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We respectfully
dedicate this issue of
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to our worthy friend and instructor
DEAN HENRY JACOB HARNLY
in recognition of his twenty-seven years
of untiring effort, his life of sacri-
fice, and his inestimable service
to McPherson College





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Dean of the College, and Professor of Biology.

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New Dorm for Ladies

The large number of ladies, and married people too, who flocked to McPherson College in the last few years, demonstrated to the management that something had to be done to accommodate them. Houses could not be found on the hill to shelter them, and the dormitories were full. Last summer the beautiful building shown above was erected at a total cost of thirty thousand dollars. It is located just a few steps north of Arnold Hall. It is thirty by sixty-four feet in dimensions, three stories, built of brick and hollow tile, with a green tile roof. It was completed Saturday, October twenty-fifth, and the girls moved from the gymnasium "Barracks" the following Monday.

The structure is modern in every way, furnished thru-out with first class oak furniture. The first floor contains four suites of rooms, which are occupied by married people. The second contains three suites of rooms, two single rooms and a reception room. The third floor contains nine student rooms, bath and toilet.



Board of Trustees

At the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees, February second, the above members were present, beginning at the left: W. H. Yoder, Alumni Trustee, Morrill, Kansas; W. W. Holsopple, Middle Missouri, Versailles, Missouri; J. E. Bryant, Western Colorado, Grand Junction, Colorado; D. W. Teeter, Southern Missouri, Jasper, Missouri; S. G. Nickey, Nebraska and Northeastern Colorado, Haxton, Colorado; G. E. Shirky, Southeastern Kansas, Madison, Kansas; J. J. Yoder, Executive Board, McPherson, Kansas; G. W. Burgin, Northwestern Kansas, Burr Oak, Kansas; F. E. Marchand, Oklahoma, Thomas, Oklahoma; F. P. Detter, Executive Board, McPherson, Kansas; J. N. Dresher, Executive Board, McPherson, Kansas; A. E. Riddlebarger, Idaho, Nampa, Idaho; H. J. Harnly, Executive Board, McPherson, Kansas; J. A. Flory, Executive Board, McPherson, Kansas; Erory Martin, Southwestern Kansas and Southeastern Colorado, Bloom, Kansas; Norman A. Saylor, Northeastern Kansas, Morrill, Kansas; W. O. Beckner, Field Secretary, McPherson, Kansas. The only man absent was E. G. Dodabaugh, Northern Missouri, Northlone, Missouri.





New Science Hall

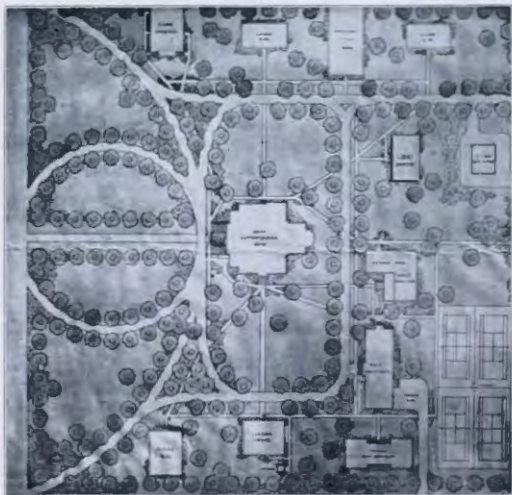
McPherson College is moving along. Above is presented a prospectus of the new Science Hall. It gives a good idea of how the building will look. It will be located north of Sharp Administration building and a little to the east. It is to be a good fire-proof building, fronting the west, one hundred twenty-eight feet long, fifty-four feet wide, and four stories high.

The entire first floor will be devoted to chemistry. There is to be enough laboratory space to accommodate a large number of students. Chemistry is being more and more demanded and it is for this reason that one floor will be given over exclusively to this department.

The second floor will be given to two departments. The north end will be fitted up for Domestic Science and Art work. This department has suffered much in the past for want of room. The south end will be equipped for the Physics department.

The biological laboratory will occupy the north end of the third floor. This is a very important department for in it students receive the proper perspective of life. The department of Agriculture will occupy the south end. This, too, is an important department and should have ample equipment and space.

The fourth floor will be given over to recitation rooms, music and art, and halls for the various literary societies.



Proposed Campus

The campus as it will look when the enrollment reaches one thousand, and the endowment raised several million.

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McPherson College—Past, Present and Future

The history of McPherson College dates back to the year 1887, when, at a session of an educational meeting of the Annual Conference of the Church of the Brethren, which convened at Ottawa, Kansas, a committee was appointed to locate and organize a college and industrial institute. The organization of the committee was S. Z. Sharp, A.M., President; M. M. Eshelman, Secretary, and George E. Studebaker, Business Manager. A number of Kansas towns were visited by the committee and McPherson was chosen as the best location for the new school. Her citizens soon organized a building association which erected Fahnestock Hall and turned it over to the school committee.

On September 5, 1888, school was opened. The enrollment reached almost two hundred the first year. The school developed remarkably well under the able direction of President Sharp, who held that position six years. In 1889 a board of directors composed of Daniel Vaniman, A. W. Vaniman, and J. H. Peck, was appointed. These staunch friends of the institution took upon themselves much of the financial responsibility of the school. About this time the historical "hard times" of Kansas began to threaten the existence of the school. The attendance decreased and during the financial crisis of 1893-1895, a climax was reached which made a reorganization necessary.

In 1895 the buildings were leased for three years to C. E. Arnold, H. J. Harnly, Edward Frantz and S. B. Fahnestock. These four men were young and full of enthusiasm. They had faith enough in the school to assume what seemed to be a hopeless task. C. E. Arnold, A.M., was elected president and under his leadership the school developed materially. The outstanding indebtedness was soon cancelled and by 1898 the present administration building was completed, and the institution was chartered under the name, "McPherson College." President Arnold served the college very ably and pushed it on toward greater success and achievement. In June, 1902, McPherson College met with an irreparable loss in his untimely death.

Dr. Edward Frantz, now Editor of the "Gospel Messenger," was chosen to fill the vacancy. Dr. Frantz was an able executive and was president until his health forced him to abandon his position in 1910. In 1906, due largely to the efforts of S. B. Fahnestock, the Carnegie Library was built. In 1909 the college farm was bought; in 1911 the Alumni Gymnasium was added.

S. J. Miller, A.M., now president of LaVerne College, was acting president during the year 1910-1911. In 1911 John A. Clement, Ph.D., was elected president of the college and served in that position two years. In 1912 the Board of Trustees was increased to fifteen. In January of the same year the school met another loss in the sudden death of Professor Fahnestock. Dr. Harnly, long Dean of the college, was acting president during the school year 1913-1914. During that year the Trustees were

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first elected by the adjoining state districts of the church. The departments of agriculture and domestic science were added at this time.

The greatest period in the history of McPherson College is dated 1914-1920—and the future. Our beloved Dr. Kurtz, B.D., D.D., took the presidential chair in the fall of 1914. Since that time a phenomenal growth of the college in all its phases has taken place. Several thousand dollars worth of indebtedness were soon lifted; a new heating plant was built in 1915; and a new enthusiasm and religious atmosphere gripped the school. Every department was strengthened by new additions to the faculty. Students began to pour in from both near and distant states. In 1916 Arnold Hall was completed; yet the two dormitories would not contain the increasing number of students. In 1917 an endowment campaign raised \$225,000. This year another dormitory was built and still the three dormitories and many private homes on college hill are hardly sufficient to accommodate our students.

Plans for the future are big and bright. In the next five years \$1,200,000 will be raised. \$700,000 will be used for new buildings and equipment, and \$500,000 will be added to our permanent endowment. Dr. Kurtz, when interviewed about the future of the school recently, said, "It is my ideal not to have a University here, but a College, second to none in the state, equipped for one thousand students in all departments, and to add to the faculty men of scholarship and clean Christian character. We plan to increase the superior position of McPherson College by increasing her religious activities, and make her the leading school of religion and missions in the middle west. We will also place due emphasis upon the other departments of the college." Taking the word of the leading educators of the state, we can now say that McPherson College is the leading church school of the state. Our college is known all over the land. There is no reason why it should not become the "Oberlin of the West." With Dr. Kurtz at the helm, McPherson College surely never had a brighter outlook.

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Our Alma Mater

You're more than bricks and stones and walls
And rooms and endless winding halls;
You are the light that guides our bark,
That leads us from the boundless dark,
 To carry on the light.

You point to us the way to go,
You shelter us in joy or woe;
To us you give the best of you,
May we to this our trust be true,
 To carry on the light.

Teach us thy truths that we may be
A help to all humanity,
That we may to some soul in need
Be kind in every word and deed,
 And carry on the light.

And when for us the race is run
He kindly says, "Thy work's well done,"
When journ'ing far to distant lands
We'll give the torch to other hands,
 To carry on the light.

—Iva Studebaker.

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Foreword

The years spent in college are, on the whole, the most pleasant and interesting that young people will experience. Friendships are formed, character is molded, innate tendencies discovered, and the life work planned. McPherson College, realizing this trust, has ever cherished the highest ideals. All forensic, athletic, and social activities along with science, literature, and art, have their part in training for citizenship.

It is the aim of the 1920 "Life and Light" to chronicle the diversified events in McPherson College; to reflect college life in its seriousness and its joyfulness. It is presented with the hope that you will like it, and that in years to come when you pause o'er its yellowed leaves it will bring back pleasant memories of the year '19-'20.

May these few pages strengthen the bond of sympathy and loyalty existing between us and our dear Alma Mater.

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Instructor in Academy
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Doings of the Faculty

McPherson College should feel highly honored by the fact that our president, Dr. D. W. Kurtz, has been invited to speak at the World's Sunday School Convention which convenes at Tokyo, Japan, October 5-14, 1920. Dr. Kurtz is vice president of the International Sunday School Convention. He and Mrs. Kurtz will spend the months of September and October on the trip and will travel via the Pacific in company with a large party of delegates. Dr. Kurtz has done many big things this year. We have space to mention them only. He spent ten days in a life work conference in Colorado University, and a short time at Nebraska U. and Kansas U. He spoke at the Union Lake Bible Conference with several renowned speakers. His services are again secured for Estes Park this summer and he will speak to the state "Y" workers at Hollister, Missouri. He has turned down scores of important lectures and commencements.

Dr. H. J. Harnly is the old "stand by" of the college. He has been with the college twenty eight years with only one year off which he spent at Leland Stanford. He has been granted a year of absence and will go abroad with the missionary party of the church which leaves in August. He will be in attendance at the Tokyo Convention and will visit the mission fields of China, India, and central Africa. He will make an extensive study of the educational conditions in these fields. We wish for the Doctor a pleasant journey and know he will have an enjoyable time.

There will be no "J. J." here to buy syrup for us next year. Professor J. J. Yoder has been chosen, among others, to make an extensive visit of the mission fields of all denominations. He will represent the General Mission Board at the Tokyo Convention. The party will visit China, Ceylon, India, Africa, and very likely Denmark and Sweden. They will be accompanied thru Africa by an armed guard and will probably establish a new mission point in central Africa.

Dr. Culler was granted a leave of absence last year. He sailed with the relief party for Armenia and arrived there April 22. He was appointed director of a large district, with Marash, Turkey, as headquarters. A hospital, eight orphanages, several schools, and a cloth factory employing seven hundred people, were established. Thousands of refugees were helped and thousands of people were taken back to their former homes, and furnished with food, clothing, and capital with which to begin anew. The monthly budget for supplies amounted to twenty thousand dollars. He personally supervised the reconstruction in many villages. Since his return to America and the Alma Mater he has been called to lecture extensively for the Inter-Church World Movement.

As this is printed the situation of Miss Evelyn Trostle is uncertain. She has been in relief work in Turkey for the past eight months. She had charge of two girls orphanages in Marash until trouble began in January. She stayed by her Armenian orphans until she was compelled by the Turks to leave Marash. The latest press reports say she escaped safely to Constantinople.



CHARLIE THE TROOP

THREE NUMBER

VERDIE THE TRAVELER

ELLIS THE GENTLE

TRUENIE AT THREE

WONNIE THE SCHOOLBOY

DANNY OUR PREAT

THE STRUP BOY

LEROY THE JOKE CHASER

WILLY THE GUY

LUTHER THE NUMBER

EDITH OUR ADVISER

WILDA!

THE FOUNDER

ROBBIE AT PLAY

ARRAND THE STENO

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First AB 1874

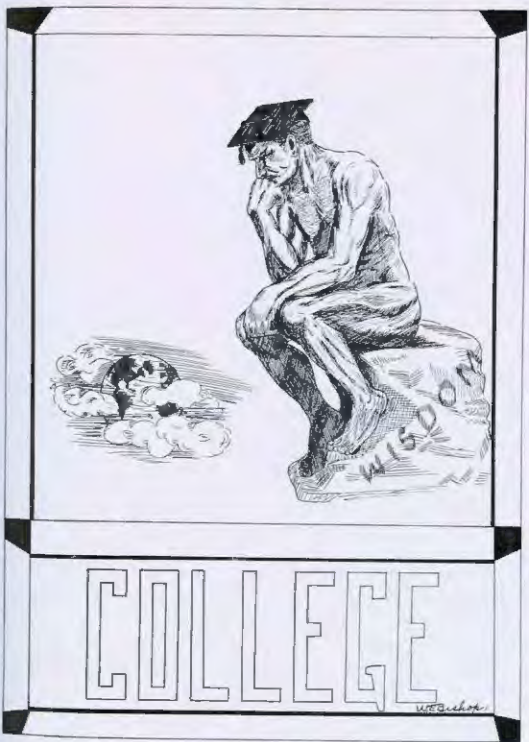


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OLIVER H. AUSTIN, B.D.
A. B. McPherson College, 1915.



F. P. BULLER, A.M.
A. B. McPherson College, 1919.



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Motto: Truth is Freedom

Class Flower: Lily of the Valley.

Class Colors: Navy Blue and Gold

Faculty Adviser: Doctor D. W. Kurtz.

Honorary Advisers: Doctor Culler and Professor
E. L. Craik

CLASS YELL

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Seniors!

COMMENCEMENT

Our college days are past; we face the world at last,
Released from the grind of four full years.
Fertile fields lie before; opportunity opens the door,
We step across the threshold sans doubts or fears.

Yet we hesitate as we separate
From our classmates, faculty and friends.
We wait in suspense, just a moment—tense,
Frought with far reaching destinies and ends.

We stand to day facing the way
That leads on to the world's teeming road,
But we fear no lot nor shun no spot;
We will bear a man's share of the load.

Our college days are past; they could not always last.
Service ushers us on thru the wide open door.
Yet we will bear in mind, all we leave behind,
And for us the campus is—NO MORE.

E. L. I.

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PAUL K. BRANDT, A.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; State I. P. A. Oratorical Contest—2; Student Council President—2, 3; Class President—4; Debate Club—4; College Debate Team—1, 4.

If more had his spirit, what a credit to this school.

U. of Chicago.

ERNEST L. IKENBERRY, A.B., Quinter.

Iconoclast; Mission Band Vice-President—1; I. P. A. President—2; Inter-Society Oratorical 2nd—2; Student Extension Department President—3; Class Vice-President—4; Life and Light Associate Editor—4; College Debate Team—1, 4; Central Committeeman Fahnestock Hall—4; Gospel Team—1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club—1, 2, 3, 4; Mission Band, Charge Deputation Work—1, 2; Y. M. C. A. Cabinet—1, 2, 4.

Has learned a lot of different kinds of things since he was a Freshman.

College Evangelist.

ALMA G. ANDERSON, A.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet—2, 3, 4; I. P. A. Secretary—2; Class Secretary—4; Senior Play Cast.

The soul of precision, endowed with the sanctity of reason.

M. C. Faculty.

MIL0 J. STUTZMAN, Sc.B., McPherson.

Irving; Assistant Chemistry Laboratory—2; Chemical War Service in Army; Base Ball—1, 2, 3, 4; Football—4; Class Treasurer—4; Life and Light Associate Business Manager—4.

A good scout on the soft pedal.

U. of Nebraska.





MRS. HAZEL AUSTIN, A.B., McPherson.

Irving; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet—2; Choral Union President—3; Ladies' Glee Club—4; Student Council—4.

Now we know what is meant when a wife is a complement to her husband.

PAUL C. WARREN, A.B., McPherson.

Irving; entered second semester Junior year. Winner Inter-Society Oratorical Contest—3; The Spectator Editor-in-Chief—4.

Lo! A Chesterfield come to M. C.

RUTH BRUBAKER, A.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; Portia Debating Club—1; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet—1; Iconoclast Secretary—1; Volunteer Band Secretary—2; Student Council—3.

And whispering, "I will ne'er consent!"—consented.

Matrimony.

RAY W. FRANTZ, A.B., Weatherford, Texas.

Iconoclast; R. O. N.; entered in Junior year; The Spectator Staff—3; Class Treasurer—3; Choral Union—3, 4; Glee Club—3, 4; Base Ball—3, 4; Iconoclast President—3; Debate Club—4; College Debate Team—4; The Spectator Associate Editor—4; Senior Play Cast.

"Three-fifths of himself is genius, and two-fifths sheer fulgure."—Lowell.

MORRIS H. HARNLY, Sc.B., Waverly, Illinois.

"Harold the Saxon"

Irving: Adelpic; Irving Critic—1, President—2; Flying Squadron—2; The McColpa Associate Editor—2; Class Vice-President—2; President—3; I. P. A. President—2; Athletic Board of Control—2, 3; Yell Leader—3; Overseas two years, in the French Army and as 1st Lieut. R.M.A., A.S., U.S.A.; The Spectator Associate Editor—4; Senior Play Cast.

"Well, anyway, we did our damndest."
—R. L. S.

U. of Chicago.

EDITH LEONA BESHORE, A.B., Murdock.

Iconoclast; Debate Club Treasurer—4.
To think is to live.

Kansas State Agricultural College.

ROY W. WAMPLER, Sc.B., McPherson.

Irving; Assistant in Chemistry—3, 4.
Who perhaps to the summit of science shall soar.

Kansas State Agricultural College.

JOHN W. MAXCY, A.B., McPherson.

"Eric the Red"

Irving: Penco Oratorical, 1st in Local, 3rd in State—1; Bull Moose Glee Club, State—1; Inter-Society Oratorical 1st—1, 2; Student Council—1, 2; Glee Club—1, 2, 3; Choral Union—1, 2; Base Ball—1; Coach—2, 3, 4; I.P.A. Oratorical, 1st in Local, 2nd in State—2, 3; Flying Squadron—2; Athletic Board of Control—2, 3; Physical Director—2, 3; Inter-Society Declamatory, 2nd—2; Yell Leader—3; College Quartet—1, 2, 3; McColpa Staff—3; Annual Staff—3; Class Day Javelin and Base Ball Throw, 1st—3; Army two years, 2nd Lieut. R.M.A., A.S.A., U.S.A.; A.T.A. Oratorical, 1st in Local, 1st in State—4; Senior Play Cast.

*We like you for a' that and a' that
And thrice as muckle as a' that.*





GERTRUDE A. YODER, A.B., Hemet, California.

Iconoclast; entered Senior year.

Her's was the perfect way of honor.

HAROLD E. ENGSTROM, Sc.B., McPherson.

Irving; Chemistry Assistant—2, 3; Overseas thirteen months, 2nd Lieut. F.A., U.S.A.; Senior Play Cast.

Corpulent, complacent, compatible, Capable, comfortable, conscientious.

Colorado School of Mines.

DOROTHY A. BRYANT, A.B., Grand Junction, Colorado.

Iconoclast; entered as Sophomore; Choral Union—2, 3, 4; Debate Club Vice-President—4; Orchestra—4; Girls' Basket Ball Team—4.

She may hide, but she cannot escape us. Who deserves well needs not another's praise.

Nurses' Training School, Chicago.

J. GAYMAN BAILE, Sc. B.,
Arcadia, Florida
1893—1920

WE HONOR HIS MEMORY FOR

His integrity of character,

His faithfulness in every duty.

His success in scholastic attainments.

His loyalty to his class and friends,

His devotion to high ideals.

HARRY GILBERT, Sc.B., Los Angeles, California.

Irving; R. O. N.; entered Junior year; Y. M. C. A. Cabinet—4; Irving President—3; The Spectator Associate Editor—3; Athletics—4; Business Manager—4; Glee Club—3, 4; Klaxon Quartet—4; College Debate Team—4; Tennis—3, 4.

*"Let there be gall enough in the ink;
Though thou write with a goose pen."
—Shakespeare.*

Leland Stanford U.

CECIL DURST, A.B., Moundridge.

Iconoclast; entered Sophomore year; Choral Union—2; Iconoclast Secretary—2, 3.

She intends never to marry but would like to adapt Seth Osborne.

CURTIS BOWMAN, Sc.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; Iconoclast President—1; Y. M. C. A. Secretary—2; Bull Dogs—3; Base Ball—1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis—3, 4; Men's Glee Club—3, 4; Student Council President—4.

Write him as one who loves his fellow men.

Northwestern U. Medical School.

BRUCE WILLIAMS, A.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; entered in Junior year.

Ministerial in appearance, but a good layman nevertheless.





MRS. NORA B. EBBERT, A.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; Six-in-One-Committee—3.

She may be . . . but then she is only half here.

SAMUEL S. EBBERT, A.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; Y. M. C. A. Cabinet—1; Iconoclast Sgt.-at-Arms—1, 2; Class President—3.

The other half. More should be said, yes, could be said, but we must hurry on.

U. of Chicago.

MAY I. ROWE, A.B., McPherson-Irving.

*Out on life's tempestuous sea
Racked her boat quite merrily;
"May I, Rowe?" she heard him call;
Answered, "Yes," and that in all.*

Matrimony.

SILAS A. KEIM, A.B., Nampa, Idaho.

Irving; entered as Senior; Irving Reporter—4; Six-in-One-Committee—4; Debate Club—4.

*Safely anchored, but not yet in port.
Northwestern U. Medical School.*

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SETH PAINE OSBORNE, A.B., Miltonvale.

Iconoclast; entered Senior year; A. T. A. President—4.

Requested that he receive no other eulogy than that he was graduated from M. C. '20. (Has a conscience called Cecil.)

ELIZABETH HOERNER, A.B., McPherson.

Irving; entered Senior year.

"I grant I am a woman, but withal a woman well reputed."—Shakespeare.

J. PERRY PRATHER, A.B., Mound City, Missouri.

Irving; entered in Junior year; Irving Sgt.-at-Arms—3, 4; Gospel Term—3, 4; Mission Band V.c. -Pr. sident—3; Pastor at Centennial—4; A. T. A. Publicity Man—4; College Debate Team—4.

To be orthodox or heretic, that is the question.

U. of Chicago.

EUNICE M. CRIFE, A.B., McPherson.

Irving; Gym Instructor; entered in Senior year; Capt. Girls' Basket Ball Team—4.

Good sense which is the gift of heaven.





GLADYS IRENE HEASTON, A.B., McPherson.

Irving; Inter-Society Declamatory, 1st—1; The Spectator Editor-in-Chief—3; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet—4; The Spectator Literary and Art Editor—4; Life and Light Staff—4; Senior Play Cast.

The late Gladys Heaston.
U. of Chicago.

ROY C. FRANTZ, A.B., Conway Springs.

Irving; Men's Glee Club—1, 2, 3, 4; Choral Union—1, 2, 3, 4; The Spectator Athletic Editor—3; Army one year; The Spectator Organization Editor—4; Life and Light Editor-in-Chief—4; Gospel Team—3, 4; College Mixed Quartette—4; Senior Play Cast.

*Aristotle said * * * "Sober men of all others are most witty."*

MRS. NINA BRUBAKER, A.B., McPherson.

Iconoclast; Mission Band Reporter—1; Iconoclast Secretary—2; Foreign Volunteer Band Secretary—3, 4.

The common task does furnish all we thought to ask.

MARTIN E. STAUFFER, A.B., Mulberry Grove, Illinois.

Iconoclast; entered in Senior year.

He was a stranger, and we took him in, and he is a stranger still.

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Junior

Ray R. Cullen.....	President
Alice Burkholder.....	Vice-President
Chester Hoisopple.....	Treasurer
Della Evans.....	Secretary

Flower: Violet

Colors: Lavender and Gold

Motto: _____

Adviser: Rowland

CLASS ROLL

Mrs. Keim.....	Her Silas she keeps with her.
Sam Merkey.....	Sam's chance; it's Leap Year.
Martha Urey (You're Ray).....	All things look so bright about her, That they nothing see without her.
Miles G. Blickenstaff.....	320 rods make a mile. How many rods were spared on this child?
Susie Fike.....	Maiden! with rare brown eyes, In whose orba a shadow lies Like the dusk in evening skies.
Warnie Brubaker.....	Married. That's all.
Ada Beckner.....	No disgrace to have a place and occupy the same.
Claude Lowe.....	"Who will run this old world after I leave it?"
Golda Zook.....	A ready tongue, a ready wit. Slam, slam, bang, and never care a bit.
Arthur Harms.....	He mixed reason with pleasure and wisdom with mirth.
Ruth Shoemaker.....	She is like a poetic dream that can not be written or told.
George Boone.....	"This medal was presented to me by myself as a slight token of my self-esteem."
Della Evans.....	A modest unassuming lass.
Charles Dean.....	He longs to be a soldier where battles are fought with talcum powder.
Lucile Gnagey.....	When she will, she will, and you can depend on it, When she won't, she won't, and that's the end of it.
Chester Hoisopple.....	It has been proved that a bag of wind can not stand alone. (Married.)

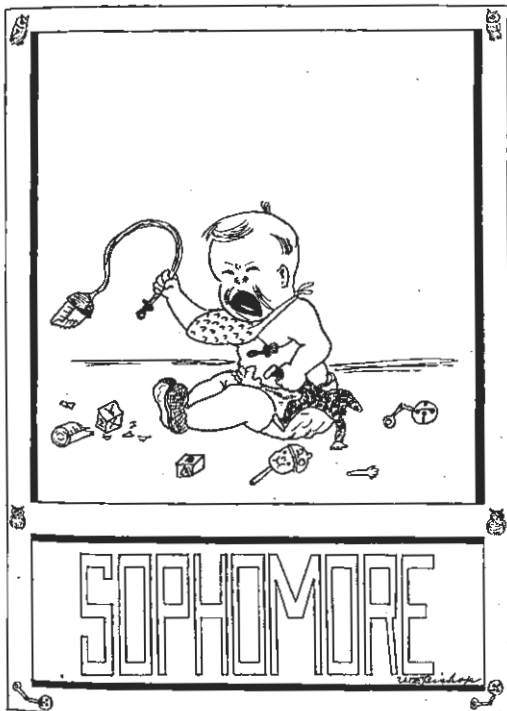
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- Catherine Mohler..... Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace.
- Harrison Frantz..... Better to wear out than to rust out.
- Olivia Dickens..... Her face doth always wear a smile,
And this makes Ikey's life worth while.
- Lewis Naylor..... Gains knowledge by degrees. Now possesses a P. A.
- Rockla John..... Daughter of the Muses.
- Earl Frantz..... He is true to himself. To others he must be true.
- Grace Brubaker..... A face with gladness overspread,
Soft smiles by human kindness bred.
- Ray R. Cullen..... Sterling qualities personified. Who shall it be?
- Myrtle Prettyman..... "You will never know how old I am."
- Louis Bowman..... A quiet seeker after knowledge.
- Mable Brubaker..... Sober, steadfast, and demure.
- Paul Yoder..... He cares for only one Wave to come into his life's journey.
- Ida Bowman..... Happy am I, from care I'm free,
Why are you not contented like me?
- Charles Easterling..... Easterling, ding-a-ling, highest ambition,
dad-a-ling.
- Lola Hill..... Those who know her best do praise her most.
- Dayton Yoder..... Seeks to learn nature's deepest mysteries
with acid, base, and fire.
- Ruth Williams..... Fresh and blooming, blond and fair.
- Edward Van Pelt..... A little conscience called Bessie guides him
when in doubt.
- Alice Burkholder..... Modest she was, forsooth not vain,
If friends be credit, she has much gain.
- Roscoe Baker..... Uses his dough to become college bred.
- Alberta Neher..... Her dignity is at a high tide of efficiency.
- Maud Stump..... Silence is wisdom! I am wise.

Why Seniors go to heaven and why they don't go there
Has been published everywhere, and wafted thru the air,
Till honestly I'm thinking it plainly would be best,
To settle now both questions and let the subject rest.
The answer's clear and easy, and here is put in rhyme
That it may be sung or whistled at any place or time.
All Juniors go to heaven regardless of their worth
For the very simple reason that they get their — on earth.

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Sophomore

Henry Stover.....*President*
 Mayme King.....*Vice-President*
 Fern Miller.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
 Whitmer and Tice.....*Yell Leaders*

Motto: Ad Astra

Class Flower: Yellow Snapdragon
 Class Colors: Navy Blue and Gold
 Emblem: Gold Star in Circle
 Faculty Adviser: Professor R. E. Mohler

CLASS YELL

Oskee—wow—wow
 Skinny—wow—wow
 Holy mecke!—sockei
 Sophomores—wow.

CLASS ROLL

Theodore Burkholder
 J. Howard Engle
 Clarence Eshelman
 Ruth John
 Josephine Johnson
 Ethel Whitmer
 Lloyd Saylor
 Elmer Rupp
 Ralph Strohm
 Florence Mohler
 Ruth Markham
 Martha Blickenstaff
 Ada Draegert
 Crawford Brubaker
 Mrs. Carrie Eshelman
 Bertha A. Frantz
 Ralph Holsinger
 Gilbert L. Betts
 Mary Mohler
 Galen Saylor
 Jay W. Tracey
 Leland Moore
 Ruth Miller
 De Witte Sager
 Emery C. Wine
 Mrs. Bessie Van Pelt
 Galen Tice
 Pauline Vaniman
 Marguerite Mohler
 Oliver W. Trapp

Lucy Mason
 Roy Terfinger
 Harold Beam
 Clara Cramsey
 Maud Crist
 Marietta Byerly
 Olive Holmes
 Bertha M. Frantz
 Mary Geiman
 Nellie Cullen
 Leslie E. Blackman
 Mrs. Crawford Brubaker
 Wave Irene Davis
 Phoebe Hoffert
 Bernice John
 Arthur Bell
 Irene Hoffman
 Ruth Kilmer
 Edward L. Saylor
 Alice Sorenson
 Grace Miller
 Mrs. Miriam Morris
 Glen Strickler
 Mary Miller
 Willard Schwartz
 Ira Stiles
 Fern Miller
 Mayme King
 Henry Stover
 Paul M. Pair





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Freshman

Ernest W. Schermerhorn.....	<i>President</i>
Homer Foutz.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Suaie Betts.....	<i>Secretary</i>
Lota Neher.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
J. Herman Jones.....	<i>Class Booster</i>

Class Motto: Impossible is Un-American

Class Flower: White Chrysanthemum

Class Colors: Green and White

Class Emblem: White Elephant

Faculty Adviser: Doctor Culler

CLASS YELL

Alle Garoo Garoo Garoo
 Ba Zoo Ba Zoo
 Hi Ix Ki Ix
 Hiker Piker Dominiker
 Sis Boom Bah
 Freshmen Freshmen
 Rah Rah Rah

CLASS ROLL

Earl Fisher	Nellie V. Derrick
Bertha Lundeen	Jacob Yoder
Lloyd Funk	Beulah Helstrom
Fred Howell	J. H. Garvey
Hazel Kessler	John Enos
Marie Cullen	Irene Hawley
Estella Engle	Emory Shank
Ernest Wine	William Delzell
Marie Hope	Foster Hoover
Homer Foutz	Harold Barnes
Harold Kurtz	Everett Wm. Brammell
Gladys Sargent	Neva Fishburn
Ella Shank	Edna Neher
Lewis Florman	Inez Heaston
Bertha Mugler	Golda Ebbert
Adelyn Anderson	Vero Shores
August Rump	J. F. Slifer
Rachael Stratton	Clyde Fike
Lota Neher	Orville Pote
Elmer Brunk	Clarence Showalter

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FRESHMAN (Continued)

Cecile Martin
 Arthur Staatz
 Mrs. J. H. Garvey
 Willa Davenport
 L. Valliant Gnagey
 Stella Bowman
 Nora Evans
 Gladys Naylor
 Ada Correll
 J. W. Hiebert
 Clyde Rupp
 John Daggett
 Ida Moyer
 Grace Crumpacker
 Susie Betts
 Roy Neher
 Rowena Vaniman
 Ruth Cripe
 Iva Studebaker
 Carl Dell
 J. Herman Jones
 Martha Mugler
 Edward Darrah
 Ira Brammell
 Milo Nice
 Lester Wagoner
 Margaret Bish
 Elizabeth Harnly
 Ralph Lehman
 Victor Vaniman

Roy Brammell
 Jesse Wales
 Hervey McClelland
 Rose McKinney
 David Vasey
 Roy Terfinger
 Clyde Cline
 Letha Heckman
 Emma Tousley
 Earl Crumpacker
 Floyd Holcomb
 Clara Linscheid
 Ira Nicholson
 Clinton Ulrey
 Paul Sargent
 Melvin Teeter
 Elizabeth Linscheid
 Erma Martin
 Ruth Z. Miller
 Celeste Martin
 Dwight Johnson
 Hugh Kauffman
 Mary Keyes
 Ernest W. Schermerhorn
 Laura Kuns
 Albert Schermerhorn
 John Mohler
 Margaret Meyer
 Gertrude Gleckler
 Hope Beck

Our Creed

We believe that having been able to bluff our way through High School on pure nerve and sheer nonsense, we shall be able to bolt through college in like manner. We believe that study is detrimental to human happiness and that play is the one essential to a blissful career. We believe that a compulsory course in courtship should be established in the school curriculum. We are opposed to everything that does not contribute to sanguine temperaments. Believing that ignorance is bliss, we love our ignorant life. All the world loves a lover, therefore we know that we are loved. Love conquereth all, therefore we believe that we shall be conquerors.

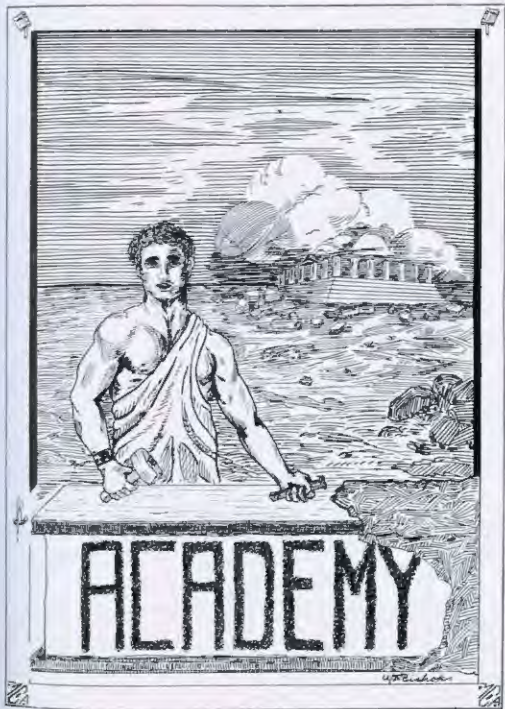
Gupls' Success? *Give us Wheat*

Just *Kids* *Learning* *Child Hatred*

What's Are Our Jobs? *Bread-bakers*

Bru-bakers *From Fronts*

COLLECTIBLES



SENIOR



David Brubaker - - - - - President
Ua McAvoy - - - - - Vice President
Gene C. Young - - - - - Secretary-Treasurer
Prof. E. M. Studebaker - - - Faculty Adviser

Motto: To Higher Things.

Flower: Purple Columbine.

Colors: Purple and White.

Emblem: Aeroplane.

CLASS YELL

Aeroplane—Ferris Wheel

Eiffel Tower—Automobile

Loop the loop—shoot the chute

Academy Seniors—rickety root.

CAST: WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES

Jones - - - - - David Brubaker
Cissy - - - - - Mary Baker
Mrs. Goodly - - - - - Kathryn Loshbaugh
Anthony Goodly - - - - - Ralph Loshbaugh
Marjorie - - - - - Eunice Moors
Richard Heatherly - - - - - Vilas Betts
Minerva - - - - - Gladys Edwards
Holder - - - - - Irvin Ihrig
Helma - - - - - Loretta Yoder
William Bigbee - - - - - Ray Kaufman
Henry Fuller - - - - - Mark Neher
Alvina - - - - - Eulah Crumpacker

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DAVID BRUBAKER, Fruita, Colorado.
"Teddy"

Ciceronian; Class President—4; Ciceronian President—2, 4; Debate Team—1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basket Ball Team—3, 4; entered Freshman year.

A man of business with no foolishness. Talks little, thinks much, and knows more.

UA McAVOY, Thomas, Oklahoma.

Emersonian President—4; Class Vice President—4; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet—3; Ladies' Glee Club—2, 3, 4; Secretary Student Council—3; College Mixed Quartette—3, 4; Class Editor Annual, Graduate Voice Department—4; entered Freshman year.

Her voice hath charms to drive dull care away. Neatness in her keynote.

GENE C. YOUNG, Adrian, Missouri.

"Sug"

Emersonian; Class Secretary—Treasurer—4; Debate Club—4; Class Basket Ball Team—4; entered Senior year.

He's in love with himself and has no competition.

EUNICE MOORS, McPherson.

"Sal"

Ciceronian Secretary—4, Treasurer—2; Captain Class Basket Ball Team—4; Class Prophet—4; entered Freshman year.

You may travel and travel for many a mile and ne'er find such brown eyes or so winsome a smile.

PROFESSOR E. M. STUDEBAKER

Faculty Adviser.

He has been my staunch friend and faithful counselor through our entire course





LORETTA YODER, Conway.

"Retta"

Emersonian Secretary—4, Treasurer—2, Reporter—2; Debate Club—4; Class Prophet—4; entered Freshman year.

Her enjoyment of the present must be very great for she has come to her success through days and nights of hard work

W. E. BISHOP, Sterling.

Emersonian; Class Basket Ball Team—2, 4; Editor Academy Spectator—3, Art Editor Annual—4; entered Sophomore year.

*Time, place, and action, may without pains be wrought,
But genius must be born and never can be taught.*

OLIVE BOONE, McPherson.

Emersonian Vice President—4; Class Secretary—3; Class Basket Ball Team—4; entered Junior year.

Make me a child again just for tonight.

RUTH ELIZABETH FRANTZ, Conway Springs.

"Beth"

Ciceroonian; Class Basket Ball Team—4; entered Senior year.

*Beth the sweet, Beth the fair,
Her ways are winning; boys, beware.*

VILAS BETTS, Nampa, Idaho.

"Betty"

Emersonian; Class Athletic Manager—4; first place in State Stock Judging Contest—4; Varsity Basket Ball—4; entered Senior year.

His winsome smile will pave his way to success.

J. GILBERT BRUBAKER, Cordell, Oklahoma.

Emersonian; Student Minister; entered Freshman and Senior years.

He is affiliated with the literary fraternity denominated in honor of the Great Emancipator.

SYLVIA ELIZABETH WHITENECK, Aline, Oklahoma.

"Patsy"

Emersonian; entered Freshman year.

She is a quiet, unassuming girl. Her modesty covers many virtues.

SANGER CRUMPACKER, McPherson.

"Crummie"

Emersonian; Varsity Basket Ball; entered Freshman year.

Basket ball, but no girls—yet.

EULAH CRUMPACKER, Harrisonville, Missouri.

Ciceronian; entered Senior year.

An ever innocent look, but you can never tell.

GOLDIE ELLENBERGER, Longmont, Colorado.

Emersonian; entered Junior year.

Doesn't like study—interferes with her education. She is very fond of a Black-man.





MARK E. NEHER, Leeton, Missouri.

Ciceronian President—4; entered Senior year.

An calm and unruffled as the summer seas.

FANNIE McGAFFEY, Abilene.

Ciceronian Vice President—2, 3; Student Council—2; Secretary Debate Club—4; Class President—3; entered Freshman year.

She has her hours for work and fun, she's modest, simple, and fair. These three spell good character.

BERNICE KEIM, McPherston.

"Bern"

Ciceronian; entered Freshman year.

Just one other pleasure may be suggested before the close of these four weeks.

H. A. SPURGEON, Adel, Iowa.

Emersonian; entered Junior year.

I came here to study and to think.

ANNA HAZEL VOGT, Versailles, Missouri.

"Bob"

Ciceronian President—3, Treasurer—1, Vice President—4, Debate Coach—3, 4; Debate Club—1, 2; Class Cheer Leader—4; Class Basket Ball Team—4; entered Freshman year.

If I could not talk, what would I do?

GLADYS EDWARDS, Chanute.

Ciceronian; Ladies' Glee Club—4; Secretary-Treasurer Volunteer Band—4; entered Senior year.

Her voice we all enjoy. She is very fond of the past tense of 'to be'.

IRVIN E. IHRIG, Wheatland, Missouri.

"Pa"

Emersonian Debate Coach—4; Fourth place in State Stock Judging Contest—4; Debate Club—4; Student Minister; here Sophomore and Senior years.

Very big and strong he is, yet shy and reserved.

EDITH MUSE, McPherson.

"Edie"

Emersonian President—4; Member Student Council—2; Class President—1; Emersonian Vice President—2, 4; entered Freshman year.

She came into every company like a rush of wholesome wind driving away stagnation and stirring into life kindness and cheeriness.

ALICE FLATT, Nezperce, Idaho.

"Flottie"

Ciceronian; entered Senior year.

I can't B (act) and I can't B (chory), so I shall always B (flatt).

RAY GISH, Holmesville, Nebraska.

"Gishie"

Ciceronian Treasurer—4; Class Vice President—3; Class Basket Ball Team—4; entered Junior year.

Hope deferred maketh the heart sick.



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EDITH WILLIAMS, Mulhall, Oklahoma.

Ciceronian; here Freshman and Senior years.

The friendship that makes the least noise is very often the most useful.

RALPH E. LOSHBAUGH, Hollow, Oklahoma.

Emersonian; Debate Club—4; Student Minister; entered Senior year.

When I said that I should die a bachelor, I did think I should live until I was married.

KATHRYN LOSHBAUGH, Hollow, Oklahoma.

Emersonian; entered with her husband in the Senior year.

A happily married little lassie. The flower of meekness.

CADIE REIMAN, Byers.

"Cad"

Ciceronian; entered Sophomore year.

Attends to her lessons as a last resort.

LILLIAN E. SANDY, Norborne, Missouri.

Emersonian Expression Coach—4; Class Basket Ball Team—4; begun and finished in M. C.

A quiet little body with a mind of her own.

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BRUCE ALLEN THARRINGTON, Cordell, Oklahoma.

Emersonian; Student Minister; entered Senior year.

I firmly believe in co-education.

HAZEL SMALL, Summerfield.

"Smallie"

Ciceronian; entered Senior year.

A nice girl—but Oh, so distant!

CARRIE WAGONER, McPherson.

Emersonian; entered Senior year.

A conscientious student faithful to duty.

CHRISTIAN L. IKENBERRY, McPherson.

"Doc"

Ciceronian President—4; Class President—3; Vice President Debate Club—4; Class Quartett.—4; entered Junior year.

It is not good that man should live alone.

ETHEL BRESHEARS, Avery, Missouri

Emersonian; entered Senior year.

*Each morning sees some task begun,
Each evening sees its close.*





MARY BAKER, Belleville.
"Kitty"

Emersonian Vice President—4; Secretary—3; Class Vice President—3; Member Student Council—4; entered Junior year.

Her eyes twinkle as the stars on a frosty nite.

RUSSELL G. MILLER, Holmesville, Nebraska.
"Georgie"

Ciceronian; Member of Academy Debate Team—4; entered Senior year.

What's all this about! Let's get down to business.

AGNES BAKER, Larned.

Ciceronian President—3; Member Student Council—1; Inter-Society Debate—3; Alternate Academy Debate—3; President Debate Club—2; entered Freshman year.

She does the little kindnesses that others despise or leave undone.

RAY J. KAUFMAN, Moundridge.
"Shorty"

Emersonian; Class Basket Ball Team—4; Reserve College Team—4; Base Ball Team—4; Senior Male Quartette—4; Senior Mixed Quartette—4; entered Senior year.

A good singer. His voice is proportional to his height.

GEORGE L. LINGENFELTER, McPherson.
"Linky"

Ciceronian; afraid of the camera; entered Senior year.

*Just so it's a date he doesn't care,
Whether the maiden is homely or fair,
He has a strong liking for the other sex,
But remember the situation is very complex.*



Prophecy Senior Class 1920

In looking into the future of our class we see bright and efficient leaders of mankind.

Our president, David Brubaker, is a national debater and president of an eastern college. He is keeping bachelor quarters as he still has an aversion for women and likes to sew on buttons. Our vice-president, Ua McAvoy, we find in a happy home occasionally singing in grand opera with her delightful contralto voice. Secretary-Treasurer, Gene Young, is an understudy of Charlie Chaplin and is making good.

Successful evangelists and pastors are Ralph Loshbaugh, assisted by his wife Kathryn, Bruce Tharrington, H. A. Spurgeon, Ph.D. Yale, Gilbert Brubaker, D.D., and Christian Ikenterry, who is an M. C. evangelist. Russel Miller attempted the ministry but failed, and is managing a large ten cent store in New York.

We now notice some of the girls. Those who are pleasantly keeping house are Goldie Ellenberger, Bernice Keim for Dr. Dean, Gladys Edwards was, Lillian Sandy who manages her hubby, Mary Baker, also senator from Kansas, Hazel Vogt, personal worker for an evangelist. Fannie McGaffey accompanied her husband to Japan and has not been heard from. Old maid school teachers are Sylvia Whiteneck, Edith Williams, Ruth Frantz, Alice Flatt, Olive Boone, Ethel Beshears, Cadie Reiman, Agnes Baker, and Loretta Yoder. Eulah Crumpacker keeps a beauty parlor in Boston and has Hazel Small as an office girl to attract trade. Edith Muse divorced an actor and is now in China, sent by the Y. W. C. A.

Going back to the illustrious men of the class we find Mark Neher, a traveling secretary for the Y. M. C. A. in Arizona. W. E. Bishop developed a talent for cartooning, but on account of his habits of procrastination, found it hard to satisfy his employers. Sanger Crumpacker is coach at K. U. He is a referee of national fame also. Ray Gish, our man with lots of Hope, is a successful farmer in Nevada. Irvin Ehrig never found an appetite for women and is a bachelor farmer-dairymen in Missouri. George Lingenfelter, of naval fame, is a dancing instructor in Chicago. Ray Kaufman is a famous vocalist and his songs are being reproduced on the Edison. Vilas Betts is teaching agriculture and doing experimental farming in an Idaho State Agriculture College.

Very sad, indeed, is the case of Eunice Moors, a heart broken old maid who keeps a parrot and a cat on a duck ranch in Arizona. Carrie Wagoner is still single, and keeps house for her father and mother in Colorado.

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JUNIOR

Thelma Turcotte.....*President*
 Maxine McGaffey.....*Vice-President*
 Lauvera Lingle.....*Secretary*
 Frank Boone.....*Treasurer*

Motto: The ladder to success isn't running;
 take the stairs.

Class Flower: Daffodil
 Class Colors: White and Gold
 Class Mascot: Coyote
 Faculty Adviser: Miss Minnie Walters

CLASS YELL

White and gold, white and gold,
 Juniors, Juniors, brave and bold.
 Gold and white, gold and white,
 We know, you know, we're all right.

CLASS LIBRARY

Title	Author
Hustling.....	Frank Boone
Her Brothers' House-Keeper.....	Iva Brammell
Reveries of a Bachelor.....	Calvin Boggs
Much Ado About Nothing.....	Lee Crist
Making the Most of Life.....	Laura Crumpacker
The Value of Modesty.....	Sada Correll
When a Man's a Man.....	Garman Daron
Music Hath Charms.....	Zelma Daron
Fisherman's Luck.....	Jay Eller
Driving the Jitney.....	Minnie Edgecomb
My Golden School Days.....	Mabel Fleming
Lyrics of the Hearthside.....	Avery Fleming
Facing the Music.....	Ruby Frantz

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The Farmer's Encyclopaedia.....	Samuel Forney
Daddy's Girl.....	Helen Garst
The Happy Family.....	Warren Gish
Step by Step.....	Haven Hutchison
How I Made My Hit.....	Frank Howell
God's Country and the Woman.....	Carl Johnson
Basket Ball.....	Lila Kinzie
In Mizzoura.....	Lauvera Lingle
As You Like It.....	Harvey Lonzanecker
A Hand Made Man.....	Frank McGill
Hooverizing Internationale.....	Maxine McGaffey
The Girl Everyone Likes.....	Ether Moors
Adventures.....	Hertert Morgenthal
Sailing O'er Life's Sea.....	Minnie Mugler
Why Worry?.....	Sam Mohler
The Piper.....	Louis Mikow
A Gentle Heart.....	Simon Neher
Why I Want to Be a Doctor.....	Peter Nielson
Flashes of Irish Wit and Humor.....	Gladys Pitzer
An Iron Will.....	Marie Pitzer
The Boy Allies in the Trenches.....	Roland Parry
America at Work.....	Ruth Rexroad
Paid in Full.....	Victor Schroeder
Madam Butterfly.....	Edith Slifer
Unknown to History.....	Adria Slabach
A Texas Rose.....	Rose Turcotte
The Road to Jonesboro.....	Thelma Turcotte
The Man Thou Gavest Me.....	Kathryn Tharrington
Modern Farming.....	Herkle Wampler
Story of the West.....	Carl Wooten
Good Nature.....	Bennie Waas

Juniors were born for great things,
 Seniors were born for small;
 Sophomores—it's not recorded
 Why they were born at all.

*Twixt Sophomore and Freshman
 The difference is droll—
 The Sophomore sees the doughnut,
 The Freshman sees the hole.

—Ottowan '08.

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SOPHOMORE

Lillie Crumpacker *President*
 Anna Lengle *Vice-President*
 Neva Yoder *Secretary and Treasurer*

Motto: Rowing, not Drifting
 Class Flower: Sunburst Rose
 Class Colors: Purple and Gold
 Class Emblem: Oar
 Faculty Adviser: Dr. Harnly

CLASS YELL

Boom a laa! Boom a laa!
 Bow! Wow! Wow!
 Step aside—Clear the track
 We are coming now!
 Who are Who are Who are we?
 We are Sophomores of old M. C.

ROLL CALL

Gladys Adamson.....Rosay
 Laura Bowman.....Johnnie
 Maggie Brubaker.....Shorty
 William Burgin.....Fat
 Lillie Crumpacker.....Curley
 Leo Crumpacker.....Sober
 Frank Correll.....Sis
 Maurine Flory.....Smiles
 Ross Hargrove.....Meg
 John Hess.....Weary Willie
 Addie Himes.....Lil
 Ralph Himes.....Crum
 Price Howell.....Frankie
 Olive Howard.....Baby
 Yozelle Leighty.....Giggles

Anna Lengle.....Ann
 Zora McClellan.....Frizzles
 David Merkey.....Grinny
 Mabel Okerland.....Dolly
 Myrl Parry.....Slumbers
 Roy Peeler.....Runt
 Floy Rhodes.....Pet
 William Riddlebarger.....Bill
 Sam Sperling.....Slow Sam
 Clara Stansbury.....Clarie
 Etta Van Pelt.....Sue
 Florence Wiegand.....Wiggles
 Beulah Wiltfong.....Betty
 Neva Yoder.....Ned

Senior Class



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FRESHMAN

M. L. Miller.....	President
Alice Birkin.....	Vice-President
Vera Van Ness.....	Secretary
Thomas Shepp.....	Treasurer
J. A. Blair.....	Faculty Adviser

Motto: Onward and Upward
 Class Flower: Yellow Rose
 Class Colors: Green and Gold

CLASS YELL

Rah! Rah! Rah!

Zip! Boom! Bah!

Who are we? Who are we?

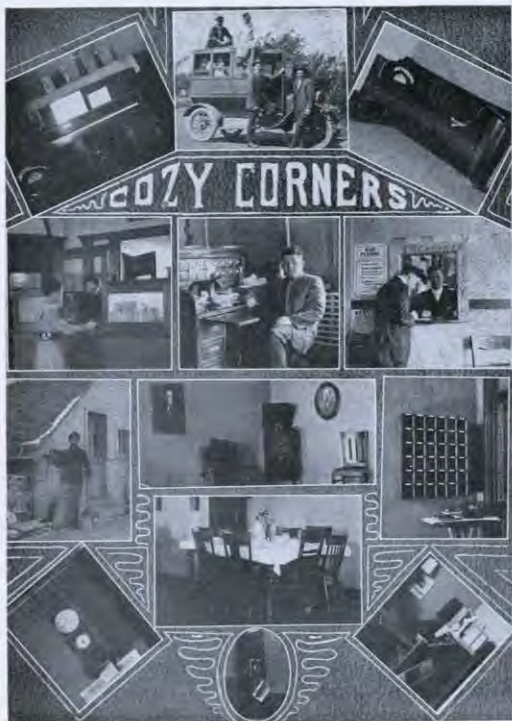
Freshmen! Freshmen!

Can't you see?

CLASS ROLL

M. L. Miller.....	Mick	Grace Slabach.....	Adam
Alice Birkin.....	Sis	Eva Slabach.....	Eve
Vera G. Van Ness.....	Van	W. Earl Neiswander.....	Necker
Thomas G. Shepp.....	Coachie	Charley Spicer.....	Spicy II
Leonard Birkin.....	Len	Harry Lehman.....	Slim
Beauford F. Miller.....	Beau	Harvey Lehman.....	Harvey House
W. T. Luckett.....	Bill	John B. Lengle.....	Samson
John S. Spicer.....	Spicy I	Ralph J. Martin.....	Smiles
Callie E. Miller.....	Cal	J. A. Miller.....	Excuse
Esther M. Van Dyke.....	Fraulein	Oliver Okerland.....	Dutch
Mabel Stansbury.....	Mabie	N. B. Geiman.....	Guy
Bessie Luckett.....	Bess	Abraham Geiman.....	Abe
Ruth Van Dyke.....	Ruthie	James W. Greene.....	Prof.
Mrs. Wealthy Fleming.....	Wealthy	Everett McClelland.....	Mae
Ethel L. Hill.....	Him	Howard Brown.....	Brownie
Grace E. Teeter.....	Gracious	Floyd Westrick.....	Girlie
Grace M. Longanecker.....	Nicy		

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COMMERCIAL HALL.

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Commercial Graduates

- Arian Tull, McPherson, Kansas: Mildest manner and gentlest heart.
- Catherine Greening, Woodward, Oklahoma: Taste and good nature are universally connected.
- Alice Olsen, Navarre, Kansas: Always does her duty with a strong heart and quiet mind.
- Ethel Whitmer, Zenda, Kansas: Ever jolly, bright and gay, with friends enough to throw away.
- Marie Crotts, Rocky Ford, Colorado: She is just what she seems to be.
- Ida A. Frantz, Conway Springs, Kansas: A winning way, a pleasant smile.
- Marvin Schroeder, Canton, Kansas: Slow in considering, resolute in action.
- Leonard Saylor, Morrill, Kansas: None but himself can be his parallel.
- Grace Roberts, Twin Falls, Idaho: The force of her own merit makes her own way.
- Constance Knaus, McPherson, Kansas: Not only good, but good for something.

The Commercial Department is doing its part in the development of McPherson College. Its instructors have brought from some of the largest universities of the East the most modern and efficient methods of instruction. The success of its graduates everywhere attests to the thoroughness of its courses. He who would take an active part in the world's work cannot afford to ignore this phase of his education.



Vocal Department

It is very gratifying to note the growth of the Vocal Department and to see the capable students it graduates each year. The course of instruction is planned to develop pure tone and its natural use and control in singing. It teaches also the correct use of breath, phrasing, enunciation, and interpretation, together with a thoro appreciation of the best works of the masters.

No less important than individual and class instruction is the opportunity to study the choral works of Spross, Stainer, and other great composers, in the choral union. The soloists are chosen from the vocal students. Every student has the privilege of singing in the church chorus which offers practical experience in the rendition of anthems and choruses.

The average number of students enrolled during the year is between eighty and eighty-five. The department has grown steadily under the able direction of Professor C. L. Rowland who has been connected with it for the past seven years. It is regretted very much by the faculty and students that he has decided to cast his lot elsewhere in the future. However, he leaves McPherson with the knowledge that the very best wishes of the entire college community will follow him as he continues the teaching of his chosen art.

Vocal Graduates

MRS. HAZEL AUSTIN
McPherson, Kansas.

*With this soprano nothing's wrong,
There is no difficulty with her song.*

BERTHA A. FRANTZ,
Conway Springs, Kansas.

*She's a singer of much note,
She does not keep it in her throat.*

UA McAVOY,
Thomas, Oklahoma.

*An alto nose is on the list
She will sing for an evangelist.*

WAVE I. DAVIS,
Sabetha, Kansas.

*This alto's notes are full and round,
She makes a rich, sonorous sound.*

OLIVIA DICKENS,
Haverhill, Massachusetts.

*A mezzo of no small fame,
She believes in the "Berry name."*

E. L. IKENBERRY,
Quinter, Kansas.

*The tenor's tones are sweet and clear,
It is a joy for (one) to hear.*





Piano Department

McPherson College offers a very practical and thorough course of study in the Piano Department. The Preparatory and Normal course leads to a teacher's certificate. A diploma is given the student after completing one year of collegiate work. The degree Bachelor of Music is given to those who complete the full collegiate course. The purpose of the latter is to give the student a good basis upon which to work, a careful study of technique, an acquaintance with the best in musical literature, both that of modern and older composers, and finally, a true interpretation of music. Every pupil is required to study composition and history of music, in order to understand the historical settings of the great masterpieces. All students are expected to appear in recital during the year.

The work of this department has been of unusual merit this year. The average enrollment was over one hundred students. The present studio does not present a very pleasing appearance but it is hoped that the new hall will be equipped with a studio of which we can be proud.





PIANO DEPARTMENT (con't.)

There were no degrees given from the Piano Department this year. Only one student received a diploma, Miss Elsie Klinkerman, of Canton, Kansas.

This department is very ably conducted by Miss Jessie Brown, who holds a degree from Bethany College where she was a gold medal student. After completing her work there she went to Europe and studied technique under Baroness Von Ekner. She was also a student of Teichmuller, the leading teacher of Piano at the Royal Conservatory of Leipzig. McPherson College is indeed fortunate in having at the head of this department a person of such wide experience and thorough training.

Miss Brown is ably assisted in her work by Miss Pauline Vaniman, who has received her degree in Piano from McPherson College and Bethany Conservatory.





Art Department

The introduction of an Art Department in McPherson College has proved very successful. In 1916 art was taught but for some reason was not made permanent until this year. The unusual merit of the work produced here is evidenced by the fact that a small display at the end of the first semester increased the enrollment in this department several hundred per cent. The value of an appreciation of art is inestimable to any student when he goes out in life.

Instruction is given in china painting, water color, normal drawing, pastel, and reed weaving. Mrs. J. W. Deeter is very competent and has endeavored to have her classes realize the true value of art, not as a pastime, or for its own sake, but for life's sake.

We sincerely hope that the Art Department may hold a permanent place in McPherson College and in time may be more fully equipped to meet the needs of students who will come here. There is need of an art normal course for preparing teachers to supervise art classes in the public schools. At the present time Chicago has the only art normal course of merit in the Central West. The work produced in our own department shows continual advancement and promises much for the future.



Home Economics

The Home Economics Department of McPherson College is in its seventh year. For a few years academy credit only, was given. Now full credit is given in the college on an A.B. degree, or a B.S. degree may be had in Home Economics. To Miss Minnie Walters, the instructor, must be given the credit for the success of this department. She has been with us for five years.

Since the opening of this department in our college, the enrollment has trebled until now there are one hundred girls studying some phase of Home Economics. The training is varied and broad, including a study of hygiene and the laws of health; the sanitary requirements of the home; the wise expenditure of money, time, and energy; and the principles underlying the selection, preparation, and serving of food.

After the burning of the gymnasium, the equipment and class room was moved to the basement of Fahnestock Hall, where it has remained. The greatest inconvenience here is that the room is too small to accommodate the large number of students. When the Science Hall is built we will have our home there with more room and better equipment.



Manual Training Department

The Manual Training Department is not very large but it is well equipped with the best up-to-date tools and machinery. It is a popular department and is always "over-full" of enthusiastic, busy students. The class room has eleven benches, each fitted with a complete set of tools. A motor driven turning lathe and a band saw are provided. A goodly assortment of general and special tools adorn the walls of the tool rooms. An ample stock of special assorted woods is kept on hand. The painting and finishing room is always full of excellent pieces of furniture in the last stages of making.

The department has courses in mechanical drawing, drafting, and designing. Some very excellent blue prints have been produced. The arts of wood turning, cabinet making, upholstering, and picture framing, are ably taught. The department offers the knowledge that one should have in order to repair the thousand and one little things about the home. The ability to determine the quality and workmanship of a piece of furniture is gained here.

Both men and women are enrolled. The men usually excel in furniture making and wood turning, while the ladies specialize in making "Hope Chests." A splendid exhibit of products of the department is open to visitors during the Bible Institute and Commencement week.



Department of Agriculture

The Department of Agriculture in McPherson College had its beginning a few years ago with the gift of a farm by "Uncle Jimmie Richardson." The present college farm was secured later by purchase. A twenty-eight acre plant is set aside for experiments, most of which are original, altho some are run in co-operation with the State Agricultural College. These experiments are practical and varied, such as fertilizer, "variety," and "rate and date tests" with wheat, besides those in smut and Hessian Fly control. Soil analysis and the latest laboratory experiments are carried on extensively. It is the intention to merge the department into a vital part of the college scientific course.

The state high school stock judging contest was held in connection with the Kansas National Live Stock Show at Wichita this year. Two M. C. Academy students took first and fourth prizes as individuals, and the team of three took first place exceeding their nearest competitors by twenty per cent.

Those on the picture are:

Vilas Betts, first prize.

Irvin Ihrig, fourth prize.

Herkle Wampler.

Harvey Longamecker, alternate.

Prof. R. E. Mohler, head of department.



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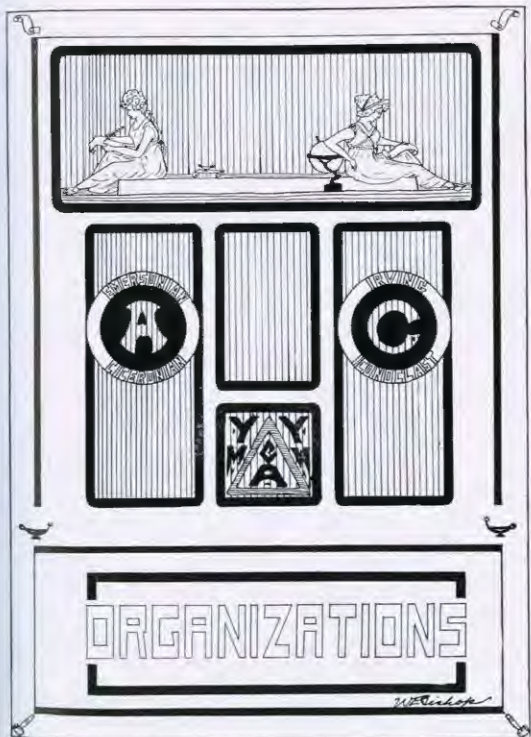
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Y. M. C. A.

Motto: The men of McPherson College for the
Man of Galilee

J. Howard Engle.....*President*
 Oliver W. Trapp.....*Vice-President*
 Chester Holsopple.....*Secretary*
 George N. Boone.....*Treasurer*

Galen Tice, Devotional Com.	Harry Gilbert, Athletic Com.
Edward Van Pelt, Bible Study.	Samuel Merkey, Labor Com.
Paul K. Brandt, Mission Study.	Oliver W. Austin, Membership Com.
Paul M. Pair, Social Com.	Mohler and Studebaker, Faculty.
	E. L. Ikenberry, Chorister.

PURPOSE

It is the purpose of the Young Men's Christian Association of McPherson College to lead students to faith in God thru Jesus Christ, and to enlist them in membership and service in the Christian church; that thru fellowship and Bible study their Christian faith and character may be developed.

To realize this purpose, the Y. M. C. A. endeavors to provide a positive wholesome environment for the young man to develop him socially and physically as well as spiritually. As an expression of our motto, the Y. M. C. A. strives to influence the men to dedicate their lives to make the will of God effective in human society.



Y. W. C. A.

Martha Urey	<i>President</i>
Marguerite Mohler	<i>Vice-President</i>
Ruth Kilmer	<i>Secretary</i>
Lucy Mason	<i>Treasurer</i>

Pauline Vaniman, Chorister
 Ada Beckner, Program Com.
 Gladys Heaston, Social
 Golda Zook, Social Service
 Marietta Byerly, Publicity

Alma Anderson, Mission Study
 Grace Brubaker, Bible Study
 Mayme King, Six In One Com.
 Minnie Walters and
 Amanda Fahnstock, Advisory

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Young Women's Christian Association of McPherson College is to unite the women with the students of the world for the advancement of the Kingdom of God thru Christian study and service. This organization is open to every girl in school. Almost all of the girls have taken advantage of the association and are members.

Much inspiration and help are received from the regular Wednesday morning meetings, and from the Bible and Mission study classes. We are represented every year at the summer conferences which are held at Estes Park, Lake Geneva, and other places.



Mission Band

Miles G. Blickenstaff.....*President*
 Ada Beckner.....*Vice-President*
 Bessie Van Pelt.....*Secretary-Treasurer*

The Mission Band of McPherson College is made up of those students who have signed the following declaration: "It is my purpose under God's guidance, to devote my life without reserve to a distinctly Christian vocation." This association in a common cause not only encourages those in the Band, but also helps those of the students about them to see that true happiness lies in definite Christian service. In recent years the growth of the band has been very marked. It has become one of the great dynamic forces in McPherson College which makes for service to mankind.

The organization further strengthens its purpose by means of the weekly meetings. The attendance this year has averaged sixty-five. The programs consist of addresses by visiting missionaries, outside speakers, pageants, reports from conventions, reviews of latest missionary books, and special music. One of the most helpful meetings is the "Open Forum," in which some of the problems which always face the Christian worker are informally discussed.

Members of the Mission Band are urged to gain actual experience in service while in school. This year an opening among the Mexicans of the city has given opportunity for practical work. Every Sunday afternoon a group of workers visits "Little Mexico," delighting the children with stories and games, and interesting the adults with music, talks and Bible teaching.



Volunteer Band

Edward Van Pelt.....*President*
 Maude Stump.....*Vice-President*
 Nina Teeter Brubaker.....*Secretary-Treasurer*

The purpose of the Student Volunteer Band is to further the missionary spirit in McPherson College, and to serve as a source of inspiration to those who have decided definitely for over-seas service. Regular meetings are held each month during the school year. As McPherson College is a recognized missionary center, many missionaries and traveling secretaries visit us every year. The Band takes advantage of these visits by holding special meetings and private conferences.

Our members have the privilege of attending the state and national conventions of the Student Volunteer Movement. This year we were represented at the International Convention of Student Volunteers held at Des Moines, Iowa, by seven delegates chosen from both students and faculty. The present membership is twenty. Our Honor Roll in foreign service includes twenty men and women.



Student Ministers' Association

The Student Ministers' Association of McPherson College was organized in 1918 as a direct outcome of the Wichita Conference. Evangelist Austin was designated to put the plan into effect. It has become an organization of great value to the young ministers of the school.

The purposes of the association are: to meet together in regular informal meetings to discuss problems of the ministry; to discuss personal problems and assist one another and our fellow students to find their life work; to keep before us the bigness and sacredness of our task; to exert our influence in helping the students to realize the ideals of service and brotherhood; and to study together special subjects which will increase our efficiency in the ministry. In addition to the regular meetings prominent pastors, evangelists, and missionaries are invited to speak to the association who out of their own experience give many helpful suggestions.

There are forty-five ministers in school this year. They will go out into the world with high ideals and visions of the work that is to be done. Our student pastors who are doing "double work" are, C. A. Eshelman, First Church of the Brethren, Wichita; E. F. Sherfy, Monitor Community Church; D. H. Heckman, Ramona, and J. Perry Prather, Centennial.



Bible Institute

January 25th to February 1st was the date of the regular Bible Institute at McPherson College. The attendance was good and it was a decided success. Visitors came from Nebraska, Missouri, Oklahoma, Colorado and Kansas. There were lectures, musicals, and programs every evening of the week. Professor Yoder delivered the missionary address Saturday night.

Dr. Kurtz gave a new series of lectures on "The Kingdom of God." His extensive study of this subject makes him an authority, and he very ably refuted the spreading doctrine of "Modern Millennialism." It is a firm conviction of his that there is no place for a passive acceptance of a spineless creed. He also delivered the annual educational address.

Dr. Culler reached home about noon of the first day. His recent experience in the Armenian field was related and received with much interest. He gave several lectures on the Book of Acts.

The afternoon hours were given over to sectional meetings. Professor Mohler led the men in agricultural discussions. Miss Walters demonstrated the art of Domestic Science to the ladies and Professor Deeter had charge of the pastors, and Sunday School work. Representative programs were given by gospel teams. Professors Rowland and Studebaker discussed the problems of singing and song books.

Our foreign missionary visitor this year was Miss Anna Blough, of China. Her knowledge of social, economic, and religious conditions of China made her an interesting and instructive speaker.



Student Volunteer Convention

The eighth International Convention of Student Volunteers was held at Des Moines, Iowa, December 31, 1919, to January 4, 1920. It was attended by 7,000 students representing a thousand colleges, universities, and professional schools of North America, Europe, Asia, Africa, and South America. Of those present, 1,500 were student volunteers. The students and faculty members shown in the picture above were in attendance and represented McPherson College at this great Convention.

The motto of the Student Volunteer Movement is: "The Evangelization of the World in this Generation." Its purposes, according to John R. Mott, are: to encourage among students an active interest in foreign missions; to enroll qualified volunteers for foreign service; to help them prepare for their life work; and to lay an equal responsibility on those remaining at home.

The impressions of the Convention were very inspirational. Every one present realized the remarkable unity in purpose and types of thinking among Christian students of all races and classes. One began to appreciate the needs of the world—especially of the foreign fields—and the responsibility that rests on each of us to fill that need.

Those who represented McPherson at this convention were: Paul K. Brandt, Alice Burkholder, Oliver Trapp, Howard Engle, Professor Morris, Ada Beckner, Professor Yoder, and Miles Blickenstaff.



Christian Extension

Edward Van Pelt.....	Y. M. C. A.
Mayme King.....	Y. W. C. A.
Galen Tice.....	Anti-Tobacco Association
W. E. Brubaker.....	Student Volunteers
Paul Yoder.....	Mission Band
Silas Keim.....	Student Ministers

On account of the increasing demand for deputation work, an organization was formed whereby it can be attended to with more ease by the different organizations of the college. Last year one member from each of the six organizations was elected to take a place on a central "Committee of Six." This committee has direct charge of all deputation work of the college. Teams are sent out to various churches in the state and adjoining states to give programs, which are varied with music, lectures, and readings. In the past these teams have been enthusiastically received wherever they go. The plan has proved a success. These teams assist in advertising the college and also tie the home churches to the college.

Following is a summary of the year's work: Miles traveled by teams, 2,155; people spoken to, 5,075; programs given, 38; speeches, sermons, addresses, orations and readings given, 163; musical numbers rendered, 184; all expenses were met by offerings from churches visited.



Student Council

OFFICERS

Curtis Bowman.....*President*
 Marguerite Mohler.....*Vice-President*
 Ada Beckner.....*Secretary*
 Dayton Yoder.....*Treasurer*

REPRESENTATIVES

Post Graduate:	Senior Academy:
F. P. Buller	Mary Baker
Senior College:	Junior Academy:
Paul Brandt	Frank Howell
Mrs. Hazel Austin	Sophomore Academy:
Junior College:	Clara Stansbury
Dayton Yoder	Freshman Academy:
Ada Beckner	B. F. Miller
Sophomore College:	Music:
Marguerite Mohler	E. L. Ikenberry
C. F. Brubaker	Commercial:
Freshman College:	Earl Zeiner
Foster Hoover	Faculty:
Margaret Bish	Prof. Studebaker
	Prof. Hershey



STUDENT COUNCIL (con't.)

The student council is the least understood of the organizations of McPherson College. In order that it be better understood a sketch of its organization and work will be given. As an organization it has done more work this year than it has for several years past.

It is an organization of the students for the purpose of regulating and managing the activities of the students. It is composed of two faculty members, two members from each college class, one from each academy class, and one from each special department. The new membership is elected near the close of each school year in order that it may be ready for work immediately at the opening of the next year.

It is often said that a college is known by its publications. In the past McPherson has always published a creditable paper. The school has been growing and the council felt the need of a larger paper. The proposition found favor with the students. Mr. Paul Warren was elected editor-in-chief and Harry Gilbert business manager. These men cherished big ideals for the Spectator and they have been realized. The council was equal to the occasion and as a result an eight-page weekly is published. Morris Harnly, Ray Frantz, Roy C. Frantz, Gladys Heaston, Marguerite Mohler, Alice Burkholder, Iva Studebaker, and George Boone are staff assistants. Early in the year there was much sentiment for an annual. Again the council came to the rescue, drew up a slate, and an election was held. Roy C. Frantz was elected editor-in-chief and Ray R. Cullen business manager. You hold in your hand the result of their efforts.

Very early in the year a committee was appointed to decide upon the various activities for the year. In doing this they had one thing very definitely in mind: to give to the students a better class of events, with more stress laid upon lectures, musicals, and debates, with a well rounded athletic program. When the tickets were offered for sale at the price of three dollars and fifty cents, with the promise of thirty events, almost four hundred were contracted.

The athletic end was well managed by Professor Mohler who has had a great deal of experience along such lines and knows how to get the most out of money expended. Basket ball was not as prosperous as was expected but we have good prospects in our growing team. Base ball, tennis and track, however, have taken on a more encouraging air. Ten letters were granted to athletic men and ten to women. According to established practice, medals were given to those who held important offices, or distinguished themselves in debate and oratory.

The student council fills a large place in McPherson College. It can fill a larger place as soon as the students are more willing to work thru it, their representative. It is an organization of the students for the students. Let us work with it to make a better M. C.

THE SPECTATOR

Published by the Students of the University of Emporia, Kansas

**EVANGELIST DALEY
WORKS FAITHFUL WORK**

ALUMNI GYMNASIUM BUENS

FLAME SWEEPS SCENE OF ATHLETIC VICTORY

**W.C. WILL VOTE ON
THE LEAGUE AND TREATY**

**GREAT LEADERS
AT EMPORIA**

COLLEGE OPENS

CONVOCATION ADDRESSES

STUDENTS BELLY TO AKE

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Anti-Tobacco Association

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| Seth P. Osborne..... | President |
| J. Herman Jones..... | Vice-President |
| Mayme King..... | Secretary |
| Elmer Rupp..... | Treasurer |

The Anti-Tobacco Association is yet in its infancy among our schools and colleges. The movement was founded by a McPherson man about four years ago, and is becoming a strong factor in our colleges. The object of the Association is to stimulate interest in the study of the tobacco evil in order that a "new conscience" may be developed among our young leaders against the enemy of our moral and social life. Local oratorical contests are held each year and the winner is entered in the state contest.

The organization of the movement has three divisions: Local, state and national. Our local organization has three hundred members, and has done some real practical work. A series of scientific tests proving the effects of the poisons found in tobacco, have been run by Ralph Strohm, Curtis Bowman and J. H. Engle. Teams were sent out by the local association to nearby churches, to sing, demonstrate, and give orations against tobacco. They were given a royal reception wherever they went.

Dr. J. W. Fields, a dentist of McPherson, and an alumnus of M. C., deserves special mention as the founder of the movement. He is at present Vice-President of the National Association. He has contributed much of his time, business energy, and finance, to the Association. He rendered a practical service thru the set of slides he has perfected.

J. W. MAXCY

Winner Inter-State Contest 1920
 Winner Inter-Collegiate Contest.
 1920

In his four years at M. C., Mr. Maxcy has brought victory to her every time he entered an oratorical contest. The subject of his oration was "Our Task." He has a very pleasing delivery and if he lacks in thought he makes up for it in delivery. The state contest this year was held at Miltonvale, Kansas, and six orators entered the race. In the inter-state contest Mr. Maxcy again showed his superiority and won first place by a small margin.



The Inter-Collegiate Anti-Tobacco Association held its annual convention and inter-state oratorical contest in McPherson April 21 and 22. Prominent speakers were here including Dr. H. J. Hall, of Indiana, Secretary of the No Tobacco League of America, Mrs. Lillian Mitchner, President of the Kansas W. C. T. U., and Professor W. A. McKeever, of Kansas University. Important business was transacted, including the establishment of a No Tobacco League for Kansas. The oratorical contest was the first of its kind ever held in the world and included only two states. California has an organization, but it was impossible for her orator to compete on account of the distance.



J. HOWARD ENGLE

Winner Inter-Collegiate Contest
 1919

Last year Mr. Engle took first place in the local contest and entered the state contest which was held at McPherson College in May. He took first place with his oration and showed great ability as an orator. Arrangements were made whereby the winners last year may compete this year in the first inter-state contest that has been held since the Anti-Tobacco Association has been organized. Mr. Engle again competed for honors and took third place.



College Debating Club

Alberta Neher.....	<i>President</i>
Dorothy Bryant.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Rachael Stratton.....	<i>Secretary</i>
Edith Beshore.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
Professor Franz.....	<i>Coach</i>

Though debating has never been lacking among the activities of McPherson College, there has not been an organized debating club previous to the year 1919-1920. Men and women have won laurels for M. C. in the field of argument and have brot honors to her from numbers of inter-collegiate debates each year.

This year enthusiasm for a debating club was manifest. The opportunity was given for students to try out for membership which resulted in the organization of a club. Representatives on the teams are not chosen entirely from the club. Any college student is given the privilege to try for a place on the teams.

The debating club insures a steady support for debating in our college. It gives those students desiring more practice in argumentation and public speaking a chance to exercise themselves along such lines. Regular meetings are held bi-weekly, at which debates are scheduled and important phases of debating discussed. The club has general supervision of all debating activities of the college department.

Inter Collegiate Debate



Negative Team:

Ray W. Frantz and Harry Gilbert

Affirmative Team:

Paul K. Brandt and E. L. Ikenberry
J. P. Prather, Alternate

McPherson College is a member of the Kansas Inter-Collegiate Debating League. The state is divided into districts with a certain number of colleges to a district. League arrangements pitted our teams against Cooper of Sterling. March 12th our affirmative team met the negative team here and lost unanimously. The negative team went to Cooper and, through a series of unfortunate circumstances, lost, two to one. The question was: Resolved, that the United States assume a protectorate over Mexico.

Special arrangements, outside the League, were made with Tabor College, of Hillsboro, for a debate with their team April 23rd at McPherson.

The proposition debated was: Resolved, that the United States should adopt a system of responsible cabinet government, constitutionality granted.

Dual Debate Team:

Henry R. Stover and Arthur Bell



One Hundred Three



Academy Debating Club

L. A. Fleming.....	<i>President</i>
Christian Ikenberry.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Fannie McGaffey.....	<i>Secretary</i>
Frank Howell.....	<i>Treasurer</i>

McPherson College has long stood for that type of education that trains the mind for quick, logical and accurate thinking. There is no profession in life in which such ability does not have great advantages, and surely there can be no better method of securing such training than in debate. It was with this purpose in view that the McPherson College Academy Debating Club was organized in the late fall of 1919, under the direction of the faculty Literary Society committee. The membership of the Club, limited to twenty-five, is secured thru try-outs. The Club meets every alternate Saturday evening for a program of debates and discussions by the members.

The Debating Club is a very important factor in our college. It trains the Academy students in the principles of debate and prepares them for entrance into the College Debating Club. A great deal of enthusiasm and interest has been manifest and the prospects for the future success of the Club are bright.

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Inter Academy Debate



NEGATIVE TEAM

Ruth Rexroad, David Brubaker
Alternate, Lauvera Lingle

Arrangements were made for a triangular debate with the Academy Departments of Tabor and Central Colleges, and for a dual debate with Bethel Academy. The question debated was, Resolved: that the United States should create a court of compulsory arbitration for the final settlement of labor disputes. The triangular debate was held on the fifteenth of April. Our affirmative team debated Tabor here, and won, but our negative team lost to Central at Central. On the sixteenth our teams took both decisions from the Bethel teams.

AFFIRMATIVE TEAM

L. A. Fleming, W. T. Lockett
Alternate, R. Miller



Our Student Fire



Fahnestock Hall Self Governing Body

Early in the school year, at the suggestion of the management, the men of the Dormitory met and elected representatives who constitute their self-governing body. Each of the three floors chose five representatives. The one who received the most votes in each case became chairman of his floor. The fifteen men elected constitute the "Committee of Fifteen." The chairman of each floor is a member of a central "Committee of Three." The Faculty is represented by Professor Morris who is chairman of both committees. As their first work the committees drew up suggestive agreements of conduct which were adopted unanimously by the men.

The plan of self-government works somewhat as follows: Matters of government are first discussed by the committee of three which then lays the problem with recommendations before the committee of fifteen. Discussion by the whole committee follows and a decision upon further action is made. If it seems advisable the person or persons concerned are called before the entire committee, given an opportunity to state their case, make reparation if necessary, and agree to uphold the ideals which were previously adopted. In no case has the committee been compelled to refer any matter to the management as a final resort.

Altho the work has not been without defects or criticism yet in the main this first experiment of self-government in the Men's Dormitory has certainly not been without success. First of all we have a simple and a democratic organization chosen by the men themselves to whom the committees are accountable. Also, some have been aided in adjusting themselves to life in a complex society where the rights and property of other folk must be respected. When these are fully achieved student honor and self-government will have won another victory.

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Nebraska Warblers



Harmony Singers

The Hundred Fight



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Irving Literary Society

Motto: Once an Irving, always an Irving

Colors: Royal Blue and White

OFFICERS

FIRST QUARTER	SECOND QUARTER	THIRD QUARTER	FOURTH QUARTER
Pres....Alice Burkholder...	Alice Burkholder...	E. Schermerhorn...	E. Schermerhorn
V. Pres..Hervey McClelland..	Homer Foutz....	Claude Lowe.....	Silas Keim
Sec.....Margaret Bish.....	Mrs. S. Keim....	May Rowe.....	Iva Studebaker
Treas...Harold Beam.....	Irene Hoffman....	Eunice Cripe	Paul Pair
Chr. Pro.			
Comm..Oliver Austin.....	Herman Jones...	Alice Sorenson	Mrs. S. Keim

The Irving Memorial Literary Society was one of the earliest organizations of McPherson College. It was founded in 1889, at the time the college first opened its doors. At one time it included the students of the three upper classes of college. During the early history of the college the Irving Society was attended by the people of the city, for it was one of the few public entertainments offered. When Irving Hall was completed, in 1902, the society was reorganized and put upon a new basis. A constitution and charter were drawn up but they have been lost. In 1919 a committee drew up a new constitution which was a revision over the former. It was officially adopted by the society.

During the school year of '19-'20 the membership of this body was one hundred six. A number of special programs were given during the year: A weird, spooky one on Hallowe'en; an original farce, "Old Maids' Circle" at the time of the Emporia "Y" convention when the male element of the school was absent; one given by the men in retaliation after their return; a Christmas pageant; a service program in honor of the returned soldiers, sailors and nurses on the anniversary of armistice day; a scientific program; an Irish program on St. Patrick's Day, and a two-act comedy in April.

The purposes of the society are directed toward the benefit of the student—to give him ease and composure on the public platform by periodic performances before the society; to give him practical experience in parliamentary law; to maintain a keen spirit of wholesome rivalry with other societies; to form and help raise new ideals of public programs, social entertainments, and social life; to broaden the interest and widen the intellectual field; to stimulate an appreciation of the best in literature, art, and music; and, finally, to be the means of enabling the student to learn to live the fullest and best life according to his highest ambitions.

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Iconoclast Literary Society

Motto: Learn to Do by Doing
 Colors: Brown and Gold
 Emblem: Kansas Sunflower

OFFICERS

FIRST QUARTER	SECOND QUARTER	THIRD QUARTER	FOURTH QUARTER
Pres..... Ralph Strohm	Louis Bowman	Dayton Yoder	Mable Brubaker
V. Pres... Florence Mohler	Henry Slover	Marietta Byerly	C. F. Brubaker
Sec..... Ruth Miller	Estella Engle	Della Evans	Nellie Derrick
Treas.... Earl Bowman	Ralph Lehman	Ruth Z. Miller	Sam Merkey

The Iconoclast Literary Society was organized during the year 1913 and 1914, and has been an active factor in student life since that time. It is made up of students of college rank. The present membership is one hundred and twenty-eight, which is the largest since the college and academy societies were divided in 1916.

The Iconoclast Society furnishes an excellent opportunity for development along every line. It is particularly adapted to the needs of the beginning student who desires to improve his talents. Our aim is to give every member an opportunity to carry out the motto. Each week a public program, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, stories, debates, orations, current events, and college news, is given. That the Iconoclasts possess a great amount of talent is shown by the fact that there are among our number several soloists, two ladies' quartettes, and a male quartette. There are also several readers of excellent ability, and winners in the state oratorical and debate contests. During the year basket ball games were played between the societies, and debate contests were staged.

The society was among the first to welcome the new students at the opening of school. Early in the year a social was given for all the college students. Later another one was given for the new members. These events never fail to secure from the members unflinching loyalty to the society, to her purpose, her colors, and her emblem.



One Hundred Eleven

The Hundred Twelve



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Ciceronian Literary Society

Motto: Plus Ultra
 Colors: Old Rose and Green
 Emblem: Four Leaf Clover

OFFICERS

FIRST QUARTER	SECOND QUARTER	THIRD QUARTER	FOURTH QUARTER
Pres....David Brubaker	Mark Neher	Mark Neher	Christian Ikenberry
V. Pres..Hazel Vogt	Etta Van Pelt	Eunice Moors	W. T. Lockett
Sec.....Fannie McGaffey	Eunice Moors	Eunice Moors	Iva Brammell
Treas...Fannie McGaffey	Esther Moors	Esther Moors	Ray Gish

ROLL CALL

Adamson, Gladys	Frantz, Ruby
Baker, Agnes	Geiman, Abraham
Birkin, Alice	Geiman, Nevin
Birkin, Leonard	Gish, Ray
Boggs, Calvin	Greene, James W.
Brammell, Iva	Greening, Catherine
Brammell, Sylvia	Himes, Addie
Brubaker, David	Himes, Ralph
Brubaker, Harvey	Howard, Olive
Correll, Frank	Ikenberry, Christian
Correll, Sada	Keim, Bernice
Crumpacker, Euiah	Lapp, Isaac
Crumpacker, Laura	Leighty, Yozelle
Crumpacker, Leo	Lingenfelter, George
Duerksen, H. B.	Lingle, Lauvera
Edwards, Gladys	Lockett, W. T.
Ek, Clara	Martin, Ralph
Ek, Helen	Maust, Samuel
Elliott, Ray	McGaffey, Fannie
Evans, Franklin	McGaffey, Maxine
McGill, D. F.	Reynolds, Opal
McGonigle, Mae	Shepp, Thomas
Merkey, David	Slabach, Adria
Miller, B. F.	Slabach, Eva
Miller, Callie	Slifer, Edith
Miller, J. A.	Small, Hazel
Miller, M. L.	Strohm, Reva
Miller, Russel	Studebaker, Walter
Moors, Esther	Sword, Merrit
Moors, Eunice	Teeter, Grace
Morgenthal, Herbert	Trowbridge, Glen
Meyers, Helen	Turcotte, Rose
Neher, Mark E.	Turcotte, Thelma
Neher, Simon	Van Dyke, Esther
Neher, Mrs. S. J.	Van Dyke, Ruth
Neiswander, W. Earl	Van Pelt, Etta
Olsen, Alice	Vogt, Hazel
Peebler, Roy	Weigand, Florence
Reiman, Cadie	Westrick, Floyd
Rexroad, Ruth	Williams, Edith
Flatt, Alice	Wine, Glen
Forney, Samuel	Wine, Lee
Frantz, Ruth	Wray, Iva

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Emersonian Literary Society

Motto: Nothing Venture Nothing Have

Colors: Emerald Green and Silver Gray

Emblem: Pansy

OFFICERS

FIRST QUARTER	SECOND QUARTER	THIRD QUARTER	FOURTH QUARTER
Pres..... Frank Howell.....	Avery Fleming.....	Ua McAvoy.....	Edith Muse
V. Pres... Edith Muse.....	Olive Boone.....	Mary Baker.....	Haven Hutchison
Sec..... Ua McAvoy.....	Laura Bowman.....	Loretta Yoder.....	Beulah Wiltfong
Treas.... Neva Yoder.....	Frank Boone.....	W. Riddlebarger...	Bruce Tharrington

ROLL CALL

Baker, Mary	Gish, W. W.
Betts, Vilas	Garst, Helen
Bishop, W. E.	Harter, Elza
Breshears, Ethel	Hess, John B.
Boone, Frank	Howell, Frank
Boone, Olive	Howell, Price
Bowman, Laura	Hutchison, Haven
Brubaker, Gilbert	Hargrove, Ross
Brubaker, Mrs. G.	Ihrig, Irvin
Brubaker, Lula	Johnson, Carl
Brubaker, Maggie	Kaufman, R.
Burgin, W. R.	Kinzie, Lila
Crist, Lee	Lehman, Harry
Crumpacker, Lillie	Lehman, Harvey
Crumpacker, Sanger	Lengle, Anna
Daron, Garmon	Lengle, John B.
Daron, Zelma	Longanecker, Grace
Eller, Jay	Longanecker, Harvey
Edgecomb, Minnie	Loshbaugh, Kathryn
Loshbaugh, Ralph	Sandy, Lillian
Luckett, Bessie	Schroeder, Marvin
McAvoy, Ua	Schroeder, Victor
McClelland, Everett	Spicer, Charlie
McClelland, Zora	Spicer, John
Mikow, Louis	Spurgeon, Harvey
Mohler, Sam	Sperling, Sam
Mugler, Minnie	Stansbury, Clara
Muse, Edith	Stansbury, Mabel
Okerland, Mabel	Tharrington, Bruce
Okerland, Oliver	Tharrington, Kathryn
Parry, Rowland	Tull, Arian
Parry, Myrl	Van Ness, Vera
Peebler, Ferne	Waas, Bennie
Pitzer, Gladys	Wagoner, Carrie
Pitzer, Marie	Wampler, Herckle
Riddlebarger, W.	Whiteneck, Sylvia
Rhodes, Floy	Wiltfong, Beulah
Roberts, Grace	Wine, Blanche
Ellenberger, Golda	Wine, Lois
Fleming, Avery	Wooten, Carl
Fleming, Mrs. A.	Yoder, Loretta
Fleming, Mabel	Yoder, Neva
Flory, Maurine	Young, Gene C.

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Ex-Service Men and Nurses

Morris H. Harnly, 1st Lieut., Aviation, A.E.F.
 Harold E. Engstrom, 2nd Lieut., Field Artillery, A.E.F.
 John W. Maxey 1st Lieut., R. M. A., A. S. A., Fort Sill, Okla.
 Jacob H. Yoder, Sgt., Utilities, Camp Funston, Kan.
 W. E. Niswander, Sgt., School for Cooks and Bakers, Camp McArthur, Tex.
 Ralph Holsinger, Cpl., Medical Corps, various camps.
 Gilbert L. Betts, Cpl., Co. B, 12 Inf., 8th Division.
 Roy C. Frantz, Cpl., M.G. Co., 70 Inf., 10th Division, Camp Funston.
 Martin E. Stauffer, Cpl., Ordnance Corps, Metuchen, N. J.
 H. S. Foutz, Electrician 2nd Class, Radio, U. S. Naval Reserve Force.
 Ray R. Cullen, H.A. 1st Class, Medical, U.S.N.
 Rowland S. Parry, Pvt., Co. F, 137 Inf., 35th Division, A.E.F.
 Samuel A. Maust, Pvt., Co. B, 45th Engineers, A.E.F.
 Merritt Sword, Pvt., Base Hospital, B.E.F.
 Earl S. Zeiner, Pvt., Co. M, 137 Inf., 35th Division, A.E.F.
 Benaiah Wass, Pvt., 87 Sanitary Squad, 10th Division, Camp Funston, Kan.
 James W. Greene, Pvt., Base Hospital, B.E.F. No. 1, A.E.F. No. 2.
 Leland Moore, Pvt., Motor Transport Corps, A.E.F.
 Forney Slifer, Fireman 1st Class, Engineers Force, U.S.N.
 E. W. Schermerhorn, U. S. Naval Aviation, C.M.I.C., Pensacola, Florida.
 M. E. Teeter, Pvt., Ambulance Co. 354, 314 San. Tr., 89th Div., A. E. F.
 David E. Brubaker, Pvt., Aux. Remount Depot, Camp Funston, Kan.
 Crawford F. Brubaker, Pvt., Medical Detach. No. 323, Camp Funston, Kan.
 John L. Mohler, Pvt., Base Hospital, Ft. Riley.
 M. Lynn Miller, Pvt., Repair Unit 326, M.T.C., Camp Cody, New Mexico.
 Milo J. Stutzman, Pvt., Chemical War Service.
 Dayton R. Yoder, Pvt., Co. B, 28 M.G. Bn., 10th Div., Camp Funston, Kan.
 George Lingenfelter, P.H.M. 3rd Class, U.S.N.
 E. M. Brammell, Pvt., Camp Utilities, Camp Funston, Kan.
 Bruce Tharrington, Pvt., Quartermaster Corps, U.S.A.
 George N. Boone, Pvt., Infantry, U.S.A.
 Samuel S. Ebbert, Pvt., Infantry, U.S.A.
 Silas Keim, Pvt., Medical Corps, U.S.A.
 Chester Holsopple, Pvt., S.A.T.C., Columbia, Mo.
 Charles Dean, Pvt., S.A.T.C.
 Arthur Harms, Pvt., S.A.T.C.
 Arthur Staatz, Pvt., S.A.T.C.
 Floyd Holcomb, Pvt., S.A.T.C.
 Miss Olive Holmes, Reserve Nurse, Army Nurses Corps.
 Miss Emma Tousley, Reserve Nurse, Army Nurses Corps.



Alumni Association

OFFICERS

R. C. Strohm (N. '03)	<i>President</i>
J. Clyde Forney ('19)	<i>Vice-President</i>
Lewis Naylor (A. '17)	<i>Treasurer</i>
E. L. Craik ('10)	<i>Secretary</i>

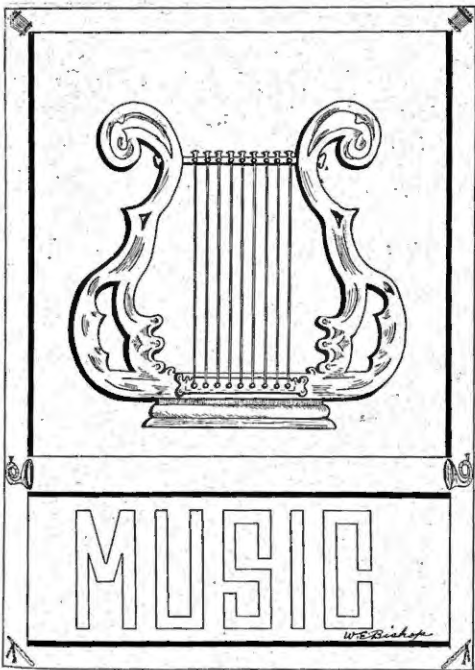
The Alumni Association of McPherson College numbers between seven and eight hundred members. Formerly only graduates of the normal department and the college were admitted to membership, but a few years ago it was voted to include all graduates who have received diplomas from any department of the institution. This action was made retroactive. Graduates automatically become members.

The aim of the Association is to bind more closely the tie between the alumni and their alma mater and to foster their mutual loyalty and friendship. The alumni should be considered centers of influence pointing young men and women to McPherson College. The college should seek to keep in touch with its alumni, to encourage them to press on in whatever line of endeavor they are engaged, and to render them any deserved favors within its power of bestowal. The alumni are the best asset of the college. Its standards depend largely upon them. Their suggestions for the college's improvement are welcomed by those in active control of their alma mater.

The Alumni Association was incorporated in 1919 under the laws of the state of Kansas. It has a representative on the Board of Trustees of the college, the present trustee being Rev. W. H. Yoder of Morrill, Kansas.

The annual membership fee of the Association is one dollar and it is due on April 1. Seniors may obtain life membership by paying the sum of ten dollars within one year after graduation. Others may secure life membership by paying fifteen dollars to the Association. On the night of Thursday of Commencement week, each year, a reunion and banquet is held by the Association at the college.

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One Hundred Twenty

Choral Union

Professor C. L. Rowland.....*Director*
 Ella Shank and Pauline Vaniman.....*Accompanists*
 Mrs. C. S. Morris.....*President*
 Nellie Cullen.....*Secretary*

The Choral Union of McPherson College has been organized this year on a slightly different plan than heretofore. Membership is limited to sixty-five. The Ladies' Glee Club of twenty voices with the Men's Glee Club of the same number form the major part of the chorus. The remaining voices are selected from musical students in the college who are not members of the Glee Clubs. A club this size is easily directed, and being made up of high class talent, little time is utilized in preparing a cantata.

On the evening of the tenth of January the chorus gave "The Word of God," a sacred cantata by Spross. This program was repeated during the Bible Institute in January for the benefit of the visitors.

During the second semester another cantata, "The New Earth," by Hadley, was given. This composition was especially appropriate and interesting as a modern production based on the late war. In the beginning it was that that three cantatas could be given, but for various reasons the third could not be given.

The Choral Union was organized with the object of furthering the interest in choral works. In this it is very successful. It is here that the student comes in contact with the great masters. He learns the art of singing with a group. The organization fills a prominent place in the life of the college.



One Hundred Twenty-One



Men's Glee Club

Professor C. L. Rowland.....*Director*
 Minnie Mugler.....*Accompanist*

First Tenor

Oliver Trapp
 Chester Holsopple
 E. L. Ikenberry
 Saylor Neher

First Bass

Henry Stover
 S. H. Sperling
 Ray R. Cullen
 Ray W. Frantz
 George N. Boone

Second Tenor

Rodney Martin
 Fred Howell
 J. Howard Engle
 Curtis Bowman

Second Bass

Ted Burkholder
 J. H. Garvey
 Galen Tice
 Jay Tracey
 Roy C. Frantz

During the school year the Men's Glee Club gave programs at nearby towns, furnished music for religious meetings, and took all male parts in oratorios given by the Choral Union. The work has been well worth while, altho not marked by brilliant hits nor extensive tours thru the country.



Ladies' Glee Club

Professor C. L. Rowland.....*Director*
 Minnie Mugler.....*Accompanist*

First Soprano
 Marie Cullen
 Bertha A. Frantz
 Rose McKinney
 Mrs. L. Birkin

First Alto
 Irene Hoffman
 Mrs. J. H. Garvey
 Mayme King
 Ua McAvoy
 Mrs. S. J. Neher

Second Soprano
 Ethel Whitmer
 Mrs. C. Holsopple
 Mrs. O. H. Austin
 Olivia Dickens
 Nellie Cullen

Second Alto
 Mrs. C. S. Morris
 Maude Crist
 Wave Davis
 Marguerite Mohler
 Gladys Edwards

The Ladies' Glee Club, comprising nineteen members, was under the able direction of Professor Rowland. The women gave programs consisting of solos, duets, quartettes, and chorus numbers in the neighboring towns of Moundridge and Canton. They also furnished special music for church services and literary programs. Their work was received everywhere with enthusiasm.



College Quartettes

The four quartettes of the college made several appearances, and were much appreciated each time. Several trips were made, and, accompanied by a reader, lecture course numbers were put on in a number of towns in the state.

Senior ladies: Bertha A. Frantz, first soprano; Mrs. Hazel Austin, second soprano; Ua McAvoy, first alto; Wave Davis, second alto.

College male: C. L. Rowland, first tenor; J. H. Engle, second tenor; Ray Cullen, first bass, and Theodore Burkholder, second bass.

College mixed: Bertha A. Frantz, soprano; Ua McAvoy, contralto; J. H. Engle, tenor, and Roy Frantz, bass.

College ladies: Marie Cullen, first soprano; Nellie Cullen, second soprano; Mayme King, first alto, and Mrs. C. H. Morris, second alto.



One Hundred Twenty-Four



Orchestra

Alvh Lauer.....*Director*
 Miss Pauline Vaniman.....*Pianist*

The first orchestra that has been seen in our college since the middle ages (of the school), made its appearance this year. It is not a high-brow organization at all, but in all its public appearances was very well received. With a beginning of eleven pieces it soon grew to twenty-five, and for the program in the city was augmented to thirty-five, including the city musicians.

It is the intention of Mr. Lauer to make the work standard in every respect. Simple music was used at the beginning, but after the members became more confident, more difficult music was attempted. It is the aim of the director to develop a taste for the musical arts, whether it be for wind or stringed instruments. The orchestra is for all the students, and in a few years when more musicians are trained M. C. will possess a symphony orchestra second to none.

Professor Lauer is a talented musician. He teaches violin as a specialty, but he has had some students in cornet and clarinet this year. The total enrollment in this department is twenty-two.

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One Hundred Twenty-Six



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The value of athletics is inestimable. We are fortunate in having a large gymnasium, with a large floor for basket ball, volley ball, and physical training. We also have five of the smoothest tennis courts in the country. We were unfortunate, however, in not having a base ball diamond or foot ball gridiron. All these sports are essential to student life, and must be provided for, if the fourth side of the four square man is developed.

Athletics is not a man-killer, but a man-maker. It not only develops the physical, but the mental. The student is under the supervision of a proficient coach, who never permits him to undertake more than he can bear. It is on the athletic field he learns the value of team work, and a friendly association with the opposition.





STUTZ, LE



SKINTE, HT



SCIMY, HJ



VODN, HH



CRUN, LH



FRADD, C



EUG, HJ



FISHER, LD



SLIPER, LH



TICE, LT



HOOPER, DD



BILL, RE



FRIZZ, FD



CHALK, LC

INTER-CLASS BASKET BALL TEAMS



Sophomore College 1000



Freshman College 700



Senior College 750



Senior-Soph. Academy 500



Junior-Fresh Academy 67



Junior College 600



COACH O. W. PATTERSON

ATHLETIC COMMITTEE

Professor R. E. Mohler, Chairman

Eunice Cripe, Secretary

Goldie Ellenberger, Harry Gilbert, E. W. Schermerhorn.





TICE AND SKIMY IN ACTION



OUR INITIAL FOOT BALL TEAM

Inter-Collegiate Basket Ball Scores

- Jan. 9—M. C. 16, Wesleyan 19
 Jan. 20—M. C. 37, K. U. of C. 32
 Jan. 22—M. C. 23, Cooper 36
 Feb. 3—M. C. 19, Wesleyan 27
 Feb. 16—M. C. 11, Bethel 41
 Feb. 18—M. C. 22, K. U. of C. 38
 Feb. 19—M. C. 19, Hays Normal 35
 Feb. 20—M. C. 19, Hays Normal 37
 Feb. 28—M. C. 23, Bethel 50
 Mar. 1—M. C. 16, Bethany 34
 Mar. 8—M. C. 19, Bethany 26

GIRLS' SCORES

- Mar. 4—M. C. 33, Windom H. S. 1
 Mar. 9—M. C. 23, Moundridge H. S. 9
 Mar. 11—M. C. 9, Bethany 29
 Mar. 23—M. C. 9, Bethany 12



One Hundred Thirty-Two

AUGUST RUMP, (CAPTAIN) FORWARD.
"Gussie"

The old "War Horse" makes the opposition tremble when he comes jazzing down the floor. Much credit is due him for his work as captain during a tough season when all the material was green.

FRED HOWELL, FORWARD.
"Fritz"

As a point maker Fritz is a Mrd. He has developed a speedy heady game that makes him look like a trump card for next year. He has the build and the form, all he needs is accuracy, and that will come with experience.

**SANGER CRUM-
PACKER, GUARD.**

"Crummie"

The bird with the bottomless lungs. Never known to run out of wind on the floor. Plays a whirlwind of a game, covers his man, and shoots his share of the goals.

VILAS BETTS, CENTER
"Betts"

The man from the sage brush state, Idaho. Time after time he soared into the celestial regions and got the tip-off which made possible the plays that the home team pulled.

LOYD SAYLOR, GUARD
Substitute



HENRY STOVER, FORWARD.

"Stov"

Never spectacular but always in the play and on hand at the right time. A clever player and a man that is hard to guard.

OLIVER TRAPP, CENTER.

"Trapp"

The tall blond not only reaches "heights sublime" when theorizing about the fair sex, but also when jumping center. He is one of the cleanest players on the team having the least number of personals called on him.

FOSTER HOOVER, GUARD.

"Foe"

A guard that "sticketh closer than a brother." A typical Bull Dog when it comes to "hangin' round" his man. As a diversion he slips in a basket now and then.

ARTHUR STAATZ, GUARD.

"Art"

One of the few large men on the squad. Never a showy player but a guard that is hard to get by. He works in well in every play.

DAYTON YODER, GUARD.

Substitute.

On the Court

It is with reluctance that we attempt to fill this page. We did not come out at the end of the season with a long list of victories to our credit. We are sure of one thing, however, our team worked and the teams that overcame it had work to do it. The season was a little late in getting started and then in the midst of training the gymnasium was partly destroyed by fire. The management came to the rescue and had it ready for use after the holidays.



The basket ball team this year was interesting in several ways. First of all, the members were all or nearly all lower classmen. There was not a senior on the team, only one junior, and all the rest were underclassmen. It was interesting again because so many of the men were practically green on the floor. Only one or two were playing their second year on a college team.

The fellows who were on the squad learned several important things this year about the game. Coach Patterson drilled them day after day on short, snappy passes. He had them running up and down the floor snapping the ball at each other in a way that meant real training. He taught the team the value of speed, particularly when it is lighter than its opponents. One lesson that was especially hard to learn was team work, but the fellows found themselves in the last few games.

All the fellows that were on the team this year will be back next year and we are hoping for a lot of new material. The men who were on this year will be ready to start at the first whistle and go till the last goal is shot. With the advantage of this year's training there is no doubt that we will make our opponents eat our dust next year.

M. C. has in the past had basket ball teams that made most of the schools around here look like the last rose of summer on a cold January night. Our team this year was underweight when compared with any of the teams we played. Next year we will make up in speed what we lack in weight and put the old college on the basket ball map again. We are going ahead. Watch our smoke.

The annual basket ball banquet was given April 5th, at which letters were presented to the following: Fred Howell, Arthur Staats, Sanger Crumpacker, Vilas Betts, Oliver Trapp, Lloyd Saylor and Foster Hoover; monograms to Henry Stover, August Rump and Dayton Yoder.

Worthy of mention is the team of the fair ones. They, too, started a little late and played only four games. We succeeded in copping one of them. Letters were also awarded to the following girls: Gertrude Gleckler, Floy Rhodes, Iva Brammell, Minnie Edgecomb, Dorothy Bryant, Clara Linscheid, Lota Neher, Ruth Cripe and Eunice Cripe.

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'19-'20 RESERVES



GIRL'S BASKET BALL TEAM



GILBERT AND BOWMAN

Tennis And Track

As this is printed, there is nothing definite on tennis and track. The courts have been bathed all spring by Jupiter Pluvius, and the men have not had a chance to exercise themselves. Plans were made to enter a tennis team in the district meet at Cooper, May eighth. Bethany, Bethel, Cooper, and McPherson were the competitors. A tournament was held on the local courts during April and May and Gilbert and Bowman were the best men. Our chances are good to come out strong in this tournament. It is the plan to put on some Inter-Collegiate games for the amusement of the students, and with favorable weather we should "love 'em up."

The same state of affairs existed in track as in tennis. As this is written not much track material has shown up. Coach Patterson had charge of practice at the Fair Grounds. We plan to enter the meet at Sterling May the eighth, and if we make a showing there the men will be taken to the state meet at Emporia. It remains only for time to tell whether there is a record sprinter, hurdler, broad jumper, or pole vaulter among us.





BOYS' GYMNASIUM CLASS



GIRLS' GYMNASIUM CLASS

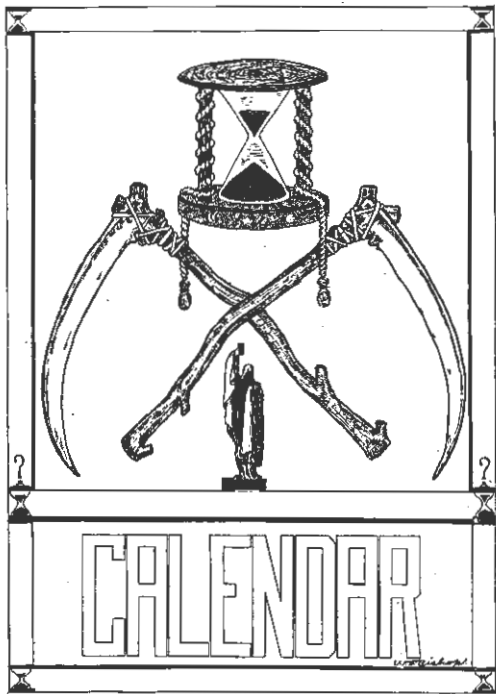
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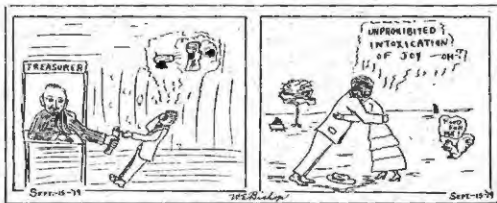
One Hundred Forty-One

SEPTEMBER

- 15—Registration begins. Students pour in from all directions, in cars and on trains. Friendships broken since May, again resumed. J. Greene appears in uniform, buys ticket for chapel seat.
- 16—Registration continues. 100 per cent increase over last year. Yoder and Fries smilingly and unflinchingly relieve students of hard-earned kale. New dorm unfinished. Girls are stationed in gym.
- 17—Convocation address. Our beloved president keeps up old gait.
- 18—Bookless students meet and have lessons assigned.
- 19—Ciceronians entertain Emersonians in chapel. Ice cream factories over-worked.
- 20—Irving opening program. Iconoclasts go to dining hall for social. Seniors the first class to have social. Meet at Ebbert's.
- 22—Irving reception to new students and lawn party on quadrangle.
- 23—Annual Y. W. C. A. reception to the new girls. Protectorates assigned. Y. M. C. A. watermelon wrecking party a success.
- 25—Ice cream factory forced to build larger. Annual faculty reception to students. Professor Craik waxes entertaining and astounds new students.
- 26—Books wanted. Students become furious, yea, they draw near to a riot. Boys bring out the pigskin oval. Serious complications expected.
- 27—"Chapel attendance is required."—Prexy. Van Pelt decides to take matrimony. Bessie consents.
- 30—Freshmen introduce skull caps. Poor little children. Just look at the numerals. Seniors indignant.

OCTOBER

- 3—First edition of Spectator makes its appearance.
- 4—"Chapel attendance is required."—Catalogue.



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- 6—Midnight. Gymnasium transformed into "Barracks," by boys and green paint.
- 7—Foot ball takes definite form. Team organized. High school swamped, 25 to 0.
- 8—Midnight. Heating plant burns. Tice appears and disappears.
- 9—Dr. Kurtz's fortieth birthday. No rheumatism. Presented with leather traveling bag.
- 13—M. C. orchestra organized. Held first practice. Great innovation.
- 14—Chapel reversed. Rostrum built at west end to accommodate large crowds. Bethany offers us a game of foot ball.
- 16—"Students should pay their tuition."—Yoder.
- 18—Lonesome girls. Seventy men go to Emporia to "Y" convention. Pigskin fracas at Marion.
- 21—Girls in "Barracks" become restless.
- 23—Midnight. Dr. Kurtz's roadster comes in too close contact with rear end of large truck. Former disappears.
- 25—Annual Staff elected. Sorrowfully take up duties.
- 27—Girls move from "Barracks." Thanksgiving and rejoicing. Horrors! the editor loses comfortable bed.
- 28—Seniors entertain Freshmen children in gym with a hot breakfast.
- 29—Basket ball begins. Angels vs. Demons.
- 31—Hallowe'en. Big disturbance at gym. Trapp assumes femininity.

NOVEMBER

- 1—Prof. Blair "preaches" in chapel about roof gardens, sun parlors, etc.
- 6—Annual christened "LIFE and LIGHT." Reward remains with the staff. Professor Ebel, of Hillsboro, gives chalk talk. Stubby learns.
- 7—Green issue of Spectator. Nothing wrong—only a Freshman attempt. Girls serenade boys at 10:30 p. m. in halls.
- 11—Armistice day. Ex-service men have oyster stew. Storm the Tourney.
- 13—Sir John Foster Fraser at Opera House.



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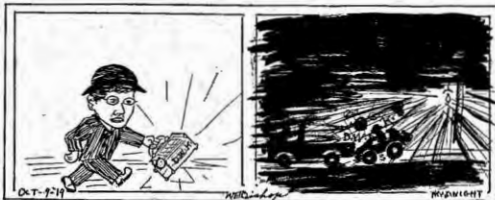
- 18—Girls of dorm stage sleeve apron parade. "Oh, you beautiful doll" sung in chapel.
- 20—Montague Light Opera Singers at Opera House.
- 21—"You should attend chapel and church services"—Uncle Danny.
- 24—Petition circulated for Thanksgiving recess. Rev. J. Edson Ulery begins revival meetings.
- 25—Petition turned down by faculty.
- 27—Thanksgiving Day. M. C. vs. M. U. gridiron combat. M. C. 27, M. U. 7. Greatest Turkey Day game—Junior bubble—in history of college.
- 28—Prexy visits the eastern sister colleges.

DECEMBER

- 1—Capt. O. O. Wiard lectures in chapel on fakirs.
- 3—Sophomores win inter-class basket ball championship.
- 4—Men's Glee Club sings at Canton to empty seats. Some inspiration.
- 5—Medals presented to last year's wonder students. Great candy sale.
- 7—Revolutions close. Thirteen converts.
- 9—Gymnasium burns. Colder than _____. Frozen ears and hands in abundance. Girls thaw them out. Oh, Roy.
- 10—Choral Club presents "Word of God."
- 12—Dr. Kurtz returns from trip East. Announces that gym will be repaired immediately.
- 16—M. C. humiliated in first basket ball game by Windom A. C.
- 17—Unlucky day. Everything to come to end. Many prayers said. Candy and pie sale for basket ball boys.
- 18—We are still here.
- 19—4:30 p. m. Christmas vacation begins.

JANUARY

- 1—Vacation ends at 8:00 a. m. Enter leap year.
- 2—Frantz and Cullen decide to remain bachelors.
- 3—Annual sale launched. Subscriptions flock in.



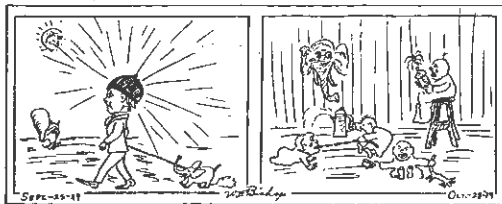
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- 6—McPherson church made definite plans to secure \$75,000 for new church.
- 7—Miss Beryl Buckley, reader, at Opera House.
- 9—Basket ball at Salina. K. W. U. 19, M. C. 16. Too bad.
- 10—Debate in chapel on League of Nations and the Peace Treaty. Group pictures taken for the annual.
- 13—Student vote on the League and Peace Treaty.
- 14—First and second teams defeated by Moundridge at Moundridge. Awful.
- 17—Winners of the college debate tryout announced. "Chapel attendance is required."—Kurtz.
- 18—Subscriptions taken for new church edifice.
- 19—Anti-Tobacco Contest tryout. Maxcy wins first.
- 20—Bull dogs drag banner of K. U. of C. in dust.
- 22—Barrelmakers step on Bull dogs. G-r-r-r-r.
- 23—Dr. Heaslon enters the scratching business. Exams! Exams! Exams!
- 24—Hearts lightened. Exams over. Hearts burdened. Price of "good old grub" soars.
- 25—Bible Institute opens. Many visitors.
- 26—Dr. Culler returns. Sleigh ride without snow. Culler lectures. Registration begins for second semester.
- 27—Maxcy wins oratorical contest. Choral Union sings.
- 28—Trustees hear about foot ball.
- 29—Dr. Culler delivers lecture on Armenia.
- 30—Prexy receives money to go to Japan. Science Hall assured.

FEBRUARY

- 1—Bible Institute ends. Flu enters. Dr. Kurtz succumbs.
- 2—Trustees meet. Football given fighting chance.
- 9—Kansas Wesleyans tear off another bite from Bull dogs. ?? ## !!



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- 6—Influenza ban goes on. Chapel discontinued. Students indignant.
- 7—No chapel. Students play three deep. Uncle Danny recovers.
- 11—Edgecomb's house burns. Hourly visits missed.
- 13—Friday. Unlucky. Some fellows find themselves pantless. Strohm and Fos sleep.
- 14—Valentine Day. City fire department unduly disturbed by college prowess.
- 16—Bethel defeats M. C. at Newton. Hard luck. Ministers hie to Wichita to conference.
- 17—Acad. Junior colors hanging high. Live scrimmages.
- 18—Basket Ball at Salina. K. U. of C. kicks back and wins. Horrors!
- 19—M. C. loses two games at Hayes. Custom. We should worry.
- 22—Flu ban lifted.
- 23—Loyal girls banquet conquering basket ball heroes. ? ? ?
- 24—"Chapel attendance is required."—Harnly. Numberless announcements accumulate. Seniors decide on play.
- 26—H. P. Kady lectures on "Liquid Air." Society lady injured by automobile.
- 27—Robin Hood at Opera House. Dr. Kurtz occupies orchestra row.
- 28—Basket ball. Bethel at M. C. Same old story.

MARCH

- 1—Basket ball with Swedes at Lindsborg. Room mates lose game. Judge Marcus A. Kavanaugh at Opera House.
- 2—The judge speaks in chapel.
- 3—\$1,651.50 pledged for equipping new hospital in China.
- 4—Fast girl's basket ball team makes debut by tearing up Windom High.
- 6—Senior social at Hoerner's. New talent in music brought to light.
- 8—Swedes again. M. C. humiliated for the last time.
- 9—Cleanup day. Irene can't pass for a man on account of her feet. Base ball receives a spring jolt.



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- 12—Presidential straw vote. Hoover the favorite. Both college debate teams lose to Cooper. Some of the boys live in the jail.
- 14—Zepherettes blow. Tiny Peblettes uplifted and pelted against suffering humanity at fifty per.
- 16—Dean Yoder presides at chapel. The wrath of Gilbert arose.
- 17—St. Patrick's day. Dr. Culler installs new officers of Y. M. and Y. W.
- 20—McPherson College Symphony Orchestra in concert.
- 22—Peblettes resume their raid.
- 23—Girls lose to the Swede girls.
- 24—M. C. visited by the life work team.
- 25—Maxey pulls down first place in state Anti-Tobacco Oratorical Contest at Miltonvale.
- 28—Messiah at Lindsborg. Students attend.
- 31—Student Recital in chapel.

APRIL

- 1—All Fool's Day. Student ministers get blame for "Inedita Infamia."
- 3—Dean Harnly waxes lonely in chapel. Sends search warrant out after faculty. Winter pays last respects.
- 4—"Merry Xmas". Ten feet of snow and still snowing.
- 5—Banquet in gym in honor of both men and women basketball heroes.
- 6—College students attend union evangelistic services at tabernacle en masse. Numerous masses consist of two.
- 9—Parson Burkholder and Methodists conduct chapel. Austin and Culler are converted.
- 12—Freshman co-eds get dates and throw a real Leap Year party. Academy Junior-Senior banquet in Arnold Hall dining rooms.
- 14—Evangelist Rayburn has Quaker meeting at tabernacle. Preaches till midnight.



One Hundred Party-ers

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- 15—Academy Debate. Affirmative wins from Tabor at M. C., while the negative loses at Central.
- 16—Academy Debating team wins two from Bethel.
- 20—Tice elected captain of football for next year. Fund thermometer starts up. Treas. Yoder pledges. Hooray.
- 22—First Inter-State Anti-Tobacco Oratorical Contest ever held in the world at Central College. Maxcy slips over a win. Stubby brings up the rear and wins third.
- 23—Stover and Bell tramp on Tabor in debate. Howard Snyder, the human "bird man" puts on demonstration in chapel, under auspices of Prof. Studebaker.
- 26—Pie Social for benefit football. Thermometer rises steadily.
- 28—Harry L. Fogleman at Opera House. Magnetic rapid fire speaker. Last number Lyceum course.
- 29—Life and Light goes on the press. All following dates not certain.

MAY

- 1—Senior Proclamation appears. Underclassmen horrified at strict orders. They whiningly comply. Junior-Senior Banquet in Arnold Hall.
- 4—Base ball. Bethany at Lindsborg. Foreign language department puts on program.
- 5—Choral Union presents its last cantata, "The New Earth."
- 8—Tennis and track men enter meet at Sterling, Kansas.
- 11—Baseball. Bethany at M. C.
- 14—Academy Seniors present "What Happened to Jones."
- 15—Seniors display dignity. Make formal debut in board caps and black flowing robes. Some feeling, we'll say.
- 17-22—Junior week. Junior operetta, Junior chapel, and other things too numerous to mention.
- 19—College orchestra, augmented by city musicians, gives concert in the city.
- 21—Piano Recital in the chapel.
- 22—President's reception to graduates.
- 23—Baccalaureate Sunday. Dr. Kurtz discourses in rare form.
- 24-26—Final Exams. Vocal Music Recital.
- 26—College Seniors present, "The Servant in the House."
- 27—Class Day. Alumni Reunion and Banquet.
- 27—Dedication of Senior Memorial at dawn.
- 28—Commencement. M. G. Brumbaugh, ex-governor of Pennsylvania, delivers address. Many pathetic farewells said. Campus has no lure for seniors.



FEATURE



One Hundred Fifty

YE BOOBS AND MUTTS

To you, who by your never ceasing impudent and foolish acts have made this section possible; to you, who by your seemingly saintly demeanor in public, but in private !!!!!! have made this section necessary, we dedicate and concentrate these perhaps humorous, perhaps pathetic, pages of pernicious pestiferous pestilence. You have to be popular to be hit, so don't get sorely vexed if we hit you. Be good enough to take your joke and appreciate the trouble we took to think it out. If you like this section, tell others; if you don't, keep still; we have troubles of our own.

Signed: Jo COSE.

HINTS TO FRESHMEN

When entering school be sure that you understand perfectly that when you have paid your tuition, you have bot the institution.

Be sure to advise the classifying committee that you were a person of some note in your high school, otherwise they may never find it out.

Talk on every occasion whether you have any knowledge on the subject or not—it matters little.

Always be a sport. Wear the loudest clothing possible, green excepted. If you are not mathematically inclined and cannot determine the year in which you will graduate, ask a senior.

In order to attract the attention due you, kick over a few chairs and whisper out loud in the library, or ask one of the young ladies of the Faculty for a date.

Pretend you are a person of leisure. Studying is a bad habit; besides it weakens the intellect and deprives you of a good time. In other words, do not let study interfere with pleasure.

When you go to the dining hall, eat as fast as you can. The food might get all

gone before you have finished.

Don't flirt with the men for they may be married.

It is bad etiquette to change your girl. Two can live cheaper than one. Get married and live in the place prepared for those that love and serve—their wives.

In the event it is in the year of Leap, it is exceedingly bad form for a young lady to covet affections from a young man.

DEDICATED TO HAZEL VOGT

She talks like a book,
Her admirers all say;
What a pity she doesn't
Shut up in the same way.

Prof. Swope: "Please certify at the end of your paper that you received or offered no help in this exam."

Roy Frantz (meaningly): "Does prayer count, Prof.?"

Ray Cullen (to merchant in town): "I'd like to get an ad. Is there an opening for me?"

Merchant: "Yes, there's one just to your rear. Shut it as you go out, please."

Prof. Harnly in Botany class: "What plants thrive well in excessive heat?"

Student: "Ice plants, sir."

Geo. Lingenfelter was asleep in class. Prof.: "George, wake up and get busy, you've done nothing this hour but doze in that chair."

Geo. drowsily: "I know it, but I've been dreaming I was shoveling coal and it's entirely done me up."

Irene: "We girls should not be called 'chickens' any more."

Gnaggy: "Why?"

Irene: "Because we are hard boiled and painted."



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Bertha M.: "Harold put his arm around me five times last night."

Ruby: "Ye gods! some arm."

Rowland in harmony: "With 'do' going down to 'so' in soprano, what is good for the bass to hold?"

Bertha F.: "Hold 'me'."

Ruth: "Diamond is the hardest substance there is, I hear."

Ua: "Yes—to get."

O. T. THEOLOGY

Prof.: "Mr. Maxcy, have you read Smith on Amos?"

Maxcy: "No, sir, I haven't, Professor."

Prof.: "Well, have you read Smith on Hosea?"

Maxcy: "No, I haven't read that, either."

Prof.: "What have you read?"

Maxcy: "About the only thing I have read is a few red hairs on my head."

Mohler: "What is a cow's cud?"

Forney: "That's after dinner mints."

CARRYING ON

R. Peebler: "I sent you some suggestions telling you how to make your annual more interesting. Have you carried out any of my ideas?"

Editor: "Did you just now meet Ikey with some papers in the waste basket?"

Peebler: "I did."

Editor: "Well, he was carrying out your ideas."

LEAP YEAR

Mayme: "Mrs. Holsopple, I want to play tennis with you some day."

Mrs. H.: "Oh, I will, and I'll bring my husband along."

Mayme: "Well, that'll be all right if I can get me one, too."

Gilbert in philosophy: "I'd rather be a happy pig than an unhappy philosopher."

Dr. Kurtz: "Everyone to his taste; I'm glad for the confession."

TOO TRUE

In physiology the question, "Define the Spinal Column," was asked.

Answer: "The spinal column is a row of bones running up and down the back; the head sits on one end and I sit on the other."

Tracey: "Margaret, do you really believe the moon has any effect on the tide?"

Margaret: "No just on the united."

FABLE A LA NAMES

A Valliant Fisher and a Christian from Frantz, and a Greene Bowman from the Brown forest, with Shepp, took a Neiswander thru the Dell. Coming Neher the Westbrook they were enjoying the babble of the Clyde, when, suddenly, down in the Moors and Glen, they chanced to Spicer (spy sir), grass Greening. Close by was a Trapp sprung on the Shank of a Blackman. They "jazzed" on to the top of the Hill where they beheld before them Flatt, Sandy, Lowe places, Boggs of mud and many Brammels, and only one Rose and a Fern. They became hungry wandering thru this distracted waste without Rhodes. They saw ten Millers but got no flour, they met three Bakers who had no loaves. Famished, they made three Betts on who could Russell the most "eats". The Fisher found a Pair, and discovered a Hershey and three Olives in his pocket which made his eyes Beam. The Bow man shot two Jays, four Martins, and a "dear" which was soon hung upon a Derrick. Shepp added to the repast by catching a Mohle-r two.

They concocted a meal resembling "dorm hash" which they ate after Christian said Grace. Fisher sat on a Stump with the Bow man on his Lapp. They



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concluded with a Small supply of Wine (not in Kansas) and, talking politics, decided to Vogt for Hoover. Being Neher a lake they got into a boat manœvered by four Saylor's and propelled by Ethel alcohol, but there came up a strong Gale-n blew them across. Suddenly it became Merkey overhead, the north wind did Howell, and they were about to Fries. A large Wave struck the boat, "May I Rowe?" asked the Fisher. "Yes, Urey hero" said the Bow man with a Si. Taking Hope they struggled on and without any Harms came to a Haven on the opposite Shores, where they were safe to Muse upon the event. They were met by a Bishop without a cowl, a Mason without a trowel, three Lehman, a Shoemaker, two Sargents, and King Louis (with the Blair of trumpets) wearing a Nice Ruby and Pearl chain about his fair Whiteneck. They would go to their Holmes, but Christian rang the Bell for church where they found a Boone for every Paine. Thus Seth Osborne.

THE SECOND BEST

Si Keim: "I don't see what you have to complain of. Haven't you had the best of everything since we were married?"

Mrs. Keim: "Well, I didn't marry the best man at our wedding."

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Funk: "Say, Bill, let me have five will you? Fisher just borrowed five from me."

Bill R.: "Can't do it old man. I just borrowed five from Fisher a minute ago."

Alberta Neher, in Theism: "Dr. Culler will you explain hell?"

Dr. Culler: "We haven't got that for yet, we will discuss that when we get there."

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McPherson is an educational center. It is the home of two denominational colleges—McPherson College, directed by the Church of the Brethren, and Central Academy and College, controlled by the Free Methodist Church. There are two public grade schools, and one accredited high school. The school buildings are new and modern in every respect. There are two Carnegie Libraries, one established by the city and the other by McPherson College.

McPherson is a commercial center drawing its trade from all parts of a county rich in resources and grain. Two large flour mills are in operation night and day. A foundry has recently been erected. The Farmers' Alliance Insurance Company and the headquarters of the Shaw-Bagley Investment Company are located at McPherson. There are five reliable banks. The business section presents a pleasing and prosperous appearance. A beautiful white way adorns Main street, and electric signs and artistically decorated windows add to the attractiveness of the stores. The Poehler Wholesale Grocery House, of Topeka, recently established a branch here. Four railroads, the Rock Island, Santa Fe, Union Pacific, and Missouri Pacific enter the city, affording excellent transportation facilities.

McPherson is an inviting spot because of her beautiful homes, well kept lawns, shade trees, and public improvements. There are twenty miles of first class paving and every street is well lighted. The waterworks and lighting system are municipally controlled. There are three well kept parks. Central Park contains an ornamental bronze equestrian statue of General James McPherson, for whom the city and county were named.

The city of McPherson is a religious center. Eleven denominations have modern church edifices in the city. The various pulpits are filled with broad minded men of more than ordinary ability and earnestness.

McPherson is a city of high ideals. The young people are provided with the best of amusements. The Opera House and Tourney Motion Picture Theatre offer high class stage and screen productions. A Redpath-Horner Lyceum course is given each winter under the auspices of the two colleges and the city.

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- Dr. Kurtz should become embarrassed and stay at M. C.
- Jimmie Greene hadn't been to the army five years.
- Harry Gilbert did not know what to say.
- Wes Maxey could not go to the Matron's room.
- Prof. Craik should run out of jokes.
- Dean Harnly could not shake his fist.
- Mr. Austin should become refined.
- Irene Hawley were not so corpulent.
- Prof. Blair did not deliver a sermonette in chapel once in a while.
- M. C. girls would get some Leap Year pep.
- A good baseball diamond were provided.
- Mrs. Fahnstock missed one of her classes.

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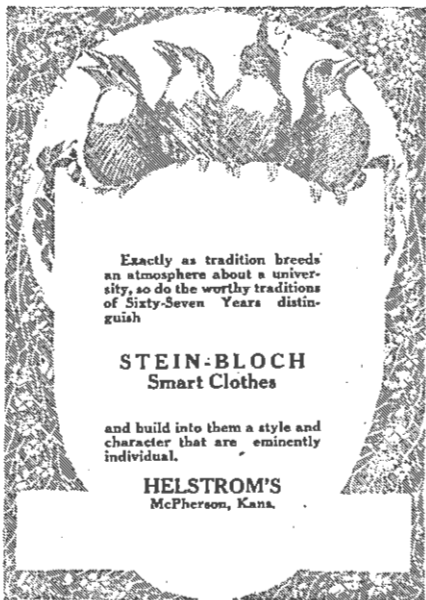


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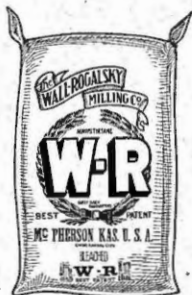
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WIT VS. WISDOM

There is no cream in cream of tartar, in old cream or chocolate creams, no milk of magnesia in milkweed or cocoanut. These are all as remote from the cow as the cowslip. There is no grape in grape fruit nor bread in breadfruit. A pineapple in neither pine nor apple; a prickly pear is not a pear; an alligator pear is neither a pear nor an alligator, and a sugar plum is not a plum. Apple-butter is not butter; all the butter is out of buttermilk, and there is none in butter-nuts or butter-cups, and the fly in the milk is not a butterfly. Peanuts are not peas, and it is doubtful if they are nuts. Sailors wear pea-jackets—peas do not, they have peacods, which, by the way, are not fish. Monkey wrenches are no relation to monkeys. Otter of roses is not extracted from the otter. Poles are not made from pole-cats nor badges from the badger. A lathe chuck is not a wood chuck, but a wood chuck is a ground hog, which is not a hog and is not ground—ground hog is sausage. A lathe mandrel is not a monkey, tho a mandrill is. Angel food is eaten by everybody—when they can get it.—There are no sponges in sponge cake, and the eating of lady-fingers does not import cannibalism. When a person is hoarse, he is not a horse. A horse-chestnut is as far removed from a horse as a saw-horse, clothes-horse, or horse-radish. A horse-chestnut is a nut, so are some persons. Some nuts go with bolts. A doughnut does not grow on any tree unless it is the pantry. Whiffle-trees, boot-trees, hall-trees, and family-trees are as out of place in the woods as a railway frog, a fish-plate, a fish story, a mackerel sky, or a crabapple in water. Chicken-pox has nothing to do with chickens, neither has an egg-plant, nor a cocktail. Pussy-willow and cat tails are no more feine than a catnip tree. Strawberries do not grow on straw or gooseberries on geese.

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