

BULLDOGS START WINNING; WHIP WILDCATS

Break Defeat String With 39-37 Victory

5 Canines Lead Scoring; First Loop Triumph

Snapping a 14-game losing streak by playing "heads-up" basketball in "awful" tempo, the McPherson college Bulldogs last night tamed the Baker Wildcats 39-37 here last night in an important conference encounter. McGill's final goal turned the tide of battle.

The victory, which was the first of this season, was well-earned as Center, Nordling, McGill, Stauffer, and Wannamaker led the scoring, augmented by a better square-root-scoring defense against visiting hotshots.

It was a nip and tuck contest all the way. Baker held a 21-20 lead at the half and both quintets alternated in scoring. Although Bill Thompkins' dog, Jerry, broke its leg yesterday in pep assembly, the real Bulldogs proved they could finally win a game and end a streak of ill-luck. They are now ready for the Coyotes.

In the preliminary contest the reserves defeated the Inman team 14-11 with Nordling and Thompkins leading the respective scoring. The "B" squad held a 13-9 lead at the half.

Box score:

McPherson (39)	FG	FT	R
Center, J.	5	0	2
Nordling, J.	4	0	0
Holmes, J.	0	0	1
Kingsley, J.	0	3	2
Wannamaker, B.	1	0	2
Wiegand, C.	0	0	0
McGill, J.	2	1	2
Stauffer, G.	1	4	0
Voshell, G.	0	1	2
Totals	16	7	11

Baker (37)	FG	FT	R
Pope, J.	6	2	2
Honebrake, J.	3	0	2
Zabel, J.	3	1	0
Seruby, J.	0	0	3
Hersh, C.	0	0	3
Self, J.	3	3	3
Becker, E.	0	4	2
Totals	15	7	14

Book Exchange Is Successful

The S. C. M. book exchange promises to become a permanent part of the campus if its exchange volume is taken as an indicator of success. With the books nearly closed, the records at the book exchange for this semester show a profit of \$1.25 from the 10 per cent commission, indicating an approximate total volume of \$22.50. A checkup shows that a total number of fifty books were sold through the exchange.

The S. C. M. is thankful for the splendid cooperation of the student body in making a program of benefit to all possible.

Information Speaks

"Hello, hello, information!"
"Yes, there is going to be an all-school party."
"When?"
"Tonight at 8 o'clock."
"Where?"
"In the Student Union Room."
"What kind of a party?"
"It's going to be something different—a picture party!"
"What should we bring?"
"Bring an extra supply of pep and a readiness for fun."
"Well, what are we going to do at the party?"
"It's a secret and a surprise. Perhaps a big game hunt is in store for us, who knows?"
"Who is invited?"
"Welcome to everyone of McPherson College."
"Thank you, good-bye!"



To Speak Monday

Here from Chicago tomorrow to interview prospective Bethany Biblical Seminary students, Dr. Rufus Bowman will speak in chapel Monday morning and at the college church Tuesday morning and evening.

Rufus Bowman Is Here This Week-End

Bethany Head To Interview Prospective Students; To Speak.

On Macampus tomorrow, Sunday, and Monday will be Dr. Rufus Bowman, president of the Bethany Biblical Seminary at Chicago, who will interview prospective students for the seminary and address the student body.

Dr. Bowman will speak twice Sunday at the college church, both in the morning and evening services. He will speak to the student body in chapel Monday morning.

A brother of Warren Bowman who was here several months ago, Dr. Bowman formerly was pastor of the Brethren church at Hoanoke, Va., and from there he went to the church in the nation's capital, the Washington, D. C. church, just next to the capitol building. He was well liked there that when he left for Chicago, his congregation called his brother from Juniata college to fill his place.

Dr. Bowman followed ex-McPherson college president Kurtz to the Chicago Seminary presidency before Dr. Kurtz left for a California position.

As secretary of the national board of religious education, Dr. Bowman has done much valuable work for the Brethren church.



Knows World Affairs

Dan West, peace secretary of the Church of the Brethren, will be one of the speakers at the regional conference of Brethren churches to be held here February 19 to 24. Mr. West has spoken here on several previous occasions and is an outstanding authority on world peace subjects.

Dan West To Come Fresh From Spanish Front

Dan West, of Elgin, Illinois, will be one of the outstanding speakers here for the regional conference, February 19-24.

Mr. West is former director of young people's work in the Church of the Brethren and is a man of wide experience. He has been a high school teacher and principal in the schools of Indiana and Ohio. He has been camp director in all parts of the United States. He has worked for the cause of peace with the Friends.

Last year he spent doing relief work in Spain. The experience will furnish the subject for one of his addresses. Mr. West is now serving as peace secretary in the church. His presence here should prove stimulating.

"Neither peace, virtue nor liberty can long flourish in a community where the education of youth is neglected."—Cooper.

Die Gesellschaft

Hören Sie! Alle Studenten wer das Interesse in eine Wanderung haben! Kommen Sie zum S. U. R.!

Donnerstag Nachmittag den fünften Februar, neunzehnhundertneununddreißig, um drei Uhr, machen "Die Gesellschaft" einen Spaziergang.

Wir werden eine frohlichen Zeit haben. Singen, sprechen und Dummheit machen.

M. C. Student State Treasurer

West Boosted To Position In Young Republican Club; Six Go To Convention.

Six political-minded enthusiasts from McPherson college attended the State convention of the Kansas Young Republicans, college division, in Topeka last Monday, and managed to pull a treasurership out of the fire for McPherson college's young political addition West.

West's election as state treasurer puts Maccollege's club on a par with those of the large state schools.

The delegates, headed by Addison Southoff, local proxy, were, besides West, Stephen Silver, Dan Newmark, Ernest Reed, and LaRue Owen. Newmark, Sturge, and Reed are on the local central committees of the College Young Republicans.

On the nominations committee at Topeka was Addison Southoff. This committee met shortly after registration and was followed at noon by a large banquet.

In the afternoon the general committee held its election of officers for the coming year. Wilbur Leonard, K. U., was elected president of the collegiate division of the Kansas Young Republicans.

None of the McPherson delegates stayed for the Kansas Day festivities in the evening, but they visited the capitol and inspected the Capper publications printing plant.

Select Cast For "Berkeley Square"

Mayor, Davis, Heckman
Cary Thompson Leads
Produced Next Month

The cast for the Theban Club play, "Berkeley Square" by John L. Balderston, was selected Tuesday afternoon and preparations are now underway for its production.

"Berkeley Square" has come to the front as one of the most popular recent productions on Broadway, where it held sway for a number of weeks. This play has been produced by colleges and professionals from coast to coast. With its past success, everyone can look forward to its production early in March. Thousands have been intrigued by this fantasy whose plot is different and unusual.

Heading an outstanding cast is Steven Stover in the part of Peter Standish. Co-starring with him will be Margaret Davis and Vera Heckman in the parts of Helen Pettigrew and Marjorie Pratt, respectively. These two girls, one from the adjacent past and the other from the present, seek to win the affections of Peter Standish.

The rest of the cast is as follows: Wilkins, Durl Voshell; Tom Pettigrew, Eugene Charbonnet; Kate Pettigrew, Vitalina Kertling; Lady Anne Pettigrew, Autumn Fields; Mr. Throsby, Harold Larsen; The Ambassador, Wilbur Stover; Mrs. Barwick, Gladys Shank; Major Clinton, Leonard Vaughn; Miss Barrymore, Elma Minnick; The Duchess of Devonshire, Rowena Frantz; Lord Hanley, Eldon Craik; The Duke of Cumberland, Raymond Flory.

Miss Vera Heckman will be student march of the play and Miss Chapman will aid her. Production of the play will probably be early in March.

Ask Students to Swap Cigs For Aid To Needy Chinese

Stucky, Harshbarger Begin S. C. M. Drive For Funds To Go To Suffering Far Eastern Students; Begins Soon.

"A dollar may mean a new supply of cigarettes or ice cream for the men of this campus, or a new compact for a crowd of McPherson college, but it means three week's board for the needy Chinese student, harassed by the effective bombing of the Japanese military machine."

Purgatory A Sacriment?

Thinking, confusion, chastity, purgatory and crucifixion are among the seven sacraments of the catholic church, according to examination papers given Dr. J. L. Bright, McPherson College's history teacher.

Among those who volunteered the church view were several prospective ministers. Their answers may show that they have served farther from the universal church than even Martin Luther anticipated.

Sterling Host To A Cappella Group

Choir Gives First Concert Out Of Town; Home Appearance In Feb. 22.

The a cappella choir of McPherson college will go to Sterling, Kan., Friday night, February 17, to give a concert at Sterling college. This will be breaking away from the usual custom of giving the first concert of the season here. The home concert will be given February 23.

Director Nevin W. Fisher today announced the personnel of the a cappella choir: soprano, May Ellen Head, Rowena Frantz, Millicent Nordling, Gladys Shank, Orel Hoffman, Gladys Wiggins, Miriam Kinneel and Mamie Wolfe.

Altos: Evelyn Anna, Frances Fanchell, Ramona Fries, Lela Knutsen, Lilian Peals, Esther Sherry, Ruth Smith and Hilda Hubbard.
Tenors: Joe Briggs, Orville Beecher, Wesley DeSottery, Dean Frantz, Wayne Albright and Eugene Eisenblee.

Basses: Keith Pierre, Luther Harshbarger, Raymond Flory, Ernest Reid, Gordon Yoder, Boris Miller, Lyle Albright and Delbert Darby.

The soloists for the choir this season will be Gladys Shank, Keith Pierre, Gordon Yoder, Orel Hoffman and Frances Campbell.

With these words Dale Stucky, publicity man for the S. C. M., started a drive for funds to aid needy students in the Far East.

He went on to say, "Five cents may mean a coke for a collegian here, but they mean three meals to the destitute students of China. Fifteen cents can mean either a milkshake or one week's shelter from shrieking Japanese airplanes."

Luther Harshbarger, co-president of the S. C. M., announced last Wednesday that this year's drive for aid to support the Far Eastern Student Service Fund will be initiated soon. The date has not been definitely set yet.

A successful campaign last year netted \$43 on Macampus. This year Harshbarger explained that the money is used to aid students in the Far East who have become destitute because of the war. Many Chinese schools have had to move far inland, and students have not been able to meet the resultant cost.

"The United States of America must realize their responsibility, and practice a spirit of brotherhood. The S. C. M. is attempting to give McPherson students a chance to aid the unfortunate students in China who can not help themselves," were the words of the S. C. M. head.

American students raised over \$50,000 last year to insure trained leadership for China's future reconstruction. Chinese students actually walk 1,000 miles over mountains for a chance to secure an education when air raids actually destroy their universities. They are using caves as classrooms and dumps as dorms. Given are all the equipment the university of Yenan, in the northwest, has.

Enrollment Does Not Drop

Enrollment figures for this semester are practically up to those of last semester. With the few more who will be enrolling next week, McPherson College students will no doubt number as many as before.

Wednesday noon there were 103 freshmen, 84 sophomores, 48 juniors, and 41 seniors. This makes a total of 273 students regularly enrolled, while altogether last semester there were 260 enrolled. The freshmen are at present smaller in number by 10, the sophomores, by 3; the juniors have one less student, and the seniors seven less.

Not all of the special aud fine arts students have yet been turned in to the central office; therefore, no comparison of these figures can be made.

Schwalm Travels

Traveling over 6,000 miles since the last of December, Dr. V. F. Schwalm has visited four states 10 speaking and business tours during the last month.

Ohio, Iowa, Indiana, and Kentucky are the states which the busy president of McPherson college has visited.



Here For Conference

Bishop Ralph Cashman, of the Methodist Episcopal church of the Denver area, will be one of the speakers at the annual regional conference of the Brethren church which will be held on the McPherson college campus February 19 to 24.

Flory Scores With Speech On The Bard

Personable Prof. Makes Shakespeare Lite For Macollege Students

Using a parody of the title "Ben Jonson Entertains a Man from Stratford" as his theme, Dr. Claude R. Flory announced his subject as "Will Shakespeare Entertains a Man from McPherson" as he spoke in assembly Monday.

The original title, the literature teacher explained, is from a poem by Edwin Arlington Robinson, who, he said, may be America's greatest poet.

Speaking from rich experience and extensive reading, McPherson's suave tenets coach stated that it was a comparatively easy matter to visit Shakespeare and told how he traveled over land and sea on the journey to the bard's homeland. The reality of the road sign: "Stratford-on-Avon, 40 miles" impressed him greatly. He saw many landmarks of English history on the road to Stratford.

In Anne Hathaway's "cottage" he noticed a courtship notice which was decidedly inferior to the modern davenport "from a utilitarian point of view."

Because McPherson's personable professor asked the superintendent of Shakespeare's memorial museum so many questions, the superintendent concluded that he had a lot to learn in trying to teach Shakespeare in a class in college.

Dr. Flory stated that Shakespeare entertains not only in Stratford but over all the world, and told of seeing Macbeth's grave in Scotland and other landmarks of Shakespearean history.

Shakespeare not only entertains a man from McPherson but all men everywhere.

In conclusion the head of the English department stated, "My subject is woefully narrow because Shakespeare entertains all men everywhere" instead of just a man from McPherson.

God Makes Man Find His Life Plan

Metzler Says That Man Must Plan With God's Plan in Mind.

"My Place in Life" was the topic chosen by Dr. Burton Metzler for his chapel address, Wednesday morning.

Dr. Metzler began by saying "Planning one's life may be done carefully and yet not wisely. If man plans his life to be both successful and happy, he must plan according to the laws of nature."

God, perhaps, has a plan for each life, but it is not revealed until man asks for its revelation. This can be accomplished only through much study and hard work.

The Creator has made many sciences as botany, astronomy, chemistry, etc., but it has been the work of men to discover them.

Dr. Metzler suggested three essentials which ought to follow this revelation of God's plan. We must be willing to follow His plan after He has revealed it; we must have a wide range of knowledge; and it is necessary to us to think it out with Him. We must contemplate upon the goal of life, get familiar with the Scriptures, make a survey of the facts in the case, and keep an open ear for the inner voice.

Finally, God has promised that He will ask us to do nothing which will not make our lives richer and happier.

Outlind To Large Nursing School

Asa Outlind has received a letter admitting her to the Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing in Cleveland, Ohio. This school is affiliated with Western Reserve University and offers a three year course which leads to the master's degree in nursing.

Only 26 persons are admitted annually from the United States.

"Every young man is almost certain to meet disappointment and failure if he begins the study of medicine today without adequate preliminary education."

Hole Gang Elects

The members of Fehnestock met last Tuesday afternoon to elect officers for the semester. Phil Myers retained the office of president. The promoters of the different floors were elected from the residents of that floor. Harold Duncanson is proctor of third floor, Russell Kingsley is proctor of second floor, and Wesley Decourcy is proctor of first floor.

After an announcement concerning dirt in the halls, the meeting promptly adjourned.

Thompson Gives An Inspirational Talk

Speaks To S. C. M. Group; Challenges Students

William Thompson talked to the S. C. M. on Tuesday, January 31, as usual on his theme the ways in which students may profit by the past semester and improve during the new semester.

At the beginning of a new semester, we, having completed an "Intellectual Inventory," are given an opportunity to correct our faults, get out of the red, and formulate our new policies.

In order to be successful, one must have some characteristics for making good. Mr. Thompson, in his talk, suggested six "I's": industry, intelligence, initiative, intensity, integrity, and inspiration.

Of these perhaps the most important is inspiration. One may have all the other qualities, but if there is no desire to achieve, nothing will be accomplished.

In summing up his talk, Mr. Thompson emphasized a quotation of Paul, "Forgetting those things which are in the past, and reaching forth to those things which are before, I am pressing toward the mark."

Besides the talk by William Thompson, there were devotions by Vera Ickmann, prayer, Mr. Harsh-Barok, and poems by Lois Florman, Gerald Denney, and Rowann Franz, and a song by Opal Hoffman.

B.Y.P.D. Holds Panel Discussion

Group Tackles Student-Community Adjustment.

The BYPD meeting recently held a timely, rousing discussion on the subject "Making Adjustments to the Home Community."

Down Ida Shockley led the panel discussion opening the meeting; a wide variety of opinions were expressed all the way from the attitude that the college student should "snag in the back way with his bags" and be just another insignificant part of the community to the opinion that a college student should be proud of the fact that he has been away to get an education and should come home on the "band wagon." Whatever anyone thought was generally "picked to pieces" in the open forum.

Some of the questions discussed were, "Just why is there this adjustment to make to the community, to our family, to our friends? Is it the fault of the student, the community, or the college? Why do college people come back with such a superior air?"

"Surely," says one college senior, "we can't blame the home folks for feeling a bit disgusted when the home-for-the-holidays student comes up with a supercilious smile and says, 'I am so charmed to see you here this afternoon.'"

"And," says another, "precedent is made by the strong for the weak. Can't we go back to our home communities with such a helpful, unassuming manner that everyone will realize that education really does things for young people. The attitudes of the 'home folks' would soon change if college people were all like that."

Chem Club Members Keep Cool Heads

Chemistry students enjoyed the use of the new movie projector Thursday evening at the regular Chemistry Club meeting. The films, "Cool Heads," showed how to keep our own heads and the heads in the cars cool. After the movie, a representative of the Kansas Highway Patrol from Hutchinson spoke on safety.

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Within These Walls—

Now that this "mental inventory," as William Thompson puts it, is over, we can hardly recall the many (13) hours we crammed, and the tortures we endured. There was the night when Evelyn Amos begged Ardy's Metz to sleep on the study table so that she, Evelyn, could study all night in bed. However, came the dawn, and Metz and Amos were asleep in bed while Lucille Wade was curled up uncomfortably at the foot of the bed on the floor. And you should hear them talk about the way they studied that night!

LaVern Bollinger seemed to have divided his time between getting ready to study and trying to study.

One fair evening Leonard Vaughn, James Crill, Geraldine Spohn, Wilber Stern, and Mariadne Krueger met in the library to study German. The result was that they were invited to leave and continue their learned (1) conversation elsewhere. Then Leonard Vaughn wished Miss Forney a pleasant good evening which made her very happy.

From his recent trip to Topeka, Ernest Reed brings home the memory of the pretty girl who guided him through the Capner's Publication Building, and a necktie worn this putting it repeatedly into slot machines.

In church the other evening Ad-

son Sasthoff first sang "Look at the Beautiful" to Mary Elizabeth Hoover, and then proceeded to sleep, because M. E. Hoover's hat was so big that he couldn't see the preacher. That's a fine story.

Elna Minnick and Jake Cramer look nice together, don't they? And did you know that Jake has really mastered the art of playing jazz on a comb. Harold Larson is a fine one to be debating against this steady dating business.

Perhaps Mr. Metzler could enlighten us as to the process of making milk out of peanuts.

Several new students are on the campus. Horner Hall has admitted a new member who is fast becoming acquainted, especially with Vance Saenger. From town come two new boys, Addison West, and Delmar (just call him "Mugs") Atchison. Oh yes and then there's Douglas Croft and Margaret Davis.

Please, boys, have mercy on Henry, the mail man. Don't pay too much attention to Dr. Flory's Valentine story.

Quintin Blackwell and Doris Durst have started the new semester with a bang, don't you think?

For once Lorene Vonhall is helpless. It seems that she fell down some steps or something. Anyway, she walks on a pair of crutches.

Five Outstanding Speakers Here

Regional Conference To Be Large Meeting; Faculty Members To Speak

McPherson college officials and leaders of the First Church of the Brethren are making plans for the annual regional conference of the Brethren church which will be held here during the week of February 19 to 24.

Five outstanding speakers already have accepted invitations to speak at the conference program. Other speakers may be included soon. Many of the instructors of McPherson college will appear on the program at various times during the week.

Bishop Ralph S. Cushman, of the Methodist Episcopal church of the Denver area, will be here during part of the conference. Bishop Cushman has written a book on "Practicing the Presence", and is an outstanding speaker.

Another speaker will be Dr. Calvin N. Ellis, professor of religion at Junata college at Huntingdon, Pa., a sister school of McPherson college. Dr. Ellis is a brilliant and deeply devotional young man.

D. D. Funderburg, director of adult religious education for the Brethren church, will be here to promote the work of the Elgin, Ill. general church staff in his particular line. He will be here for the entire week.

Leland Brubaker, director of the

Brethren young people's work, will be in McPherson for the conference. Dan West, peace secretary of the Church of the Brethren, will be here for several lectures on world peace. Prof. and Mrs. Nevin W. Fisher and Mrs. V. F. Schwalm, all of McPherson, will represent musical, children's and women's work respectively during the entire conference. The conference officials are inviting pastors, Sunday School superintendents and Christian workers of their local churches to attend the various sessions of the conference.

Last week's Spectator ran a complete program for the entire week.

New H. S. Building Dedicated Soon

College Officials, Students To Help in Program.

Friday, February 10, is the date that has been set by Superintendent Ross Potwin as the day for the dedication of the new McPherson high school building. McPherson College students are especially urged to inspect this new building any time from 8:30 a. m. to 10:00 p. m.

College students who participate in the dedication program are Vera Flory and Ann Janet Allison, pianists, Frances Campbell, violinist, Gladys Shank, soprano, and the faculty trio composed of Professors Crawford, Stutzman, and Fisher.

There will be an all day program in which the public is cordially invited.

8:30 A. M.—Flag raising and Presentation of Flag for High School Auditorium by Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic—Mrs. G. P. Saylor, presiding.

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Chinese Worker Gives War Side-Lights
Mrs. Pollock Says Jap Invasion May Be Blewting to China
Mrs. Myrtle Pollock recently returned missionary from China, was guest speaker at the BYPD last Sunday.

Mrs. Pollock has spent twenty-one years on the foreign mission field and in a brief, inspirational talk gave many side-lights on the Chinese-Japanese situation.

The Japanese invasion is really a blessing in some ways, according to Mrs. Pollock. The movement of the population toward the west, while the reason is far from a pleasant one, still is a significant factor in the carrying of the Christian religion to the interior.

Mrs. Pollock's talk was filled with personal illustrations which gave an interesting picture of the present situation in China and the challenge which is presented to Chinese students to carry on in spite of almost overwhelming odds.

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Forensic Group To Hatch

Five students, accompanied by De-hale Cook Mesher A. Hens, left this morning for Hutchinson to attend a tournament of varied speech work and discussions.

Vance Saenger and Don Davidson composed debate team, and Autumn Fields and Ardy Metz the other. Donna Jean Johnson, Ardy Metz, and Autumn Fields will participate in contests of interpretative reading. Vance Saenger and Don Davidson will enter the after-dinner speaking contest.

Instead of the orthodox debates which the McPherson teams are experienced in, the debaters will engage in six rounds of discussion on the current debate questions.

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The Spectator Sees

Future Parents Lack Information; Macollege Needs New Course

The federal government's recent introduction of an air course into the courses of many schools is just one of the many attempts to teach students modern and useful courses which they can use in later life. Another innovation in some colleges, but a course which has grown rapidly in recent years, is one on marriage relations.

Marital relations is not a taboo subject on all campuses, for 200 colleges and universities already have courses which tell of the trials and tribulations of marriage and how the difficulties can be avoided. Twelve years ago only twenty-two such courses were offered in American schools.

Among these schools which have not adopted any such practical social courses is McPherson college. The curriculum is being constantly improved by a faculty committee just as it has in the past, but as yet a successful course in marital relations has not been offered. Such a course would be popular and beneficial if properly taught.

Such a study falls directly in line with the objectives of a liberal arts college, which stresses the development of individual character in all directions so that it may better conform to the entire desirable social system.

At this time when birth control for reasons is a necessity to assure a happy married life, how many of the adults who attended McPherson college and will soon marry, know the proper methods and procedure of birth control? How many have thought of the complications which would arise if an individual were to marry someone of a different religious sect.

That Macampusans are interested in such matters and other problems pertaining to courtship, engagement, and marriage is shown by the enthusiasm with which students welcomed the talks by and conferences with Warren Bowman when he was on the campus.

The demand of collegians for pertinent information and serious study of the marital relation is reflected in the Harvard University, Christian: "It is becoming increasingly important that both men and women should have some knowledge about birth control and the many causes of divorce. Also they should know something of the effects such differences as age, class, grade, religion, occupation, politics, hobby, color and sex have upon marital relations. Expert information on such subjects ought to be available to college students."

Letters To Congress May Prevent Increase Of Oriental War Victims

While the S. C. M. is planning a campaign to solicit funds for refugee Chinese students who are being driven into the interior of Asia by the Japanese invasion, the peoples of this country are adding Japan in a huge way in making the relief action necessary.

Clara Witherspoon notwithstanding, American munitions firms, oil companies, and scrap iron dealers are supplying Japan with 64% of her war materials. This must be stopped.

At least we can be consistent. Why pay good money for Chinese relief when our own people are supplying its oppressors with the means of making the Celestial Empire desolate? Can we continue to sell to Japan the means to make more victims for us to help support?

We do not propose an economic boycott upon Japan, because the Japanese people would be the first to suffer if we would. We do not support the Exclusion Acts because we do not bear any resentment against the citizens of Japan, who are as peace-loving as Americans are.

But we must coerce the government military machine. As Neville Chamberlain stated in his speech last Saturday, the peoples of all nations are peace-loving, but unfortunately it is with governments that we must deal.

Taking the position of the President of the United States who advocates measures "short of war, but stronger and more effective than mere words" we propose that the government of the United States impose an embargo on all munitions and war materials to Japan.

This writer has warded off the urge to urge students to write their congressmen, but now dismisses his constraint with the realization that the age old trick may be the only possible means of accomplishment.

The remedy is obvious. We must stop this traffic in death, from which a handful are making a profit and we can do our part by writing our representatives in Washington and making them feel the pressure of public opinion.

It is only through government action that we can stop the vicious traffic, and a card is a good pry on the government.

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High lights—on the hill—

Keith Reinecker has got that look in his eye when he gazes at matrimony since he truly became attached to the girl, but doubts it, shotwell's in their rendezvous.

Kevin, nodding, mabler, and wanderer hold a very informal party in the chapel one night last week, they played blind-man's buff, at least the chapel was dark until someone happened in and turned the lights on them.

Jerry ... says that kissing would be fun if it wasn't for nose and he doesn't like to kiss on curves, by the way, what were he and husband doing under the bridge on hump-backs ave?

J. hammerley thinks eustan mineral oil might help the hamburgers served in the dorm to slide down easier, we wonder if mineral oil will help horse man.

At your list of good-looking boys—L. Ikeberry and K. morrison, a new bill of feminine pulchritude named M. Davis is graciously on campus this semester, she says for all of you boys to come early and avoid the rash which will occur later on.

appearance would indicate that reposition has moved to hinner hall, anyway, his model 1 is parked there, e. minnick and J. cramer seem to have found something interesting in each other, twelve nights in succession just about spent, a record for our backs.

we had the impression that freshmen boys are not to take dates to basketball games, we have seen several boys scowling at girls at games, we think the cheering would be better if there weren't so many couples mistaking sweet nothings into each other's eyes.

tony vashell's interest on south mails has become interested in two policemen, looking stroke, big boy! roberston now is coaching the second team, he says he just had to get a job somewhere 'cause campbell is awful expensive.

Forensic Club Discusses Steady Dating

"Should college students go steady?" Not fully decided by an interesting debate held in the regular Forensic club meeting last Tuesday, the question is still up.

Arda Metz upheld the affirmative and was opposed by Harold Larsen, after the debate the audience voted a decision.

After the debate, a resolution was adopted to have meetings more regularly, once a week instead of once every two weeks. Hereafter the club meets weekly at 8:30 Tuesday.

Three entertaining impromptu speeches were given on unusual subjects by Leonard Vaughn, Joy Smith, and Dale Stueky.

Next Tuesday Geraldine Spohn, affirmative, will debate Wilbur Bullinger on the subject, "Resolved—just the gymnasium be left open daily from 7 to 10 p. m." This promises to be interesting because it is a much-discussed campus topic.

Will Form A Greater McPherson College Club

Suggested by Ira Brammell, class of '32, a plan soon will be inaugurated by the trustees of the college to form a Greater McPherson College Club. Mr. Brammell is now superintendent of the McLaugh, Kansas schools.

Reports from the constituency of the college seem to favor the organization of such a club. Membership will consist of all persons who will pledge certain amounts of money to the college each year for a period of five years.

The money will be used by the trustees to maintain the financial condition of McPherson college, which is one of the outstanding denominational schools in the state. A pamphlet is being printed to explain various phases of the program of the organization.

Varsity Makes Trip

Debating before a literary society at Carleton last week, the men's varsity debaters gained experience in audience reaction.

Coach Curtis A. Hane took Bill Thompson and Addison Southoff, affirmative team, and Don Newkirk and Dale Stueky, negative team. Because the question this year is disturbingly partisan, the discussion proved most interesting.

Breathing Spell Allows Quiz—Natty Campusans To Relax

Students enjoyed a breathing spell from their studies between sessions, but when time was completely filled with other programs, parties, and trips that they still found it difficult to catch their breath.

Wednesday night was a full night with basketball and debate teams away on business, and those left behind enjoying the one-woman-theater acts presented by Dorothy Crawford.

Thursday morning found many students impatient to finish enrolling because they were eager to get home. The McPherson Daily Republican had to extend its local notes by an extra column or more to include all the graduates those going to Wichita in shops or to see the Lee hockey game and those going to other places in the state.

At the same time, changes were being made in and about the campus. Orville Seebler decided to move back to Pabawack; Miriam Rothrock left for Parsons Business College and left her half the room to Marianne Krueger. The Flory twins began cooking over in Klina and Elizabeth Mohler moved home as several new students made their appearance on the campus.

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New Faces Found

New that students of McPherson college are enrolled for the second semester's work we see on the campus a few new faces. These include students who have come to McPherson College for the first time and students who have been here before but did not come for the first semester of this year.

Margaret Davis from McPherson enrolled for the semester as a sophomore. She was here last year. Norman Krueger, a sophomore, is back. He is from Bagley, Iowa. Another sophomore who comes for the second semester after having been here last year is Burns Stauffer of Rocky Ford, Colorado.

Lucian Nelson from McPherson has enrolled for his sophomore work. Kenneth Yingsi, a freshman, is back again. Delmar Atkinson, who was at Manhattan last semester, has enrolled. He is from McPherson. Edward Karlson is a new student. He is a sophomore.

Roy Miller of Waterloo, Iowa, has enrolled as a freshman. Donald Kohman is a freshman and comes from Hope, Kansas. A new student who comes all the way from New Mexico is Reba Gibson. Reba is a freshman.

Addison West of McPherson has enrolled. Addison was a student at Lawrence last semester. A few students of the first semester did not enroll for the last half of the year. Among these was Miriam Rothrock of Davenport, Nebraska, a freshman who has enrolled in the business college at Parsons, Kansas. William Cooper, another freshman, has gone home to help with the spring farm work. A few of these students will be back next year.

Mohler To Wichita

R. E. Mohler, president of the McPherson city school board, will be one of the main speakers Saturday morning at a meeting of the Kansas State Association of School Boards, which meets Friday and Saturday in its 23rd annual session at the Hotel Lauen at Wichita.

Dr. Crumpacker, '06, Key Man In Chinese Crisis

F. R. Crumpacker, who received his A. B. with the class of 1906, is generally recognized as a key man among the missionaries in the present intricate situations existing in China today. Crumpacker is a missionary of the Brethren church. He is well-known in diplomatic circles and is often consulted by government officials in determining policy. He has also acquired an A. M. and D. D. degree.

Quartet In Program

Wednesday night, February 1, The McPherson College Male Quartet sang several numbers at the 4-H Club banquet given by the Farm Bureau.

"To educate a man in mind and not in morals is to educate a menace to society."—Theodore Roosevelt.

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Movie Projector To Be Used Extensively Soon

The new, large sound moving picture machine which has been purchased by departments of the college will soon be in great demand, according to the plans of many college organizations.

The Social Committee has set aside a fund for the rental of films, which will be approved and sponsored by that organization. Students will be admitted to these presentations with their activity ticket. They are urged to watch for further announcements concerning the pictures.

Boys Owe Miss A Much For Teaching Girls To Cook

Miss A. otherwise known as Mild Esther Atherton, head of the home economics department, is a lady who is probably performing the most practical work of any instructor on the campus.

Scores of girls enrolled in foods, clothing, family health, and interior decorating classes are securing basic material for the construction of future homes. Yet to the majority of the students, Miss A. is an invaluable part of the teaching staff.

Boys may owe her much someday.

Obtain Laboratory Job

Word was received from Lois Gandy, former M. C. student, stating she had accepted a position in the psychological department of the Lattimore Laboratories, Topeka. Miss Gandy served as assistant to Dr. Hershey.

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Students Select Beauties

One of the many queer topics discussed by the Renaissance class was that of a recent Friday. Each member was asked to choose from the campus the five most beautiful women and the five men with the most Taylor-like countenances. The controversy arose over the contention that humans, if beautiful, are demes.

Some of the critics and critics which fell from the lips of these amateur beauty judges were rather enlightening. "The Flory twins are prettier when they are together." "I think Dwight Horner has a noble head." "Dave McGill is handsome in pictures."

Of course, Keith "Handsome" Reinecker admirably upheld his title. These freshman girls must have "It" for Anna Jean Curtis and Virginia Kerlin both rated high, as did Football Queen Sally Olwin, Marjorie Anderson, and Gladys Shank.

Dr. Flory said the only one for whom he would write a defense of homosexuality was Jack Oliver. He chose Reinecker and Gordon Yoder as runners-up.

But the self-alleged woman-hater refused to commit himself on the femininity—can it be that he thinks Macoada are not beautiful!

Andrew Carnegie, as he came to the end of his days, said that all of his fabulous wealth did not give him as much pleasure as the books of Robert Burns and Shakespeare.

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Bulldogs Meet Coyotes Here Next Week

"Swing System" Versus "Fire Department"

A real jam session reception is being planned for next Wednesday by the McPherson college Bulldogs, who will entertain the Kansas Wesleyan Coyotes here in an important conference contest. It will be "swing system" versus "fire department" as the opposing quintets take the floor at Convention Hall.

The reserve squads of the respective schools will tangle in the preliminary contest at 6:45 o'clock.

Fast brands of basketball probably will predominate when the teams of "Buck" Astle and Gene Johnson engage in a return battle, however, a previous game was much slower than usual. The Bulldogs will seek to avenge the 56-37 whipping administered by the visitors.

With no mathematical chance to obtain the conference title, the Canine basketballers probably will assume the role of "kiant killers" in this and following games. Of course, McPherson is always striving to defeat the Coyotes and rivalry again is at a high pitch.

Wednesday night will mark the final home appearance of the Bulldogs until late this month.

Coming Court Contests

- February Wednesday, 8—Kansas Wesleyan here.
- Friday, 10—Ottawa, there.
- Saturday, 11—College of Emporia, there.
- Wednesday, 22—Baker, there.
- Thursday, 23—St. Benedict, there.
- Saturday, 25—C. of E. here.
- March Wednesday, 1—Bethany, there.

Student Leaders

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plays. Of the 193 experienced in giving plays 147 would like to be in plays; 102 in skits; and 103 in stunts.

No wonder McPherson debate teams have something, with forty-four debaters to pick from. Four less than the number who can debate are interested in oratory and seventeen more than those interested in oratory can do extemporaneous speaking. There are forty-three students who can give impersonations.

Organizations should take advantage of this questionnaire and find out what students want to participate in plays, debates, orations, impersonations, and readings.

In the social group 126 students like to plan parties, thirty-eight like to plan teas, and eighty-five like to plan programs. There are 124 different people who would serve on entertainment committees, eighty-seven on refreshment committees, and fifty-one would serve on the clean-up committee. This division should certainly prove helpful to find students who are willing to serve on the various committees. Out of the 235 the large number of fifty-one will help clean up after parties. Why not make use of those willing students? Does any one need a director of games or a master of ceremonies?

The music division survey shows that Macoolge must have many musicians. There are ninety-three students who sing; of this group twenty-five sing special numbers, and twenty lead singing.

There are ninety-eight students who play some musical instrument. The largest number, fifty six, play the piano. Clarinet and saxophone are with eight leaders; trumpet players number six; violas number five with baritone players close behind with four. There are only two cornet and harmonica players. There is only one student for each of the following: bass horn, drum, guitar, reed organ, alto horn, viola, and saxophone. This group should furnish some special music in programs.

Under the miscellaneous grouping, seventy-five students would like to do or report for "The Spectator". The school should be able to find plenty of people to write for the paper from this large group.

There should be no trouble in

Time Out For Scoops—

With a few exceptions, most of the Bulldog cage squad members returned for the second semester. After hurdling the scholastic barriers, the basketballers apparently were ready for action. A new lad, Roy Miller, is reporting for practice. He is a brother of "Anna" Miller, former tennis star. Roy played two years in Waterloo High school, carrying letters as a member of the squad. Another Roy, Robertson, was forced to discontinue basketball practice, because of ankle injuries. He is now directing the reserve team.

McPherson's "swing system" has been the subject of severe punning by various scribes of the press throughout the western section of the Kansas conference. Hethel stated the last style was a mere waltz compared to the fire department attack. Bethany they derided the "swing system" looked in allow the Swedes plenty of freedom. Kansas Wesleyan, recalling its decisive victory, was thankful the s. a. was not in good form when it clashed with the fire department. Perhaps they will sing a different tune near the end of this month.

Notice to Kansas Wesleyan sports followers: Coyote hunting is an extremely popular pastime here and the wild pods may receive a terrific skanking when the cage Coyotes invade the Bulldog domain. McPherson hasn't forgotten that previous defeat.

Lifted eyebrow item: Lowell High school, San Francisco, authorities were discovered guilty of luring respective athletes with ice cream cones, trolleys, etc. At the same time, some of the Kansas conference schools could be accused of high-powered "stuck-shaking," "bush-

hiding cheer leaders for next year. Twenty-nine students expressed their desire to be cheer leaders.

Maybe the Quadrangle staff could find helpers to do some work in photography out of a group of eighty-six who would like to do that kind of work.

And the same people should not have to make all the posters. There are sixty-two who can and are willing to make posters.

The sixth and last division of the questionnaire was called formula. It seeks Macoolge does not have enough formal parties for 153 expressed the desire to have more formal parties. There were 260 who said they would attend if invited to a small formal party and 165 would be willing to pay to have more formal affairs.

World Service Uses Organ For Meditation

The World Service Commission of the S. C. M. is making plans for a Quiet Hour, to be held each afternoon some place on the campus, probably in the chapel. The commission released an organ last week which will be used for the Quiet Hour. The time and place will be announced later. The time will probably be around five o'clock.

Buy, Beg, Borrow, or Steal

A knock was heard at the back door of the college farm. Supposing it was just another tramp wanting something to eat, the housekeeper answered the knock only to find two college students representing a group of plinkers who had forgotten to bring any matches with them. "Can we buy, beg, borrow, or steal any matches?" queried Donna J. Johnson and M. G. Hoover. "They were well supplied."

\$6,250 Given To McPherson College

McPherson college believes in Santa Claus. For it received as outright gifts during the Christmas season monies amounting to \$6,250.

The largest gift was a \$5,000 grant designated for the endowment fund of the college.

The first step toward the new boys' dormitory which is soon to be erected was made when \$250 was given. The grant was stipulated for that purpose and is the first actual

combining," or other questionable tactics. There is a difference between work-aud to athletes and outright scholarships, something.

Hatfields and McCoys, those famous bloodily feudists, have taken their conflicts to the basketball court, where they start shooting (basket) each Friday night. Next Wednesday night the Coyotes and Bulldogs will tangle on the Convention Hall court in an old-fashioned rough and tumble feud that will put the movie versions to shame.

It has been discovered that Ernest Monroe Ireland is a teacher of art. Perhaps his favorite subject for a portrait is Ernest Ireland. He should participate in a real head-and-shoulders Pat Maloney is becoming a local favorite in the ring. However, both Irishmen were present at a recent light card, the Swedish variety as a spectator.

Winners of recent games are indicated in the following list by capital letters: ST. BENEDICTS-Port Hays State, BETHANY-Bethel, C. of E. Bethel, OTTAWA-C. of E.

Tonight will be a busy one on the conference front with Baker at College of Emporia on the way home and Ottawa at Bethany. Ottawa met Kansas Wesleyan last night at Emporia.

Next week C. of E. will face Bethel at Newton on Monday night. Bethel will invade Baker on Wednesday, then Kansas Wesleyan will engage in a neighbor struggle with Bethany next Friday.

The Kansas conference race rounded off the half-way mark this week and McPherson is expected to spend the remainder of the season in cut-throat competition to upset the leaders.

Two other gifts of \$500 each were received for improvements and expansion.

'With Malice Toward Some' Is Reviewed By Critic

The reason for the rapid sales of "With Malice Toward Some" by Margaret Halsey, is shown in a review by Thomas Scurie in New York Herald Tribune Books of August 21, 1938.

Mr. Scurie says, "Like a stick of dynamite in appearance, it purports to be the diary of a lady whose husband arranged an exchange professorship with an English college at Exeter. . . This demure lady, possessed of a superlative sense of humor and lacking acid at every pore, carefully worked at an etching of England that will cause a war between the two English-speaking nations if it gets into the right hands. . ."

"It has a distinctly American sense of humor, depending for its effects upon Gargantuan exaggeration, whimsical personifications, and the sudden imposition of the real upon the unreal. It is all contained in figures of speech—figures of speech that whip up precise and wonderfully ludicrous images. . . the professor's wife doesn't miss a single one of the obvious Largets. . ."

"There are some who will swear that no travel book since 'A Sentimental Journey' tops the Professor's wife's diary for humor. There are others who will project a clammy stare and say, 'I didn't think it was so funny.' It's that sort of thing—likely to break up long friendships and provoke such remarks as, 'Why did I have to marry some one with no sense of humor?' The book has boundless possibilities for trouble making. It is like a typical Halsey sentence: innocent and conventional in its exterior, but mixed with an adverbial phrase which detonates at just the right moment. Some readers will react properly, bursting into laughter as each sentence explodes. Others will not, even when they read, 'I had had no experience of smelling salts, and coming from the shop into the street again, I uncorked the bottle, held it firmly under my nose and drew a breath so deep as to almost suck in several little boys who were standing by.'—Condensed by G. Henry Dosenbrock.

Bulldogs Extend Losing Streak

Bethany, Emporia State Bethel Are Victorious.

Misfortune trailed the Bulldog basketballers last week as they dropped three contests to Bethany, Emporia State, and Bethel in rapid succession. Lack of practice during semester exams contributed to the McPherson defeat.

On Saturday, January 23, the swing-seat men were another 40-23 by the Bethany Swedes in the usual rough, ragged affair. Neberg and Peterson led the visitor's scoring while Holmes again paced the local outfit.

Then Emporia State, one of the state's strongest teams, easily trounced the Bulldogs 47-21 as they led the way throughout the encounter. Snow and Emrich were outstanding for the Hornets and Holmes carried the scoring burden for McPherson. Bethel's Graymaroons defeated the Canines under wraps 38-23 in another conference contest. Hoff, Wansmaker, and Holmes were the respective high scorers. The Bethelites staged off a brief McPherson rally to force the Bulldogs to remain in the cellar.

The "B" squad also was off form as it lost to the reserve teams of Bethany and Bethel.

Cagers Lose Mascot

"Where, oh where, has our little dog gone? Where, oh where, can he be?" Thus chanted the Bulldog cagers after consecutive defeats this season.

Coach "Buck" Astle revealed that his pet canine, "Scrappy", had died early in the basketball season. With the loss of their mascot, the swing-seat men believe they are able to explain the ill-luck which pursued them.

Robertson Injured, Now Directs Reserve Squad

Suffering from ankle injuries, Roy Robertson, a former regular forward, was forced to discontinue basketball practice this week and probably will see no more action this season.

While on the sidelines as far as playing is concerned, Robertson will supervise the Bulldog reserve squad in practice and games. He is a junior this year.

W. A. A. Notes—

The Badminton Club met yesterday and made plans for a social and get together for all the W. A. A. clubs to be held some time within the next two weeks. A later announcement will announce the exact date.

The basketball club are practicing hard every week and are preparing for an interclass tournament to be held in the near future.

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Whistle Finds Badminton Players Unprepared In Stages of Undress

Rush, Hurry. Grab!—that's almost all that happens in the shower rooms when the twelve o'clock whistle is about to blow and the appearance of certain badminton players is not quite presentable yet.

Vera and Vera Flory have a hectic time; they are continually getting each other's property. Marjorie Anderson in a last scurry through her et cetera declares she can't find her comb so she'll just let it go. Mildred Miller and Muriel Keagle likewise bustle about in a

frantic effort to reach the dorm before the dinner bell rings. Francis Urquh wants to hurry faster than cruel fate decides to let her—a shoe string pops in two. Irene Haughton says, "Throw me a towel; I just must get out there in time to get a ride down town." In that respect Keith Pierce and Bill Thompson are more fortunate—lunch isn't served until they get there, and they have a car to help them get there when it is served.

You're A Big Shot When—

- You can wear your hat at a one-side-till.
- You can be "went-with" in college.
- You can sleep not at all at night but always in class.
- You have a girl that will accept every date you ask for.
- You can make an "A" in chemistry.
- You can get private conferences with President Schwalm.
- You can win a popularity election.
- You can win a smile from Miss Forsay after offending library rules.
- You can get by Bright's classes without studying.
- You receive candy or flowers from "film".
- You are late and no one notices.
- You can date your best friend's girl.
- You know all the latest "hits".
- You can read the gossip column.
- You can wear kerchief on your head.

Kin of Profs Found In School

Many students of McPherson College felt right at home when they came to school because they could claim relationship with one of the professors.

There are three who are related to Professor S. M. Dell. They are Bob Francis and Idillya Francis, who are cousins, and Rawona Francis, a niece. Mr. R. E. Mohler besides having a daughter, Elizabeth, in college, has two second cousins, Elizabeth and Margaret Waggoner. Allen Boyce, a freshman, is a niece to Mrs. Alice Martin. Alice comes from Carlton, Kansas. Harold and Ramona must watch

their step. In case somebody doesn't know it, they are son and daughter of Professor J. H. Fries. That must be the reason why Harold is called "Froy".

Betty Schwalm, a senior at the Arts School, is a student in the Fine Arts department. Betty is the only child of Dr. and Mrs. V. P. Schwalm.

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