

# Youth Conference To Begin Thursday



MacCollege will play host to about 200 young people who will be attending the annual Western Region Youth Conference of the Church of the Brethren Thursday, 5:10 p. m., Feb. 28 through Sunday, 1:00 p. m., March 2.

The theme of the conference will be "Grounds for Growth."

Guy West, pastor of the Uniontown, Pa., Church of the Brethren, camp leader and youth advisor will be the principal speaker at the conference.

Rev. West will use the theme of the conference as his topic in a speech set for 5:30 a. m. Saturday. Also, Mr. West will address the conference at the Saturday night banquet on the topic, "How Big Is Your World?"

Another guest speaker and discussion leader is Ed Crill, national youth director of the Church of the Brethren. Ed took Don Snyder's place and has his office in the publishing house at Elgin, Ill.

Glenn Swinger, pastor of the Cabool, Mo., Church of the Brethren and the Western Region youth advisor, will also lead in discussion and with Ed Crill will lead the advisors in the sectional meetings.

Floyd Dantz, pastor of the Kansas City, Mo., Church of the Brethren, Dick Wareham, and Roy McAuley, professors at MacCollege, will lead the local youth leaders in sectional discussions.

Virginia Royer, Western Region youth director, and Berwyn Oltman, Mac student, will direct the district youth officer's discussions.

A former Brethren Service worker in Europe, Dean Nehrer, will show pictures and talk in a Friday and Saturday interest group.

Other interest groups and leaders will be: Camp Planning, Guy West; Recreation, Virginia Royer and Elsie Marie Kindley; Crafts, Gerald Neher and Glendon Butson; and Worship, Dick Wareham, physical education director at Mac.

The Western Regional Youth Cabinet is sponsoring the conference. Berwyn Oltman, Mac student, from Enders, Neb., is the president and Pat Patterson Royer, Mac student from Cando, N. Dak., is secretary-treasurer.

Three other Mac students serve on the cabinet. They are: Lorene Clark, Mayfield, Kans., editor; Carole Huffman, St. Joseph, Mo., director of social education and peace; and Jake Sheaffer, Adel, Ia., director of social action and material goods.

Glenn Swinger, Cabool, Mo., is the adult advisor. Jake Sheaffer, will be the Thursday Chairman. The other chairmen for the various days will be: Friday, Carole Huffman; Saturday, Berwyn Oltman; and Sunday, Carole Huffman.

Carole Huffman will head a committee on reception. This committee will be in charge of registration at 7 p. m. Thursday.

Following registration and a social hour in the gymnasium at 7:30 p. m., Dr. D. W. Bittinger, president of MacCollege, will welcome the guests to Macampus.

Friday at 4:30 p. m. the group will tour the college. The reception committee will be in charge of this tour with the aid of Jack Kough, director of public relations.

Climaxing Saturday's events will be the installation of the new Western Region CBYF Cabinet. Ed Crill will lead the group at the Sunday School hour Sunday morning.

The cost of registration will be \$5.00. This includes a banquet ticket and Sunday noon meal.

Two of Friday's features will be a mock trial and a report of the Washington Youth Political Seminar of the Church of the Brethren.

The CBYF will be on trial and the question put up to the jury to decide upon will be, "The CBYF is meeting the needs of the young people."

The judge will be Glenn Swinger, Gerald Neher, Mac student, will be the attorney for the defense and Shirley Alexander, also a Mac student, will be the prosecuting attorney.

The jury session has been set up in hopes that it will point out the strong points and also the weak points of the local CBYF church setup.

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## Students Should Apply For Selective Service Test

According to J. E. Terral, director of the administration, all eligible students who intend to take the Selective Service College Qualification Test in 1952 should file applications at once for the April 24 administration. Selective Service National Headquarters advised today.

An application and a bulletin of information may be obtained at any Selective Service local board. Following instructions in the bulletin, the student should fill out his application immediately and mail it in the special envelope provided. Applications must be postmarked no later than midnight, March 10, 1952. Early filing will be greatly to the student's advantage.

Results will be reported to the student's Selective Service local board of jurisdiction for use in considering his deferment as a student, according to Educational Testing Service, which prepares and administers the College Qualification Test.

## Keim Speaks In Chapel

Richard Keim, MacCollege trustee from Nampa, Idaho, spoke in chapel Feb. 20. He stated that people move in one direction or another at a time but they must choose what their destination will be. He used the illustration of Lot who chose the fertile valley and was later destroyed.

"It is better to fail in a cause that will succeed rather than to succeed in a cause that will fail," he quoted.

## International Observance For Gideons Day

Last Sunday, February 17, an International Gideons Day was observed by all of the churches in McPherson. In the Church of the Brethren, the program was presented by seven delegates from Buhler, Kansas. The members of the Henry Pelton of Denver, Colorado. He is an International Trustee of the Gideons.

The Gideons take their name from the Old Testament story of Gideon. The organization was started by two traveling salesmen in 1899. They now are world wide in scope, with members in 58 countries. Their membership in the United States and Canada is 15,000; however as Mr. Pelton pointed out, they are living in the Book of Acts, not in the Book of Numbers.

The Gideons are an organization of Christian businessmen that are interested in spreading the Gospel. They direct their efforts to distributing Testaments and Bibles. They have given over 12 million Testaments including the Psalms to the armed forces. Over 6 million copies of a special youth Testament have been given to youths in the United States and abroad. Over 3 million Bible have been placed in motels and hotels.

They have also given over 12 million copies of a light-weight Testament that has been ordered for placing in hospitals. The "Wives of the Gideons", an auxiliary organization, has placed over 475 thousand Testaments in the hands of nurses. Twenty thousand Testaments written in Chinese have been given to the Nationalist army. Forty thousand Testaments in Japanese have been ordered for Japan.

The Gideons are carrying out a broad ministry which no single denomination could undertake. Being interdenominational gives them the access to all institutions. They give freely of their time and money. They are the largest buyers of Bibles and Testaments in the world. Scriptures are bought with their own free-will contributions together with the free-will contributions of Christian people of many different churches.

## Lutheran Church Observes World Day of Prayer

World Day of Prayer will be observed on Friday, February 29. In McPherson special services will be held at the Trinity Lutheran Church.

Rev. Stanley Benson of the Covenant Mission Church will bring the morning address at 1:15. The afternoon address at 1:15 will be given by Rev. Peter Dyck of the Eden Neannote Church.

## Hershey Clarifies Draft Law

According to the information received from the Associated College Press, Major General Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, last week issued a statement clarifying the draft law, complete with 1951 amendments, as it pertains to college students. Here, briefly, is how things stand: There will be no more postponements, only deferments. That is, students who get called for induction will be deferred until the end of the academic year. But students in this situation are granted only one deferment—after that they must enter the service.

General Hershey says a student who gets his induction orders should not get panicky. All he has to do is to ask his dean to tell him the local board that he (the student) is doing satisfactory work, and that this work began before he got his induction notice. One thing that should be remembered is that enrollment, acceptance and registration do not count. The important thing is actual attendance at classes.

The classification described above is called I-S. There is also a 2-S classification. This deferment may be renewed each year, thus permitting the student to finish college before "going in." A 1-S deferment, on the other hand, is a "one year" deal.

A 2-S deferment may be obtained. Getting a score of 70 or better on the selective service college qualification test helps a lot. So does being in the upper portion of the class. Draft boards take both these points into account when passing out classifications.

General Hershey says students who meet one or both of these qualifications can appeal to their state appeal board, if they do not get a 2-S rating. Furthermore, I-S deferments may be switched, in some cases, to 2-S at the end of an academic year.

A student may also still enlist as the Army, Navy, and Air Force have agreed not to accept any man for enlistment after he has been called for his pre-induction physical. Most students, says Hershey, completing their academic year in 1952 will have ample opportunity to join the service of their choice.

## Districts Meet; Ziegler Speaks

Rev. Edward Ziegler, director of evangelism in the rural church, was the principal speaker and discussion leader at the joint fellowship meeting of the Southwest District and Northwest Kansas District Brethren ministers and their wives yesterday.

The Secretaries of Ministry of both districts planned with the Executive Secretary to have a day of fellowship and discussion of pertinent questions on evangelism and peace.

The ministers and their wives met on Macampus Thursday, Feb. 21, at 10 a. m. and met in session until 3:45 p. m.

Wilbur Lewallen, pastor of the Quinter church was chairman of the morning sessions, and Harvey Hostetter for the afternoon.

John Dimars, pastor of the Maple Grove Church, Norton, opened the morning session with a short devotional period.

Harry K. Zeller, pastor of the McPherson church, reported on the Washington Political Seminar at 10:10.

Rev. Ziegler spoke on "The Evangelistic Challenge" at 11:05 a. m.

Following lunch in the college cafeteria the group assembled for the afternoon sessions.

W. W. Glab, elder of the Belleville church led in brief devotions. A group discussion on "Strategy for Peace" was led by Rev. Zeller at 1:10 p. m.

Rev. Ziegler led in another group discussion at 2 p. m. "Strategy for Evangelism" was the discussion topic.

Rev. Carl Simmons, pastor of the Prairie View led in the closing devotions at 3:30 p. m.

# Faculty Gives Leap Year Party

It's leap year—and the faculty is giving a party! A "leap year" formal will be held in the gym tomorrow night, Feb. 23, 7:30. With the observance of leap year, things have taken a turn and the girls are asking the fellows, but each may come stag.

## A Cappella Choir Presents Concert

Friday, Feb. 29 is the date of the Annual A Cappella Choir Concert. It will be the College Chapel at 8 p. m. The students, the faculty, and especially all the visitors attending the Regional Youth Conference are urged to attend.

The program will consist of sacred and secular, classic and contemporary music, including some Negro spirituals and some Latin-American music with rhythmic instruments. One of the high spots of the program will be an arrangement by Dyken of a Liszt number, featuring Berwyn Oltman and Marilee Grove at two pianos. Several of the familiar melodies of Sigmund Romberg will be presented in a number entitled "Tribute to Romberg."

The Choir is directed by Prof. Donald Frederick. At present, there are thirty-seven members, 18 of which are ladies, and 19 are men. Twelve members are from Kansas, Iowa, has the second largest number in the choir, with seven from that state. Six are from Missouri, 3 each from Colorado and Oklahoma, 2 from Texas, 2 from Nebraska and one each from Idaho and Ohio.

These are the students who will go on the A Cappella Choir Tour in April. They will leave MacCollege on April 8 and return on April 22.

Their schedule is as follows: April 8, Kansas City, Missouri; April 9, Prairie City, Iowa; April 10, Fernald, Iowa; April 11, Greene, Iowa; April 12, Travel; April 13, a. m., Lewiston, Minnesota; April 17, p. m., Root River, Minnesota; April 14, Fredricksburg, Iowa; April 15, Waterloo, Iowa; April 16, Ivestor, Iowa; April 17, Iowa River, Iowa; April 18, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; April 19, South English, Iowa; April 20, a. m., Ottumwa, Iowa; April 20, p. m., Libertyville, Iowa; April 21, St. Joseph, Missouri; April 22, Holmesville, Nebraska.

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## MacRae Art Is In Library

On display in the library is the art work of the noted Emma Fordyce MacRae. These pictures will remain in the library until Monday, Feb. 25.

The artist is a native of Austria and appeared in Who's Who in 1944. In 1941 she was chosen as one of the ten top women artists.

As stated in the New York Times, Mrs. MacRae's work "testifies to a talent matured and disciplined and rich in reserve. The singleness of her vision becomes a general purpose table, two air hose nozzles and a number of spacers and other miscellaneous items.

In evidence of the fine work that can be turned out of the wood working department, your attention is called to the walnut desk that has been placed in the library. This fine piece of furniture was built by Don Thralls. It is for his sister, he says. Hmmm. I wonder! Professor Dell reports there are many pieces of furniture made for sisters. There seems to be a good supply of sisters in these parts. Or could it be girl friends?

## Livestock Judging Class Goes On Field Trip

Prof. Guy Hayes's Livestock Judging Class went on a field trip Monday, Feb. 18.

The class attended the State Berkshire Show at Hutchinson; visited the Frank McGonigle farm at Nickerson; and visited the WRS Angus Farm at Medora, Kans. Demonstration and judging was done in each place.

Those making the trip were Irvin Porter, Don Thralls, Herb Edmonds, Dee Shank, Glen Nicholson, Eldon Coffman, Bill Frantz, Joe Bukey, Jack Kough and Guy Hayes.

## New Student On Campus Is Joseph Obi

Joseph Obi of Lake Lugos, Nigeria arrived on Macampus at 12:10 Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20. Mr. Obi is coming to MacCollege on an international scholarship, and has been approved by the CANNA, the commission for African Students to North America, and the Sudan Interior Mission.

He has written a booklet entitled "Stocks and Shares."

## Orations To Be Given Sunday Evening

Six MacCollege orators will speak Sunday night in the local alcohol oratorical contest at the Church of the Brethren at 7:30.

Vainupo Alalaima will give an oration entitled "Our Absolute Enemy." "Our Task" is the title of Karl Baldwin's oration. Adalu Carpenter will speak on "Out of the Darkness."

"An American Tragedy" will be given by Ann Carpenter. "1952 Year of Decision" is the topic of Joe Kennedy's oration. John Nettleton will present "A Man of Distinction."

Winner of the contest will represent MacCollege at the state contest at Hays March 5.

## Faculty Entertains Trustees At Dinner

The MacCollege trustees and their wives were the guests of the college faculty and their wives at a dinner Monday evening, Feb. 18 at the McPherson Church of the Brethren.

The Quantity Cookery Class of the college was in charge of the preparing and serving of the meal. Mrs. Hazel Augustburger was the head of the committee on planning and executing the dinner.

Prof. Paul Sollenberger played a violin solo and his wife accompanied him on the piano. Mrs. Wilbur Yoder gave a reading entitled, "A Freshman's Third Day."

Gordon Yoder and Charles Nettleton sang "Excelsior" and Mrs. Milton Hoover accompanied them. This group were on Macampus 14 years ago as students and they sang together as students at MacCollege. Mrs. Hoover also accompanied them at that time.

Mrs. Dick Wareham and Miss Doris Coppock sang "Let There Be Music." Mrs. Donald Frederick accompanied them.

The chairman of the trustees board, W. H. Yoder, introduced the trustees to the faculty and others after which President D. W. Bittinger introduced the faculty to the trustees.

Mrs. Dale Strickler, the only new trustee, a representative of the Alumni Association, was then given a seat on the board.

Dr. Bittinger gave his annual report on "The State of the College." Each person was given a copy of the report.

## Twenty-Four Students Act In Five Plays

Twenty-four students are receiving acting experience in this week's one-act plays. Seventeen of this number are newcomers in college acting.

Four student directors received their first experience at play directing.

Besides the actors and directors, seven students helped in the production work. They were: Glenn Bellak, Eugene Neff, Ted Vance, Frederick Bowers, Karl Baldwin, Lois Rolfs, and John Nettleton.

Prof. Roy E. McAuley, head of the dramatics department, is overall head of the five plays and is director of one.

Approximately 75 people attended the plays on Tuesday night.

Plays to be given tonight are: "The Twelve Pound Look," "Miracle," "The Feast of the Holy Innocents," and "Sisters Under the Skin."

## The program will consist of skits entirely written and dramatized by the faculty. The skits will depict scenes from the observance of leap year from the caveman era up to the present time. Faculty members will assume the roles such as a cavewoman, or a desigining Roman woman.

Doris Coppock is chairman of the party and working with her will be the following committees, as well as the entire faculty:

Program—Arlene Kough, chairman, Coach "Woody," Miss Edna Neher, and Paul Sollenberger.

Refreshments—Betty Byers, chairman, Virginia Royer, Gordon Yoder, and E. S. Herabberger.

Decorations—Guy Hayes, Dick Wareham, Mrs. Glee Yoder, Alvin Williams, and E. S. Herabberger.

This formal party will be similar to the formal party given last year for the students, in which the faculty "really let their hair down."

## Guy West Speaks Religious Emphasis Week

Sunday, March 2 through Friday, March 7 is Religious Emphasis week. Services will be held in the College Church Sunday morning and evening and every evening of the week at 7:30 p. m. There will also be chapel on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

Guest speaker for the meetings is to be Rev. Murray Guy West who is now pastor of the church of the Brethren at Uniontown, Penn.

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## Woodworkers Make Desks For Sisters?

By Maurice Richards Over the weekend Professors Dell and Wilkens went to (censored) College and purchased some much needed equipment. Included are plastic mallots for woodworking, four vices for the farm shop, one steel table, three feet by five feet to be used as a general purpose table, two air hose nozzles and a number of spacers and other miscellaneous items.

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## College Calendar

- Friday 22: Plays.
- Saturday 23: All-school formal party at 7:30 in the gym, sponsored by the faculty.
- Tuesday 26: Baker basketball game at McPherson.
- Monday 3—Thursday 6: Religious emphasis week.
- Friday 7: All-school Indian Party.
- Saturday 8: "M-Club" movie.

# GOD'S Living Letters

Abraham Lincoln had the reputation of being the best story-teller of his day. He was never at a loss for an appropriate anecdote and was always ready with a joke. One reason is found in the fact that by nature he was sad and melancholy, and with him humor was a means of release and relaxation.

Once at the Hotel Astor where the bill of fare was printed in French, Lincoln without hesitation called for a sine qua non of beans and an ipsedixit of pork. Concerning a voluminous paper submitted to him, he said: "It's like the lazy preacher that used to write long sermons, and the explanation was, he got to writin' and was too lazy to stop."

He once told of the preacher who in a sermon asserted that while our Savior was the only perfect man, there is no record of a perfect woman, whereupon he was interrupted, "I know a perfect woman." "Who was she?" asked the minister. "My husband's first wife," came the reply. Lincoln once illustrated a point by reference to a boy who was riding a horse for sale and when asked if the horse had splinters answered: "Well, mister, if it's good for him he has got it, but if it ain't good for him he hasn't."

An experience reminded him of the member of a delegation visiting the state penitentiary who got separated from his party and could not find his way out. Seeing a convict in a cell, he asked the prisoner, "Say! How do you get out of this place?"

The burden of his office sometimes seemed unbearable. "Lincoln felt as though 'history had ordered him to straddle a cyclone and ride it if he could.'" He once told a general: "If to be the head of Hell is as hard as what I have to undergo here, I could find it in my heart to pity Satan himself." When reproached because he told a funny story in a time of serious crisis, the President replied: "If I couldn't tell these stories, I would die."

## The Scout Says You're Well Off

Says the Feb. 1 edition of The Juniatian, official college paper of Juniatia College, Huntingdon, Pa., "The average JC student can usually find a variety of things to complain about."

"But you really are pretty well off. The following gems were gleaned from the 1924-25 edition of The Scout, Juniatia's hand book."

1. Young men and women may associate after lunch until 1:15 p. m., from 4:15 to 6 p. m., and in the designated season after dinner in the Social Rooms until study hours.

2. Women may be permitted to go auto-riding with men in the afternoon with an authorized chaperone, who must be approved by the President or Dean of Women.

3. If you smoke, chew, dance, or play cards, just cease the habit during your stay here—or it may be a short stay.

## Library Buys Fiction With Fines

Fiction was included in the group of recent additions to the college library. Miss Virginia Harris, librarian, stated that these novels were purchased with money collected from fines on overdues. Most additions to the library are purchased with funds from the general college budget.

Miss Harris explained that the college library orders little fiction as the books added are mainly ones recommended by the professors. However, some recreational reading is ordered for the students' enjoyment.

The novels added are by such authors as Louis Bromfield, Sinclair Lewis, Mary Ellen Chase and James Matthew Barrie.

At irregular intervals the college library lists the books which have been added. Fifty-one books, scattered through all ten sections of the Dewey Classification, were on the list compiled Feb. 6.

## Thinking With The President

### Sportsmanship

The students of McPherson College have brought satisfaction to themselves, to the college faculty and administration, and to the city of McPherson by their sportsmanlike conduct at athletic contests this year.

I believe our players have been able to play better because they knew the student body would not embarrass them by unsportsmanlike booing and yelling even though a mistake seemed to be made by the referees in calling the plays.

The cheerleaders are to be commended for the enthusiasm with which they have led the student body. They kept an eye on the sportsmanship of all of us and if we seemed to deviate from noble behavior they undertook to see us right. They deserve our thanks.

In a certain high school this year a new method was tried to lift up the importance of sportsmanship. A large clock was arranged on the wall and between quarters referees and other officials of the game determined what the sportsmanship of the players had been. Thus they listed it as absent, poor, fair, good, excellent, or 100 percent. The hands of the clock were set so the audience could see the estimation of the referees concerning the sportsmanship of the players.

This would have been even more valid if the clock had represented the behavior of the cheering sections of the two schools involved. The officials or some impartial judge could have rated the schools on sportsmanship manifested by the cheering sections.

Intercollegiate athletics can be lots of fun and can have carry over values if we can learn how to play hard-fought games with even emotions. Thus we can learn how to face hard problems later in life and still keep ourselves under control. This is a valuable lesson. McPherson College is to be congratulated upon the sportsmanship of her players and her student body.

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found out whether the CBYF is accomplishing the youth goals of giving each young person a firm foundation in the church and basic beliefs in the area of Christian living.

The Jury in session will act as a stimulus in getting the theme of the conference before the guests. At 11 a. m. the group who went to the Washington Youth Political Seminar of the Church of the Brethren will discuss "What happened in Washington."

Recreational Council will lead in the recreational activities during the conference.

Virginia Royer will be the conference song leader. Many McPherson College students are serving on committees for the Regional Youth Conference. Following are the names of the committees and those persons serving on them:

Snack Committee (Thursday evening) Marilee Grove, chairman, Phyllis Johnson, Donna Sooby, Alberta Ebbert, Kenneth Brown, and Dale Royer.

Lodging Committee Peggy Sargent, chairman, Anita Rogers, Beryl McCann, and Don Thralls.

Banquet Committee, Phyllis Bowman, chairman Hazel Augsburger, Rowan Kelm, Margaret Baile, Phyllis Kingery, Don Richards, and Gerald Neher.

Book Exhibit Committee Esther Mohler, chairman, Shirley Alexander, Ralph Royer, Bob Hamsher, Marlo Oltman, Kathryn Forsyth, and Evelyn Smalley.

Dinner Committee (Sunday noon) Kathryn Larson, chairman, Ina Ditmars, Donna Wagoner, Margaret Daggott, Jerry McConkey, Kenneth Evans, Lyle Neher, and Don Fike.

## Students Go To Conference

Twenty-four Macollege students and faculty members attended the peace conference at Friends University last weekend.

Approximately 100 students and faculty members from 11 colleges and universities in Kansas were present.

Dr. Amiya Chakravarty, from India, and Dr. D. W. Bittinger, president of McPherson College, were featured speakers.

## Dignified But Bald

(ACP)—Sixty freshmen at Princeton university had the haircut problem suddenly solved for them—their heads were shaved by the sophomores.

Read all the Spec advertisements

## Meinen, Barber Will Present Chapel Programs

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Rev. Jesse Barber, Macollege junior, will speak in chapel Feb. 27.

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**Jose Limon  
Appears In Wichita**

Jose Limon and company, with Pauline Koner, will appear at the University of Wichita, Thursday evening, Mar. 12-8:30.

It is being sponsored by the Women's Physical Education Department of the U. of Wichita.

Tickets for the production are \$1, and must be secured in advance.

**Frantz Speaks  
In Chapel**

Earl Frantz, public relations, spoke in chapel Feb. 18 concerning the lighter side of the life in the parsonage. He stated that people come from all over to see the preacher that someone else told them about. "And they know you will be disappointed if they don't stay and use your beds and eat your food." Then there are the people who come in the middle of the night to get married.

Rev. Frantz stated that one day included a golden wedding anniversary, a funeral, wedding and a young people's party.

**ABC Broadcasts  
Strauss' Elektra**

Elektra, with music by Richard Strauss, will be presented by the Metropolitan Opera Company Saturday afternoon, Feb. 23, over the American Broadcasting Company network. Broadcast time is 1 p. m. CST.

Astrid Varnay, soprano from Stockholm, Sweden, will sing the tragic role of Elektra.

The story of the opera is based on the Greek tragedies of the fifth century B. C., which center about the family of Agamemnon, one of the Greek warrior kings in the Trojan war.

Because Elektra's mother, Clytemnestra had been false to her husband, Agamemnon, and had plotted his murder with her paramour, Aegistheus, Elektra swore revenge against Aegistheus. Orestes, the brother of Elektra, assisted her in her plans for revenge.

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**Mikesell Honored  
At Party**

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Yoder entertained at a dinner party Sunday evening, February 17. The party was given in honor of Bob Mikesell, who was celebrating his birthday.

Those attending the dinner were: Ann Carpenter, Chuck Petefish, Adaly Carpenter, Eddie Frantz, Betty Brammell, Bob Kerr, Eliza Kurtz, Curt Leieht.

Others attending were: Ronnie Klemmedson, Bob Mikesell, Glen Nicholson, Lloyd Hummer, Don Richards, Joe Kennedy, Nafes Budeiri, Elinor Stine, LaVon Widgren, Lorene Marshall, Kathy McLeod, and Jo Ann Royer.

**School Buys More Dishes;  
Helps To Relieve Faculty  
From Party Dishwashing**

A new crystal punch bowl and ladle and two large crystal plates have been added to the college's equipment for all-school functions. The Social Committee is in charge of the crystal, silver, china, and glassware for use at socials.

The new punch bowl matches the one which the school has had. It will be used for the first time at the all-school formal Saturday night.

Members of the Women's Council expressed the need for two punch bowls last fall when they were planning the tea for the Big and Little Sisters.

The bowl was purchased with money from the activity fund allocated to the Social Committee by the Student Council.

The Woman's Council is considering purchasing more small glass plates as part of their project again this year.

Members of the faculty pointed out that they have been kept busy washing dishes during the serving at such functions as the faculty reception in fall and the all-school formal in the spring because of the small supply of glass plates.

Members of the Social Committee are Jake Sheaffer, chairman, Peggy Sargent, Ina Dittmar, Elsie Kindley, Glendon Button, Dick Wareham, and Sarah May Vanell.

**Chorus Will Appear  
At Community Building**

McPherson County Home Demonstration Chorus will appear at 2:30 p. m., Sunday, Feb. 24, at the Community Building.

The program will consist of religious and secular numbers by the choir, a reading by Mrs. Loren Matson, and a piano solo by Miss LaFaugn Hubbard, Macollege freshman.

A free will offering will be taken for the expenses of the choir.

**Carpenter, Petefish  
Announce Engagement**

Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Carpenter of Las Vegas, Nev., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann, to Charles Petefish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Petefish of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The engagement was announced to the women of the college on Valentine's Day at the Heart Sister party. No date has been set for the wedding.

After graduation this spring, Chuck will enter the armed services. Ann will graduate following the first semester next year.

**Students Attend  
Iturbi Concert**

Jose Iturbi and his sister, Amparo, presented a duo-piano concert before a packed house in Copvention Hall in Hutchinson Feb. 16. The program included Mozart's Sonata in D Major, The Ritual Fire Dance, and Rapsody in Blue.

Macollege students attending the concert included: Faye Ellen Trostle, Esther Ikenberry, LaFaugn Hubbard, Alberta Ebbert, and Ruth Strieker. The group spent the weekend with Mrs. C. C. Trostle near Niekerson.

**Folkers, Kesler  
Will Wed Sunday**

Miss Yalette Folkers and Mr. Roland Kesler will be united in marriage on Sunday, Feb. 24, 3 p. m. at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church at Wakeeey, Kan.

Miss Folkers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Folkers of Wakeeey, Kan. He attended Macollege last semester. He is a brother of Lera Kesler and Doris Kesler Metzler.

Those from Macollege attending the wedding will be Mr. and Mrs. David Metzler, Lera Kesler, Carl Metzler, Marvin Ferguson, and Prof. Guy Hayes.

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**McPherson B  
Defeats Ottawa**

McPherson B team outscored Ottawa 67-57 last Sat. Night. Ottawa led at the end of the first quarter 15-3, but Mac surged ahead to a 24-21 half time lead. They increased their lead to 45-38 at the end of the third quarter. The final score was 67-57. McPherson B was high scorer for both teams with 17 points.

McPherson B

	FG	FT	FTA	F
Peel	6	2	4	2
Gayer	4	3	3	1
Metsker	3	2	5	2
Ball	6	5	7	2
Sharpe	5	4	6	2
Frantz	1	0	0	5
Totals	25	17	25	14

Ottawa B

	FG	FT	FTA	F
Palmquist	5	2	3	3
Clifton	1	1	1	3
Young	2	0	0	2
Jurenka	4	4	5	1
Chase	6	0	0	3
Hafflick	2	4	5	4
B. Wheaton	1	0	0	3
Clark	0	0	0	1
Storren	1	1	0	0
G. Wheaton	0	0	0	1
Totals	22	13	15	22

**Baker B Team  
Defeats Bulldogs**

McPherson's B team lost to Baker's B team 43-42. McPherson only had 6 players available for the contest because it was a road game. Two of the players fouled out so Mac had to finish the game with four players.

Gayer and Peel were tied for the scoring lead with 13 points apiece.

McPherson B

	FG	FT	FTA	F
Gayer	5	3	4	3
Ball	3	3	3	5
Metsker	0	0	0	3
Sharpe	3	0	0	3
Peel	5	3	6	5
Frantz	0	1	2	3
Totals	16	10	15	22

Baker B

	FG	FT	FTA	F
Braun	2	1	4	3
Hand	5	1	2	0
Morrison	4	4	7	0
Eddy	2	1	1	4
Lewis	4	1	3	5
Mathews	0	0	0	0
Dutt	0	0	0	2
Snow	0	1	1	0
Totals	17	9	18	14

**McPherson Is In  
Second Place**

Kansas Conference Standings

	W	L	TP	OP
Ottawa	9	1	728	589
McPherson	7	3	655	552
Bethany	5	4	544	581
K. W. U.	4	6	674	690
Baker	3	6	574	587
Bethel	3	6	615	616
C. of E.	2	7	565	680

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# Bulldogs Split Eastern Games

## Lose To Ottawa By Tune Of 71-69

An out-scored but never out-fought McPherson team lost its third conference game last Saturday night against Ottawa 71-69. Both teams made the same number of field goals, but Ottawa converted 19 out of 33 free throws, while the Bulldogs made 17 for 23 to give Ottawa their winning margin.

McPherson had three of its players foul out in the hectic final minutes while trying to steal the ball to tie the game. The pace started fast and furious. Giese controlled the opening tipoff, and Ottawa quickly scored on a long shot by Brandon. Loren made a jump shot to even the score. Harrod, of Ottawa, made a lay up, and then "Chief" tied the score when he sank a long shot.

There had been a total of four shots attempted in this first minute of play, and every shot swished the net. The score was tied four times during the first quarter. The quarter ended with Mac leading 17-15.

The second quarter saw Giese make eight points, but Dale Carpenter kept McPherson in the game by personally accounting for seven points. At one time Ottawa scored eight points while the Bulldogs were scoreless. With two minutes left in the half, McPherson missed its first free throw. Previous to that "Woody's" boys had made eight free throws in a row. The score ended at the half in favor of Ottawa 36-33.

Mac quickly tied the score up at the beginning of the third quarter on a hook shot and a free throw by Bill Moore; however Ottawa then found the range and moved out to the greatest lead of the game, nine points, with five minutes left in the quarter. Mac then started to decrease that lead and to try to pull another game from the brink of defeat. The quarter ended with Ottawa still leading 52-49.

In the fourth quarter, first one player and then another tried to put Mac into the lead. Whitley was the first to try it when he made two of his famous shots in the period of a minute. Then "Red Dog" added two baskets only to have to leave the game on fouls. Lastly Bob Bechtel and Wayne Blickenstaff combined to make five baskets, three of which were Bechtel's, to end the scoring and leave Ottawa in the lead 71-69.

Gene Smith played a superb game under both baskets. Time after time he captured rebounds while surrounded by players 8-10 inches taller than he.

Loren Blickenstaff broke a 21 year old school record when he boosted his season's total points to 258. The previous season's high was made in 1928 by Melvin Miller, who scored 292 points in one season. Loren still has 2 games to go to increase his total. Giese of Ottawa was high scorer for both teams with 21 points. Loren Blickenstaff and Bob Bechtel were tied for McPherson's lead with 13 points apiece.

McPherson	FG	FT	FTA	F
L. Blickenstaff	6	1	4	5
Hanagarne	2	1	1	4

Ottawa	FG	FT	FTA	F
Gelse	7	7	12	4
Brandon	7	2	5	4
Simons	4	2	3	3
Meters	3	6	8	1
Harrod	2	1	2	5
Barnes	1	1	1	2
Seymour	0	0	1	0
Lawson	0	0	1	0
Majors	2	0	0	1

Ottawa	FG	FT	FTA	F
Ottawa	26	17	23	31
McPherson	26	19	33	20

## Bulldogs Defeat Friends 100-50

The Bulldogs overwhelmed an outclassed Friend's team Feb. 13, 100-50. All 14 players on "Woody's" team saw action, and 13 of them scored at least one point. Wayne Blickenstaff was unable to play because the doctor thought he might have had appendicitis. The Bulldogs made 52 percent of their shots from the field the first half and 43 percent for the whole game.

Hapner, of Friends, drew first blood in the game with a free throw. Friend's joy was short-lived as Mac made three quick field goals to put them ahead 6-1 and into a lead that they never relinquished. In the first quarter Loren Blickenstaff made four field goals and two free throws to help give McPherson a 23-12 first quarter lead.

McPherson really started to roll in the second quarter. With three minutes gone in the quarter, and the score 32-13 "Woody" put in his "second five". Spearheaded by Carpenter and Bechtel the score quickly changed from 36-15 to 51-15. The quarter ended with the Bulldogs in the lead 51-16.

In the third quarter the same "second five" again went to work on setting a new scoring record for one game. Whitley, the deadly freshman long shot artist, sunk five baskets from a variety of places on the floor. After Bob Bechtel fouled out, with five minutes left in the quarter, Carl Metsker went in at center and

## Lazy 8, Rajahs Still In Lead

Coastal League	W	L
Lazy Eight	7	1
Slow Pokes	5	3
Phys. Ed.	4	4
Vet Jets	5	4
Jo Fo's	4	4
Imps of Satan	3	5
Commons	0	8

Central League	W	L
Rajahs	9	1
College Inn	7	1
Raiders	7	2
Hoosiers	5	5

Buttons Boys	3	5
Leftovers	2	7
Globoppers	2	8
Lucky Strikes	1	7

Coastal League Scores
Thurs. Night:
Lazy Eight 52, Slow Pokes 46
Imps of Satan 37, Jo Fo's 32

Central League Scores
Thurs. Night:
*Hoosiers 2, Lucky Strikes 0
College Inn 32, Raiders 28.

Mon. Night:
Vet Jets 65, Commons 26

Thurs. Night:
*Hoosiers 2, Lucky Strikes 0
College Inn 32, Raiders 28.

## Girls Defeat Bethany 33-20

Macollege girls handed a 33-20 defeat to Bethany girls on the local basketball court last Saturday afternoon.

Marilee Grove led Mac scoring with 18 points, all from field goals. Kathy McLeod was held far below her usual scoring ratio by good blocking. Although she scored only 2 points, she made an excellent show at rebounding.

Phyllis Bowman hit the basket for 6 points. Dolores Sigle added

5, and Ann Powell contributed 2. Guards, Rowena Merkey, Eleanor Louthan, Bertha Landis, Adalu Carpenter, and Rowan Keim, held out well against the taller Bethany forwards. Keim held down Bethany's scoring ace despite a distinct disadvantage in height.

Bob Wilson and Florence Hale officiated the game. Score was kept by Barbara Berry.

Mac girls played the Bethany team again Wednesday afternoon preceding the boy's varsity games. Next regular scheduled game is with Tabor on March 1 on the home court.

To his credit, "Red Dog" was high for McPherson with 15.

McPherson	FG	FT	FTA	F
L. B'nstaff	6	3	6	4
Hanagarne	0	3	4	3
Moore	1	3	3	3
Smith	1	1	2	0
Whitley	7	0	0	2
Carpenter	6	2	3	3
O'Dell	4	0	1	1
Jamison	0	1	1	2
Ball	2	0	1	2
Bechtel	4	3	3	5
Gayer	1	0	0	0
Metsker	4	1	3	6
Peel	5	1	2	0
Frantz	0	0	2	0

Friends	FG	FT	FTA	F
Himebaugh	0	0	2	2
Hapner	0	1	3	5
Bobler	0	0	0	5
Jones	10	3	5	2
Doening	4	6	8	5
Smith	0	1	2	0
Slak	3	4	5	2
Miller	0	0	0	0
Cox	0	1	2	1
Ackerman	0	0	0	1
Wal'meyer	0	0	0	1

Totals 41 18 32 25

## Win From Baker In Overtime

McPherson valiantly fought back from the brink of defeat in the closing minutes of the game to tie the game at the end of the regular period 46 all. Then the Bulldogs swamped Baker to win in an overtime 58-53.

The lead changed hands 4 times in the first quarter. At no time was either team ahead more than two points in that quarter. Sterns started the scoring with a tip in. Loren countered with a long shot.

Steele, for Baker, scored with second left to put Baker ahead until the closing minutes of the game and made the score 14-12 in favor of Baker at the quarter.

Bechtel scored six points in the second quarter, but it wasn't enough to keep Baker from increasing their lead to 27-22 at the half. One of the reasons for this was that Sterns also made 6 points.

With two minutes gone in the third quarter, "Chief" sank a free throw to make the score 31-25. He then added a shot from the side, and Dale Carpenter made one out front to make the score 31-29; however, Baker again increased the lead, and the third quarter ended 36-31.

With seven minutes left in the game, Sterns made a hook shot to give Baker a seven point lead. Then Mac started to roll. Wayne made a shot from the side to cut the lead to five points. Then with four minutes left he made a hook shot making the score 46-43. He added a free throw, and with 10 seconds left, Bechtel connected with a hook to tie the score 46 all. "Chief" scored 7 points in the overtime to win the game for Mac.

The Bulldogs went into the lead with two minutes remaining on a hook by Bechtel. McPherson then started to stall. With 20 seconds left Hanagarne made a lay up, and then with two seconds left he added another lay up to make the final score 58-53.

High scorer for the game was Sterns of Baker with 18 points. Bechtel was high for Mac with fifteen. Three of McPherson's players fouled out in the closing minutes of the regular game.

McPherson	FG	FT	FTA	F
L. Blickenstaff	2	2	6	5
Hanagarne	5	3	3	2
Moore	0	0	1	0
W. Blickenstaff	2	1	1	3



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