

Bulldogs Welcome Returning Alumni

The Spectator

Queen Anita To Begin Reign Over MC's Homecoming Week End

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The activity of Homecoming week end is beginning to buzz this afternoon. The queen, Anita McSpadden, her attendants, Patsy Miller and Rhonda Rossow and the football co-captains, Steve Bersuch and Don Moeller, will appear at 2:15 on the Helen Gard Television show on station KTVH.

Miss McSpadden will be crowned this evening at 6:30 at a banquet in her honor held in the church social rooms. Miss Virginia Bower, a senior chosen to take the place of Eula Mae Murrey, retiring queen, will crown the queen. The decorations and program are being planned by college students.

Regional Conference Brings Guest Leaders To Campus



Edwin T. Dahlberg
National Youth Director
Rev. Edwin T. Dahlberg, pastor of the Delmar Baptist Church of St. Louis Mo., will be the main conference speaker for the Western Regional Conference of the Church of the Brethren, Nov. 12-17, 1955, McPherson, Kans.

Youth Director since 1951. A. Stauffer Curry, newly appointed editor of the Brethren Sunday school publications, is to be one of the leaders of the forthcoming Western Regional Conference. Dr. Curry will speak at the Christian Education Session and the general session following dinner on Tuesday, Nov. 15. Dr. Curry shall also be the featured speaker of the special Wednesday morning chapel. Dr. Curry was born and reared in Pennsylvania and graduated from Elizabethtown College in 1925. Dr. Curry has been a teacher, pastor, college professor, and has performed many duties for the brotherhood. Earlier this year he became the editor of the Christian Education Commission for the Church of the Brethren. Information about Dr. Baughert and his picture were in last week's Spectator. Conference programs are now available in the regional office. Moderator of the conference will be A. Blair Helman, secretary is Don E. Rowe, and the conference director is Glenn Swinger.

College Calendar

Friday, Oct. 28, Queen's Banquet. Friday, Oct. 28, Movie in the chapel, "Calamity Jane." Saturday, Oct. 29, Homecoming. Game with Friends, here, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 30, Arnold Open House, 2:45 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4, Football game with Ottawa, here, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 6, 2-4 p.m., Dotzour Open House. Saturday, Nov. 12, 8-10:30 p.m., Play "Noah." Nov. 12-17, Western Regional Conference.

Mac Organists Join Guild

Several Maccollege students have joined the American Guild of Organists. Subscribing members are Mrs. Carol Fancher, Carol Hintz, Dean Reynolds, Peg Hoefler, and Wanda Swick. Mrs. Fredrick is also a subscribing member. Students of Kansas Wesleyan University and Bethany have also joined the Guild. On Monday evening, Oct. 24, the American Guild of Organists met at First Wesley for dinner meeting. Each member was to bring the pastor and his wife of his home church.

The topic for discussion was "Liturgies of Various Churches." Pastor Lundeen of the Messiah Lutheran Church of Lindsay gave the talk, which was preceded by fifteen minutes of prelude suitable for church services. Mr. Dahlstein was the organist.

Band Elects Oltman Prexy

Band officers elected for this year are Dwight Oltman, president; Richard Carney, vice-president; and Dean Reynolds, secretary-treasurer. They have also decided to have a band council which will elect other officers later on.

Students Find Employment As Assistants To Faculty

Each year, Maccollege uses many of its students as assistants or part-time assistants for the teachers in various departments. This year, Billy Jo Hildreth is Mrs. Una Yoder's part-time assistant in the speech department and also part-time assistant to Gordon Yoder. He helps with the projecting and sound machines. Dwight Blough is a full-time assistant to Kenneth Kinzie of the art department. Barbara Gooden is Miss Della Lehman's full-time assistant in the English department. Dr. Kenneth Echecht of the sociology department has Marlin Gauray for a full-time assistant. Richard Carney is half-time assistant in the mathematics department and George Eisele, full-time. Norris Harms, Don Moeller, and Joe Reeves, half-time assistants in the physics department under Prof. J. L. Bowman. In the biology department, Elwyn Taylor, Don Ullom, and Nancy Keim are all full-time assistants to Dr. John Burkholder. Homer Brunk is using Don Faules as a full-time assistant in the English department. Dr. Wesley DeCoursey has more assistants than anyone else with three full-time assistants—Gary Jones, Galen Stucky, and Ed Wolf; and three part-time assistants—John Lenz, Don Moeller, and Max Roper. They are all working in the chemistry department. Evelyn Jarboe is Prof. Doris Coppock's half-time assistant in the women's physical education department. J. B. industrial arts, Prof. S. M. Dell has Richard Carney and Phil Pulliam as half-time assistants and Darius Miller as a full-time assistant. Neva Shenefelt is Dr. Mary Pea's half-time assistant in the education department and Vera Mohler is her full-time assistant in the education and psychology department. Beverly Barr, Leland Lengle, and Carol Truette are Dr. Ray-

mond Flory's half-time assistants in the history department. Prof. Merlin Frantz has Norma Goering as a full-time assistant in the psychology department. In the music department, Prof. Donald R. Frederick has three full-time assistants—Fritz Wagner, Shirley Hamilton, and Irvin Wagner. Prof. Guy Hayes uses Virginia Russell as a part-time assistant in the speech department. Kenneth Fancher is Dr. Burton Metzler's full-time assistant in philosophy and religion. Miss Edna Neher, Dotzour Hall housemother, has Joyce Flory as a full-time assistant. Donna Davidson and Anita McSpadden are her half-time assistants. Other assistants are Irene Shull for Miss Siek in the home economics department, Bob Wise for Dr. O. A. Olson in the economics department, Joan Ford for Dick Wareham in the religious life department (half-time), and Fritz Pampus, half-time assistant to Alvin Williams in the farm shop department. Besides assistants to Miss Neher and to the teachers, Miss Virginia Harris, librarian, has several girls assisting with the library work. Those who are working in the library are Phyllis Flory, Barbara Gooden, Betty Holderread, Miriam Long, Marian McElwain, Anita McSpadden, Marilyn Metaker, and Glenna Zuck. These students are paid on an hourly basis and not on the same basis as assistants are paid.

At the half-time period during the game. First prize winner receives \$30, second prize \$20, third prize \$10, and 5 honorable mention winners receive \$5 each. The prize money is provided by the Student Council and College Public Relations Department.

Coffee For Teachers
A 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, the first and second year teachers will meet in the SUH for coffee. Mr. Robert Burkholder, principal of the Windom High School, will speak to the group concerning what the superintendent expects of his teachers. A group discussion will be led by Mr. Dick Present, principal of Harper High School. This will concern teacher problems. The group will have a luncheon together in the college cafeteria.

Campus Decorations
On Saturday, the different organizations will be decorating the campus. For some time committees have been busy planning and preparing the decorations. By eleven o'clock the decorations are to be all in place for judging. Prize winners will be announced.

Students Wash Cars
Working from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. the students belonging to SCA or CBVF washed a total of 37 cars at their car washing project to help meet expenses for the Brethren Student Christian Movement Conference at Bridgewater, Va.

Besides washing, the group waxed eight cars, and vacuumed 12. The gross profit of the project was eighty or eighty-five dollars. Both the cabinets of the SCA and of the CBVF express their thanks to those who helped to make the car wash project a success.

Others are Ann Keim, 3; Nancy Keim, 37; Forrest Kruschwitz, 6; Marilyn Metaker, 32; Patsy Miller, 32; Vera Mae Gooden, 10; Beverly Hall, 10; Lucy Reeves, 7; Shirley Rhodes, 10; Neva Shenefelt, 20; Bonnie Smith, 12; and Ed Switzer, 39.

Remaining members and their points are: Galen Siffer, 12; Lois DeLauter, 10; Don Ullom, 11; Bob Vance, 17; Charles Vance, 4; Bob Wise, 26; and Mary Lou Wise, 4. To be eligible for initiation into Alpha Psi Omega, 50 points must have been earned in dramatic production. Fifteen of these points must be acting and ten must be in production.

Norris Harms Becomes Quad Business Manager

Norris Harms, sophomore from Haxton, Colo., was selected by the Student Council as assistant business manager of the Quadrangle. Norris, who is majoring in math and serving as student assistant to Prof. J. L. Bowman, will assist Don Ullom, present quad business manager, advancing to that position himself, next fall. The position of Assistant Business Manager carries with it only a title compensation, but that of Business Manager has a salary of \$80-\$100 determined by the rate of profit or loss of the Quadrangle at the close of the year.

Players To Give Special Matinee

Mrs. Una Yoder has completed arrangements with R. W. Fowling, Superintendent of the City Schools, for a special afternoon performance of the play "Noah." It will be given Friday afternoon, Nov. 11, at 3:45 p.m. for the grade school children in the City Auditorium. Remaining times for being x-rayed are at 1:30-4:30 this afternoon, Friday, and from 10:15 a.m. and 1:30-4:30 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 31. Sharp Hall Bulletin Board contains information on the x-ray unit. It is being urged that all students take advantage of this opportunity

for their luncheon. This gathering will bring together Maccollege lettermen from way back until now.

Second TV Appearance

Sometime Saturday Maccollege will be featured again on television. This time the station will be KTVH. It will be a locker-room interview with the coach.

Alumni Tea

At 3:30 on Saturday afternoon all the Alumni are invited to meet at the Student Union Room for the Alumni Tea. Old grads will be getting together and recalling fond memories of their own college days at McPherson.

Chill Supper

For supper the student body and alumni are invited to attend the chill supper in the church social rooms from 5-7 p.m. The chill supper is being sponsored by the Pep Club.

Homecoming Game

At 7:30 the big event of the weekend, the homecoming game, will be played. The game is against Friends University.

Before the game begins, the queen and her attendants will take their places in front of the stadium. The band members will form a large heart through which the queen and her attendants will pass while the Pep Club form the initials of the attendants' names inside the heart.

Alpha Psi Awards Points To Players

Alpha Psi Omega members met to assign Player's Club points during the past week. Officers of this organization are Leland Lengle, president; Don Goering, vice president; and Irene Shull, secretary-treasurer. Current number of points for members are Sara Coffman, 10; Ruth Davidson, 22; Virginia Bowers, 8; Ruth Eisenbise, 18; Duane Fike, 47; Ben Gooden, 10; Beverly Hall, 10; Billy Joe Hildreth, 10; Peg Hoefler, 51; and Betty Holloway, 3.

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Quartet Begins Tour Next Week

The newly formed College Male Quartet will be going on tour Nov. 6-13. The tour will include all the Nebraska churches except the one at Enders. Those in the quartet are: Dwight Oltman, Leroy Attkitt, Don Simpson, and Darius Miller. Paul Waggoner will accompany the quartet.

Doty Replaces Curry On Nat'l Service Board

LeRoy Doty, Jr., of Glendale, Calif., will begin his duties as the new Executive Secretary of the National Service Board for Religious Objectors on Jan. 1, 1956, according to announcement made by the Board of Directors. Doty will fill the vacancy left by A. Stauffer Curry. Doty, who received his A. B. from McPherson College in 1950, is now a minister in the Church of the Brethren at Glendale, Calif. He graduated from Bethany Biblical Seminary in 1953 and has done some graduate work on an M.A. degree in political science at the University of Chicago. In the summer of 1953 he and his wife toured British Isles and most of Western Europe visiting Brethren Service Centers on-route. The couple have one son, Mark Burton, born January 1 of this year. Doty is now serving on the Board of Administration for the District of Southern California and Arizona in the Church of the Brethren and representing that same district on the standing committee of the '55 Annual Conference.

High School Seniors Give Rendition Of "Jo's Boys"

Members of the McPherson High School senior class proved their play production ability Tuesday and Wednesday of this week as they presented "Jo's Boys," as their senior class play. The performances were given at the McPherson High School auditorium. Mrs. Yoder has stated that the animals and their actions with the others in the cast will make the play appealing to children even though it was written for adults. The main performance will be Saturday evening. JoAnn Silver is assisting Mrs. Yoder.

Other responsibilities involve membership on the Board of Trustees of Colgate-Rochester Divinity School and the Board of Trustees of Shurtleff College. He is also a member of the Board of Directors of the Ministers Life and Casualty Union. Ed Crill, national director of Youth, will be the youth leader at the Regional Conference. He will lead a discussion with youth leaders on Tuesday morning.



A. Stauffer Curry
Pastor of the Delmar Baptist Church of St. Louis, Mo. Some of the college contributions to the conference program will be the giving of the play "Noah" and a musicale presented by all college and church choirs under the direction of Prof. Donald Frederick.

Future Teachers Plan Programs

Miss Ruth Stout, Director of Field Programs in the Kansas State Teachers Association, will be on the campus to speak to the Maccollege FTA on Nov. 17. On Thursday evening, Nov. 3, the Introduction to Education Class is going to Salina to attend one general session of the Kansas State Teachers Association at which Mrs. Billy Davis will speak. Besides the thirty-eight juniors and seniors in this class, the entire FTA voted to attend this session of the conference. Mrs. Davis appeared at the NEA meeting in 1954, and many Maccollege students heard her at Hutchinson a year ago. Her article, "I Was a Hobo Kid," appeared in the Saturday Evening Post. During the October meeting of the FTA, five first-year teachers spoke about their problems and reactions to teaching. Nadene Correll, Mrs. Dwight Blough, and Mrs. George Eisele spoke about elementary schools. Bringing a view of teaching in high school were Ed Frantz and Kenneth Evans. A club discussion of the problems followed the meeting. Joe cream bars were then served in the Dog House. Another program being planned for the future is the showing of the film, "Mike Makes His Mark," which will be used for the December meeting. Richard Carney, president of the Maccollege FTA, has been notified that the McPherson chapter is to appoint a chairman and one member to the state FTA committee on membership and affiliation.



Ed Crill
Editor
Brethren Sunday School Publications
Mr. Crill graduated from Manchester College in 1946. He was the Brethren Service Worker for the Western Region with his office located at McPherson from 1946 to 1948. He has been the National

Church To Hold Reception

This Sunday will be Reformation Sunday. Rev. Harry K. Zeller's sermon topic will be "The Heritage of Power." On Sunday evening, there will be a reception for the thirty-eight new members which have been received into the fellowship of the McPherson Church during the last six months. Refreshments will be served.

Student Ministers Speak... Christ Must Be At Center

By Martin Gauby

As Christians, we have many beliefs. Christianity, however, is more than a group of beliefs or dogmas. Christianity is active faith in Christ. Christianity is belief in a person, Jesus Christ, and it is more than mere belief in Him. It means having Christ as the center of our lives.

Too often the Christian's faith grows dim. Too often one's prayers are meaningless. Prayer can be a form, having no power, or it can be the greatest power on earth.

For prayer to be a great power, Christ must be at the center of our life. Only then will prayer be real. It should be as easy to pray to Christ as to talk to our friends.

When Christ was on earth, He told His disciples that He must go to His Father. He also said that He would send the Holy Spirit, which would work in us a greater work than He had done. To work for Christ is a duty and a great privilege.

We as students sometimes feel our faith weakening and our vision growing dim. This is because we have let Christ get out of the center of our life. We have let our busy schedules crowd Christ out.

It is the most important thing for a student to do, to take time out for daily devotion and worship. Through a strong prayer life and a

Council To Hold Hallowe'en Party

The Red Council met at its regularly scheduled meeting at 8 p. m. Monday, Oct. 24. Members of the council worked on their homecoming decorations. Committee members for the decorations are Glendon Hutson, Mariene Moats, Harriet Grove, and Morris Harms. Apple cider and roasted marshmallows were served to the workers during the evening.

Next Monday evening a Hallowe'en party to which the members are to go dressed as little children is to be held.

Examinations Open To Senior Students

The first Federal-Service Entrance Examination opened today to college seniors and college graduates who want a career in the Federal service. Applicants have until Nov. 18 to file for the first written test to be given Dec. 10 in more than 1,000 localities, including many college campuses.

Philip Young, chairman of the U. S. Civil Service Commission announced.

The new program, unique in Federal history, will be permanent and continuous, with examinations planned periodically as Federal personnel require it. Filing is permissible at any time for any of the subsequent examinations, which will be open to both specialist and non-specialist seniors and graduates. Replaced are approximately 100 college-level examinations given only in specialized fields and infrequently.

Mr. Young emphasized that any senior passing the examination can be hired as soon as he graduates, whether that is in February or in June, provided he has come within reach of agency selection of the list of eligibles. This means his name must be among the top three names on the list. The higher the examination mark, the more quickly the name can be reached for appointment.

All candidates will be given a three-hour written examination on the morning of Dec. 10. Those wishing to try for management internships will take an additional three-hour written test later in the day and will be given a group oral test in March.

The marks made in the two examinations will be tallied separately so that a poor mark in one examination will not lower a high mark made in the other. However, a failing mark in the first examination will eliminate the candidate. Separate lists of eligibles will be made up from those taking only the first examination and from those taking both examinations. General lists, from the first test, should be set up by Feb. 8, 1956, according to present plans. Management-internship lists should be available to Federal agencies by late March.

U. S. Turns To Religion

The resurgence of interest in religion has never been greater than it is today—statistically speaking. Americans in the greatest numbers in history belong to churches and Sunday schools.

For the first time, better than six of every ten Americans in the continental United States are on the church membership rolls. This is exactly 60.3 per cent of the population today, as against 49 per cent in 1940 and a mere 16 per cent a hundred years ago.

At least 213,167 clergymen are in active charge of local churches. Three times greater than membership increases is the rate at which people are contributing to the churches. In Protestant and Orthodox churches alone, contributions totaled \$1,537,132,969, for a per capita average of \$45.35 over the year.

Debaters Prepare For Tournaments

The debate squad is working on the cases for the future debates. The question this year is Resolution: That all non-agricultural industries should guarantee their employees an annual wage.

Some of the debates which are coming up that the squad will participate in are the roundup debate at Bethany College in Lindsborg tomorrow; the novice tournament at Kansas State in Manhattan on Nov. 12; the economy tournament to be held here on Jan. 7.

The league will be March 3-4 at Bethany in Lindsborg, and the province will be at Southwestern University in Winfield. Others that the squad has attended in the past are the tournament at Southwestern on Dec. 9-10 and the tournament at Nebraska University on Feb. 24-25.

Prof. Guy Hayes is coaching the squad this year. Experienced seniors on the squad are Don Ullom, Don Faules, and Robert Burge. Mary Lou Wise and Norris Harms are sophomores coming back this year.

John Schrag is a senior out for the debate for the first time. Rodney Willoughby and James Van Blaricum are first year juniors. Novice sophomores are Dwight Oltman, Garner Berg, Lyall Sherred, Gary Pumberg, Billy Joe Hildreth, Leroy Buskirk, and Roy Stern.

Many freshmen are interested in debate this year. They are Dick Bittinger, Erma Lea Brewer, Jim DeVine, Al Gibbons, Glenna Hawbaker, Larry Hayes, Carl Harris, and Jane Neher.

Quartet Performs For Peaceful Prairie PTA

On Nov. 1, Tuesday evening, the Varsity Male Quartet will participate in the Peaceful Prairie PTA meeting.

Those in the quartet are: Forrest Kruschwitz, Dwight Hough, Leonard Lengel, and Max Farmley.

Directions Lead Down Life's Paths

By Irene Shall

"Walk on the sidewalk" says the sign, or more commonly, "Don't walk on the grass" and that means about the same when one comes right down to it.

"Walk on the sidewalk, stay on the right side of the road, keep to the right on the stairs, one-way street, do not enter," these and many other regulations govern where we walk while other signs determine when we go and when we don't.

"Know where you're going?" Maps of all sizes, kinds and with all types of information guide us from one place to another, providing one can interpret correctly.

Even with signs and printed directions persons seem to have the ability to wander around on the nation's highways and discover themselves lost.

Any type of path may become confusing when it develops a crossroad in its midst. A path through the woods, possibly on an autumn day, has much in store for the nature-lover or anyone on both the main path or one of its branches. One path may offer more, but either will be worthwhile.

A trail through the field, left by an animal or man who claims to be the hunter, not the hunted, may run in circles and then again, it may go more or less straight to its destination.

A road, highway or otherwise, may be a taut ribbon over the plains or a crooked curl around the mountain. Either one is best in its location and we don't mind a longer way across as long as the road takes us to our destination and doesn't drop out of sight somewhere.

Roads, trails, highways, footpaths, or even cowpaths are a part of each person's life. Directions, too, are necessary to find one's way on them whether you find that way by your own experience of trial and error, follow a published map, or follow a native's explanation of down the hollow to the split oak, cross the creek. . . .

It is the patriot's duty to oppose evil within as well as to fight the enemy without.

Democracy must eternally search for the best answer; not merely give everyone his say.

Ponder With The President

Welcome Home!

Each year we who live at the college look forward with eagerness and anticipation to homecoming.

Family reunions are nice. At family reunion time, the children who have grown up and moved away are able to come back and have fellowship with the parents and with the children who still remain in the family.

McPherson's homecoming is something like that. Those who have graduated either in recent years or many years ago are able to return to the college to meet their teachers and to become acquainted with the newer members of the family who are still at the college.

In some cases furthering this acquaintanceship is not hard, for these present members of the college student body are their own children or even their grandchildren.

In other cases, it is a little harder, for the present student body comes from many parts of the country and many parts of the world. It is doubly worthwhile, therefore, to become acquainted with them.

We welcome you back, older members of the family.

McPherson College is our family. We try to live like a family here at the college and to realize that our family ties reach beyond us to envelop the world.

Some of the children of McPherson College are in Africa, Europe, Asia, and elsewhere. Some are located in almost every state of

the United States. Some are full-time Christian workers; many are in teaching; many are in the professions; and some are in farming.

It is good to have representatives of the whole family together even if for only a day.

Welcome home! Enjoy the fellowship with each other. Learn to know some of the new students who are here. Have a good time at the chill supper.

Enjoy the game. Root for McPherson! After the game is over, students and older members alike are welcome for coffee and donuts. Remain to enjoy both the food and the fellowship.

Contest Available To College Women

Mademoiselle's second annual art contest is now under way.

The two winners will interpret the magazine's 1956 college fiction contest and will receive \$500 each for publication of their work.

The closest runners-up will receive honorable mention and will be kept on file for possible future commissions by Mademoiselle. Winners and honorable mentions will be announced in the 1956 August College issue.

If you're a woman in college or art school and submit your entries before your twenty-sixth birthday, you are eligible to compete. Submit enough work to make your submission at least five samples, in any medium: line drawings, oils or water colors, collages, anything.

Mademoiselle will accept photographs of originals, either color transparencies or black and white glossies. Remember, this is not a commercial art contest. Mademoiselle is not looking for fashion illustration or advertising layouts, but for imaginative, original work in whatever medium or style you wish best.

The contest closes March 15, 1956. Judges will be: Aline B. Saarinen, Associate Art Critic of the New York Times; Hans Hofmann painter and teacher; and Bradbury Thompson, Art Director of Mademoiselle. For complete details write: Art Contest, Mademoiselle, 575 Madison Avenue, New York 22, New York.

City Installs New Lighting For College Hill

Students walking back and forth to town from the college have noticed the new street lights which the city of McPherson is installing on Euclid and other streets on College Hill.

Work which began last Friday on College Hill is to be extended over the entire city, and the \$100,000 project will take some 12 months to complete. About 80 percent of the city will have new street lights when the residential program is completed.

About 140 new street lights will be installed in just the College Hill area alone. The street lighting work will require the removal of trees by a crew of the Water and Electric Department which has been specially trained for the work.

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Dog Food

Macampus is buzzing with activity today as students are preparing campus decorations to greet the returning alumni. Most of the students are staying on campus this week end although many took off for distant parts last weekend.

Those going to Iowa were Carmon Heidebrecht and Joyce Ghelley who went to Agency, Iowa. Keith Coffman and Buzz Grove went to their homes in South English, Iowa.

Linda Royer, whose home is in Adel, Iowa, visited there over the weekend.

Donna Berry and Jean Shively went to Donna's home in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Ottumwa is also the home of Mary Alice Smith, who visited her family over the weekend.

David Frazier went to his home in Charles, City, Iowa.

Norman Long, Kay Chaney, Pat Schechter, Pat Miller, Peg Hofer, and Jay Strom went to Worthington, Minnesota.

Karen Allen, JoAnn Silver, and Connie Brooks visited friends and families in Austin, Minn.

Homecoming festivities this weekend should bring many new visitors to the college as students went home last weekend.

A carload will be coming down from Chicago. Those coming with it are Edna Switzer, a sister of Norma Switzer; Kathy and Leon Albert; Esther and Edith Merkey.

Nancy Trostle will be here from Topeka, Kans.

Esther Merkey will be visiting the campus and will stay with Betty Holloway while she is here.

Gary Williams from Elgin, Ill., will also be on the campus for homecoming.

Nadene Correll, who is teaching in Hillsboro, Kans., will attend homecoming festivities.

Coming from Wichita will be LaFaugh Hubbard and from Butler Ruth Strickler. Both are 1953 graduates from McPherson College. LaFaugh is teaching in Wichita.

Joe Roland of Kansas City, Kans., will visit the campus today.

Bernice Marshall, a sister of Norma City, Okla., will visit Carol Kay Albee this weekend. Carol's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Albee, are also of Oklahoma City, will be on the campus this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wise of Nevada, Iowa, will be on the campus visiting Mary Lou and Bob Wise.

Beverly Schechter of Minneapolis, Minn., will visit her sister Pat this week end. Beverly is in nurses training in Minneapolis.

Third floor in Dotzour helped Delaine Larson and Anita McSpadden celebrate their birthdays last week. They helped eat the cake, anyway.

All the freshmen will be glad when tomorrow is over; no more beanies after then. Their spirit must have been broken after the first tug of war and they just couldn't win twice! Everyone showed fine sportsmanship, though, since it was all in fun.

Quartet Attend Alumni Luncheon

On Nov. 4, Friday evening, Dr. D. W. Bittinger, president of MacCollege; Paul Wagoner, alumni secretary; and the Ladies' Quartet will be traveling to Wichita for an Alumni Luncheon at the Wichita Church of the Brethren held during the State Teachers Meeting.

Those who will be singing in the Ladies' Quartet are: Elsie Lucore, Norma Goering, Donna Berry, and Sara Ann Coffman.

Faculty Fems Honor Bride

Mrs. Jan Van Asselt was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by the Faculty Dames Wednesday evening at the president's home.

Faculty Dames is an organization of the wives of members of the faculty and of the local trustees.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. D. W. Bittinger, Mrs. Fern Forney, Mrs. S. M. Dell, Mrs. Harold Beam, Mrs. Paul Soltenberger, Mrs. Alvin Willemis, and Mrs. Homer Brunk.

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Newspapers Come From Colleagues

Various items in these publications which would be of interest to Spectator readers are often reprinted by the staff reporters or editors for local publication. Occasionally these exchange news-sheets provide necessary "filler" for the Spec.

"Campus Times," the LaVerne College paper; "Oak Leaves," Manchester's paper; and publications of the rest of McPherson's sister colleges are found in their respective pigeonholes in the Spec rack.

"Bethel Collegian," "Wesleyan Advance," "Ottawa Campus" are among those issued by colleges in the Kansas conference. These papers may be read by students who will locate their specific cubbyhole.

Students who are interested in reading these newspapers are welcome to find their way to the very top of Sharp where the Spec office is located and browse among the issues available.

Whether the interest is in reading of other Brethren college students whose acquaintance was made at a church-related activity, in keeping up with the activities of college life on the campus from which a transfer was made, or in following the activities of a friend at another college, the Spec news-rack provides this opportunity.

Only the most recent issues are kept in the pigeonholes; the older issues are permanently filed in the circular file upon the arrival of a later edition.

Publications from K-State and KU are the ones with the most rapid turnover because they are published daily in contrast to the weekly or even bi-monthly.

Following is a complete list of the exchange newspapers on file in the Spectator display rack:

The B. C. Bee; Bridgewater, Va.; "Baker Orange"; "Bethany Messenger"; "Bethel Collegian"; "Bulletin," KSTC, Emporia; "LaVerne College Campus Times"; "Collegio Pittsburg"; "Daily Kansan," K.U.; "Etwahin," Elizabeth-town, Pa.

"Wesleyan Advance," Kansas Wesleyan; "Hesson College Journal"; "Sunatian," Juniata, Pa.; "York College Sandhurst"; "Kansas State Collegian"; "McPherson High Life"; "The Midland"; "Oak Leaves," Manchester, Ind.; "Ottawa Campus"; "Sterling Star"; "The Rosarian, Rosary College; "The Independent Student"; "Nampa Grow"; "Windfield Oracle"; Chase High School's "Kat's Fort Hays Kansas State College; "University Life," Wichita and "Taber College View."

Keim, Eschelmans Visit

Mrs. Stanley Keim, of Nampa, Idaho, was on Macampus this week visiting her daughter, Anne. She arrived Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Eschelman, also of Nampa, Idaho.

Mrs. Keim left Thursday morning to return home.

Robert Dean Courtney

Dean and Peggy (Corn) Courtney are the parents of a son, Robert Dean, born at 6 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 22, 1955. Little Robert weighed 7 pounds and 13 ounces.

Dean is aboard the USS Boxer near Japan and Peggy and the baby are in Independence, Kans., with her parents, Peggy was a junior at MacCollege last year.

Aunt Jeanine, Peggy's sister, is a junior at MacCollege this year.

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Up In The Morning

Jangling alarm bells start the day, waking the dead and the half-dead and causing an abrupt ending to that early morning dream. Jazabelle whistles the time schedule throughout the rest of the day as she calls students and professors to their classroom tasks.

Watches slowly tick the moments away during the long lecture or practice hour while the electric mechanism in Dotzour Lounge goes rapidly on its merry way right up to and past the curfew hour.

Two hands say "Hello" to each other every sixty minutes as they play their merry-go-round game. Often there is a half-brother who tags the other two all over the place for nurses, and others who need super-accurate minutes.

All equipped with a bell of its own is the "timer." He is a helpful little fellow to today's culinary artists who need reminding that such and such a food product is ready for the next step (and let's hope that step is eating).

Of course there are certain clocks which have become famous the world over such as "Big Ben," McPherson has its town clock just as other metropolitan areas do. This one peals out the hours and night, letting the time be known by night owls and day birds alike.

Located in the heart of the business area and quite some distance from college hill, it still makes itself heard by the watchful student during the quiet hours of the night. Whether he has insomnia or a tickle the seconds off in the morning, the town clock lets the bells toll off the minutes until slumber claims his hearing or the confusion of the daylight hours drowns out its message.

MacCollege Host For Sports Day

Sports Day which was Oct. 22 was regarded as a success by about 60 girls from different colleges. The colleges represented were: Taber College; Hillsboro; Marymount College; Salina; Friends University, Wichita; the College of Emporia, Emporia; and Kansas Wesleyan University, Salina.

Games that were played were ping pong, shuffleboard, tennis, volleyball, and basketball. Ping pong, shuffleboard, and tennis were set up on individual single elimination tournaments. For volleyball and basketball, the girls were assigned to four different mixed teams.

At the noon meal, Irvin Wagoner accompanied by Marilyn Bell presented his spoons and trombone act. It really went over "Big" with the girls.

Skits, musical numbers, and stunts were presented during fun time. The game "Bear hunt" was also played.

Colleges Solicit In Topeka

President D. W. Bittinger has been helping to solicit funds again for Kansas church related colleges. Topeka was the city canvassed this week.

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These fellowships are awarded to citizens of the United States on the basis of ability. They are offered in the mathematical, physical, medical, biological, engineering, and other sciences including anthropology, psychology (other than clinical), geography, and certain interdisciplinary fields.

Fields of convergence between the natural and social sciences are included this year for the first time.

Graduate fellowships are available to those who are studying for either masters' or doctoral degrees at the first year, intermediate or terminal year levels. College seniors who expect to receive a baccalaureate degree during the 1955-1956 academic year are also eligible to apply.

Postdoctoral fellowships will be awarded to individuals who, as of the beginning of their fellowships, have earned a doctoral degree in one of the fields listed above and have had research training and experience equivalent to that represented by such a degree.

In addition, holders of the M.D., D.D.S., or D.V.M. degree, who wish to obtain further training for a career in research, are eligible provided that can present an acceptable plan of study and research.

All applicants for graduate (pre-doctoral) awards will be required to take an examination designed to test scientific aptitude and achievement. This examination, administered by the Educational Testing Service, will be given on January 21, 1956, at designated centers throughout the United States and certain foreign countries.

Selection of graduate Fellows will be based on examination scores, academic records and recommendations regarding each candidate's abilities.

Evaluation of each candidate's qualifications will be made by panels of scientists chosen by the National Academy of Sciences-National Research Council. Final selection of Fellows will be made by the National Science Foundation. Fellowship awards will be announced on March 15, 1956.

The annual stipends for graduate Fellows are \$1400 for the first year, \$1600 for the intermediate year, and \$1800 for the terminal year. The annual stipend for post-doctoral fellows is \$2000.

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McPherson Students Fly To Earn Air Pilot License

"Up in the air" has become the phrase for a course of study being taken by four McPherson College students. Dwight Blough, Arlene Merkey, Galen Stucky and Eldon Akers are all flying students.

Dwight Blough, senior from Denmore, Kans., started learning to fly during the last part of July this summer. Galen Stucky, who hails from town and is the only junior in the group, began navigating in the blue near the beginning of this school year.

Eldon Akers, freshman from Conway, Kans., is also a freshman member of the Mac flying quartet having taken his first instruction this week.

Flying instruction is given by Keith Greenwood at the McPherson Airport. Cost is \$2.50 per hour for instruction in addition to the \$5 an hour plane rental. Dwight reports that such charges are economical in comparison to most flying schools.

Weather Louises Plans Flying is sandwiched into the schedules of the four whenever possible. "The best laid plans of mice, men, and even of an airplane," so members of the group report. This is usually brought about by weather conditions.

Arlene Merkey sums the effect of Kansas weather on her flying lessons by saying, "I may hope to go tomorrow, but I never know."

Requirements Private flying license requirements are: 15 hours dual instruction, 24 hours solo flying including cross-country flying, minimum 5 hours dual cross country, and minimum 10 hours solo cross country.

A student usually solos after receiving eight to ten hours of dual instruction.

In order to receive his private pilot license one must pass a written exam of 50 questions which is given by the Civil Aeronautics Administration and a flight check by a designated examiner of the state.

Pilot's license is good in all states and in other countries for a given length of time. The license is never renewed except after a physical examination every two years.

A private pilot must have a check ride by an instructor after not flying for 90 days, if he wishes to take part cross country.

The seasoned member of McPherson's air - borne quartet, Dwight Blough, points up a side-light to this business of flying—observing the antics of the beginners.

"It's interesting to watch a student come into an approach for a landing and hop down the runway like a kangaroo. This type is termed a stick-happy student."

All of MacCollege's flyers agree with Arlene Merkey who, with a traditional "Merk" grin, states, "It's fun!"

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Bulldogs Upset K W, Meet Friends Tomorrow

Bulldogs Prepare To Down Friends

MacCollege Bulldogs, stimulated by their overwhelming victory over the Kansas Wesleyan Coyotes, take on the Friends University Quakers in their annual homecoming gridiron fray tomorrow night, Oct. 29.

The Quakers have a .000 average in the conference play. Coach Ray Morrison's Quakers gave the Bulldogs stiff competition last year by McPherson squeezing by in a 13-6 win.

Friends University has an enrollment of approximately 600 students. However, the football squad has only 39 members. The Quakers have just recently rejoined the Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference and have not as yet placed in the upper half of conference standing.

Friends' own homecoming game was with the Kansas Wesleyan on Oct. 8. The Coyotes took that game 33-7.

Richard Young of the Quakers ripped off several long gains that evening and scored the only Friends' touchdown of the evening on a 13-yard double reverse that went from Daryl Pitts to Paul James to Young. Young bootlegged the ball around his own left end for the score without being touched by a Coyote player. Young will probably start tomorrow.

Among the outstanding senior Friends players is Charles Canfield, a guard from Encinitas, Calif. He is out for his fourth letter. Another letter senior is Leslie Davis from Wichita who has two letters and plays the end post.

Buddy Brixey, a senior from Agra, Okla., is trying for his first Quaker letter by changing from tackle and end to center and is a probable starter.

Garlon Jarnagin, a three-year letterman, plays quarterback and half from Selling, Okla.

Delbert Owens, a 250-lb. six-foot tackle, is out for his third letter this year. He is the most experienced player of the seniors, having played football while in service. His friends call him "scouterbud."

Duane Dunn, a junior from Cimarron, Kans. will probably start as a guard. Marshall Stanton, another junior from Plains, Kans. will also

be in the line as tackle. Maurice Roberts, a sophomore from Fowler, Texas, will start as end.

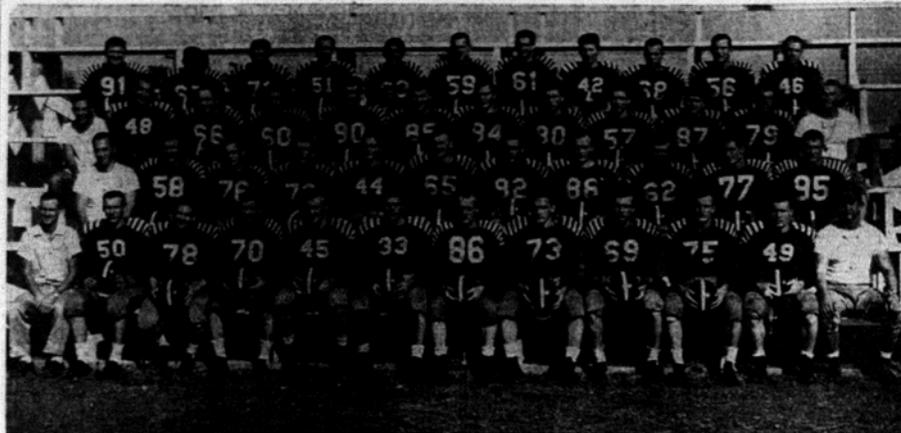
In the backfield lineup will be Paul James, a freshman from Wichita who attended Wichita North. He is 5' 6" and weighs only 158 lbs.

In the game against Baker, Daryl Pitts, senior fullback, picked up 77 yards in eight carries before leaving the game shortly after the beginning of the second half with an injury. He will not be starting in the game tomorrow.

The Quakers mixed in short passes with good ground driving and caught the Wildcats napping several times.

Coach Sid Smith is looking forward to a good battle before an expected large crowd of returning graduates and students.

Coach Smith plans to use the same starting line-up he used last Saturday night so successfully against Kansas Wesleyan.



MacPherson College Bulldogs are looking forward to another win tomorrow night when they play Friends University of Wichita. Players are left to right, top row: John Schrage, Tom Hagland, Ken Stacky, Marvin Keck, Ramon Navarro, George Casebeer, Bob Barker, Rickie Hood, Larry Sams, Ron Wingrove, Rodney Westmorland. Second row are, left to right: Huston Pulford, Ed Sink, Gene Moeller, Charles Blair, Cliff Reeves, Willis Hoch, J. T. Boardman, Don Willis, Don Cotton, Dick Frazier, Marvin Switzer, Coach Sid Smith. Third row from top, left to right are: Trainer Dick Wareham, James Snyder, Vernon Peterfish, Dwayne Jeffries, Sid Smith, Earl Guoit, Jerry McPherson, Bob Wise, Louis Roberts, Ronald Sams, Bill Smith. Back row, left to right are: Roland Wray, manager, Richard Heidebrecht, Bob Bean, Dick McGuire, Martin Sittner, Merle Rolfs, Don Moeller, Steve Bersuch, Galen Stacky, Ed Wolf, Chuck Vance, Assistant Coach George Keim.

Bulldogs Upset Coyotes To Change Conference Lead

MacCollege Bulldogs pulled one of the major upsets of the season last Saturday night by defeating the conference leading Kansas Wesleyan Coyotes 31-12. This gives them a .500 standing in the conference.

Passes were McPherson's greatest asset. Bill Smith drew attention by catching three touchdown passes to lead the parade for McPherson. Merle Rolfs scored one touchdown and Bobby Bean the other. Extra points were made by Ronnie Sams and Ed Wolf.

Wesleyan tried passing but the attempt backfired, since the Coyotes completed only five of the 22 tries. McPherson completed seven of eight attempts for a total of 137 yards.

McPherson made the first score with 4:10 minutes left to play in the first quarter. The Bulldogs took over on their own 45-yard line following a punt and scored in nine plays, even with a 5-yard penalty.

On the first play following McPherson's kickoff, Gerald Schneider raced 71 yards on the return to the McPherson seven before being knocked out of bounds by Bob Wise. Quarterback Bob Harris picked up two yards and then Harris flipped a pass to end Earl Barber for the touchdown with the period. Their attempt at extra point failed, too, tying the score 6-6.

McPherson fumbled the ball on the kickoff and Barber fell on it on the McPherson 25-yard line. The Coyotes were finally stopped on the Bulldog 24-yard line. Bulldogs punted on the first play and Wesleyan took over on the McPherson 36. On the second play Emig raced 36 yards to score and the Coyotes were ahead 12-6.

Although the Bulldogs were trailing, they bounced back with eight minutes to go in the first half after one touchdown run had been called back by an offside penalty. McPherson's drive began on their own 25-yard line. They reached the seven and Bean ran over for

the touchdown and Ronnie Sams carried over for the extra point. Wesleyan lost the ball on fourth down with less than a minute to go in the first half on a pass attempt from their own 35-yard stripe. McPherson took over and Wolf threw a 35-yard touchdown pass to Bill Smith on the first play. The extra point attempt failed.

Two long drives of 86 and 53 yards each netted two more touchdowns for the Bulldogs in the third period. On the 85-yard drive, Wolf passed to Sams, who carried the ball to Wesleyan's 21. Wolf drop kicked the extra down pass from five yards out, then kicked the extra point and the score widened from 26-12.

The final drive started from their own 47-yard line and marched 53 yards to pay off. Another pass from Wolf hit Bill Smith from five yards out from the goal line and the conversion attempt failed with 4:50 minutes remaining to play in the third period to put McPherson into the lead 32-12.

First downs 16 11
Net yards rushing 287 262
Passes completed 7 5
Yards gained passing 137 26
Passes intercepted by 2 6
Times punting 4 5
Average punt 22 34
Penalties 8 1
Yards penalized 60 15
Fumbles lost 2 0
McPherson 6 13 13 0-32
Wesleyan 6 6 0 0-12

Bulldog B's Romp On Quakers

MacCollege 'B' team met Friends University at Wichita on Monday evening, Oct. 24 in a 26-6 victory over the Quakers.

George Casebeer made the run for MacCollege's first touchdown in the game. Another tally came when Tom Ragland circled end for the score.

At half time the score stood 13-6. The Bulldogs came back into the game with determination and made two more touchdowns with freshman Marvin Keck scoring and tackle Bud Wingrove covering a loose ball in the Quaker end zone.

Both of these were followed by gaining the extra points.

The 'B' team will meet the Bethany Swedes on Monday, Oct. 31.

C of E Holds Conference Lead

College of Emporia has been put into the uncontested lead of conference play by the defeat which the Bulldogs handed to the Kansas Wesleyan Coyotes, last Friday

night.

The Presbies will take on their closest challenger for the conference championship this week when they meet the Coyotes at Emporia. Last week's fray resulted in another win in a 45-0 victory over non-conference William Jewell.

Bethel Graymaroons defeated the Friends University Quakers in a 33-19 victory at Wichita on Friday night.

Ottawa played a non-conference game with the Panhandle A & M College of Texas, winning 27-20, at Goodwell, Okla., last Saturday night.

play Ottawa at Ottawa. Bethany was defeated by Baker 14-13 last weekend. On Saturday night, Baker will meet Bethel at Newton.

Conference standings after last week's plays are:

College of Emporia	4	0	0	1,000
Kansas Wesleyan	4	1	0	850
Baker	3	1	0	750
Bethel	3	2	0	600
McPherson	2	2	0	560
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Moeller	3	2
Butler	2	3
Frazier	1	4
Ragland	1	2
Coffman	1	3
Smith	1	4
Hayes	0	2
Casebeer	0	5
National League:		
Sams	4	0
Colberg	4	1
Ullom	4	1
Jeffries	4	1
Sink	3	2
Mollhagen	3	2
Rolfs	3	2
Sittner	2	3
Eisele	2	3
Jones	1	3
Long	0	3
Brammell	0	3
DeLauter	0	5
Elliott	0	5

In Monday's night action of this week, Ullom's team defeated Long. Dadisman won over Bersuch. Sittner trounced Brammell, and Moeller topped Pulliam.

On Tuesday evening, Jeffries defeated Eisele. Rolfs won over Sink. Though overcame Hayes, and Casebeer won over Coffman.

Football Schedule
Friday, Nov. 4, Ottawa University at McPherson, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Nov. 11, Bethany College at Lindsborg, 8 p.m.

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