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*Far away there in the sunshine are my highest aspirations. I may not reach them, but I can look up and see their beauty, believe in them, and try to follow where they lead.—L. M. Alcott.*

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## DEDICATION

To Professor Earl R. Bohling, a man who has a thorough understanding of the field of Economics, Finance and Administration, who has a pleasing personality and has made his Commerce department popular because of the practical methods and views he sets forth, this book is gratefully and sincerely dedicated.

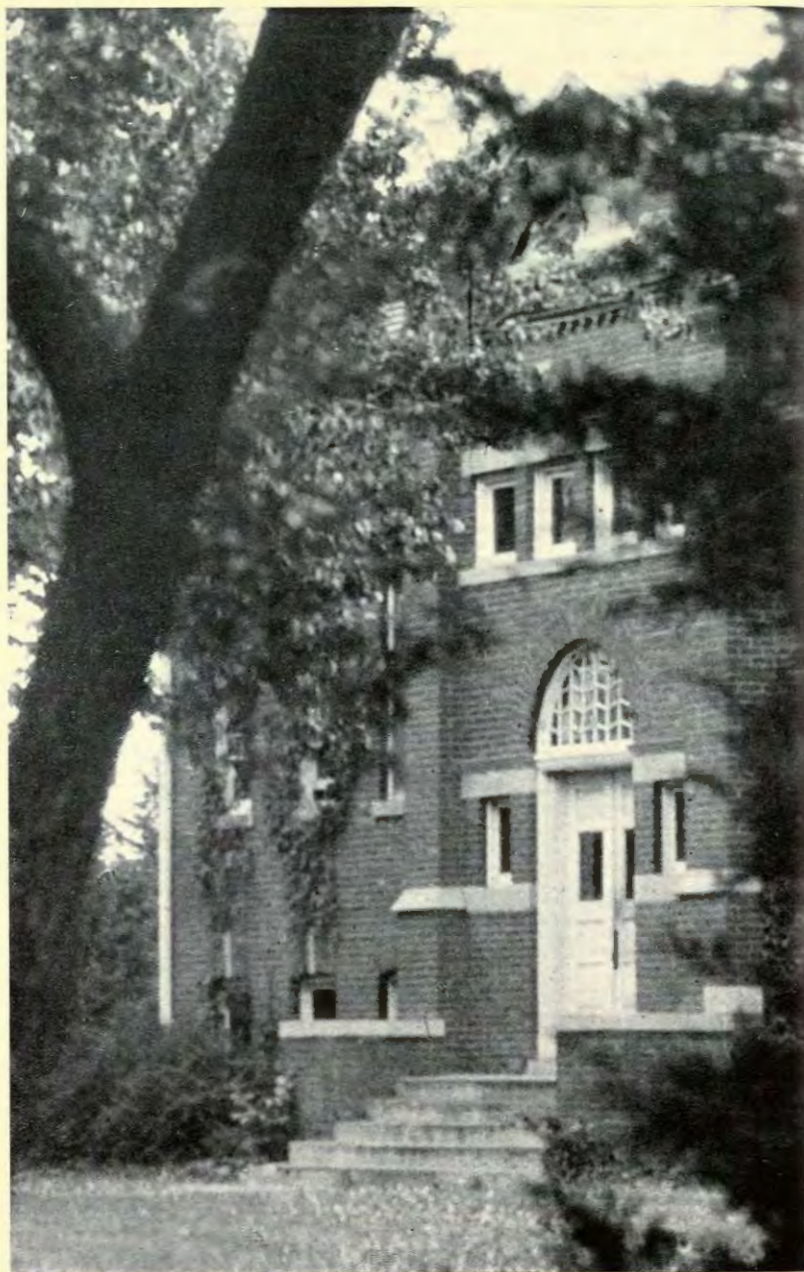
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# BEGINNING



"Except a living man, there is nothing more wonderful than a book! a message to us from human souls we never saw, who lived perhaps thousands of miles away. And yet these, in those little sheets of paper, speak to us, arouse us, terrify us, teach us, comfort us, open their hearts to us as brothers,"—Charles Kingsley. The McPherson College Carnegie Library is where we, the heirs of the ages, are given opportunity to build on the immortal stepping stones of knowledge laid by our forefathers. It has been said "Books are the ever-burning lamps of accumulated wisdom."

## Brethren Church

*"The Church of the Living God"*  
*"The Pillar and Foundation of the Truth"*  
I Timothy 3:15

The McPherson College Church recognizes one of its greatest responsibilities to society in its attempt to develop Christian leaders inspired by the highest idealism. The Church itself is the most imposing edifice of all the campus buildings and Sunday finds scores of college students worshipping there in an atmosphere of holiness and peace.



## The Library





As the chief executive of the College, Dr. V. F. Schwalm combines a thorough knowledge of the technique of educational administration with a sympathetic understanding of student psychology.



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DEAN J. M. SMITH  
B. A., A. M., Ph. D.

DEAN ROBERT E. MOHLER  
B. A., M. S.

## We Start Off With a Faculty Of Quality

**Bright.** Deliberate dignity and calm decision of manner enable Dr. Bright to fill most capably the offices of Dean of the College and Professor of History. Because of his sympathetic encouragement, Dr Bright is often sought by students having curricular difficulties. His slow, broad smile and droll wit have won for him a place of high esteem both on and off the campus. His theory for success is "read and write."

**Smith.** Dr. Smith came to McPherson College for the first time this year as the new Dean of Women and Professor of Psychology. With her winning smile, she soon made friends not only with the faculty group, but with the entire student body as well. Dr. Smith is an enthusiastic sports-woman. She enjoys horseback riding and is adept at rifle

shooting and Badminton. Those who do not have an opportunity to know her in her classes may do so at her Thursday teas. May she long be remembered as a source of psychological knowledge and late leaves.

**Mohler.** Dean Mohler is one of the busiest members of the McPherson College faculty. Added to his previous duties of Dean of Men and Professor of Biology, he was this year named assistant to the President in charge of Public Relations. As Dean of Men, Professor Mohler has shown himself appreciative of the viewpoints of college men, counseling them with understanding and wisdom in many of their problems. His friendly and interesting manner have made him much in demand as a speaker not only in Kansas but in surrounding states.

**Petry.** A brilliant mind, fluent vocabulary, and a keen personality, make Dr. Petry, as Professor of Philosophy and Religion, an outstanding educator in his field. His kindly and cheerful manner make him a loved friend to all his students. According to his students, Dr. Petry should be asked to give at least one biblical play each semester by himself.

**Hershey.** The most nationally known member of our faculty is Dr. Hershey, head of the Chemistry Department and perfecter of technique in the making of synthetic diamonds, and this year received wide recognition in national science circles.

**Flory.** Dr. Flory, who is with the college for his first year, came from Pennsylvania to be head of the English Department, and has won the friendship of the entire student body. Dr. Flory has a keen sense of humor and is a fad for sports.

**Boitnott.** Dr. Boitnott, the delightful southerner, who this year boldly ventured out to the Kansas plains to be head of the Education Department, has completely captivated his students and colleagues with his charming manner and slow southern drawl.

**Brown.** Dr. Brown's unlimited store of knowledge, gained in both America and Europe, has made a decided impression on the students of his modern language classes. His fascinating stories of his travels abroad lend meaning and interest to an otherwise monotonous study of grammar and construction.

**Harnly.** As Curator of the Museum and Professor Emeritus of Biology, Dr. Harnly is the veteran member of our faculty. He is loved and respected by all who have known him during his more than forty years at the college.

**Yoder.** Although not actively engaged as a member of the College faculty, J. J. Yoder is Treasurer of the College and spends a great deal of time on the campus and constantly consulted by those seeking financial direction.

**Lehman.** Perfect poise is truly characteristic of Miss Lehman, head of the Dramatic Art Department. If we cannot quite reach self-satisfaction along this line ourselves, we may see in her the embodiment of all our coveted ideals of charm.

**Bohling.** Professor Bohling, business economy theorist, has made his commercial department popular because of the practical methods and views he sets forth. Accurateness and thoroughness, are the keynotes to commerce as taught by Professor Bohling.



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 MAURINE STUTZMAN, B. A.

**Voran.** Professor Voran's contacts with the students have won him the respect and friendship of the entire student body. Aside from his regular teaching work "Cheesie" directs the work of the quartets and the A Cappella Choir.

**Bowman.** Professor Bowman has the ability to reveal the problems of mathematics, astronomy, physics, and radio in an interesting and fascinating way.

**Dell.** Professor Dell, head of the Industrial Arts Department, is also personnel director and works well with the

students and appreciates their viewpoints.

**Gill.** Those who have made acquaintance with Miss Gill cannot help but admire her. Besides being an efficient instructor in Journalism and Typing, "Miss Alice" is Dr. Schwalm's capable right-hand secretary.

**Stutzman.** With her contagious smile and gracious manner, Miss Stutzman is a charming assistant in the Business Manager's office. Although her patience is often worn thread-bare by constant interruptions, she does an accurate and efficient job of bookkeeping.

**Bowers.** After three years of faithful and capable work in the dean's office as a student secretary, Miss Bowers, this year achieved the distinction of being employed as Registrar of the College and has a keen understanding of the problems connected with graduation and certification.

**Fries.** Business-Manager Fries, who has a thankless job, gets a bad start with students because he must relieve them of their cash, but after knowing him for a while he is very likeable.

**Heckethorn.** Miss Heckethorn attempts to make the library an ideal place to study and strives to keep her library books and magazines on hand for ready use at all times.

**Brown.** Miss Brown has displayed her remarkable ability as an instructor of superior pianists. As head of the Music Department, she plans and arranges many public recitals.

**Lingenfelter.** Miss Lingenfelter spends much of her time in the town studio, but her frequent recitals in the college chapel assure us that all her time there is well spent.

**Colline.** Miss Colline has artistically illuminated the way for many talented students at McPherson College. The colorful oils and pastels of her under-studies do much to adorn the bare walls of an otherwise unsightly dormitory.

**Shay.** Miss Shay, who is instructor of violin and orchestra was a valuable addition to this year's faculty. Her violin solos have brought infinite pleasure to many.

**Binford.** Coach Binford sets a fine example of the way he wants his men to live. With his skillful coaching technique and his ideals of fair play he has won a state-wide reputation in athletics.

**Selves.** Coach Selves possesses a quality of sympathetic understanding which has won for him the admiration of every member of the squad.



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ESTHER ATKINSON, B. S.  
 ADELYN DEAN, B. A.  
 SAMUEL STONER, B. S.  
 REVEREND RAY E. ZOOK

**Atkinson.** Not only has Miss Atkinson, instructor of Home Economics, conveyed valuable information to women students, but many men students have enrolled in her courses. Hats off, to a woman who can interest men in phases of Home Economics.

**Dean.** Although Mrs. Dean divides her time between home making and school teaching, she slights neither. She has this year created an unusual interest in competitive girls sports, making

possible several public exhibition games.

**Stoner.** Samuel Stoner, College Field Secretary, is the originator of the Student Loan Fund plan and has influenced many students to come to the college.

**Zook.** Although not directly connected with the college, Reverend Zook has won the admiration and friendship of the student body by his Sunday sermons and has attracted many students into religious activities.

# And We Go On With a Matchless Student Year

## Governor Landon on Campus—Football Queen and Her Retinue—Season's Activities—Student Pranks and Practices—The Green Caps.

Freshman week began with the traditional greetings from the President and other college officials followed by speeches and a tour of the campus. Although some doubt was expressed it was believed that by the end of the nine weeks the numbering system would be well enough impressed on the minds of the "froschs" so that they could find their classrooms without a question. So the evening of the first day, the "green cappers" were given a chance to find out who each other were without the interference of any of the dignity which an upperclassman might demand. Games and songs occupied the hours of the "youngsters" while the "oldsters" renewed acquaintances, compared vacation experiences, and swapped choice bits of gossip. Not at all lacking in the conversations were comments on the new football field as well as on improvements in Sharp, Fahnestock, Arnold, and Kline.

Enrollment, that time where you decide what classes to cut during the semester, was somewhat lightened for the new girls by the aid of the campus sisters who did everything from telling the faults, weaknesses, and merits of the contemplated courses to introducing the campus shieks to them. In an attempt to revive them after the ceremonies, whatever they may have been, they were given a tea and wafer shindig. To complete the week, the whole school joined in for an evening of games, amateurs, and watermelons. Even though the "amateurs" were rather professional, everyone enjoyed seeing the new Ph.

D's and otherwise lettered personages of the faculty throw off their hitherto closely guarded dignity.

One of the most enjoyable of all faculty receptions was held in the church parlors September 16. Made memorable by its arrangement for convenience for conversation and a general good time. We saw some fellows with a coat and tie on for the first time.

"He who laughs last has usually just seen the joke" does not always hold true. For example we cite the night the fellows had a stag to the show and a "Female stag party" beat them there.

The flash of colors and the shrieks of voices and general pandemonium scenes seen and heard on the streets of our fair village September 25 was not a mad house on vacation, but rather the students of M. C. so full of pep that they had to "let steam off." After meeting east of the gym for the prologue the scene was shifted to the streets and hence to the show. The epilogue (retreat to the abodes of the various participants) dispelled any and all mistaken ideas that anyone might have had about Kansas being dry.

In honor of the new athletic field, fond mammas and papas were seen scurrying McPhersonward along about October 18. The very full day was begun by an address especially for the visitors (students were allowed to attend by special permission) by Rev. C. E. Davis of Independence. The faculty ladies tea and wafered the visitors in the after-

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Top row reading left to right: Ride 'em Cowboy; Green Caps or Not?; Who says Faculty Has Dignity?; Freshmen on Duty; Babies Must Play; Whooper-up; Where's My Mamma?; A Puzzle? Night Shirt Parade; The Funeral of Ole; A Sunday Afternoon Picnic. Building up the Pride of M. C.; Construction Gang; You Tell 'em, Joe; Kid Party.



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noon and Dr. Bright refereed the banquet at night. In the evening all hearts were in rhythm with the beat of the drum, spirit soared and excitement ran high as the seven bands passed in review. Governor Alf Landon won a special place in the hearts of the entire audience by his well stated address which was timely in its brevity.

Dust, dust, dust! But this time it was not one of the famous removals of earth from one section of the country to the other, merely from the interior of Fahnstock to somewhere on the exterior. But really, we never realized that boys had such good judgment in arranging furniture, pictures and bedclothes in rooms. Careful observation was necessary to determine which movie actress dominated the several hundred pictures in each room.

Odd characters from other lands and centuries were seen running around for the whole day. After due examination and questioning it was determined that they were really not "foreigners," but were the initiates of the Thespian Club. My, didn't Uriah Heaps look mean?

"Won't you buy a Quad?" "Bought your Quad yet?" "Vote for \_\_\_\_\_." Such were the cries heard in the dorm, in the dining hall, between classes in the halls, in fact everywhere. Why? A queen was in the making and votes were needed to make her. The final ballot showed the beautiful blond senior, Lillian Peterson to be queen. With all pomp and ceremony, due honor was given the queen and her attendants at the Swede game. The alumni organization entertained the football boys and the queen and her attendants at a goose dinner after the game.

Ah, home cooking for a change! The families living on the campus entertained all the dorm kinds for Sunday dinner. "Oh, we had chicken and noodles. What

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Starting at top: Where's Your Pep?; Reverend Vasquez in Performance; We Can Take It; Between Halves at Grid Games; So Help Us Lord; I Always Did Like Box-Suppers; Kids-Aid.



The most flashy and colorful event of the first semester is the pajama or night shirt (whichever you wear) parade. If you look long enough you can find your picture.



## We're Proud of Our New Field

**Kansas Lends Governor Landon for the Dedication--Field Developed Under Coach Binford.**



COACH  
MELVIN J.  
BINFORD

Upon returning to school last fall students and friends of the college were surprised and glad to see the development of a new athletic field. Last summer the Board of Trustees took steps by which an athletic field was to be developed at the college so that football games could be played on the college campus. Steps were taken to secure additional ground, to survey and grade the field and to sod it for use. Coach Binford, to whom much of the credit goes, was given immediate charge of the project, and as a result he has developed for the college a first class athletic ground.

The new field was dedicated on October 18, and the climax of the dedication ceremony was the dedication of the field delivered by Governor Alf M. Landon, after which the first home conference game of the year, with Baker University, was played, resulting in a scoreless tie. Director San Romani's band review was undoubtedly one of the most colorful and interesting features of the evening as seven bands and drum and bugle corps took part. This new development is indeed a valuable asset to the college and we are truly proud of it.



Governor Alf. Landon buys a Bulldog balloon at the McPherson-Baker football game. It was preceding this game that Governor Landon dedicated our new athletic field. It was indeed a high honor for us to have such a person deliver the dedication.



An unusual feature of the Homecoming program last semester was the inauguration of a football queen in a special ceremony just preceding the Swede game. The queen, Miss Lillian Peterson, center, was chosen in an all school

election with student voting privileges based on the purchase of a Quadrangle. Runners-up were Estelle Baile, left, and Velma Watkins, right, who acted as attendants to Miss Peterson at the ceremony.

## GRIDSTERS TAKE FOUR



COACH LESTER "BUD" SELVES

A McPherson athletic team, as built by Coaches Binford and Selves, is formed around certain principles of sportsmanship and character which involves not the mere winning or losing of a contest, but something far more important. A summary of last season shows that four games were placed in the victory column, three in the loss column and two in the tie column. This, when all outside factors are given due consideration, is not a bad ending.

With the smallest squad in years the Bulldogs opened the 1935 season with a victory on our new athletic field, by taking Friends University with a score of 26-3. May this game be remembered by "Galloping Ghost" Zuhars' 81 yard run for a touchdown, and Haskell's interception of a pass and run of 25 yards for the fourth touch down

The second game was with Bacone Indians from Oklahoma, from whom the Bulldogs won by a score of 14-6.

The third game of the season and the first conference game for the Bulldogs was at Ottawa University where "Fleet Footed" Haskell continued the winning streak for the Bulldogs by making all the points of the game, the score being 13-0.

### BACKFIELD

HAUN, Halfback.  
CRAHB, Quarterback  
HAPGOOD, Fullback  
ZUHARS, Halfback

### LINEMEN

BURRESS, End  
COLWELL, Tackle  
VASQUEZ, Guard  
RODELANDER, Center  
SEIDEL, Guard  
BARNGROVER, Tackle  
MOORE, End



## OUT OF NINE—TIE TWO

The next game was with Baker University and was the dedication game of our new field. This game was a battle if there ever was a battle, from start to finish, and is voiced as one of the greatest games ever witnessed by McPherson fans, even though it ended in a scoreless tie. Th Bulldogs' line and Haun's punting should be given considerable credit.

The fifth game was at Bethel College and marked the first defeat for the Bulldogs, and it being the first time in the history of the two schools that this situation has happened. The game was played on a rain soaked field and the Bulldogs

were unable to score, the score being 7-0.

The next foe to face the Bulldogs was the "Swedes" of Bethany College, from whom the Bulldogs won by a 26-6 score. Zuhars accounted for two touchdowns. Haun and Stratman one each.

The next two games marked the second and third defeat for the Bulldogs, one to College of Emporia by a score of 7-0, and one to Emporia State Teachers College by a score of 41-6. In the College of Emporia game the Bulldogs were not playing up to par as in the game before. Haun's punting got the Bulldogs out of dangerous territory time and again. In the Emporia State Teachers





Back Row: Coach Binford, Flory, Nace, Vaughn, Rolander, Colwell, Wiegand,  
Burrus, Moore, Coach Selves  
Middle Row: Toland, Ramsey, Boyer, Reinecker, Barngrover, Vasquez, Haun, Zuhars  
Front Row: Rock, Epps, Crabie, Stratman, Haggood, Seibel, Cornwell.

game, the courageous stand the Bulldogs made against the strong aggregation the first half was popular with the crowd. The score at the half was 6-0 in favor of the Bulldogs, but the superior reserve strength of the Hornets proved disastrous to the Bulldogs in the second half.

The season closed with the "Turkey Day Game" with Kansas Wesleyan at Salina which ended in a scoreless tie.

Haun and Zuhars both made long spectacular runs, however, a spectator must remember that a ball lugger is not the only man that does the work. The biggest share of the responsibility is upon the line to block and lead interference. The Bulldog line was the lightest in years, the average weight of the line was

#### BACKFIELD

FLORY Halfback  
STRATMAN, Quarterback  
BOYER, Fullback  
TOLAND, Halfback

#### LINEMEN

VAUGHN, End  
RAMSEY, Tackle  
EPPS, Guard  
WIEGAND, Center  
ROCK, Guard  
REINECKER, Tackle  
CORNWELL, End



169. Mike Vasquez was one of the most consistent linemen on the squad, and was the only man of the squad to secure a position on the first all-conference team.

Seidel and Epps, although small, were always dependable. They both have the ability to give their opponents plenty of trouble. Reinecker, the lone senior of the squad, gave a good account of himself at Kansas Wesleyan. Barngrover and Caldwell both deserve considerable credit. Barngrover played a good game at either tackle or end. Rodelander, Wiegand, Moore and Burrress usually did their share in blocking,

running interference and breaking up opponents' plays. Burrress was used at end position toward the end of the season to help strengthen the line. Burrress could punt, kick, and pass, all equally well.

Laboring against imposing odds throughout the year Coaches Binford and Selves have worked hard developing this team. They would be seen together planning methods of attack and defense, solving the opposing team's plays and working out new plays. They have proved to be men of character, courage, and determination, forever holding the admiration and respect of all their athletes.





## Y. M. Brings Toshiro Tsubokawa

### Y. M. CABINET

Back Row: Kenneth Weaver, Herbert Ikenberry, Paul Miller, Kurtis Naylor, Ira Milton Hoover, Leonard Lowe.

Front Row: David Metzger, Treasurer: Paul Heckman, Secretary: Willard Fleming, President: Harold Mohler, Vice-President: Wayne Albright.



Interwoven in the fabric of our everyday association and class work is the thread of religious and moral experience and thought. It is this phase of campus life that the Y tries to develop and express. In order to do this various activities have been sponsored by the organization. The weekly meetings have been supplemented by socials, conferences, speakers, and exchange programs.

This year, more so than ever before, the Y has tried to provide adequate social facilities for the students. The high lights of this year's social activities are the watermelon feed and the box supper. The exchange programs of the year brought to our campus groups from Bethel College, Kansas Wesleyan University, Sterling College, and Tabor College.

One of the major ambitions of the

Y has been realized in the presence of a foreign student on our campus this semester. The Y takes pride in its protege, Mr. Toshiro Tsubokawa. Toshiro's quiet, reserve and friendly smile have won for him a warm place in the hearts of the students.

Besides the regular activities carried on by the Y. M. there have been various projects that were sponsored by both the Y. M. and the Y. W. Most of the socials, besides many cabinet meetings and programs, were carried out in this manner. One of the most outstanding of these activities was the commission system which has been in operation for the last semester. Largely as a result of this coordination and its resultant success the two organizations have decided to merge their identity for the coming year. This is one of the outstanding accomplishments of the past year.



#### Y. W. CABINET

Back Row: Dorothy Matson, Margaret Messamer, Lillian Peterson, Modena Kauffman, Phyllis Powers, Wanda Hoover.

Front Row: Pauline Stutzman, Secretary; Velma Watkins, Treasurer; Leta Wine, President; Bernice Dresher, Vice-President, Margaret Polster.

## Y. W. Sponsors Many Programs

Reflections from the diary pages of Miss New Student.

Aug. The Y. W. has adopted me! My Campus Sister wrote to tell me where to meet her on the first day. She will help me to get acquainted and tell me anything I want to know about the college.

Oct. The Candle-Lighting Ceremony was beautiful. Soft music; tiny flames flickering about the circle of girls all in white; radiant faces; "Follow The Gleam."

Dec. Christmas Party for the poor children. Now I know what the silver in our Silver Tea stands for. The kiddies were so happy and appreciative.

Feb. Heart-Sister Party. I found out who has been doing such nice things for me all week. I have suspected every girl in the Y. W. It's fun doing things for others.

Apr. Served at the W. A. A. Banquet. Hope we can have the Campus Dinner on Commencement day, or have another Box-Supper.

But life is measured not alone by events. It is our earnest wish that these activities may have quickened our spirits and deepened the fervor of our belief in the effectiveness of the Christian way of life and that by worshipping together we have grown in our knowledge of that life.

In the faith that a Christian Association of men and women together can build more effectively a "Christian World Community" than could either alone, we yield our identity to the Student Christian Movement of the future. May the loyal responsiveness of Cabinet Girls and Y. W. members in the acceptance of new-tried duties strengthen this union as it has supported the launching of the movement during this past year.



DR. HERSHEY  
Head of Chemistry Department



## Chemistry Club Continues Scientific Study

Varied and entertaining programs presented by the Chemistry Club throughout the year appeal to a great number of students. This is made possible by the active part taken by Dr. Hershey, permanent president of the Club.

Features of special interest sponsored during the year include the annual chemical and electrical demonstration, films and sound pictures, and reviews of books and current scientific articles.

Two lectures given by Dr. Hershey proved to be of special interest to students; one on radium, and another on the process of making synthetic diamonds. In the past year Dr. Hershey has gained recognition by leading authorities in the scientific world by mak-

ing the largest synthetic diamond on record.

Annually a supervised trip to Hutchinson is made by chemistry students which enables them to visit several of the industrial plants of the city. These include the salt mines, the reformatory, a foundry, a bakery, and a candy factory.

The outstanding social function of the club was the annual party given by Dr. and Mrs. Hershey. This was held in the Y. W. C. A.

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There is only one way to get ready for immortality, and that is to love this life and live it as bravely and faithfully and cheerfully as we can.

—Henry Van Dyke.



Back Row: Bollinger, Petry, Boyer, Miller, Mohler, Heckman.

Middle Row: Keller, Hornbaker, Weimer, Kistner, Hoffert, Thomison, Eaton, G. Goughnour.

First Row: Maudena Sondergard, Secretary; Cole; Wanda Hoover, President; Harriet Smith, Vice-President; I. Goughnour.

## World Service Meetings Prove Interesting

The World Service group unites all students who want to grow spiritually, work in practical church situations or get experience in any type of activity serving the spiritual needs of others. World Service holds a unique place on the campus in fusing the best scholarship with dynamic religious experience. The result is a genuine Christian approach to life's problems.

Group meeting have been especially interesting and beneficial this year. Problems dealing with the Christian approach to life were discussed; and the various forms of Christianity and their views were studied. An extensive study of Missions was a part of the group and during the week of Regional Conference Reverend Bonsack of Elgin, Illinois, spoke to the group and to the Cabinet concerning missions. Special devotional meetings and vesper services held at intervals proved to inspire members with a deeper sense of religious truth and service.

The World Service Group with the Y organizations was well represented at the Indianapolis Convention this year. The group is not officially a member of the Student Volunteer Organization but the two are similar and it is thought that our group will be affiliated with the larger group next year.

The new program committee is striving to centralize programs on the preparation for summer work in the home churches. In this way help will be given to members that will continue to be of practical use to them in future years.

Those in positions of responsibility in World Service are exceedingly grateful for the fine spirit of cooperation and service prevailing among the group members and others who have contributed to the success of this organization. As a faithful and inspiring advisor and sponsor, Dr. R. C. Petry deserves special mention and the sincere gratitude of the World Service Group.

## Freshman Class

A great wave of green swept over McPherson College last September when the Freshman class invaded the campus. Much to our discomfort and disgust the upperclassmen demanded that the "freshies" don their little green caps or suffer the consequence. We soon learned that it was best to surrender our pride, or be subject to such treatment as belt lines, paddles, and painted faces.

Maybe we were dumb to begin with but experiences came thick and fast, and in time through a routine of orientation and days of homesickness we became part of the quality for which this school is noted. Yes, the first few days were a bit tough, trying to find out which was what, and who was where.

What excitement getting settled! The upperclassmen dragged us over the campus introducing us to everybody. Such a lot of new faces to remember tags for; we thought we'd never learn. But by the time the Freshmen Get-together, the watermelon feed, and the faculty reception were over we had about every-one pigeon holed, even Dr. Flory. We were astonished to find that he was not a student, but had a string of letters attached to his name.

Then we were ready for the football games. Even if we couldn't all help carry the ball down the field we did our share by decorating the goal posts more artistically than ever before and yelling until our throats ached, because it's the little things that count. The big game of the season for us was the Freshman-Sophomore tilt. Our boys played hard, and our girls cheered loudly. Alas,



Gordon Yoder, President, Waterloo, Iowa.  
 Wayne Albright, Vice-President, Elflora, Iowa.  
 Vera Heckman, Secretary, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Harold Fries, Treasurer, McPherson, Kansas.  
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 Milton Morrison, Student Representative, Gypsum, Kansas.  
 Verlin Alphin, Pales, Kansas.  
 Alice Almstrom, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Wayne Baklwin, Galva, Kansas.  
 Herbert Barley, Bemidji, Minnesota.  
 Orville Becher, Fruitland, Idaho.  
 Gordon Bower, McLouth, Kansas.  
 Willis Bredfeldt, Bushton, Kansas.  
 Orla Burn, Hampton, Iowa.  
 Mattie Clauber, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Maxine Clark, Gypsum, Kansas.  
 Ruth Clark, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Yolanda Clark, Canton, Kansas.  
 Garnet Cornwell, Buhler, Kansas.  
 Fwila Crawford, McPherson, Kansas.



Dorothy Dell, Beatrice, Nebr.  
 Evelyn Dell, Beatrice, Nebr.  
 Violet Dell, Beatrice, Nebr.  
 Robert Danna, Halstead, Kansas.  
 Richard DeTour, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Doris Dresher, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Harold Evans, Shelton, Iowa.  
 Jack Fields, Canton, Kansas.  
 Rosalie Fields, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Eldred Foutz, Kirk, Colo.  
 Robert Fox, Larned, Kansas.  
 Lillys Frantz, Holmesville, Nebr.

Margaret Fry, Omaha, Nebr.  
 Henry Gass, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Bill Geery, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Julius Gibson, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Inez Goughnour, Des Moines, Iowa.  
 Verla Groves, Kinross, Iowa.  
 Marc Hale, Salina, Kansas.  
 Carrie Alice Hanson, Roxbury, Kansas.  
 Lola Mae Harbaugh, Waterloo, Iowa.  
 Virginia Harris, Jennings, La.  
 Norma Hatfield, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Evelyn Herr, Hope, Kansas.

LaVena High, New Plymouth, Idaho.  
 Opal Hoffman, Abilene, Kansas.  
 Harvey Holmes, Galva, Kansas.  
 Ira Hoovers, Plattsburg, Mo.  
 Audlan Horn, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Richard Horn, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Don Houghton, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Rilla Hubbard, Hugoton, Kansas.  
 Edward Jones, Canton, Kansas.  
 Louise Keim, Ottawa, Kansas.  
 Vivian Keller, Arlington, Kansas.

## Freshman Class

neither team scored, but hurrah, we could throw away the despised green caps.

Not all of our days have been filled with trouble and hardships. We have begun to learn the four fold way through the chapel' hours, the Y. W. and Y. M. programs, class parties and banquets, sports, and interesting class discussions.

Our class has not been without prominent characters who have added to the personnel of the campus, and who will be future leaders. We have active and valuable participants in football, basketball, tennis, and track. The A Cappella Choir added a number of freshmen voices, and the Thespian Club found use for several of our class.

In spite of our faults and ignorance we have been a great help to McPherson College, for what college could get along without its Freshman class.

The summer vacation is drawing near, and we feel that we have had an interesting and worthwhile year. We came to this college with the ambition to make the class of '39 one to be remembered. We have set our goal high, and shall continue to keep it always before us.

All higher motives, ideals, conceptions, sentiments in a man are of no account if they do not come forward to strengthen him for the better discharge of the duties which devolve upon him in the ordinary affairs of life.

—Henry Ward Beecher



Miriam Kimmel, McLouth, Kansas.

Russell Kintzley, Windom, Kansas.

Luelle Klatner, Morrill, Kansas.

Harold Larsen, Abilene, Kansas.

Jean Lawson, McPherson, Kansas.

Joelle Letkeman, Buhler, Kansas.

Lejand Miller, Lamar, Colo.

Bianche Morine, McPherson, Kansas.

Gertrude Myers, Formosa, Kansas.

Philip Myers, Formosa, Kansas.

Waldo Newberg, McPherson, Kansas.

Asta Ostlund, McPherson, Kansas.

Wayne Osley, Wiley, Colo.

Ranford Patterson, McPherson, Kansas.

Valora Pearce, Cunway Springs, Kansas.

Frances Perdue, McPherson, Kansas.

Doris Pray, Hope, Kansas.

Maxine Prickett, McPherson, Kansas.

Maida Kauch, McPherson, Kansas.

Calvin Richwine, Froid, Montana.



Marvin Riddell, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Elizabeth Rodrick, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Meredith Rogers, Corning, Iowa.  
 Ruth Rogers, Corning, Iowa.  
 Clarence Russell, Galva, Kansas.  
 Adlison Saathoff, Guthrie, Minn.  
 Carl Scharman, McPherson, Kansas.  
 John Selzer, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Hillard Shaffer, Newton, Kansas.  
 Charles Sheller, Eldora, Iowa.  
 Lenore Shirk, McPherson, Kansas.

Irene Smith, Richland, Iowa.  
 Joyce Snowberger, Larned, Kansas.  
 Becky Stauffer, Rusk, Ford, Colo.  
 Virginia Lee Steeves, McPherson, Kan.  
 Lawrence Stephenson, Gaylord, Kansas.  
 Wilber Stern, Guthrie, Minn.  
 Mary Stonebraker, Wiley, Colo.  
 Lawrence Strouse, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Leland Switzer, Lovewell, Kansas.  
 Mary Trostle, Nickerson, Kansas.  
 Velma Turner, Washington D. C.  
 June Turton, McPherson, Kansas.

Charlotte Vandament, Covert, Kansas.  
 Edgar Vaughn, Florence, Kansas.  
 Lorene Voshell, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Ruby Weimer, St. Cloud, Minn.  
 Robert Wiegand, Inman, Kansas.  
 Conway Young, Halstead, Kansas.  
 Era June Zimmerman, McPherson, Kan.  
 Esther Zimmerman, Buhler, Kansas.  
 Jean Zimmerman, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Dr. Bright, Class Sponsor.



Banquet Address Is Given by Dean Gilkey

Fourth Annual Concert of A Cappella Choir to be Given February 13 in Hall

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Vernor Michael, Editor-in-Chief; Alice Gill, Faculty Advisor; Lawrence Strouse, Business Manager; Norman Edwards, Assistant Editor; Merle Messamer, Assistant Editor; Velma Watkins, Society Editor; Waldo Newberg, Advertising Manager; Conway Yount, Sports Editor; Lawrence Boyer, Circulation Manager.

Sniffing the air about the campus with his "nose for news," only to be stifled by Dickey, or straining his ears for a "scoop," only to hear Jezebel's sneering guffaw—such is the experience of the Bulldog journalist. To the novice, his work at times seems futile. However, by watching for the expressions of disappointment on the faces of students about noon, Thursday, as they discover that the "Spec" isn't out yet, the news-chaser may assure himself that his efforts are appreciated. The school paper has an appeal which rivals that of the paper from the ol' home town.

Expression of personal opinion through *The Spectator* has been encouraged. Campus improvements and student activities have been supported through the editorial, news and advertising columns of the paper.

Headed by Miss Alice Gill the journalism class has proved to be a strong supporting staff of reporters. A number of volunteer contributors, also, have added considerably to the life of the paper.

Editor-in-chief, Vernon D. Michael, has been ably assisted in editing, headline writing, and "pinch hit" writing by Merle Messamer. Norman Edwards has risen from the rank of reporter, via the position of make-up editor, to the place of assistant editor. Society news has been written by Velma Watkins. Sports events were covered by Conway Yount.

Lawrence Strouse has proved his worth by stepping in the place of Joe Zuck and managing the business affairs of *The Spectator*. Waldo Newberg has assisted him in soliciting "ads." Wrapping each week's issue for mailing has been handled by several in turn, Lawrence Boyer having the good fortune (or misfortune) of getting the longest turn at the job.

If for no other reason, the 1935-1936 *Spectator* will leave its mark in the memory of students in the character of "Gourdie" Green. As a diarist, Gourdie is read more by McPherson College students than are Samuel Pepys and John Evelyn together.

THE



MIDDLE



"Play is pleasurable mental and physical competitive exercise where the issues involved are trivial and transient. It is a fit preparation for more important tasks." The real joy of living comes only when physical energy has liberated the inspired soul, and vitality and exuberance bubble over into creative action. . . . Not only has our venerable old gymnasium served through the years as a playhouse for students and faculty, but its alluring front steps have proved to be a remarkable observatory for students who seem to be astronomically inclined.

Kline Hall is the living quarters for those who believe that two can live as cheap as one, and for the girls who believe in the old saying that you had better live your best and act your best and think your best today; for today is the sure preparation for tomorrow and all other tomorrows that follow. However, with the goal of better days ahead, many girls have found it possible to attend school this year through the use of light housekeeping facilities provided in Kline Hall. The residents fully appreciate the practical value of this splendid training.

## *Kline Hall*



## *Gymnasium*



Sharp Hall, the headquarters for dear M. C., where students, faculty, and administration, may be found every day of the week, co-operating and working together to make McPherson college a "School of Quality." It is on the roof of this building that "Jezebel" makes her home.

# The Mid-Semester—When Things Become Serious

Midnight Oil and Alibis on Grades — Love —  
Dates—Leap Year Guesses—Basket Ball Thrills  
—Music—Debate Champs—Sophs and Juniors.

## A "POE"-TICAL VERSION

It was on a midnight dreary, as I pondered weak and weary  
Over many, many lessons with my head a-aching sore  
While I nodded nearly napping, suddenly there came a tapping  
As of some one gently rapping, rapping at my chamber door.  
" 'Tis some visitor" I muttered, tapping at my chamber door,  
This it is, and nothing more.

Ah distinctly I can say it, it was in the month of May  
And the lovely blossoms gay cast their petals on the floor.  
Did my peace of mind encumber-burdened e'er before  
Eagerly I sighed for slumber but my lessons without number,  
For the note books scattered widely, while I sat and pondered,  
Were numberless for ever-more.

And the weird unearthly crying of some poor lone cat a dying  
Thrilled me, filled me with fantastic terrors never felt before,  
So that now to still the beating of my heart, I stood repeating  
'Tis some visitor entreating, entrance at my chamber door,  
Some late visitor entreating entrance at my chamber door,  
This it is and nothing more.

Presently my soul grew stronger hesitating then no longer  
"Sir" said I, or "madam," truly your forgiveness I implore,  
The fact is I was dreaming, till I heard that cat a-screaming  
And I thought 'twas but a seeming.  
Things have often seemed before—  
That I scarce was sure I heard you—here I opened wide the door,  
Darkness there and nothing more."

Back into my chamber turning, to begin again the learning  
Of some horrid conjugation, came a-tapping as before,  
Sure Mike, there is something at my window lattice,  
Let me see then what it is and this mystery explore,  
Let that cat be still a moment and my head to cease its roar,  
'Tis the wind and nothing more.—

Open then I flung the shutter and with many a flirt and flutter,  
In, there stepped a stately raven, of the saintly days of yore—  
Not the least obsequious made he, not an instant stopped or stayed

But with mien of lord and lady perched above my chamber door.  
Perched and sat and nothing more.

Then this ebony bird beginning to amuse me and I grinning,  
Wondered at the stern decorum of the countenance it wore.  
"Tho thy crest be shorn and bald," I said, "I am not appalled"  
Grisly, grim and grewsome raven, wandering from the nightly shores  
Tell me what thy lordly name is on the night's Plutonian shore,  
Quoth the raven, "Nevermore."

Much I marveled this ungainly fowl to hear discourse so plainly  
Tho its answer little meaning, little revelancy bore,  
But to pay it for its chatter, thinking little of the matter,  
I dug up some old lab. fudge (of the "Saintly" days of yore)  
And I did proceed to feed him and he ravenously swore, "More, More."

So I gave him all I had and it made me feel quite glad,  
That one creature on this green earth could enjoy that awful stuff  
And when he had finished chewing, I said, "There is nothing doing,  
Can I, Can I get a grade in quizzed, three tomorrow,  
Quoth the raven "Nevermore."

Ah! Me thought the air grew chilly, tho perhaps 'twas very silly,  
But dread and icy spasm of that half out spoken fear—  
"Wretch" I cried, "Oh who hath sent thee!  
Break it, Break it to me gently!  
For my strength is almost spent, see I entreat you, I implore,  
Will I, will I flunk in English, tell me, tell me, I implore."  
Quoth the raven.—"Evermore."

"Prophet," cried I, "Think of power, prophet with a visage sour,  
Whether pity sent or tempest tossed thee here ashore—  
Desolate, yet unafraid, to a poor lonely maid,  
Come perhaps to give her aid, tell me did you listen closely  
To the meeting of the Faculty, when they average up my grade?"  
Quoth the raven,—"Shore, shore."

"Prophet" cried I, "Wizard wise, prophet with the blinking eyes  
By the Faculty above us, by the teachers we adore  
Tell this soul with sorrow grieving, if upon a certain evening,  
She shall sit upon a stage, a diploma in her hand,  
Sit among the gray robed maidens, up upon that Assembly floor?"  
Quoth the raven—"Nevermore."

But the raven never flitting, still is sitting, still is sitting  
Perched on my galvanometer, just above my chamber door,  
And he mocks me if I'm lazy, till I think I shall grow crazy,  
And my brain is getting hazy, I am almost in despair,  
As I study chemic symbols and the old England's foolish lore.  
I will learn it—Nevermore.

—Anonymous.



Starting at Top: Campus Under Cover; Dormitory Life in Winter; Rattee Than  
 Dust; Oh! These Exams; Pah; Giggles; Toshiro Tsubokawa; Come On! Fill That  
 Bucket; Ho Hum! Nothing to do; Caught; Which one of those Faces am I shaving?  
 Those Term Papers; Little Man, You've Had a Busy Day; Bread Line!



## Seniors by Voran

This masterpiece was prepared and delivered by Professor Alvin "Cheesie" Voran at the famous Junior-Senior Banquet of 1936.

Oh Dear! Nothing ever happens here. Oh Dear! Nothing ever has happened here and I'm sure nothing will happen as long as we have Modena Kauffman.

Oh yes, it seems to me that there was a bar—no, not in the Student Union Room, it was in the dormitory. But in the dormitory is was bear, not completely bear, but Corwin Bare, and such a lazy guy, he was always Shirking.

There is a young minister in our midst who bought a car. Not the usual kind of a car, but a wonderful car. It was different, as per example: A Packard drove into a filling station one day, and the driver said: "How far is it to St. Louis?" The attendant replied, "220 miles." The driver said, "Ten gallons of gas and a quart of oil, and I'll be on my way." A Buick drove into the same filling station and the driver asked, "How far is it to St. Louis?" The attendant replied, "220 miles." The driver said, "Five gallons of gas, and I'll be on my way." But, Leonard Lowe drove into this same filling station in his little green Ford and he said, "How far to St. Louis." And the attendant replied, "220 miles." And Leonard said, "Fill up the radiator with water and hold it until I get in."

I see a young man and a young lady sitting over there and this poem comes to my mind:

Sitting in the dark  
Spooning in the park  
Grinning at the moon

Silly as a loon  
Cooing like a dove  
Falling more in love  
Sealing with a kiss  
Dreams of Coming Bliss

Holding hands under the table as surely they are now Poister sunk with Sink and she just laughed and laughed 'cause she knew all the time that Sinks don't Sink.

Archie George Van Nortwick rises from paint boy in Fahnstock Hall to President of the Senior class. Regardless of how important he thinks he is, he is a very small patch on the seat of the government. He is able to strut even when sitting down.

One of our very sedate young Seniors gives this bit of philosophy: Money is like manure—of very little use unless it's spread. This we get from Eldred Mathes with apologies to Francis Bacon.

And then there is the man who knows so little and knows it so fluently—Glenn Gus Tom Webb.

And there is old sedate Blanche Harris, one of those guys who is standing at the foot of the grave even before the doctor starts shaking his head. And sympathy, he has it—listen to this:

I am so sorry for babies,  
The poor little babies!  
They always are being caressed,  
And dressed and undressed  
And diapered, stockinged and sandaled  
And handled and dandled  
And lifted or put into bed  
And forcibly fed  
And having their characters soured  
By being besoured  
And poked into, polished and scrubbed  
And endlessly tubbed.  
And then they are barked at and booed at  
And mewled at and cooed at  
And asked where and which are their toes,  
How some animal "goes"  
And such-like ridiculous questions  
That spoil their digestions.  
And ruin whatever remains  
Of their infantile brains.  
They're worried to smile "just for Fanny"  
Or Auntie or Granny  
And pinched and wrong-ended and squeezed  
And fiendishly teased.  
Their privacy isn't protected  
Nor ever respected,

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Our Fair Village. Prof. Hess; Whose Hat; Next Row: "Pop an' I Mom"; Webb Memorial Hall and its Founder Glenn Gus Tom Webb; Mother Emmert. Next Row: Booster Banquet; Our Daily Providers: McPherson Globe Refiners, National A. A. U. Champions.

## Pep Club Keeps Spirit Alive



Homer Kimmel, Jessie Miller, Cheerleaders: Fourth Row: Morrison, Harris, Jones, Riddell. Third Row: Andrews, Roop, Mohler, Baile, Naylor, Albright. Second Row: Fry, High, Stutzman, Larsen, Yoder, Strouse. First Row: Kimmel, Hahn, E. Hogan, Secretary-Treasurer: D. Matson, President: E. Chisholm, Vice-President.

The Pep Club selected enough new members in the fall to make up their club of thirty. The members for this year were: Estelle Baile, Margaret Fry, Margaret Hahn, Viola Harris, Evelyn High, Eugenia Hogan, Jean Lawson, Dorothy Matson, Dorothy Miller, Jessie Miller, Frances Perdue, Martha Roop, Virginia Lee Steeves, Pauline Stutzman, Wayne Albright, Oliver Andrews, Emerson Chisholm, Harold Johnston, Edward Jones, Homer Kimmel, Harold Larson, Harold Mohler, Milton Morrison, Kurtis Naylor, Marvin Riddell, Harold Schaeffer, Lawrence Strouse, and Gordon Yoder.

The officers were Dorothy Matson, President; Emerson Chisholm, Vice President; and Eugenia Hogan, Secretary-Treasurer. Throughout the year the club has been a source of enthusiasm and pep under the able leadership of

the cheer leaders, Jessie Miller and Homer Kimmel.

At the first bootball game the Pep Club appeared in new Bulldog sweaters, which added to the atmosphere of the games. On the day of the dedication of the new stadium the club sold football balloons which added to the spirit. Throughout the football and basketball seasons the Pep Club sponsored weekly pep chapels. These provided a great deal of fun and amusement. The spectacular prize fight on one of these occasions was good entertainment as was also the scene of the two Arkansas farmers who drove their mules and sang hill-billy songs. Just previous to the football game with Lindsborg, the Pep Club sponsored the Swede funeral. The pajama parade before the first game and the automobile parade were also sponsored by the Pep Club.



BASKETBALL SQUAD

Back Row: Flowers, Johnston, Coach Binsford, Crabbe, Hapgood, Haun.  
Front Row: Flory, Barngrover, Meyer, Wiegand, Vasquez.

## Cagers Have Successful Season

The Bulldogs started the season with four letter men. Facing an extremely hard schedule they found the going tough, but finished a successful season. The team won fourteen out of twenty one games, and placed two men on the second All-Conference team at the close of the season. The Bulldogs tied for second place with Kansas Wesleyan and College of Emporia.

Captain Harold Johnston played forward and guard, and was second all-Conference forward. The tall man isn't always the best as "Johnsie" well demonstrated. He is very cool and deliberate, difficult to guard. He may well be remembered by Bulldog fans for his sportsmanship on the court.

Anton Meyer, second all-Conference center, was of decided advantage to the team at the tip off and on follow ups. "Tony" has proved to us that he was a basketball player of great ability. He never piled up an enormous score, but he usually did his share. "Tony" has one year left to represent the Red and White.

Lee Haun, forward, is one of the scrappiest players on the Bulldog squad. Lee is extremely fast, and a dead shot

for the basket. He has one more year with the Bulldogs, and it should be a great year for him.

Merwin Hapgood, forward, is a neat floor worker, accurate in passing and working the ball into scoring range. "Happy" is very consistent, and has plenty of fight.

Delbert Crabb was always a reliable scorer, a clever floorman and contributed plentifully to the Bulldogs' success. Delbert was a player who wasn't afraid to take a chance, and he usually outwitted his opponent. Delbert has two years of competition left.

Donald Barngrover has won the admiration of every true and loyal Bulldog who has seen him play, always ready to give all he had. "Don" was a power house on defense and taking the ball off the backboard, and can always be depended upon to do his share.

Robert Wiegand was a good utility man and could always be depended upon to come through when the going was tough. His left hand shots always gave his opponents plenty of worry. "Bob" was always a dangerous man from the

pivot post. He has a very promising future.

Ronald Flory contributed a lot to the Canines' reserve strength. Ronald is shifty and moves over the floor in a neat fashion. He has the ability to shoot baskets from any range on the floor.

Charles Flowers has plenty of drive and strength. "Charlie" is small but he had the big boys standing back and taking it. He has three promising years ahead of him.

## Tie for Second Place With Kansas Wesleyan and C. of E.

### SCORES

McPherson	49	Sterling College	26
McPherson	30	Friends University	20
McPherson	44	Bethel College	15
McPherson	53	Sterling College	18
McPherson	33	Bethany College	18
McPherson	27	Friends University	25
McPherson	33	Kansas Wesleyan	28
McPherson	39	Ottawa University	37
McPherson	27	Baker University	38
McPherson	17	College of Emporia	30
McPherson	51	Ottawa University	29
McPherson	37	Bethel College	26
McPherson	21	Bethany College	18
McPherson	30	Baker University	24
McPherson	26	Kansas Wesleyan	27
McPherson	37	College of Emporia	42

It is great, and there is no other greatness—to make one nook of God's creation more fruitful, better, more worthy of God; to make some human heart a little wiser manlier, happier—more blessed, less accursed.—Carlyle.

He who every morning plans the transactions of the day, and follows out the plan, carries a thread that will guide him through the labyrinth of the most busy life. The orderly arrangement of his time is like a ray of light which darts itself through all his occupations. But where no plan is laid, where the disposal of time is surrendered merely to the chance of incidents, all things lie huddled together in one chaos, which admits of neither distribution nor review.—Hugo.



Capt. Harold Johnston, guard; Anton Meyer, Center; Robert Wiegand, Center; Charles Flowers, Forward; Merwin Hapgood, Forward; Delbert Crabbe, Guard; Lee Haun, Forward; Ronald Flory, Guard; Donald Barngrover, Guard.



## M. C. Has Quality Music

The purpose of the orchestra has been to create interest, to give its members experience in ensemble playing, and to entertain at various programs. Miss Mattie Shay, college instructor in violin has worked hard to carry on the McPherson College orchestra. Franklin Hiebert was orchestra concert-master, but is not in the picture. Miss Shay has done splendid work with the orchestra. She has spent a lot of time, and the students have worked hard under her direction. They presented numerous programs in chapel, churches and nearby towns, and a small ensemble furnished special music for plays and the Booster Banquet. The student body appreciates its orchestra and is greatly indebted to its leader, Miss Shay.

The most prominent and most active organization of the college is the A Cappella Choir. Professor Alvin C. Voran is the director of this choir, and it was through the depth of his musical ability,



ALVIN C. VORAN  
Director



College Male Quartet: Charles Nettleton, First Tenor: Ernest Sweetland, Second Tenor: Oliver Andrews, Baritone: Chris Johansen, Bass.

College Mixed Quartet: Gordon Yoier, Tenor; Margaret Fry, Soprano; Dorothy Dell, Alto; Raymond Liehty, Bass.

the keenness of his foresight, and the strength of his personality as leader and teacher that the choir was able to attain the standards of excellence and quality which it has achieved. Along with the work of the choir Prof. Voran works with the two quartets. McPherson College is indeed fortunate in having such a leader on its faculty. Each year a formal concert is given, in which every effort is bent toward presenting the choir in the most cultured and artistic way. This year Mrs. Kate Penner Barton from Illinois was guest soloist.



A Cappella Choir: Back Row: Director Voran, Albright, Miller, Nettleton, Ikenberry, Zook, Yosier, Sweetland, Johansen, Muhler, Lichty, Oliver, Weigand, Andrews, Hiebert, O. Voran.

Front Row: Hubbard, Gnagy, Dell, Wine, Harris, Watkins, Dantelson, Dresler, Snowberger, Hahn, Baile, Christensen, Fry, Okerlind, Zimmerman, Holzemer, Hoffman, McNamee, Keedy, Gustafson, Voshell, Eaton.

Orchestra Members: First Violins: Franklin Hiebert, Concert Master, Absent: Fry, Lindbloom, Fries, Wagner; Violas: Barber; Flutes: Gibson; Basses: Oelrich; Cellos: Fuchs, Gnagy, Russell; Oboe: Nordling; Clarinets: Stutzman, Pray; Trombones: Harris, Horner; Trumpet: Crabbe; Second Violins: Chisholm, Dell, Edwards, Kingsley, Russell; Piano: Ullery; Mattie Shay, Director.



## Debaters Again Win State Championship



Men's Varsity: Booz, Weaver, Flamine, Lindgren.

Ladies' Varsity: Strom, Smith, Keller, Gouchneur.  
Men's Seconds: Riddell, Saathoff, Bollinger, Younk, Newberg, Larsen.

The extensive nature of this year's Forensic program can best be appreciated by a brief resume of the season. Early in January a pentangular meet at Kansas Wesleyan in which M. C. entered three teams, Larsen-Newberg, Riddell-Saathoff, and Strom-Smith, resulted in a second place tie for McPherson. Five teams chosen from Freshman and Sophomore debaters entered the Hutchinson Junior College Tournament, but victories were scarce. Kansas Wesleyan and Bethany College were defeated in six of eight debates by the Bulldog's men and women varsity teams in a local tourney.

The second of the three major tournaments was that at Sterling on March 7. As defending champions, the men's varsity won nine out of ten decisions to take the Kansas State Debating League title for the eighth time in the last fourteen years. McPherson's trend of vic-

tory thus approaches a tradition.

The final tournament of Pi Kappa Delta held at Pittsburg was entered by the two men's varsity teams. Booz and Weaver tied for third in debate and Booz took fifth in extempore speaking in a large field of entrants.

In the State Anti-Tobacco Oratorical contest, Alvin Lindgren won third prize. The local peace contest was won by Leonard Lowe, who represented McPherson in the state contest.

To top off the season, the debaters honored Professor Hess at an evening dinner. His contribution to the spirit and training of so many M. C. debaters has highly deserved the respect which they hold for him. However, this respect is not limited to our local campus, for his reputation is highly regarded by debates and coaches in the middle west.



Back Row: Dr. Bright, Sponsor; Metzger, Fleming, Weaver, Mohler, Albricht.  
Middle Row: Miller, Sellberg, Schurman, Matson, Stutzman.  
Front Row: Schmidt, Watkins, Juelfs, Goughnour, Hogan.

## International Relations Club Studies Current Affairs

The purpose of the International Relations Club is to stimulate and promote intelligent discussion among college students on topics of international affairs.

The solution of current problems in the minds of the members of the club with world co-operation and peace as the end in view has been held uppermost in the program of the club. Material for the meetings was provided for by the discussion of such topics as "The Italo-Ethiopian Affair", "Present Conditions in Abyssinia", "Recent League Actions", and "The British Peace Ballot".

The work of the club started early in the school year. At the first meeting, tea was served to all members present, with Mrs. Bright acting as hostess. Since Christmas, it has been working in cooperation with the World Co-operation Commission of the 'Y' organizations.

This organization is under the auspices

of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace and through it many books and pamphlets on current international problems are made available to its members. These new books are presented to the college library where they may be obtained by all. The Fortnightly Summary of International Affairs, a small paper of current topics, is also at the club's disposal.

Officers for this year were David Metzger, president; Betty Juelfs, secretary; Clara Shurman, program chairman; and J. D. Bright, faculty sponsor.

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There is no short cut, no patent tramroad, to wisdom. After all the centuries of invention, the soul's path lies through the thorny wilderness which must still be trodden in solitude, with bleeding feet, with sobs for help, as it was trodden by them of old time.

—George Eliot

## Sophomore Class

In the fall of 1934, the Sophomore class (then Freshmen) assembled for a year of hard digging with doubts from the upperclassmen as to how hard we as freshmen were digging. To start things a-going right away the traditional party was held. Here we got acquainted with those who at that time also felt the same plight. Shall we ever forget when Lois Gnagy proceeded to introduce herself and then added the spicy touch of spelling her treacherous name, or when "Red" Crabbe disclosed his personality by saying, "I like women and football."

The green caps were soon brought to light but because of our strong conviction that we were past that stage in life, we were soon aware of paddles, finger-nail polish which marked the significant W on our foreheads, and many casting glances.

Training started for the traditional game which was to determine the rank of the Freshmen in relation to the Sophomores. The stars, Mohler, Wagoner, Andrews, and Lichty emerged from the line-up with cuts, bruises, bumps, and black eyes, but all of these only made them more determined. Because these heroes already were marred and disfigured, they thought to prove themselves martyrs to this event also. The game ended with the high score of 0-0.

From our ranks rose one of the best actresses of the college in the person of Miss Estelle Baile, who last year kept everyone guessing as to which of the suitors would win out. (We're certain this year, aren't we?)



Raymond Lichty, Waterloo, Iowa, President

Lowell Haldeman, Hope, Kansas, Vice President.

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Worthington, Minn.

Jean Allen, Ottawa, Kansas.

Oliver Andrews, Rocky Ford, Colorado.

Estelle Baile, Warrensburg, Missouri.

Donald Barngrover, McPherson, Kansas

Kenneth Bentson, McPherson, Kansas.

Erwin Bentz, Tampa, Kansas.



LaMar Bollinger, Payette, Idaho.

John Bower, McLouth, Kansas.

Lawrence Boyer, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Lyle Brower, South English, Iowa.

Lowell Brubaker, Lamar, Colorado.

Harold Burress, McPherson, Kansas.

Esther Clark, McPherson, Kansas.

Lucille, Cole, Langdon, Kansas.

Delbert Crabb, McPherson, Kansas.

Gerald Denny, Elmo, Kansas.

Norman Edwards, McPherson, Kansas.

Dale Embers, Groveland, Kansas.

Marjorie Flory, Preston, Minnesota.

Ronald Flory, Preston, Minnesota.

Lois Gnagy, Youngstown, Ohio.

Glee Goughnour, Des Moines, Iowa.

Merwin Haggood, McPherson, Kansas.

Franklin Hiebert, McPherson, Kansas.

Evelyn High, New Plymouth, Idaho.

Lois Hoffert, Shickley, Nebraska.

Lucille Hornbaker, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Herbert Ikenberry, Quinter, Kansas.

Isobel Kittel, McPherson, Kansas.

Paul Lackie, McPherson, Kansas.

## Sophomore Class

Athletics also brought honors our way. Barngrover, Hapgood, Flory, and Crabbe could not be forgotten for their basketball and football achievements, plus tennis for "Barny."

Last year four on the octette were freshmen and this year our class may boast of two members in the College Male Quartette. Say, haven't we the cream of the crop?

The composite of the striking characteristics of Sophomore personalities would include: the brilliance of "Laramie"; the nimble fingers of Lucille Ul-lery; Raymond Lichty's aloof observations; the studious attitude of Erwin Bentz; Dorothy Miller's serenity; the might of Lawrence Boyer; "Frankie's Inck"; the nonchalance of "Mollie"; the self-security of "Andy"; the charm of Theresa Strom and the likable personality of George Toland.

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If time be of all things most precious, wasting time must be the greatest prodigality, since lost time is never found again; and what we call time enough always proves little enough. Let us then be up and doing, and doing to a purpose; so by diligence shall we do more with less perplexity.—Franklin.

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I owe all my success in life to having been always a quarter of an hour beforehand.—Lord Nelson.



Alvin Lindgren, Canton, Kansas.

Lewellen Lloyd, Gaylord, Kansas.

Floyd Mason, Norborne, Missouri.

Dorothy Miller, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Jessie Miller, Canton, Kansas.

Lloyd Moehlman, McPherson, Kansas.

Glen McGonigle, Nickerson, Kansas.

Phyllis McKinnie, Morrill, Kansas.

Roma McKinnie, Morrill, Kansas

Fred Nuce, Dwight, Kansas.

Kurtis Naylor, Covert, Kansas.

Glen Knee, Cumberland, Iowa.



Lewis Nelson, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Charles Nettleton, Lewiston, Minnesota.  
 Donald Petry, Surrey, North Dakota.  
 Evelyn Pierce, Eldora, Iowa.  
 Virginia Propp, Marion, Kansas.  
 Martin Seidel, McPherson, Kansas.

Edith Sellberg, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Leona Sellers, Galva, Kansas.  
 Wayne Seih, Blue Rapids, Kansas.  
 Ruth Siegel, Beatrice, Nebraska.  
 Harriette Smith, Topeka, Kansas.  
 Effie Snell, Kinross, Iowa.

Rachel Snowberger, Deering, North Dakota.  
 Maudena Sondergard, Ramona, Kansas.  
 Bob Stratman, Geneseo, Kansas.  
 Eva Faye Thomison, Talmage, Kansas.  
 George Toland, St. John, Kansas.  
 Paul Turner, Minidoka, Idaho.

Charles Wagoner, Hastings, Nebraska.  
 Aileen Wine, Rocky Ford, Colorado.  
 Charlotte Wolfe, Eldora, Iowa.  
 Daniel Zook, Larned, Kansas.  
 Harold Zuhars, Peabody, Kansas.  
 Prof. Dell, Class Sponsor.

## Junior Class

Every year in that perennial year-book, the Quadrangle, are to be found the accounts of the comings and goings, the haps and mishaps of the several classes through their several years in college. This year being no exception, the editor of that renowned volume has requested the lengthy tale of the activities of the Class of 1937.

Now in general we realize that these naive accounts of how each class was the outstanding group all four years, placed more members in this, that, or the other contest or activity, etc., etc., ad infinitum, is ordinarily sheer tripe, and makes perhaps the dryest reading this side of the Congressional Record. Of course that is a deplorable matter, and in the interests of the student body we naturally wouldn't want to bore you with an uninteresting account of the same sort of thing that you have read time after time before.

But—one moment. The simple, ordinary course of affairs has spared us this dry recital. Fortunately, there has actually been ONE outstanding class in good old MC—a class whose amazing, marvelous, unparalleled, unexcelled activities have made it such an illustrious body as to be unique in the history of the School of Quality.

That class, ladies and gentlemen, is none other than the eminent Class of 1937. Of course, we wouldn't want to make an unqualified statement like that without backing it up with the thrilling account of just what that class has done. So, with your kind indulgence we shall plunge without further ado into a story, which for sheer novelty will enthrall and spellbind you, and will without a shadow of a doubt convince you completely that



Paul Miller, President, *Religion*, Waterloo, Iowa.

David Metzger, Vice-President, *Chemistry*, Iowa, La.

Velma Watkins, Secretary, *English*, McPherson, Kansas.

Kenneth Weaver, Treasurer, *History*, Haxtun, Colo.

Wanda Hoover, Student Council Representative, *English*, Plattsburg, Missouri.

Willard Flaming, Student Council Representative, *History*, Buhler, Kansas.

our incredible statements of the class of 1937 are well-founded. Allons!

This amazing group of students made its debut (or something like that) in the year of our Lord 1933, along about September the 11th. And boy, were they glad to see us! Why, that first week about all they did was to fête us youngsters, just off the farm and in from the sticks. For two whole days we listened to speeches from eminent gentlemen like Prof. Hess, Mohler, Replogle, etc., all about how to "orient" ourselves to college atmosphere. (You know, that word "orient" sure had me going for a while. I couldn't get the connection, on account I always thought that had something to do with Chinese and Japs, or something.)



Helen Burton, *Music*, Canton, Kansas.  
 Emerson Chisholm, *Industrial Arts*, Roxbury,  
 Kansas.  
 Otho Clark, *Commerce*, Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Chester Colwell, *Art*, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Helen Eaton, *Home Economics*, Chicago, Illinois.  
 Richard Epps, *History*, Pleasanton, Kansas.

Lucille Fairchild, *Education*, McPherson, Kansas  
 Anna Fuchs, *Music*, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Evelyn Glessner, *English*, Sheldon, Iowa.  
 Alvin Goering, *Mathematics*, Elyria, Kansas.  
 Margaret Hahn, *Education*, Inman, Kansas.  
 Viola Harris, *Music*, Swink, Colorado.

Anyway, we sure did rate the attention. They were so proud of the fact that we were green, that they went and bought a bunch of little green caps, with numbers on them, just like we were a bunch of convicts, and for the extremely nominal sum of six bits we could (and did) buy one of those lovely little chapeaus. Right out in front it said 1937. For a while some of us thought that that meant our license number, but when we compared notes and found out they were all alike, we changed our minds. They really meant that we would graduate in 1937, maybe.

Then came that grand watermelon feed and the faculty reception, all of which was designed to acquaint everybody with us and us with them. We ate more watermelon than is good for two people and got our clothes all messed up and had a swell time.

Oh, yes! I want to tell you about that

one class we all had together. My goodness, Dean Replogle just took us right in hand in one of those "orientation" classes, and the very first day he told us if we ever came to class sober he would flunk us. From then on it was just one round of tests—when those profs got through with us, they knew more about us than we did ourselves. We had intelligence tests, personality inventories, English tests, music tests, and everything else under the sun. Besides this class we had one tough course in rhetoric, and I don't mean maybe. The only redeeming feature about this class was that when we got through, Prof. Hess had really drilled some rhetoric into our thick heads.

Now this Class of 1937 really had auspicious beginnings. We elected Loyal Miles to be our first president. He was quite a fellow, what with his singing and running and everything. He up and





Lee Marquis Haun, *Industrial Arts*, Parkerville, Kansas.

Eugenia Hogan, *Home Economics*, Norborne, Missouri.

Van Hunt, *Mathematics*, Batavia, Iowa

Bernice Keedy, *Home Economics*, Marshalltown, Iowa.

Homer Kimmel, *Industrial Arts*, Sheldon, Iowa.

Margaret Messamer, *History*, Adel, Iowa.

Anton Meyer, *Chemistry*, Tampa, Kansas.

Vernon Michael, *English*, Olympia, Washington.

Lawrence Moore, *Industrial Arts*, Caldwell, Kansas.

June McNamee, *Commerce*, Burns, Kansas.

Bernadine Ohmart, *Music*, McPherson, Kansas.

Phyllis Powers, *Chemistry*, McPherson, Kansas.

made the quartet and won the 100 yard dash for the old institution and everything. We placed Homer Kimmel (better known as Joe E.) right into the position of cheer leader, which he has held without any male competition ever since. Kenneth Weaver made the varsity debate team his first year, a feat which had been accomplished only two or three times before in the history of the school. For musicians we had that clever Harris boy with his cornet, and Johnnie Gluvers with the swell voice, who had to go home early in the year. That great big Meyer boy right up and made the basketball team as indispensable center. All in all that year we plunged right into everything, and placed two men on the quartet, nine members in A Cappella, seven men on the football squad, four men in basketball, eight in track, four in debate, eight Thespians, and six on the Spec

staff. Oh yes, and Bill Flaming won the Anti-Tobacco oration contest. And November 24 we licked the socks off the Sophomores and consequently ditched our green hats, which by this time we didn't love so well.

Our Sophomore year we did even better. If you don't think so, just listen to this: Tony, Haun, Herrold, and Mike were indispensable on the basketball teams, and Tony made all-conference center. In track, four records were set by Sophomores: pole vault, Haun; discus, Tony; 440 yard relay, Haun and Miles; and 880 yard relay, Miles. In debate, Weaver on varsity helped take state championship. In the Kansas Wesleyan football game Haun's educated toe kicked the extra point that won the game 7 to 6. In the annual grudge battle we held the Freshies to a scoreless tie, which hadn't been done for a long time.



Paul Prather, *Chemistry*, Mound City, Missouri.  
 Clayton Rock, *Commerce*, Navarre, Kansas.  
 Evelyn Rolston, *English*, Sheldon, Iowa.  
 Arlene Russel, *Commerce*, Galva, Kansas.  
 Emma Schmidt, *English*, Moundridge, Kansas.  
 Clara Schurman, *History*, McPherson, Kansas.

Esther Scott, *Commerce*, Chase, Kansas.  
 Marie Stover, *Language*, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Pauline Stutzman, *Home Economics*, Thomas, Oklahoma.  
 Ernest Sweetland, *Commerce*, McPherson, Kansas.  
 Mike Vasquez, *Industrial Arts*, Kanapolis, Kansas.  
 Dr. Flory, *Class Sponsor*.

In addition we furnished a business mgr. for the Spec, four members in the girls' trios, and three on the octette, and a large number of people in A Cappella. In the Student Council elections for the next year we filled five of the eight positions. Bill Flaming was our president this year. We were particularly noted, as Sophs, for our excellent chapel programs.

And so we became dignified Juniors, greatly reduced in numbers, much wiser in the ways of the world, and still holding a prominent position in M. C. life. Paul Miller was our Junior President. We placed Flaming as Y president, furnished the editors for the Quad and the Spec, in the persons of Clark and Michael, and elected Wanda Hoover and Dave Metzger to the presidency of the World Service and International Relations Clubs respectively. Weaver and

Flaming on varsity debate teams helped take state championship again. And as usual, in dramatics, forensics, oratory, football, basketball, track, religious life, music, and all other fields we had a representation out of all proportion to our numbers.

Perhaps our chief contribution this year was the voluntary decision to have a retreat instead of a sneak. Since we haven't had a retreat or banquet yet when this was written I can't tell you about that, but no doubt they went off in grand fashion. I hear the banquet is to carry out the rainbow theme.

And so dear reader, we have come to the end of our quota of words. We hope you have enjoyed our little tale, and we feel quite sure that now you will agree with us that the Class of 1937 was the illustrious body—which we said at the beginning.

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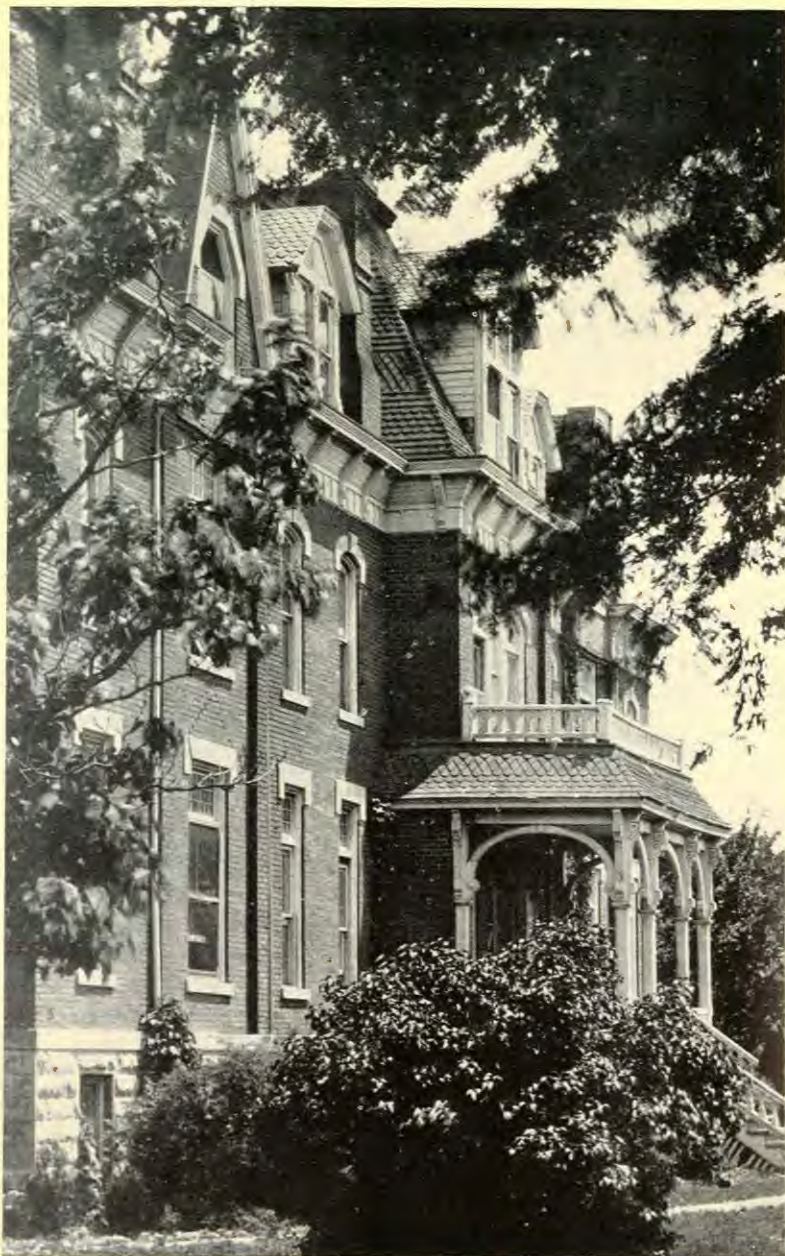
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The glory of a college is its stalwart daring youth. Its buildings may crumble to ruin but the achievements of its men build it a name which Time will revere and Eternity glorify. Of all the buildings on McPherson College campus none carries with it the air of venerable old age and romance which is found in Fahnestock Hall. The spirit of those who have come, made their mark, and gone still lingers in its corridors and rooms. It is the oldest building on the campus, a place where silence never reigns, the home of our men, radios, our frigidaire in winter time, and one place where men work together successfully in governing themselves.

## *Arnold Hall*

Arnold Hall where many unsuspecting young men of McPherson College, aided by those of the fairer sex, have done the best piece of work of their lives, and the one building on the campus whose stairways were made to fit feminine feet only, and whose fire escapes are used for other purposes than that in case of a fire. It is the occupants of this hall that add color to the campus and help the man flatten their bulging purses.



## *Fahnestock*



For the purpose of discipline — intellectual, moral, religious—the most efficient is science, and for direct self-preservation, or the maintenance of life and health, the all important knowledge is science.

# We Come to the End of a Very Successful Year



Top Row: Booz, Hock, Hoover, Sisk, Kauffman, Flaming  
Bottom Row: Strom, Mohler, Stauffer, Morrison, Lowe, Harris, Haun.

## Governed by Student Council

The Student Council is an organization functioning to promote the general welfare of the student group. It fosters a feeling of goodwill and a spirit of co-operation and coordination between the student body, the faculty and the Board of Trustees.

Its members are composed of a president and treasurer elected by the student body, at large, two representatives from each of the classes, one representative from each of the following organizations, the "M" Club, W. A. A., and the Department of Fine Arts and two faculty advisors.

The Student Council sponsors the Spectator, the Quadrangle, debate, oratory, certain musical organizations and dramatic productions.

Agnes Bean was the President-elect from last year, but with her resignation at the first of the school year Paul Booz was elected to fill the position. He has

proved himself a most efficient officer, working always for the best interests of the students and in careful co-operation with the faculty. Clayton Rock has succeeded in proving his ability in the commercial field by his commendable work as treasurer.

By far the most outstanding activity of the organization during the past year was the construction of a Student Union Room. The new room, located on the lower floor of Sharp Hall, is a rectangular room sixty-seven by twenty-nine feet. It is attractively finished in knotty pine walls, a new ceiling, and oak floor. On the south side a large native-rock fireplace, a gift of the seniors, lends charm and atmosphere to the room.

The usual awards were presented this year to the members of the debate teams, the quartettes, to the cheer leaders, officers of the Spectator, the Quadrangle and the Student Council in honor of their past year's achievement.



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did you have?" was a familiar cry the rest of the day.

An "infantile group of college students" enjoyed a supervised recreational program in the gymnasium.

Solemnity of the most comical sort, set the theme for the annual funeral of "the terrible Swede." The whole student body offered sympathy, in the form of hearty laughter, to the chief mourners.

Prayers on the part of the girls that the right man gets the box (for it was the box supper on hand) and more prayers from the hearts of fellows that someone else wouldn't beat him out were heard under the breath of most eds and coeds. Group games of all sorts filled the hours until the crucial moment for the auctioning to begin. "Shorty" Waggoner took the table, and did a neat job of getting the many attractive boxes to the right boys. Mike is still wondering how there came to be two boxes exactly alike.

From the end of Christmas vacation on a marked difference was seen in the fellows on the campus. Not only the new Christmas ties and socks but more. They were definitely playing up to those of the female species. There could be no other reason than the rumors of impending plans for a leap-year party. After a week of rushing about getting dates, hiring cars, and taking lessons on how to treat a date, the girls called for the fellows, helped them with their coats, ushered them to the Y. W. room and performed all the niceties usually attributed to the male.

On April 23, the Juniors and Seniors

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Left to Right: Almost Persuaded; It's Been so Long; Serum!; How Long Will It Last?; What About Plattsburg; King For a Day; Can This be the Start of Something?; What's This!



Left to Right: Selah!; Easter Buek; Smiles; It Looks Good From Horse; Father of Jebel; Farmer-ette; Are We Ever Having Fun; Fair Maidens; Is the Water Cold?; Easter Doe

## Senior Class

In the fall of 1932, eighty-one students from many different parts of this country gathered together to enjoy four years of fun, sorrow, learning, and friendships with students and professors. Our first year was spent in getting ourselves adjusted to college life and traditions which proved difficult at times but on the whole was enjoyable. As usual the upper classmen tried some of their fast tricks on us and a few of our members proved to be gullible.

However, our first year was interesting for a number of us because forty-nine were present when school opened again in the fall of 1933. This year, although not proving very fruitful as far as history is concerned, was enjoyable and the members of the class treasure many happy memories.

Our Junior year brought back our old standbys and some new blood. Leaders of our class after witnessing the upheaval a sneak causes among underclassmen, decided that the traditional sneak should be changed into a retreat, retaining all the fun but doing away with the disintegration that arises.

After a class division as to where we would entertain the Seniors it was decided that we have the banquet in the Church parlors. Even though there were a few who were unhappy over the decision every member cooperated in making the banquet a success.

Even though we did lose a few members from our Junior class we gained two fellows from Colorado, who seemed to have the knack of integrating themselves into our group and activities in such



ARCHIE VAN NORTWICK, B. S. COMMERCE.

*Summerfield, Kansas. Class President 4 Football 1, 2. Track 1, 2, 3. "M" Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Quadrangle 3. Business Manager 4. Thespian Club 4.*

MERLE MILTON MESSAMER, A. B. ENGLISH.

*Adel, Iowa, Class Vice-President 4. Los Angeles Jr. College 1. Visalia Jr. College 2. Quadrangle 4. Spectator 3, 4. Thespian Club 3, 4. Y. M. C. A. 3, 4.*

DOROTHY HELENETTA MATSON, A. B., ENGLISH.

*McPherson, Kansas. Class Secretary 4. International Relations Club 3. Quadrangle 3. Spectator 2, 3, 4. Thespian Club 3, 4. Y. W. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 4.*

CORWIN ELMER BARE, A. B., HISTORY.

*Grand Junction, Colo., Class Treasurer 4. Grand Junction State Jr. College 1, 2. Y. M. C. A. 4. International Relations Club 4.*

MODENA ALYCE KAUFFMAN, A. B. ENGLISH.

*Tapoka, Kansas. Student Council Representative 4. Thespian Club 3, 4. Y. W. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. House President 4.*

CLARENCE DAVID SINK, A. B., RELIGION.

*Briarhurst, Indiana. Student Council Representative. Class Officer 3, 4. Deputation 2, 3. International Relations Club 3. Track 2, 3, 4. "M" Club 3, 4. Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4. Spectator 2. Student Council 4. World Service 1, 2, 3, 4. Y. M. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Forensic Club 3.*



LELAND AREL, A. B., HISTORY.  
*McPherson, Kansas*

PHYLLIS EVELYN BARGROVER, A. B., HOME  
ECONOMICS.

*McPherson, Kansas. Chemistry Club 2. Y. W. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. W. A. A. 2, 3, 4.*

BERTHA BERGTHOLD, B. S., EDUCATION.

*McPherson, Kansas. Southwestern State Teachers College, Weatherford, Okla. 1. Southern Methodist University Dallas, Texas, 2. Y. W. C. A. 3, 4.*

PAUL EDGAR BOOZ, A. B., PHILOSOPHY.

*McPherson, Kansas. Class President 2, 3. Chemistry Club 1. Debate 1, 2, 3, 4. Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4. Spectator 1, Business Manager 2. Student Council President 4. Thespian Club 2, 3, 4. Y. M. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Peace Action Group 3.*

BERNICE GWENDOLYN DRESHER, A. B., ENGLISH.

*McPherson, Kansas. Deputation 1. Y. W. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Glee Club 1. A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4. Church Organist 1, 2, 3.*

GALEN FRANCIS GLESSNER, B. S., CHEMISTRY.

*Sheldon, Iowa, Sheldon Jr. College 1, 2. Chemistry Club 3. President 4. Chemistry Assistant 3, 4. Quadrangle 4. Spectator 4. Y. M. C. A. 3, 4.*

BLANCH ELLSWORTH HARRIS, B. M., B. S., MUSIC  
AND EDUCATION

*Nampa, Idaho. Thespian Club 3, 4. Student Council 4. Cheer Leader 2. "M" Club 3, 4. Orchestra 3, 4. A Cappella Choir 4.*

PAUL HUGH HECKMAN, A. B., HISTORY.

*McPherson, Kansas. Class Treasurer 3. Debate 1, 2. Deputation 2, 3, 4. International Relations Club 4. "M" Club 3, 4. Oratory 2, 3, 4. Spectator 1, 2. Student Council 1. Track 1, 2, 3, 4. World Service 2, 3, 4. Y. M. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. Forensic Club, 3, 4.*

WILLIAM LOWELL HEINY, A. B., CHEMISTRY.

*Grand Junction, Colo. Grand Junction State Jr. College 1, 2. Chemistry Club 4. Y. M. C. A. 4.*

MRS. JULMA JUANA HELM, A. B., ENGLISH.

*McPherson, Kansas. Central College, McPherson, Kansas 2. Greenville College, Greenville, Ill. 3.*

JAY HERTZLER, A. B., ENGLISH.

*Aline, Oklahoma, Chemistry Club 1, 2. Y. M. C. A. 1, 2, 4. World Service 2. Forensics 2. Northwestern State Teachers College, Alva, Okla. 3.*

HAROLD SYLVESTER JOHNSTON, B. S., INDUSTRIAL  
ARTS.

*McPherson, Kansas. "M" Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Quadrangle 4. Student Council 2. Y. M. C. A. 4. Industrial Arts Assistant 4.*

## Senior Class

a way as to win the friendship and admiration of the entire school. The class was unusually small but there were a few capable leaders who made this a good year for the college. Our class has left as its memorial the rugged fireplace in the new Student Union Room which adds to the beauty of the room.

The juniors have willingly helped in the projects. They were responsible for giving us a well-planned, and unusually interesting banquet which will be remembered as a highlight in our college life.

The retreat proved to be as much fun as the traditional Sneak and did not disrupt the entire school program. The Seniors did not lack in dramatic ability as was portrayed in the production of "The Romantic Age."

We hope we have not lived in vain these four years because we feel that we have taken a lot from the school and we would like to feel that we have left some small part in return.



A great deal of the joy of life consists of doing perfectly, everything which he attempts to do. There is a sense of satisfaction, a pride in surveying such a work—a work which is rounded, full, exact, complete in all its parts—which the superficial man, who leaves his work in a slovenly, slipshod, half-finished condition, can never know. It is this conscientious completeness which turns work into art. The smallest thing, well done, becomes artistic.

—William Mathews



BETTY ALMA JUELF, A. B., HISTORY.

*McPherson, Kansas. Debate 2. International Relations Club 1, 2. Y. W. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.*

LEONARD MURRAY LOWE, A. B., RELIGION.

*Sabetha, Kansas. Deputation 2. World Service 2, 3, 4. Y. M. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.*

VIOLA ROTHROCK LOWE, B. S., BIOLOGY.

*Davenport, Nebraska. Deputation 3. Student Council 3, 4. W. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4. World Service 2, 3, 4. Y. W. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.*

ELDRED MATHIS, B. S., COMMERCE.

*McPherson, Kansas. International Relations Club 3, 4. Spectator 3. Y. M. C. A. 3, 4.*

GERALD FRANCIS MEYERS, B. S., CHEMISTRY.

*Morrill, Kansas. Chemistry Club 2, 3. Y. M. C. A. 1, 2.*

LILLIAN MARY PETERSON, A. B., FOREIGN LANGUAGE.

*Hutchinson, Kansas. Hutchinson Jr. College 1, 2. World Service 3, 4. Y. W. C. A. 3, 4. Football Queen 4.*



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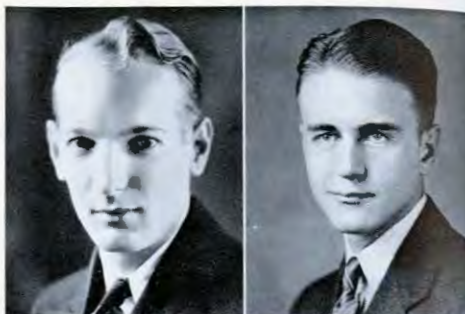
It is the task of the Quadrangle staff during the course of the school year to bring to the school a pictorial review, or summary of events and high points reached during the year. The book is built with a view of keeping fresh in our minds, when we have left these halls of learning, those associations which we hold most dear while here on the campus.

The staff of '36 has made several achievements during the past year. At the opening of the school year the staff with the help of the "M" Club issued the "Bullrangle" before each home football game. The "Bullrangle" was a pamphlet containing the line-up of both teams and pictures and write-ups of our squad, coaches, and cheer leaders. Also this past year the staff held the election of a football queen for the first time in the history of the college.

One of the things that makes work enjoyable for an editor is to have a loyal staff. I am indebted to many students, both on and off the staff, for their fine cooperation and help. I wish to thank everyone for the work they have done and for their contributions which have made this book possible.

Business-Manager Archie Van Nortwick has been very successful in securing advertisements and in other ways providing funds for the yearbook. Though having somewhat less finances than in previous years, his sound financial policy has completed the work without a deficit. "Van" was assisted by Kurtis Naylor.

Those who have helped the editor are: Galen Glessner, photographer, Glenn Webb, photographer; Franklin Hiebert, student editor; Harold Johnston, sports editor; Homer Kimmel, Humor editor.



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## Dramatics





The College Dramatic Art Department has presented various programs of one-act plays during the past year. The plays were worked out as a project by members of Miss Lehman's Play Production class with the assistance of several members of the speech class.

The first was a modernized version of the old French Pierrot-Pierrete play entitled "Pierrot's Mother." Dorothy Miller appeared as the mother, Aileen Wine as Pierrete, and Homer Kimmel as Pierrot. The play portrayed the type of character that finds the lure of adventure and the open road stronger than the lore of peaceful and quiet living.

The second play was "A Sunny Morning." The chief characters are an old Spanish gentleman and lady who were lovers in their youth but apparently do not recognize each other in their old age. Estelle Baile and Charles Nettleton were cast as the two old people. Marjorie Flory and Lowell Holdeman appeared as the servants.

The next play was entitled "The Calf That Laid the Golden Egg." The plot centers around the fur coat which by various accidents and mistakes is sold four times. Homer Kimmel, Velma Watkins, Margaret Messamer, Theresa Strom, Evelyn Ralston, Becky Ann Stauffer and Vera Heckman appeared in this play.

"You and I," a comedy in three acts, was presented by the McPherson College Thespian Club at the McPherson Convention Hall. The players of this play were Kenneth Weaver, Homer Kimmel, Dorothy Matson, Merle Messamer, Estelle Baile, Fred Nace, and Viola Harris. Dr. Claude Flory coached the play.



"Pierrot's Mother"  
"A Sunny Morning"  
"The Calf That Laid The Golden Eggs"  
"You and I"



## Thespians Produce Good Drama



Back Row: Clark, Larsen, Steeves, Van Nortwick, Kauffman, Kimmel, Harris.  
Front Row: Weaver, Watkins, Matson, Messamer, Dailo, Boon.

The Thespian Club, named after Thespis, a Greek and originator of impersonation and developed tragedy, is the official dramatic organization of the college. Its purpose is to produce and encourage the production of good drama.

Membership is gained through try-outs or by unanimous election of the members in recognition of the dramatic ability of a student. This year two try-outs were held, one at the beginning of the year, and one when the annual play was chosen.

The Thespian club has established for itself a fine reputation through the quality of its dramatic presentations. The annual Thespian club play is consistently one of the outstanding events of the school year.

The annual play presented by the

club this year was "You And I" by Philip Barrie. The play was presented at the City Convention Hall and was coached by Dr. Flory. The officers of the club are: Merle Messamer, president; Velma Watkins, vice-president; Modena Kauffman, secretary; Dorothy Matson, treasurer.



The world is blessed most by men who do things, and not by those who merely talk about them.

—James Oliver.



The cynic is one who knows the price of everything and the value of nothing.

—Oscar Wilde.



# M CLUB

Fourth Row: Barngrover, Meyer, Boyer, Colwell.

Third Row: Stratman, Jr., Van Nortwick, Dean Reek, Kimmel.

Second Row: Coach Binford, Haggood, Reinecker, Van Nortwick, Dean, Bright.

First Row: Miller, Flory, Crabbe, Heckman, Johnston. Six absent.

The "M" Club was organized in the year of 1919 while athletics was still in her infancy. The "M" Club has for its purpose the furthering of the spirit of brotherhood and the advent of better athletics, also to promote a better spirit of friendship among athletes, faculty, and student body. To an athlete who through his skill and ability has won recognition by winning a letter in any of the varsity sports goes the right of candidacy to the "M" Club and upon proper initiation he is registered as a member of the club for life. The interest of the club is naturally athletically inclined and the activities sponsored by it center around the athletic life of the college.

Freshmen first become aware of the "M" Club when they are required to buy their green caps from the club, and this year the club helped advertise the College in selling flectorad, which is a combination reflector and advertisement.

The "M" Club generally has two initiations annually, one for new football letter-men, and one for those making their first letter in basketball or a spring sport. Although they look forward to the initiation with fear, those that live through it consider it a day of fun and "part of the game."

The formal banquet which was held at the Hotel Hawley's Roof Garden was represented by both past and present members, with their wives or lady friends. Moffat Eakes, a former McPherson College athlete was Toastmaster, and was assisted by the president of the 1936 club, Harold Johnston; Alvin Voran; Rush Holloway; Delbert Crabbe; the College Male Quartette; Coaches Melvin J. Binford and Lester Selves. Dinner music was furnished by the Five Jay Boys, a local orchestra.

## 1935 Track Team Maintains Record

The Bulldog track team enjoyed a successful season. Last year's squad won three of their five engagements. Dual victories were won against Bethel and Kansas Wesleyan. Hays Teachers decisively won a dual meet from the Bulldogs.

In the Kansas Conference meet at Ottawa in which six schools took part, the Bulldogs took third place, with Baker and Ottawa taking honors of first and second.

The Bulldogs took high honors of first place in the McPherson Relays which is to be made an annual event. Five schools participated. McPherson piled up 55½ points with Friends taking second place with 42½. Cups and medals were given to the winning schools and individuals. Haun, Wiggins, Meyer, Miles and Heckman were the most consistent point getters for the 1935 Bulldog squad.

Relay Queen Margaret Oliver presented the cups and medals as they were won. She was assisted by her two attendants, Miss Maxine Ring and Miss Agnes Bean.

That we should do unto others as we would have them do unto us—that we should respect the rights of others as scrupulously as we would have our rights respected—is not a mere counsel of perfection to individuals—but it is the law to which we must conform social institutions and national policy, if we would secure the blessings and abundance of peace.—Henry George.



Relay Queen, Margaret Oliver, Center, and her Attendants, Miss Bean, left, Maxine Ring, right; Tony's Man-Power; Miles Bell Home the Bacon; Look This Way; Haun's Stride; Haun Up in the J



## 1935 Tennis Team Is Victorious

McPherson Tennis team gave a good account of themselves. The team made a good beginning by taking all honors except one match from the Bethel Graymaroons. During the next few meets the tennis men won sixteen out of eighteen matches engaged in. Losing two matches to C. of E. and winning six each from Sterling and Kansas Wesleyan. In a dual meet the Bulldogs took a two-four defeat from the Swede team. In the McPherson Relays, the Bulldogs took third and fourth in the singles and second in the doubles, Wiggins and Binford making up the doubles team. The Varsity team was composed of Binford, Wiggins, Barngrover, and Stoner.



## Intramural Cagers

During the past year a single round robin tournament was held among seven teams. Each team played six games. The sophomore A team, captained by Mohler, finished at the top of the list, as a result of winning all their games. Second place went to the seniors, while third was captured by the freshman B team. The juniors ended in fourth with the sophomore B team close behind. The what-nots came in sixth with the freshman A team in the cellar position.



During the season there was a total of 1229 points made by the seven teams. The senior team made a total of 235 points to lead the season with the freshman B running a close second with 207 points.

There was some very good material on these teams which will no doubt form the future teams of the college.

Stoner, Barngrover, Wiggins, Binford; Binford in Action; Intramural Basketball is the Most Popular Winter Sport on the Campus.

## W. A. A. Creates Interest for Women

The Women's Athletic Association of McPherson College sponsors athletics for women, and has for its purpose the creation of an interest in gymnastic and athletic activities among the college women, as a means of promoting physical efficiency, scholarship, and good fellowship.

Soccer, baseball, basketball, volley ball, and tennis comprise the sports sponsored this year by the organization. Health rules are emphasized and are observed by many of the girls. Hiking takes the place of the competitive sports when they are out of season.

Initiation for the new members was held in the latter part of March, which included a day and evening of enjoyment. The annual W. A. A. banquet was held in the Student Union Room on April 3. The theme of the interesting program was that of "Spring." The organization in co-operation with the "M" Club sold candy and ice cream bars at all the football games as a means of finance.

All in all this year has been one in which a growing interest in women's sports has developed under the leadership of Phyllis Barngrover.



I don't think much of a man who is not wiser today than he was yesterday.  
—Abraham Lincoln.

Whatever strengthens and purifies the affection, enlarges the imagination, and adds spirit to sense, is useful.—Shelly.



W. A. A. Basketball Teams

W. A. A. Initiation

## Girl Sports Insure Physical Fitness

Women's sports of McPherson College have been sponsored by the W. A. A. and by Mrs. Dean, Physical Education instructor. The organized athletics played on the campus include soccer, volley ball, basketball, baseball, archery, and tennis.

The purpose of women's athletics is not only to have recreation, but to insure physical fitness and correctness in playing form. In order to promote interest in the games, teams would be selected to compete with each other.

Soccer and archery because of their relative newness to the majority of students gave a chance for the girls to transfer their abilities. The height of the season came with the playing of basketball which was climaxed by playing a game before the McPherson-Baker basketball game. This spring, tennis seems to have caught the fancy of a great many girls as even the boys sometimes complain that all the courts are taken by girls who look as if the game was one of running after the ball.

Under the organization of the W. A. A. a point system has been built up in which a player will receive a certain number of points for going out for the sport, a number of more points if she is on the winning team, and so many more points if she makes the varsity which is chosen by the entire group of players.

The consciousness of being loved softens the keenest pang, even at the moment of parting; yea, even the eternal farewell is robbed of half its bitterness when uttered in accents that breathe love to the last sigh.—Addison.



Jump Ball  
Gym Class at Play  
Which One Has the Ball  
Other Girls Sports

## Seniors, by Voran

(From Page 40)

For folks are invited to peep  
And see them asleep!  
No ifs, buts, perhapses or maybes—  
I'm sorry for babies.

(Sympathy for Babies,  
by Arthur Guiterman)

One of the professors asked Heiney the following question; "How would you punctuate this sentence: 'Lillian, a beautiful girl, is walking down the street?'" Heiney answered: "I'm make a dash after Lillian." And so he sowed his wild oats and prayed for a crop failure. Then Lillian said, "All my lifetime I've been saving my kisses for a man like you," and Heiney replied, "Prepare to lose the savings of a lifetime."

Yes, and there we see Miss Lehman. They tell me she had no more memory than a mirror, but what of that, memory is a nursery in which children who have grown old play with their broken toys.

Not long ago we heard Mildred Sellberg produce this thought: Kissing a girl is just like opening a bottle of olives, the first may come hard, but it's a cinch to get the rest.

We overheard Hic and Eldora talking the other day, and Hic said, "Why don't you use that comb I gave you for Christmas?" Eldora answered: "I love it so much I can't bear to part with it." Undaunted by such a reply, Hic said, "When are you going to allow me to kiss you?" Eldora, in her sweetest voice, said, "Come around Friday nite, it's amateur nite."

In the course of events in the life of one of the young men of the Senior class, he became a drug store clerk. One day a lady entered the store and said to Paul Booz, "Do you have Lifebuoy?" Paul looked at her a moment and answered, "Set the pace, Lady, set the pace." No doubt, most of you are aware of the ability of Paul Booz to manuever a Terraplane at a very high rate of

speed, which reminds us that the three great menaces to safe driving in America are Hick, Hike, Hug.

Ralph Sherfy has his arm very much tatoood and one day when he had his shirt sleeves rolled up a lady met him and asked, "Do those tatoos wash off?" Ralph answered, "I couldn't say, Lady."

Doctor: (to Bertha Bergthold)  
"You've got acute appendicitis," Bertha replies, "I came here to be examined, not admired."

There is Betty Juelfs—she enters quietly as a sunbeam. Show Gos Glenn Tom Webb how, Betty!

So the colleges have a lot of knowledge stored up in them. The Freshmen always bring in a little and the Seniors never take out any.

By the way we remember well when Galen Glessner's hair was laid out like a public park.

People are asking for an annual report and there is not a thing to report so we say, Selah. A Sunday School teacher asked her class what the word Selah meant. Finally a boy spoke up and said that it must have been what David said when he broke a string on his harp.



## And We Go On With a Matchless Student Year

(From Page 64)

sallied forth en masse for their annual banquet at the Hotel Hawley. It is reported that several of the Juniors sat all night the night before, among other things, trying to decide whether to wear the grey or dark blue suit and becoming well Emily Posted.

Ho hum! guess I've got spring fever. That sneak (pardon me professors, retreat) was more fun but I've got to start studying now. Five term papers and exams coming.

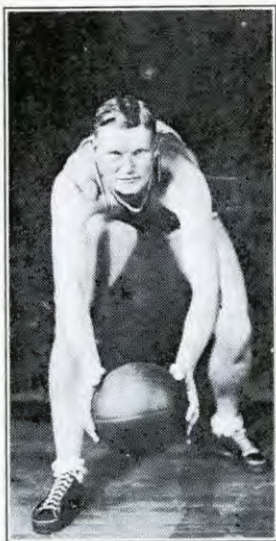
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