

THE Alumni Magazine

McPherson College

LET US HAVE FAITH

These are times that try men's souls. Many of our alumni are facing difficult things. Some have had severe salary cuts. Some have been unemployed, not knowing how to spend their time; while their school debt goes unpaid and interest accumulates. Still others have lost what savings they had laid aside. Meanwhile the plot deepens and confusion increases.

This condition presents a new kind of test to us Americans. It is not a test of ability to achieve. It is a test of our ability to wait, a test of faith, of resourcefulness, of our ability to find satisfaction in life without a salary drawing job. It is a test of our ability to use leisure time without deterioration.

Let us hope that your college training has in some measure helped you with resources of inner strength for these hardships, and that the values upheld at college may now be proving worthwhile to you. In the meantime, we hope for all of you an opportunity to work, and offer you any service the college can possibly render in finding for you such opportunity.

—Dr. V. F. Schwalm.

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INSURANCE ENDOWMENT IS UNDERWAY BY M. C. ALUMNI

Five Point Plan Inaugurated by Association—Rapid Progress Underway

Those who have not had the opportunity to keep in close touch with all the activities of the Alumni Association the past few months, will be interested to learn that the Association is sponsoring an endowment plan, whereby you may make a substantial gift to the College without impairing your own estate. The plan which was adopted last fall by the Alumni Board and approved by the Board of Trustees of the College, provides (1) For an immediate and continuous income to the College, (2) Creates a permanent endowment for the College from each unit subscribed for, (3) Permits annual deposits over a ten year period in units suitable to each individual, (4) Guarantees the return of all deposits to you at retirement age, or to your estate in event of death, (5) Provides for an endowment fund to be issued to you for the total amount to be deposited over the ten year period, which is underwritten and guaranteed by an old line legal-reserve life-insurance company. It is impossible for you to put in more than you get back. What could be finer than for each alumnus to set aside an amount each year for your own old age and at the same time provide a gift of five hundred dollars or more for old M. C.?

Many alumni have responded where the plan has been presented, and many more have indicated their desire, by mail, to have a part in it. The senior class of '33 has voted to adopt the plan as a Class Memorial, each member to share in it as a class project. It is intended that this plan will be a perpetual enterprise of the Association, and just as soon as convenient an honor roll will be started and kept up to date in order that you may be informed as to the progress being made. Write for detail information.

WHO'S WHO IN ALUMNI

The purpose of "Who's Who" is to give recognition to alumni of McPherson College who have made good in a large way in their chosen field.

CALENDAR

- April 16—Easter vacation.
 April 21—Booster Banquet.
 April 23—McPherson College Day in all the churches. (We might suggest here that it is up to you alumni to make this day a success).
 April 29—High School Festival and Music Contest.
 May 1—May Fete.
 May 18—All Schools Day.
 May 28—Baccalaureate Sermon.
 June 1—Alumni Banquet, 4:00 P. M. Alumni Business Meeting.
 June 2—15th Annual Commencement. Pres. Farrell of Kansas State College will speak.

"Who's Who" is made up of individuals selected by a popular vote, and each alumnus is asked to send in the name and address of one or more alumnus whom he feels deserves a place in this list. In submitting names be sure and state your reasons for believing that the name should be included in "Who's Who." All names sent in will be considered.

Following is a list of some of the successful alumni who have been suggested.

- Austin, Oliver, A. B., '15, Evangelist, McPherson, Kansas.
 Cline, Foster, Ex. & N., '05, Attorney, Denver, Colorado.
 Craik, E. L., A. B., '10, Professor, Juniata College, Huntington, Pa.
 Crumpecker, Frank, A. B., '06, Missionary, Ping Ting Chow, Shansi, China.
 Forney, Clyde, A. B., '19, City Pastor, South Bend, Ind.
 Gilbert, J. Z., A. B., '01, Los Angeles, Calif.
 Houston, W. C., N., '05, Physician & Surgeon, McPherson, Kansas.
 Jones, Galen, A. B., '18, Agt. Supt. of Schools, Tulsa, Oklahoma.
 McGatey, Edith, A. B., '16, Dean of Women McPherson College, McPherson, Kansas.
 Russell, Jewett, B. S., '11, Prof., Uni. Nebr., Lincoln, Nebr.
 Studenaker, E. M., A. B., '15, Pres., LaVerne College, LaVerne, Cal.
 Thompson, Walter, A. B., '12, Prof., Leland Stanford Uni., Palo Alto, Calif.
 Wetland, A. C., A. B., '05, Former Pres., Bethany Bible Seminary, Chicago, Illinois.

M. C. ALUMNI HEAD GIVES STAND OF ASSOCIATION

Gives Three Aims for 1932-33 School Year—Urges Full Support of Alumni

The Church of the Brethren in Annual Conference at Ottawa, Kansas, in 1897 realized the need of establishing its own college if the great central territory of the United States was to be developed and Christian leaders provided for the Brethren Church. Accordingly the movement was carried into effect and school was opened September 8, 1898. In 1895 the college was thrust into a financial crisis and a financial reorganization was necessary in order that the college might continue to exist and develop Christian men and women for the Church.

Since that time the graduates of McPherson College have been constantly increasing until now over 1500 men and women may be found in practically every state in the Union and in many of the foreign countries. Of this splendid group of alumni, according to the 1929 directory, approximately 142 are home-wives, 360 are school teachers, 200 are in business, 170 are farmers, 85 are specialists, 52 are ministers, 65 are college professors, 50 are doctors, 14 are missionaries, 210 are unaccounted for and 115 are dead. The above classification includes only those students who graduated, so a large group of students who may have attended one, two, or three years and then finished in some other school are not considered. It would be splendid if some method could be set up which would determine the value of this group of alumni to society and to the Brethren Church.

Whether the college has achieved or is achieving as much as was expected at its inception never will be known, but certainly those early Christian pioneers and builders are to be praised and congratulated for their faith in the value of Christian education and their ability to build an institution which would stand the rigors of crop failure, financial panics, educational equipment standards, endowment drives, and building campaigns. For the college to continue as a Christian educational institution depends now, not so much

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MRS. M. W. EMMERT, MATRON, POPULAR WITH STUDENTS

Takes Place of Miss Lora Trostle,
Who Resigned Because
of Ill Health

When the word "Matron" is suggested to any one of several thousand students who have attended M. C. during the past fifteen or twenty years, the name of Miss Lora Trostle is at once suggested, but as you are all aware Miss Trostle is no longer our matron. Her fine fellowship with students, and her helpful attitude was such as to make all who knew her still interested in her.

Matron Trostle resigned three years ago from her duties as matron. Her health was not good, and it seemed best for her to resign. Since her resignation she has enjoyed the fine companionship of her two sisters, Mrs. Huffman, and Grandma Shirk living here on College Hill. She also enjoyed a winter in California with relatives and friends. While in California she became afflicted with asthma. Since that time she has suffered much of the time. Her condition during most of the past four months has been such as to demand the services of a trained nurse. At present she is somewhat improved, but is still very weak. She continues to love her boys and girls of former years. It would do your soul good as well as help her for you

Annual Banquet Committees

Program: John Wall, Lillian Jones, Autumn Lindblom.
Menu: Mrs. H. J. Harnly.
Reception: Mrs. Amanda Fabricek and Miss Edith McGaffey.
Decorations: Helen Jacobs, Julia Jones, Ida Kingsley.
Ticket and Advertising: LeRoy Doty, Leland Lindell, Joe Bowman.
Nominations: Mrs. Ruth Holloway, R. E. Mehler, L. H. Crumpacker.
Beautician: Paul Sargent, Rowena Sargent, Cecile Martin.
Executive Committee: Grace Crumpacker, Lillian Sandy, Dale Strickler.

to write her a good cheery letter. She has made you happy many times in the past, so why not pass it back to her.

As matron today the students are enjoying the wonderful, rare and beautiful guidance of Mrs. M. W. Emmert, formerly of Mount Morris, Ill. Mr. Emmert is a trained nurse, and a woman who has spent almost her entire life in a college community. She understands students as but few people can. She is not only a matron to the students, but to most of them is a wonderful counselor and beautiful guide. To the students she is known not as Matron, but as "Mother Emmert." You will want to meet her and get the inspiration of her smile when you return to your Alma Mater.

CRUMPACKER REUNION

Mary B. Crumpacker, '26, reports that a McPherson College banquet was held at the Calvary Church of the Brethren in Los Angeles on Friday, March 17, 1932. Harry Gilbert, '29, acted as townmaster. The main speaker was Dr. A. C. Ackley, pastor of the Calvary Church. Other speakers were George Boone, '21 and Ray Cullen, '21. Marie Cullen, '23, rendered a solo and Dr. Ackley also played and sang some of his own compositions. A fine crowd attended. The officers for the past year were: David Brahaier, '24, president; Masey B. Crumpacker, secretary; and Ray Cullen, treasurer.

A man who never makes a mistake never does anything.

M. C. ALUMNI MEMBER HEADS COLLEGE VOICE DEPARTMENT

Prof. Alvin C. Voran Received Ad-
vanced Training in Chicago
Schools

September, 1934 is notable in the musical annals of McPherson College. In that month the institution welcomed to its halls a youth tall and awkward but at the same time possessing a musical voice of great capacity and a sound philosophy of life.

This ungainly youth soon acquired the epithet of "Cheesy." An ardent disciple of Orpheus, he soon displayed his ability as a freshman by winning a place on the Varsity Male Quartette, and by retaining this position for the four years of his college course. Membership in the glee club and other musical organizations was his for the asking. But music was not his only extra curricular activity. A prominent member of the Theatopian Club, we find him in the cast of the senior play. His popularity with the members of his class was shown by his election to the office of its president in his junior year. The Student Council chose him for the important office of Editor of the 1935 Quadrangle, and the student body selected him for cheer leader, a position which he filled with great credit and ability.

After his graduation with the class of 1928, "Cheesy" received the more dignified title of Mr. Alvin Voran and went to Chicago to continue his

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MRS. M. W. EMMERT



PROF. ALVIN C. VORAN

MCPHERSON COLLEGE IS A PROGRESSIVE INSTITUTION

Dean Hopley Explains Work of
College Curriculum—
New Plan Used

At the meeting of the board of trustees a few weeks ago one of the new members of the board remarked, "You know, in my school days in another section of the United States, I always looked upon McPherson College as a high quality progressive school." That statement aroused my attention for it was the identical impression which I have always had of the college. Those of you who are alumni know of the quality and vitality of the college from your experiences here. It is my hope that those of us who work here may not only guard jealously this reputation of the college but that we may also extend these fundamentals of the college into the solution of the problems of life in this exciting age in which we live.

As a small college, McPherson is undoubtedly unique in the quality, foresight and undaunted loyalty of her faculty. The faculty has during the year, passed into and approved numerous provisions for enriching and vitalizing the program of the college. Faculties like students seem to give added time, energy, and thought to the real seriousness of education in these recent years of rethinking fundamentals.

Some work has been done on the enrichment of the curriculum. All the departments of the curriculum have been grouped into three divisions. Already greater correlation of departments and better distribution of classes is resulting. Some courses have been revised or dropped, others have been added in an attempt to reduce duplication and at the same time develop balance in the course offering. A department of physical education offering a major has been added. Recently four of the departments have collaborated on a visual education project in which once each week several reels of educational pictures are shown relating to the courses in the co-operating departments. There is a marked desire on the part of the faculty to eliminate in their methods of teaching the "treadmill" aspects characteristic of some of the Herbartian philosophy of education. That education is a cooperative quest on the part of learner and teacher is no longer an

assumption. The conference method and a modified form of individual instruction is being used this year in a half dozen of the small classes in the college.

A prominent clergyman in a recent conversation said, "The more I learn of Jesus the more I am convinced that the only thing that mattered with him was persons." Perhaps nothing matters so much in a Christian College as persons. Through a slowly evolving personnel procedure, McPherson College is trying to make real the "personal contact" sales talk the small colleges have used for decades. Counseling and guiding the student in life experiences, life situations, and other complexities, which often deter the students academic program, is one in which the Christian College must attend. Theoretical assent to the value of human personality followed by practices which contradict the theory cannot be tolerated in the Christian College.

A number of faculty counselors are giving a great amount of time to the enterprise of assisting students outside the classroom. By various techniques an attempt is made to understand why individuals behave as they do. Within the limitations of time and ability these counselors in turn try to apply the findings of science and religion in aiding the student solve his problems. Some notable results have accrued. Space and the confidential nature of the data forbid reporting an outcome secured by a faculty member during the past week which result alone easily makes him worth his salary for the entire year. We are hopeful that we may work toward the Christian ideal in our student program, and that we may relegate to paganism all rough, harsh, crude unchristian methods of dealing with students. Understanding, sympathy, courage, and a program of procedure based on facts may assist the student in finding his way through vicissitudes of life. The college counselors are committed to a program of respect for persons.

Only one or two areas in the college program have been elaborated. There are many other interesting things on the move. One needs only to mention in addition to the foregoing the enriched social program, renewed emphasis on physical and mental health, a near ninety per cent student participation in intra-mural games and sports, the vigorous oh-

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REGIONAL CONFERENCE IS OUTSTANDING EVENT

Prominent Speakers in Church Take
Part—Large Number in
Attendance

The 1933 Regional Conference opened Sunday morning, Feb. 19th at the College Church with a sermon by Rev. H. F. Richards. Sunday evening Dr. Edward Frantz gave the first of his series of addresses on "The Gospel for Our Times." Monday was left open, with the exception of the address of Dr. Frantz in the evening, for the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the college, but the following days of the week were filled with opportunity for inspiration, information and general spiritual uplift for anyone who wished to attend the meetings.

The leading speakers of the conference were Dr. Edward Frantz, former president of McPherson College, now editor of the Gospel Messenger, and President Otto Winger of Manchester College. Conference on Children's Work, Religious Education Problems, and Ministerial Problems were led respectively by Miss Ruth Shriver, Director of Children's Work; C. E. Davis, Vice-Chairman of the Board of Christian Education, and W. H. Yoder, Treasurer of General Ministerial Board. These speakers were assisted by members of the College faculty and the Fine Arts department furnished music and readings.

The conference this year attracted a large number of men and women, some coming from long distances, and it was generally agreed that the program was one of the strongest and best offered in recent years. Those attending returned home with new enthusiasm and a new vision of the work to be done by the Church of the Brethren in advancing the Kingdom of God.

—Glenn Harris, '30.

ENTERTAINED IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Fayanna Wilson, '17, of Los Angeles recently entertained in luncheon three former M. C. students: Mrs. Floyd Mishler, '16, Mrs. Harry Gilbert, '22, and Mrs. Hazel Salader Whitaker, '16.

Paddle your own canoe and point it up stream, not down.

MY ALMA MATER

Sue Harnly Heaston

I attended McPherson College back in the gay thirties, when department was an item in each student's curriculum, and croquet and walking were our chief diversions—when there were no moving pictures nor automobiles, and the word jazz had not yet been coined—and when women, hesitant but hopeful, began to really touch shoulders with men in college life, in business, and in the professions, and became more and more enthusiastic over the question of equal rights.

But, in all seriousness, McPherson College left a lasting imprint upon my life. Here I formed thought habits and established life standards; here I found my ideals in such individuals as President Arnold, Miss Davidson, and Mrs. Patenstock; here was created for me a fundamental religious belief; here I learned a wee smattering of this, that, and the other, which, even in its limitation, has stood me well in hand ever since; here I formed endearing and life-long friendships; and here I found my husband which was perhaps the kindest turn of all.

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musical education. For four years he was enrolled in the Chicago Conservatory of Music under the instruction of Kippinger, one of the foremost voice teachers of the United States. He was also a member of the Chicago Madrigal Club, an outstanding choral organization, and sang in the Northwestern Choir at the North Shore Festival at Evanston.

Not satisfied with being merely a student, Mr. Voran took part of his spare time to serve as director of the choir in a large Oak Park Presbyterian church, and at the same time was taking courses at the Bethany Biblical Seminary. The facilities of a large city afforded him opportunity to attend numerous musical concerts by notable artists.

Because of his excellent training and achievements in music, it was but natural that he should be called back to his alma mater in 1932 to serve as Professor of Voice. In this

position he has been tactfully winning the support and cooperation of everybody. He teaches the courses in music theory and directs the quartettes and glee clubs. Under his direction the church choir has increased greatly in size and in the quality of its work.

One of the innovations in his department this year has been the organization of the A Capella Choir. After numerous long rehearsals the choir rendered a splendid program in the College Chapel on December 9, Sunday afternoon. February 5, the A Capella Choir and the Male Quartette broadcast a very pleasing program from Abilene. The Choir's first public appearance in McPherson at the City Auditorium on February 8 was greeted by a well filled house which greatly appreciated the excellent music.

At the beginning of the school year Mr. Voran lacked one thing. He had no one to supervise the spending of his salary. He had heard that two can live more cheaply than one, and decided that the depression made even more urgent the necessity for making trial of that bit of economic philosophy. Accordingly he left the oil capital of Kansas at 1:00 A. M. on Christmas day for Chicago. On the following Thursday, in the First Church of the Brethren of that city he was united in marriage to Miss Rosalie Torgler, of New Philadelphia, Ohio.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Voran returned to McPherson and took up their residence in an apartment in the home of Prof. J. Hugh Heckman. Their arrival was made all the more pleasant by the discovery of a kitchen loaded with gifts from the ladies of the college church. A reception by the Faculty at the home of President Schwahn, a surprise party by the A Capella Choir, and a serenade by the student body conveyed to the Vorans the best wishes of the college community.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin V. Crouch, former students, and daughters Sara Ross and Marie Louise of Fairydell, Alberta, Canada, spent the winter months with relatives in Missouri and Kansas.

The difference between one boy and another is not so much in talent as in energy.

MY ALMA MATER

Alberta Yoder, '32.

Again in May, 1932, a group of students of McPherson College were a part of an impressive processional leading across the campus to the college church. To me this commencement pageant was more than just another event. It was a keen moment of personal significance for now I was a member of the class who tried to look solemn and dignified. At the conclusion of the service bequeathed and capped we received from the hands of the President neatly rolled certificates which designated us as graduates of the institution. Now we are Alumni of McPherson College!

What has college meant to me? What new vistas of thought and experience has it opened? One need not wait to be an "old grad" before discovering that the relation of the alumni of a college to their Alma Mater is like that of children to the home. It is one of affectionate regard because of the memories of a pleasant past and deep concern and interest in its future.

What are the real trophies of a college career? Perhaps the real trophies are not ribbons, banners, or silver loving cups; nor the contents of memorabilia books; nor college pins; nor even the coveted diploma. However the real trophies of a college career are the real things back of these symbols with all their precious sentimental value, namely, education itself and the worthwhile personal friendships involved in the process. The elective course of friendship affords unlimited opportunity for development of personality with the radiant lives of faculty members and fellow students whose lives permeate into richer living. McPherson College through its curriculum, activities, and guidance seeks to develop the four square life—"Character through central personality through purpose."

As a recent member coming into the McPherson College family of graduates I have the deepest respect for this venerable institution from its small beginning to its present standard as a "School of Quality." And as alumni may we continue to look with pride and happiness to the future of our Alma Mater for a Greater McPherson College.

COLLEGE EVANGELIST AT WORK IN EASTERN STATES

Rev. and Mrs. Oliver Austin to be
in East Until June—
Enjoying Work

Winston, Salem,
North Carolina,
February 21, 1933.

Dear Alumni:

Another year has rolled around and we hope it has been one of real happiness and accomplishment for each of you. We have not come in contact with many of you during the past year but at Quilter, Kansas, last November we enjoyed very much the fellowship with a number of alumni and their families. Enroute from Quilter east we had a few hours stop-over at our Alma Mater.

In many ways the year 1932 was the most enjoyable in our seventeen years of evangelism. We had the supreme joy of seeing several hundreds begin "following the gleam," and we had association with some of the finest people on earth—what more could one ask.

This year until June our work is exclusively in the east, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and North Carolina. Two weeks ago we had a most delightful trip down the Chesapeake Bay to Baltimore. We did not know which was the more fascinating, watching the sea gulls dive into the water for fish or the little sail boats dredging for oysters. Quality oysters sell for 60 cents per bushel in the shell but the day we were sailing down the Bay the fishermen were selling them at 15 cents per. A bushel "shucked" will make four or five quarts. Shelling or "shucking" them is quite a tedious process, it is really an art and the natives are adepts at it.

We are now enjoying genuine southern hospitality which cannot be surpassed east, west or north. Winston-Salem is a beautiful old southern city and it has the distinction of being the largest tobacco manufacturing center in the world. When the factories are running on full time there are 124 cars of tobacco shipped out each day. The tobacco industry is one thing that has not been hurt by the depression so we find conditions here quite prosperous. These southern people are charming and their soft-spoken, musical drawl is quite intriguing. We enjoy hearing

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TREASURER'S REPORT

April 17, 1931—April 22, 1932

Receipts

| | |
|-------------------------|------------|
| On Hand, April 17, 1931 | \$ 90.59 |
| Annual dues | 41.00 |
| Advertising | 22.00 |
| Banquet Tickets | 106.00 |
| Sale of Bonds | 945.57 |
| From Savings Acct. | 50.00 |
| Interest | 160.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,420.56 |

Expenditures

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|----------------------------|------------|
| Envelopes and Postage | \$ 81.71 |
| Typing and Printing | 14.65 |
| Banquet | 125.85 |
| College Note (Investment) | 1,000.00 |
| Letter Heads | 5.90 |
| Secretary | 50.00 |
| Flowers | 3.00 |
| Home-coming Party | 7.20 |
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| Safety Deposit Box | 3.00 |
| Secretary of State | 1.60 |
| Magnate | 110.85 |
| Expense for Alumni Trustee | 18.67 |
| Balance, April 22, 1932 | .67 |
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| | \$1,420.56 |

Life Membership (Endowment)

Receipts

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|-------------------------|----------|
| On Hand, April 17, 1931 | \$ 55.00 |
| Receipts | 140.00 |
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| | \$195.00 |

Disbursements

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| To Checking Acct. for Investment | \$ 50.00 |
| Balance | 125.00 |
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| | \$175.00 |

Assets

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|---------------------------|------------|
| Church Bonds, 6% | \$2,500.00 |
| College Note, 7% | 1,000.00 |
| Note, 8% | 100.00 |
| Life Membership Acct., 4% | 125.00 |
| Cash Account | .67 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3,725.67 |

Liabilities

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| Class of '22, Interest on \$400 at 6%, 2 years | \$ 48.00 |
| \$100 at 8%, 2 years | 16.00 |
| NET RESOURCES | 3,661.67 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3,725.67 |

This statement is correct.

DALE A. STRICKLER,
Treasurer.

A thing is worth what it can do for you, not what you choose to pay for it. Huskin.

FORMER PROFESSORS

Dr. E. Studebaker is President of LaVerne College at LaVerne, Calif.

Miss Margaret Walters is librarian at Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Miss Elsie Pokrants is teacher of language at Bryn Mawr College.

Miss Florence Teager, Ph. D., is teacher of English at Illinois Normal University, Normal, Ill.

Dr. E. L. Craik, teacher of History at Junia College has spent the past year studying abroad. He will return in April.

Miss Celesta Wine is writing her Ph. D. Thesis in English at the University of Chicago.

Miss Margaret Shelly is studying violin in Brussels, Belgium.

Mrs. Anna C. Tate is studying at the Chicago Musical College. Early in the fall she won a \$400 scholarship.

Mrs. Ada Kurtz Carpenter is assistant pastor to her husband at Palmdale, Tex.

Mrs. Mildred Lamb LeSeur is the mother of two fine children and a devoted wife to her husband. She lives at Lawrence, Kansas.

Miss Mildred Thuraw is studying at Cornell University. She will receive her Ph. D. in Home Economics in August.

C. D. Williams is a teacher at DePew University.

Prof. Uroevit is living on a farm in Ohio.

Prof. F. G. Muir has retired and is living in Pasadena, Calif.

Prof. and Mrs. John Haugh are teaching in the music department at LaVerne College.

Dr. A. C. Wiewand is a professor in the Bible School at Chicago.

Dr. A. J. Culler is pastor of the Christian Church in Cleveland, Ohio.

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need and so do the advertiser, that if you

are sure in need of their products, you will

notice them.

FOREWORD

The task of editing a magazine has been a rather large one, yet very interesting. Had I been an older alumnus it probably would have been much easier, however I am very glad to have had the experience. I only hope that it contains what you are wanting to know and that it will be of interest to you. I beg of you to overlook all errors or omissions, they were not intentional.

I wish to thank all who have so faithfully worked on this project. Especially do I want to thank Ernie Almen, Mrs. Fuhnestock, Dale Strickler, Milton Dell, and Orville Dale for collecting news; and Leland Lindell for taking full charge of the printing.

We are sorry to be late with the publication, but many things have happened to impede its progress.

II. H.

WON'T YOU HELP?

The Alumni Association of an institution is and should be one of its vital organizations. The present alumni officers are new in the work of the association, but it is their greatest desire to make the association a working, worthwhile one. Elsewhere in the magazine the aims of the association are outlined. We solicit your wholehearted support in this enterprise. We realize that this

has been a trying year, but we also realize that little can be done without money and you will observe from the treasurer's report that the treasury is almost depleted. Won't you send in your dues this year, either the annual fee or a life membership fee? We will appreciate your loyalty and will promise to use your money in a worthy cause.

SHALL WE?

Some people have been asking if we thought the magazine was worthwhile in view of the fact that so many classes are editing an annual paper. What do you think? If you feel that it is valuable or if you do not, let us hear from you, perhaps some expense could be saved. However, we will not drop the publication entirely until we get sufficient requests to do so.

ADDRESSES

Where have you moved since last year? We don't know, yet we know that you are not at the same place, and we cannot get in touch with you until we get your correct address. Why not send it in to the office right away and let us change our files and help your friends to find you? Thanks. We try to keep an accurate file of all alumni and their occupations.

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jective and program of the alumni association, and the genuine intellectual curiosity in evidence among many students.

To be sure there is much that beacons to be done. We are scarcely able to anticipate the possibilities in creative endeavor. A good many plans for improving the program of the college are in embryonic form. I am sure no one is more ambitious for the college than the alumni. Please take some time and energy and write to us, or better still come to the college and tell us of some dreams and plans you have for the improvement of the work done here within the walls of your Alma Mater. The future for higher education in America is uncharted. Now, if ever, our ideals for education must be made real if they are to survive and function.

Fred A. Replotz,
Dean of College

M. C. ALUMNI DEATHS

John Spicer, A. '23, died of arthritis and complications, at Carleton, Kansas, June 11, 1932.

The five months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert L. Betts, '21, of Nampa, Idaho, was killed October 28, 1932 in an automobile accident.

The infant son of Theodore and Kathryn Swose Hiebert passed away December 2, 1932 at Coffeyville, Kansas.

William Johnson, 27 years old, died at his home in Wichita, September 14, 1932. Mr. Johnson was the building contractor for the Administration Building on the campus. His son was the contractor for the college library.

Mary Swain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Swain of McPherson and former student at the college, passed away April 26, 1932 after a lingering illness.

Miss Bertha Collins, '11, died at McPherson, February 29, 1932.

I. A. Toers, A. '09, auto dealer in McPherson, died suddenly March 9, 1932.

Ora Eavvy, Herriot, '23, wife of Ivan Herriot died at Garden City, Kansas, of double pneumonia on December 26, 1932.

Mary Andes Echols, '23, wife of Dr. Floyd L. Echols died on January 12, 1932 at Perry Point, Maryland of pneumonia.

FORMER PROFESSORS

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Prof. John Clement is teaching psychology in the University of Illinois.

Jewitt Russel is in the experiment station of Nebraska University.

Prof. Ebel is teacher of modern languages at Redlands, Calif.

Mrs. Eva Trustie Sluender lives at San Quentin, Calif. Her husband is religious educator in the prison there.

ALUMNI JITTERINGS

In a recent beauty contest staged at McPherson College, two former McPherson College girls, Miss Mattie Shay and Miss Jeanette Goodholm of McPherson were nominated.

Perhaps some of you have heard of the gift made to the old Y. W. Room in the form of an honest-to-goodness radio by some unknown friend. It was presented at the end of the famous Heart Sister week and made its stay rather short, for the following week it was stolen. It was reported that many couples enjoyed it very much.

Did you know that Sam and Ocie Kurtz, '26, had turned dramatists? They recently wrote and presented a clever little play called "Counterfeit."

Have you seen Dr. Marlin Carlson, '27, in his derby? Quite classy!

And if you don't believe that Milton Dell, '26, can play pool ask Leonard Crumpacker or Edward Keuffmann, it all happened when some of the Manual Arts graduates attended a National Vocational meeting at Kansas City the first of December last.

Did you read about Melvin "Benk" Miller making 25 points in a basketball tilt with a Kansas City team?

At last the dark halls of the Ad building have been brought to light. Mr. Forney recently put in window panes in the front doors. And some windows were also put in Prof. Hess' room.

The Y. M. gave a very nice ping-pong table to the students. It has been placed in the room where Prof. Hoff used to teach. Needless to say it consumed a great deal of both the boys' and girls' time, but it is a good game.

Dean Koplege, dean of the college, has moved onto a farm north of the college. You know he wears a derby and we just wonder if he ever absentmindedly milks in it.

There will be no Quad issued at the college this year. But there will be one next year and it will include news from both years. Everett Pas-

nacht and Wilbur Yoder will edit and finance it.

In a recent election Mary Miller of Mount Morris, Ill., and Lester Pote of Hipay, Okla., were chosen to head the Y. W. and Y. M. organizations next year.

Student offices will be filled next week.

J. H. Fries, business manager of the college was made president of the business managers organization, which includes nearly all colleges in the state. This is a high honor to our business manager.

In a one-act playwriting contest conducted by the Crossroad Playmakers of McPherson, Mrs. W. C. Heaton won second place with her play, "Ships That Pass."

Miss Dorothy Linholm, now Mrs. Ray Nouken was with the Omniahus college during the past summer.

March 30 and 31 the Thespian Club very cleverly presented the play by Oscar Wilde, "The Importance of Being Ernest." It was coached by Miss Ada Brunk, student director, and staged in the chapel and gym. The proceeds will be used in procuring a cyclorama for future use in college productions.

Whueler Kurtz, son of Dr. Kurtz, and student in the college, was operated on for appendicitis at McPherson last August.

In a survey of ten colleges, made by a McPherson College professor, it was discovered that the tuition and other costs at McPherson College are much lower than at any of the other institutions.

The famous A Capella choir, under the direction of Prof. Alvin C. Vorn is giving a number of fine programs this spring. They will be heard in the broadcast from Abilene, Sunday afternoon, April 8, from 3 to 4 o'clock. There will be other musical numbers and a talk by Dean Koplege. The college gave a very successful broadcast from the same station on Sunday, February 5.

Ward Williams, a senior, won first place in the anti-tobacco oratorical contest held at McPherson on Febru-

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MOUNT MORRIS COLLEGE

In the past year, with the closing of Mount Morris College, McPherson College has acquired some valuable territory and some valuable students. The Mount Morris trustees recommended to their Districts west of the Mississippi River that they affiliate with McPherson College and every District voted to do so. This decision has added to our territory sixty-eight churches and 5509 members. McPherson College now has a constituency of something over 13,187 members as over against 12,678 before. The new territory includes some of the strongest and best rural churches in the Brotherhood. This puts new and added responsibility on McPherson College. The responsibility for training the religious leadership of the Brethren Church from the Mississippi to the Rockies and from the Gulf of Mexico to Canada now rests on McPherson College. Some seventeen young people from this territory are now in McPherson College. This number would have been trebled save for the severity of the depression.

To the alumni of Mount Morris, the alumni of McPherson College send their best wishes and their desire to be of help to you in any way.

COLLEGE EVANGELIST AT WORK IN EASTERN STATES

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them say, "brothah" and "mottah," "dinnah," "soah nuff," "right much," ad infinitum. They are very appreciative and responsive as evidenced by a remark of one of the high school boys the other day, "Use goin' ova to chu'n' and beah that Mistah Austin, why, he's the preachinest preach-ah I evah heard!" We are anticipating being in the famous Shenandoah Valley of Virginia this April in apple-blossom time where the scenery is world famous. We also plan to attend our Conference at Hershey, Pennsylvania in June and the World's Fair in Chicago enroute west to Denver for our summer's vacation.

Wishing all the alumni health, wealth, success and happiness, we are

Sincerely,

Olliver and Hazel Austin,
College Evangelists.

The most important part of every business to is know what ought to be done.—Columella.

Classes

1902

Mrs. Elfa Sharp, who in the past has done some outstanding work is now living in Lawrence, Kansas.

1909

I. A. Toevs, an auto dealer of McPherson died rather suddenly in March, 1932.

1902

James Clement is superintendent of schools at Independence, Kansas.

1903

Frank Kniffman is a successful banker in Wichita, Kansas.

1904

Miss Lucetta Johnson is a very outstanding teacher in the Wichita school system.

Dr. J. H. Saylor is practicing in Marlon, Kansas.

1906

Delia Vaniman Thorne is attending to domestic duties in LaVerne, Calif.

Dr. Theo. Aschman is a prominent specialist in Obstetrics in Kansas City.

1907

Robert E. Mohler is still a very popular faculty member at the college. Dean Mohler is a most industrious man and is now the McPherson group's candidate for governor of the eighth international Rotary District.

Forster Cline is an outstanding lawyer in Denver.

Guy Hudson is a recent member, of the Colorado Legislature.

1909

Emily Shirky is a dietician in the Children's Mercy Hospital, Independence at Woodland, Kansas City, Mo.

1909

Despite the depression James Rothrock is still in the grocery business in McPherson, and a good store it is, too.

1911

Ernest Vaniman is a teacher at Santa Ynez, Calif.

Homar Lichtenwaller is a chemist in Philadelphia.

1912

H. W. Thompson is teaching in LeLand Stanford university. Marlon Studobaker is selling insurance in Denver. Grover Dentzer is a high school principal in Wichita.

1913

Stanley Dresher is another insur-

ance salesman in Denver.

Margaret Dudie is a chiropractor in Colorado Springs.

Gertrude Doerksen, besides household duties, is also a nurse.

1914

A. T. Hoffer is a fine missionary in India.

Robert Russell has his Ph. D. from the University of Illinois and is now teaching at the State Teachers Normal, Kalamazoo, Mich. Four years ago he spent a year at the University of London.

John Deeter is a minister at Santa Monica, Calif.

Harvey Nintinger is still connected with the Colorado Museum of Natural History at Denver. During the past summer both Mr. Nintinger and his wife were in the field collecting meteorites for the Smithsonian Institute at Washington. At present Mr. Nintinger is on track of a large meteorite fall which occurred a couple of weeks ago in New Mexico.

1915

Paul Harnly is teaching at Grand Island, Nebr.

Gladya Muir is teaching in La Verne, Calif.

1917

Estel Jones is teaching at Fresno, Calif.

1918

Galen Jones is now assistant superintendent of schools at Tulsa, Okla. He appeared several times on the program of the department of superintendent's meeting at Minneapolis.

1919

Claude Wilson's debating team representing Boulder Prep. won the state championship for the second consecutive year. His wife, Mary Durst Wilson, was elected recording secretary of the Boulder, Colo., branch of the A. A. U. W.

Floyd Mishler is a coach at Santa Monica, Calif.

Clyde Forney is a successful minister at South Bend, Ind.

1920

Paul Brandt is pastor at Holmerville, Nebr. He is also alumni trustee.

Dr. Curtis Bowman is enjoying a successful practice in Chicago.

Milo Stutzman recently received his Ph. D. in chemistry and now holds a teaching position at the University of Pittsburgh.

Morris Harnly received his Ph. D. from Columbia university in 1922 and is now teaching in New York

university. He read a paper before a London society in 1931.

Roy Wampler received his Ph. D. from the University of Chicago in chemistry. He is employed in the Libby, Owens Ford Glass Company of Toledo, Ohio.

1921

Miles Björkstam is pastor at Richland, Center, Kansas.

G. O. Boone is student counselor in the Junior high school at Pasadena, California. A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Boone last fall.

D. Loris Bowman is superintendent of schools at Minnola, Kansas.

Chas. Deun is teaching for the fifth year in the East Noyam School at Billings, Montana. Mr. and Mrs. Deun have one child, four years.

Samuel Markey is farming near Abilene, Kansas.

Lewis Naylor is superintendent of schools at Covert, Kansas.

Edward Van Pelt is pastor of the Brethren church at Nickerson, Kansas.

Golda Zoek is teaching in Lawrence, Kansas.

Frank Corvill is county superintendent of Dickinson County.

1922

Leslie Blackman is living at 1526 Adams St., Madison, Wisconsin, where he is working on a Ph. D. in chemistry.

Homer S. Foutz is a surgeon in the Halsted, Kansas, hospital.

Letta Heckman Kups is the mother of two girls. They live at Garden City where Mr. Kups owns a laundry business.

Ralph Holsinger has been for three years at Colgate, Oklahoma, engaged in school work.

Kimer Rupp is a dairy and citrus fruit farmer at Palfurrias, Texas.

Lloyd Baylor is owner and operator of a fleet of trucks hauling general merchandise west and north out of Hutchinson, Kansas.

Ira D. Stiles is a dentist at McPherson, Kansas. He started practicing within the last year.

Erna Whitmore is a teacher at Johnson City, Illinois.

Emory Wine is principal of a junior high school in Wichita. Mr. and Mrs. Wine are the parents of two children.

1923

Congratulations, Class of '23 on your tenth anniversary. We welcome you on guests in a few weeks and we join as one voice in wishing

you as much success in the next ten years.

The class of '23 is scattered in 13 states and Hawaii.

Twenty-one members are engaged in the teaching profession.

Grace Crumpacker received her master's degree in library science at the University of Illinois last spring. The subject of her thesis was "The Library Movement and Library Legislation in Kansas."

P. Roy Brammell is teaching courses in education at the Connecticut Agricultural College at Storrs, Conn.

Dr. R. S. Clark is practicing medicine at Augusta.

Two members of the class died since the last edition of the Alumni Magazine was published. Ora Evey Herriott died at her home in Garden City on December 24, 1932, of influenza and pneumonia and Mary Anderson succumbed to the same disease at Perry Point, Md., on January 12, 1933.

W. E. Watkins continues with full time research work upon the food value of range grasses at the State College of New Mexico.

Two members are selling life insurance—Paul Sargent at McPherson and O. T. Funkhouser at Harrisonburg, Va.

D. E. Brunk is teaching high school courses at Honolulu, Hawaii.

Jacob Yoder is selling Fords and Ford products at Carleton, Nebr.

Harry E. Nickel is attending the University of California at Berkeley, taking work in the department of education. He expects to teach again next year.

Ira Brammell of McLouth reports that the high school there has lost but two football games in the last six years.

C. E. Fisher is superintendent of schools at Fruitland, Ida.

Ada Kurtz Carpenter, together with Mr. Carpenter and their daughter, Ann, recently moved from Hanoverton, Ohio, to Falmurris, Tex.

Mable Brubaker Zingg is assisting in the relief of the unemployed in Chicago.

Harry Bowers spent three weeks in England last summer. He is still employed by the Anabolic Foods Product, Inc., at 405 South Hill St., Los Angeles, Calif.

S. A. Maust is teaching in the Independence schools for his seventh term.

I. T. Dirix assumed the principal-

ship of the high school at Yates Center on January 1.

Lewis Plorman has organized a stamp company at Downers Grove, Ill. He has about 10,000 varieties of stamps in stock from practically every stamp issuing country in the world.

Mark E. Neher is majoring in farming and minoring in poultry at Quinter. He passed the flock inspector's examination given by the American Poultry Association last December.

Estella Engle took a 4,000-mile bus trip through the West last summer. She is continuing her fourth year as secretary of the School of Fine Arts at the University of Kansas.

1921

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Long write from Peoria, Ill., that Peoria must be a good place in which to live, since in a city of over 105,000 population there have as yet been no bank failures. Mr. Long teaches in the physics and mathematics departments of the Bradley Polytechnic Institute and is also game manager of the athletic contests. Plans for the summer include graduate study, followed by a vacation at Littleton, Colo., with the home folks.

Myrl Curtis is superintendent of schools at Logan, Kansas. Carl and Grace Schneider are living near Denver, Colorado, on a small ranch. They moved there within the last year.

Helen Elliott is teaching at Walter, Oklahoma, and living with her parents.

W. W. Gish is living again at Belleville, Kansas, after teaching and preaching for several years at Zook, Kansas. Mr. Gish is farming at present.

Helen Jacobs is again at McPherson after spending several years in interior decoration work in Wichita. Elizabeth Mohler continues to teach in the schools at Marshalltown, Iowa.

Leland G. Templeton is superintendent of schools at Toronto, Kansas.

B. F. Waas is pastor of the Brethren church at Elgin, Illinois.

John W. Harnly has been promoted to chief chemist in a tannery at Waukegan, Illinois.

Mr. Leland Moore is a member of the high school faculty at Newton, Kansas.

Arthur Prather is superintendent of schools at Sedgewick, Kansas.

Coach Sanger Crumpacker produced a championship track and field team in 1932. Sanger coaches at Santa Monica, Calif., and competed in the high school lay League of that city.

1925

Ruth Greene Colburn is a housewife on a farm near Larned, Kansas. Their mail is received at Hotal.

Floyd Rhodes Schmitt is a housewife at McPherson, Kansas.

C. L. Rutherford is superintendent of schools at Eudora, Kansas.

Julia Jones is instructor in home economics in the Junior high school in McPherson.

Herkle Wampler is a frequent visitor at his parents' home in McPherson. He is head of the schools at Elmdale, Kansas.

Velma Rayley Bothwell is a housewife at Kockey, Kansas.

T. Elvis Prather is principal in the schools at Meado, Kansas.

LeRoy Doty has been employed by McPherson College for full time field work for the coming summer.

Marie Brubaker is a student at Bethany Seminary.

1923

Sidney Sondergaard is county superintendent of public instruction in Salina, Kansas. Harriett Mohler Sondergaard is his first assistant.

Harry Riffel is a farmer near Garden City, Kansas.

Olin Edwood is living at "Crane Farm," Wheeling, Illinois where he is teaching agriculture, manual training, supervising playground, and managing the school store.

Sada Correll is teaching at Menton, Kansas.

Inez Fulton Johnson is a housewife at Kiowa, Kansas.

Henry Hahn is continuing at Scandia, Kansas as high school coach.

Marlin S. Kelly is in the newspaper and printing business at Liberal, Kansas.

D. W. Kester is farming near Quinter, Kansas.

R. A. Lehman is teaching at Manchester, Kansas.

Theodore Robb is coaching and teaching at Ovid, Colorado.

Loretta Zonger Tipton is a housewife on a farm near McPherson.

Mercedes Chapman played the woman's leading role in "Jack and the Beanstalk," at the Goodman Theater in Chicago during January. It was one of a series of plays for children.

1927

Mary Harnly is teaching at Alliance, Nebr.

Elsie McConkey is a successful teacher at Newton, Kansas.

Earl Reed, '27, recently accepted the position of state manager of the Union Central Life Insurance Company, with which he has been connected for the last few years. The last two and one-half years Mr. Reed has been assistant state manager. This work will take Mr. Reed and his family to Wichita, where he will have complete charge of the company's branch office, which has supervision over the salesmen throughout the state.

1928

Albert Philipp is now located at Alberton, Montana. He is assistant principal of the high school.

John Whitteck is attending Bethany Biblical Seminary.

Anna Holderrud is now working among the Chinese at Bethany Seminary.

1929

R. Hulse Barber is employed in an insurance company's office in McPherson.

Mrs. William Bigham, formerly Lena Deaver, is living in Topeka. Mr. Bingham, '21, is working in a large nursery.

Miss Ruth Fish is home economics instructor in the high school at Sylvan Grove, Kansas.

Archie Blickenstaff is coaching athletics and teaching at Little River. During the basket ball season he fell and broke his leg and was out of school for some time.

Miss Floy M. Brown's Ellinwood High school debate team won first in the Hutchinson invitation meet this year, and second in the district tournament at Sterling.

Toy Prantz is still working with his chickens and hateries at Rocky Ford, Colo.

Miss Dorothy Grexory is at home with her parents in McPherson.

Miss Clara Graebner is teaching home economics in the Macksville, Kan., high school. Miss Graebner suffered minor injuries in an automobile accident during the past winter.

John Harnly is taking post-graduate work at McPherson College, specializing in chemistry.

Miss Ida Kingsley is an instructor

in history at the McPherson Junior High school. Numerous studies and writing practices teaching at McPherson College assist in Miss Kingsley's classes.

Miss Mildred Libby is working in a large wholesale company's office in California.

Fred Perry of McPherson is taking additional college work at the University of Kansas.

Phillip Spohn is teaching in the high school at Twin Buttes, Colo.

Marvin Steffen is superintendent of schools at Otis, Kansas.

Joe Yeager has stopped teaching school and is now living on a farm southwest of McPherson.

Merrie Staton is superintendent of Bethany Hospital.

Lou Dell recently completed the A. M. requirements in Field Development in Iowa State College at Ames. She has started a nursery at LeMolles.

1930

Floyd Barnhaver's Bokler High school basket ball team won the regional conference tournament at McPherson early this spring in Class B. For the past two years it had been state champions in the class.

It took Reuben Bowman's career from Ablen to win the district basket ball tournament at Ellinwood this year.

John Cottonbom is being employed by the Kansas state highway department.

Harold Crist is teaching and coaching at Roxbury. His cage team during the past season made an enviable record in the county league.

Koss Curtis is teaching home economics and music in the Anthony High school.

Miss Esther Dahlinger gave up her teaching position at Simpson at the end of the first semester this year to accept a position as head of the nurse department of the McPherson schools.

Rush Holloway is teaching manual training in the Junior High school in McPherson. Mr. Holloway also coached the junior basket ball team.

Walter McGaffey is at home with his parents in McPherson.

J. Emery Metzger is attending the University of Louisiana, and it is understood he is making a record in his college work.

Melvin Miller, All-American bas-

ket ball star of the Wichita High School, is in the Hawaiian Islands with his team on a tour. Melvin is married, and his wife accompanied him as far as San Francisco.

Mr. Melville Swenson is teaching in the high school at Rossville.

Clarence Zink is teaching and acting as assistant coach at Harper, Kansas, this year. His basket ball team was one of the stronger teams in the southern Kansas division.

1931

Mr. O. A. Christianson is teaching home economics in the high school at Canton.

Mr. C. S. Dawson is one of the best teachers in the Anthony school this year.

A. J. Gagnon is working for the Swift Oil Company. For a time he had in operation one of Skelly's most interesting scientific demonstrations of Skelly products.

Mr. C. Hays and wife, the former Veva Benson, are living in Hoisington, where Mr. Hays is a history instructor in the high school.

Marvin Hill has had a good deal of success with his Windom High school basket ball team this winter.

Mr. Edna Hoover is teaching home economics at Roxbury.

John Johnson is studying law at the University of Kansas. Mr. Johnson during the first semester received the highest grade of any student in the law school.

Richard E. Lindell is oil editor of The McPherson Republican.

Miss Edith Murray is teaching in the high school at Canton.

Miss Alma Morrison is at Roxbury this year where she is an instructor in the high school.

Rev. Herbert Kuthrauff is in charge of one of the Brethren churches in Wichita. Last winter Mr. Kuthrauff and his family had a narrow escape from gas fumes in their home, but were rescued in time to save their lives.

Miss Nina Stull has made a success teaching and coaching basket ball at Windom. Her cage team has been defeated but once in the last two years.

Carroll Walker is teaching music in the schools at Norway, Kan.

Harry Zins is instructor in manual training at Valley Center.

1932

Miss Altha Anderson is in Kan-

was City, Mo., where she is doing special laboratory work at St. Luke's hospital.

Roy Bartles is working in McPherson.

Kenneth Bitkofer, Hesston, Kan., is selling insurance.

Dorothy Brooks is teaching in the McPherson grade school system.

Mildred Doyle is doing chemistry research work in a hospital in Topeka.

Herbert Ely is proof reader at The McPherson Republican.

Evelyn Fields is attending school at the University of Kansas. She received the K. C. fellowship to Lawrence last year.

Kernit Hayes is teaching school near Little River.

Posey Jamison has had a good deal of success with his Arnold, Kan., basket ball team this year.

Gilbert Myers is now associated with LeRoy Doty in the insurance business in McPherson.

Verle Ohmart is teaching school west of McPherson.

Constance Rankin is assisting in the county treasurer's office at McPherson.

Miss Ethel Sheety is teaching in the high school at Chase.

Miss Adelyn Taylor is working in the United Telephone Company's office at McPherson.

Royal Yoder is farming southwest of McPherson.

Miss Edna Nyquist, who is secretary of the McPherson County Pioneer Society, has edited a book on early pioneer history of McPherson County called, "Pioneer Life and Lore of McPherson County."

M. C. ALUMNI HEAD GIVES STAND OF ASSOCIATION

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on what has been done, but on what will be done in the immediate future.

Your officers, realizing the intense interest of the alumni and their desire to co-operate with the college in every possible manner, set up the following aims for 1952-53:

- I. Definitely to assist the college in increasing the student body by one hundred students.
- II. To suggest optional curriculum revision in order to maintain the best educational standards.
- III. To adopt and promote a financial plan which will provide an immediate income to

the college and create additional endowment.

We believe that moderately sized student body is necessary to the well being of the college to prove attractive to prospective students, to provide a balanced curriculum, to hold a desirable faculty, to keep the student body loyal and to provide the necessary funds for maintenance. As an alumnus you can assist the college increase the student body, we believe, by urging worthy prospects to attend McPherson College and by explaining to them the value and need of Christian education and what the college has done for you. Freshman statistics revealed that alumni are one of the two greatest influences in bringing students to college. It would be a most worthwhile investment if more of the alumni would materially aid a worthy student attend college. Last fall the fact that many worthy students could not attend college because of insufficient loan facilities was much in evidence. Might there be some loyal alumnus some where who would enjoy establishing a Memorial Loan Fund and thereby invest in youth, the most paying investment known?

During Regional Conference the pastors, trustees and students from different states got together and decided on a state quota of students for next year. How many states will send more than their quota? Your board recommended to the college that they be represented at all summer camps and district meetings in the college territory. We also recommended to the Trustee board that a full time student secretary be employed to work for students. The Trustee Board hired Mr. LeRoy Doty, class of '26, and he began work March first. I realize that it is impossible for the secretary to keep an up-to-date record of all the alumni, what you are doing, where you live, and what achievements you have attained. If you will forget your modesty long enough to tell us it will be of great benefit to the college in their drive for students. Our alumni are successful and we are proud of the fact. The successes of the alumni is one of the most outstanding advertising factors of the college.

The college has three main sources of income: endowment, gifts, and tuition. All three of these sources have decreased during the last two years. The income from endowment has decreased considerably. (The

income from your own investments probably have also). Naturally the cash gift income has decreased very materially and the income from tuition has decreased along with the smaller student body and increased use of scholarships. A plan has been worked out and put into force which is designed to increase the endowment income. If the number of Endowment Insurance policies the alumni have already purchased is any index to their value considerable income can reasonably be expected. (This plan will be explained elsewhere in this magazine).

We are glad to collect cash gifts of any kind and have turned some funds over to the college. April 23 has been chosen as McPherson College Day in the Churches of the territory and any help you can give to make that day successful, I can assure you will be appreciated. Those of you who are outside the McPherson College territory can mail your cash gifts either to your association secretary or direct to the college.

I believe the alumni will agree when I say that conditions in our nation are such that the services of a Christian college are more fundamental than ever and that there is a distinct need for the services of McPherson College to develop leaders for the Church of the Brethren, to develop Christian men and women who will return to their home communities and serve with their Christian philosophy and attitude of life and to help hundreds of students to make these personal adjustments necessary for a wholesome personality.

I have been impressed more than once this year with the extreme loyalty and interest of the alumni of McPherson College and I have the courage to believe that the alumni and the constituency will stand behind the college and guarantee permanency to its existence. NO COLLEGE IS ANY STRONGER THAN ITS ALUMNI AND CONSTITUENTS.
-S. Milton Bell, '26.

The best boss is the point when he who makes it is the first to laugh.

Let us labor to keep alive in our breasts that little spark of celestial fire called conscience.

Too much rest itself becomes a pain.

THIRD ANNUAL BANQUET

Dear Alumni of McPherson College:
Alma Mater Calls

The occasion is the Third Annual Booster Banquet, which will be held in the McPherson Community Building on Friday, April 21, at 7 P. M. The chief speaker will be Governor Landon of Topeka.

The purposes of the banquet are to renew old friendships, to arouse interest in the work of the college among alumni, townspeople, and friends, and to secure much needed financial support for the institution. At a time when other Kansas colleges are asking \$35,000 and \$50,000, we are setting the very modest goal of receipts of \$2,500 from the Booster's Banquet. This we can readily attain with your enthusiastic support and the support of our very many other friends.

As in former years, the first ticket in each family will be sold for a minimum of \$10.00, or as much more as you feel to give. Additional tickets for your immediate family or students of your school may be secured at \$1.00 each.

May we suggest that you get in touch with other alumni in your section who desire to come and drive together. Bring with you some promising high school senior as a part of your "family." In case you find it impossible to attend, send your contribution for a ticket and designate some student or other friend to attend in your place. Help to make this third Booster's Banquet an even greater success than the two auspicious occasions that preceded it.

Very truly yours,

Booster Banquet Committee.

ALUMNI JITTERINGS

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ary 22. He also placed first in the state contest held at Bethel College on March 10.

Dr. J. Willard Hershey, head of the Chemistry department, has received added recognition for his experiments in rare air atmosphere research. A few years ago he made the world's largest synthetic diamond. The Feb. 18, 1932 issue of the "Nature," a London science magazine, contained an article on Dr. Hershey's experiments with artificial atmospheres. His article was headed "Components

of the Atmosphere and Synthetic Gases in Relation to Animal Life." Dr. Hershey has accepted an invitation to attend and present a paper at the Chicago Congress of Anesthetists, to be held next October.

Daniel Johnson, '30, last year was pledged to the Sigma Xi, a scientific honorary society at the University of Kansas. He is working for his master's degree, majoring in physics and astronomy. Last year he was assistant in physics and this year is assistant in astronomy.

One of Coach Melvin Blinford's basketball plays was explained and illustrated in a recent edition of the Kansas City Journal Post.

Ernest Rogalsky, former student, is head chemist at the commercial chemistry laboratory which is now installed at the Wall-Rogalsky Milling Company for the purpose of taking care of all protein and moisture tests for grain. Mr. Rogalsky spent three years in McPherson College.

A number of alumni were back to attend the Home-Coming week activities. We hope more of you can attend next year.

Many alumni have been campus visitors during the past year. We wish more of you could come oftener.

COLLEGE MARRIAGES

On Tuesday, February 14, at McPherson, Kansas, Miss Faye Louise Weimer and Melvin Miller, former McPherson College student, were married. Mr. Miller is a star player with the Wichita Henrys, and the couple will make their home in that city.

Henry Kline, '30, and Guy Richie were married on November 13, 1932 at Twin Falls, Idaho where they will make their home.

On June 1, 1932, Miss Ada Dinamore became the bride of Dr. Milo J. Stutzman. They are at home at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, where Dr. Stutzman teaches in the University.

Hilch Harris and Miss Ruth Benedict were united in marriage at nine o'clock in the morning, Sunday, January 22, at Nampa, Idaho. The couple are making their home in McPherson where Mr. Harris is finishing his college course.

Miss Doretha Stutzman, former

student, and Mr. Carl Wilke were joyfully married on January 6, at Klugman, Kansas.

At midnight, June 1, 1932, at Marquette, Kansas, Miss Helen De Arman, former student, became the bride of Mr. Virgil Holt of Galva. The couple are living on a farm near Galva where the groom is a prosperous farmer.

The wedding of Aileen Gattling, '29, and John Price took place at Cottonwood Falls, Kansas, at four-thirty o'clock, Sunday afternoon, November 12, 1932.

A beautiful wedding was solemnized at New Plymouth, Idaho, on Thursday, August 25, 1932, when Miss Mildred Hich, a former student, became the bride of Mr. Ernest Campbell of McPherson. They are making their home at McPherson, Kansas.

On June 4, 1932, Ida May Markham, of Purtilidge and Floyd Tector of McPherson were united in marriage. Roy W. T. Luckett of Hutchinson officiating. They are at home on a farm near McPherson.

Vera Beckwith of Payette, Idaho and James Reed of Moutter were married at Payette on July 23, 1932. Mr. Reed has attended McPherson College summer school.

On January 1, 1932 at Stoll Hall at Central College, Miss Beth Hendrickson, '31, became the bride of Mr. Virgil Leonard of Richland, Kansas.

Friends of Mr. Elmer McGonicle, '29, will be interested to learn of the marriage of his brother, Wilbur to Cecyle Bennett on March 15, 1932. Mr. McGonicle was on the campus several times.

Henry E. Hall, former principal of Windom High School and Nellie D. Krehes of Windom were united in marriage May 21, 1932 at Hutchinson. Mr. Hall attended McPherson College for two years.

A marriage of interest took place at St. John, Kansas, on Saturday, August 13, 1932 when Miss Madelyn Auslin and Mr. John Berkebeck were united in marriage. The groom attended McPherson College for one year, going to K. U. to finish his work, where he is a very popular student. This year he is editor of the University year book.

Dorothy Linholm and Ray Nolen, '30, were united in marriage at the Methodist Episcopal church at Garden City, Sunday morning, July 31, at eight-thirty o'clock. They

were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barna, sister of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hanzburg. They are making their home at Wake-saw, Kansas where Ray is coach in the high school.

Miss Prudence Ibrig, former student and Mr. Lorin E. Sibley, of Lewis, Kansas, were united in marriage on Sunday morning, July 21, 1932 at the First Church of the Brethren at McPherson. Mr. Lloyd Diggs, '30, sang and Miss Pauline Fleming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Fleming, '27, was junior bridesmaid. The couple are at home in Page City, Kansas, where Mr. Sibley is superintendent of schools and Mrs. Sibley is primary teacher.

Fern Haukue, former student, and Charles V. Dillon were united in marriage at the Christian Church parsonage by Rev. J. H. Anderson officiating, Sunday June 12, 1932. The couple are at home in Liberal, Kansas where the groom is connected with the Dillon store.

Saturday evening, June 18, 1932, at eight o'clock at the First Church of the Brethren at 2560 Congress Street in Chicago, Miss Lois Boehm, former M. C. student and graduate of Manchester College became the bride of Mr. Melvin Roy Nicholson of Hardin, Missouri. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. A. J. Bognack of Elgin, Ill. Miss Esther Keim of Idaho, also a former student, was matron of honor, and Bebe Miss Mary Jean Hoff, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Hoff, was a flower girl. The couple are making their home in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Miss Ruth White, former student, and Mr. Forrest Lee Gordon, of Medford, Okla., were married at the First Methodist Church of McPherson, December 27, 1932. They are at home at Medford where the groom is deputy oil inspector.

Miss Roma All of McPherson became the bride of Mr. Carl Anderson of Roxbury, former student of the college, at the bride's home July 21, 1932. They are making their home at Roxbury, Kansas.

On January 21, 1932, Verna Carlson and Clare Miller, both of McPherson were united in marriage at the Methodist Church.

Miss Ruth Turner, '31, became the bride of Mr. Paul Bowers, '30, at the First Church of the Brethren at McPherson, Sunday morning at nine o'clock, May 29, 1932. Rev. J. Hugh Heckman officiating. Mr. Lawrence

Turner, '30, brother of the bride, accompanied by Miss Naomi Whitmore, '30, sang. The couple were attended by Ralph Bowers, brother of the groom and Miss Mildred Ronk, former student.

Madalyn Gray, '30 and Floyd Barngrover, '30 were married at the First Methodist Church of McPherson, Wednesday evening, June 1, 1932. They were attended by Mrs. Cleo Hill and Mr. Lawrence Barngrover and a large bridal party. They are at home in Buhler, Kansas where the groom is a teacher and coach in the high school.

At the home of the bride's parents, Vera Flora, '22, of Quinter became the bride of Lloyd Diggs, '30 on Wednesday evening, June 1, 1932. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews of Gaylord. Rev. George Merley, '27, of Gaylord performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Diggs are residing at Gaylord. Mr. Diggs is a high school teacher there.

Mr. Marvin Hill, '30, and Miss Elma Hoffman, former student, were married some time during the past summer. They are living at Windom, Kansas.

Miss Sibyl Curtis, former student, and Mr. Frank Holsinger, son of former Matron Holsinger, of Fruitland, Idaho were united in marriage at Thanksgiving time.

Laverne Turner, '30 and Mildred Reack, former student, were married at Twin Falls, Idaho, Thanksgiving Day.

Alvin C. Varan, '28, and Rosalie Turner of New Philadelphia, Ohio, were married December 29, 1932, at First Church of Brethren in Chicago.

James Boyer, '28, and Howard Grewer were united in marriage at McPherson, August 7, 1932, with Rev. Brooks officiating. They are living on a farm near Menlo, Kansas.

Mr. Holsinger, former matron of Arnold Hall, was married to Mr. Knute Stutzman in the fall of 1932. They are living in Wenatchee, Washington, where Mr. Stutzman is engaged in the apple industry.

Keith Havis, '24, and Viola Bowser, '28, were married by Rev. Richards at the Brethren Church, May 21, 1932. They are at home at Independence where the groom teaches.

Philip Lawson, '32, and Mary Lou Williams, former student, were married May 27, 1932 at the Schwalm home, Dr. Schwalm performing the ceremony. They are engaged in missionary work at Tampa, Florida.

On January 28, 1932, at Wichita, Dr. Mahlon Jacobs, former student, and Miss Maude Stuecheomb were married.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Emory C. Wine, Wichita, Kansas, Marianna—February, 1932.

Dr. and Mrs. Homer S. Foutz, Kansas City, Mo. Homer Ezra—March 1, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keim, Nampa, Idaho, George Arnold—March 24, 1932.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Bright, McPherson, Kansas, Merritt Wendell—March 30, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Freely, McPherson, Kansas, Douglas Dean—May 8, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Switzer, Dodge City, Kansas, Janet—June 17, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kartz, Newton, Kansas, Elva Marie—July 2, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kluzie, 1929 Brooklyn Ave., Kansas City, Mo. June Arlene—July 27, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sargent, McPherson, Kansas, Shirley Marie—October 4, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boone, Pasadena, Calif. Mary Nell—October 5, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schmidt, McPherson, Kansas, Robert Doyle—October 30, 1932.

Dr. and Mrs. Galen Dean, McPherson, Kansas, Loren Royer—October 16, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Curtis, Logan, Kansas, Donald Lee—November, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bethard (Opal Finnen), Kansas City, Mo. Patricia Jean—December 28, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Johnson, Kiowa, Kansas, Elmar Dean—December 17, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Krehbiel, Lenora, Kansas, William Rhodes—August 29, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ellis (Marie Bradbury), Britton, Okla. Ernesta June—August 16, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walstrom, McPherson, Kansas, Donna Ann—January 25, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bowman, McPherson, Kansas, Jo Ann—January 29, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Yoder, Hazelton, Kansas, Harlan Prantz—January 15, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Sjoberg, Hutchinson, Kansas. Son—January 13, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Platt, Hutchinson, Kansas. Shirley—July 8, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Murla Hoover, Wilsontonville, Nebraska. Ruth Elaine—March 13, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews, Gaylord, Kansas. Frederick Henry—March 6, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marchand, McPherson, Kansas. Frederic Ellsworth—March 3, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Brubaker, 1915 W. 30th St., Los Angeles. Marion Ruth—December 24, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Humburg, LaCrosse, Kansas. Merrill Junior—March 10, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Haddon D. Taylor, McPherson, Kansas. Mary Elizabeth—March 16, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Brumbaugh, Hartsville, Ohio. Lawrence Leslie—February 16, 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brammel, Strong City, Kansas—a boy, April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomas, St. John, Kansas—a boy, April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bowman, Alden, Kansas—a girl, April 4.

NOTIONS AND QUOTATIONS:

A man should never be ashamed to own he has been wrong, which is but saying, in other words, that he is wiser today than yesterday.

Do thoroughly the work God gives you to do, and cultivate your silent's desires.

If honesty did not exist, we ought to invent it as a means of getting rich.—Miltonaqua.

Nobody talks much that doesn't say wise things—things he did not mean to say; as no person talks much without striking a false note sometimes.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Experience teaches many things including that a lot of experience doesn't teach anything.

He who works will accomplish, and he who has accomplished has worked.

Men who are proud of their ability to show other men "Where they get off" are seldom able to show them where to get on.



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