due when the \$10,000 shall have been fully subscribed.

- B. B. Fahnestock, \$1,000
- H. J. Harnly, S. J. Miller, Edward Frantz, F. A. Vaniman, J. J. Yoder, \$500.
- C. J. Shirky and wife, H. A. Horton, \$250.
- H. H. Kimmel, Dr & Mrs. Saylor, \$300.
- Thomas Nicholson, Mr and Mrs. Edgecomb, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Heaston, \$100.
- S. B. Shirky, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. Stutzman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shirky, Will Yoder, S. C. Miller, J. H. B. Williams, Harvey Snowberger, A. E. Hedding, J. W. Gish, Lester Williams, Mary Frantz, \$50.
- Mr. Enos Miller, \$40.
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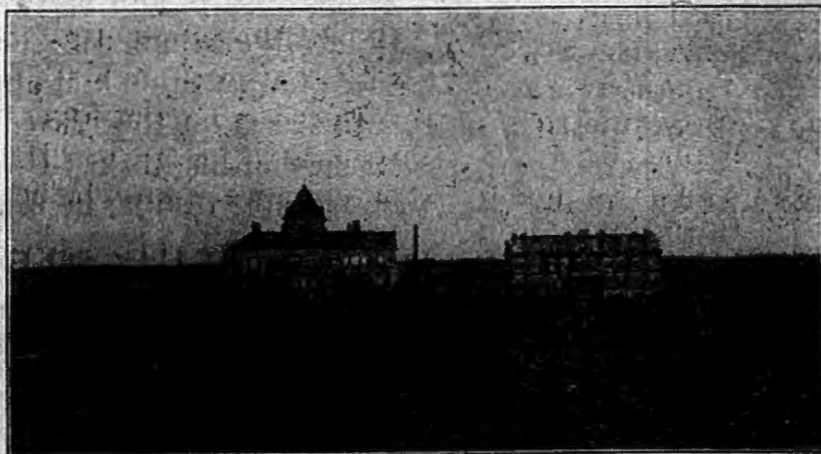
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