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THE A CAPPELLA CHOIR.

Mr. Edmund J. Myer gave in one of his books, copyrighted in 1902, this encouraging prophecy:—"We may confidently look, in the near future, for the Renaissance of the Vocal Art." In the slight résumé of the recent year, which is to follow, we will discover that McPherson College is experiencing a Renaissance in the Vocal Art.

The McPherson College A Cappella Choir has been the most striking example. The first semester is a hard one for the singers for it is during this time that they spend an enormous amount of time in hard work, called rehearsals.

The Annual Formal Concert in the Municipal Auditorium was a triumph and continues to echo, for in The McPherson Daily Republican of April 13th we find "a well remembered concert."

Then again the program given by the A Cappella Choir assisted by the Ladies Trio and the College Male Quartet, at the Kansas State College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences at Manhattan, April 15th. That was one of the greatest experiences of a number of years. Regarding that program the following is quoted from The K. S. C. Yearlingist:—

"Thirty-six young singers from McPherson College and their genial director last Thursday morning in the student assembly received instant and whole-hearted appreciation from Manhattan's town and gown audience who filled the auditorium to hear them. It was one of the most enjoyable music events of the college year.

"From the humming introduction of the 'theme tune' of the choir seated on the platform and the director's spoken explanation to this accompaniment, on to the last encore, they held the audience captivated by the sincerity and artistry of their singing. Alvin C. Voran, their director, has about him just the right amount of showmanship—not enough to lose dignity, but enough to capture attention."

Mr. Noble Cain, at present conductor of the Chicago A Cappella choir, Choral Director for the National Broadcasting Company out of Chicago and a prominent composer, dedicated a recent composition of his, "Thy Song" to "Alvin C. Voran and the McPherson College A Cappella Choir." The song carries the preceding inscription and is an honor to the McPherson College Choir.

The Ladies Trio and the College Male Quartette have given some splendid programs this year. The Quartette has been of a very superior nature and gained much popularity. Both groups have been in constant demand. The director of these ensembles, Mr. Alvin C. Voran, has worked many hours to perfect these ensembles and has been the vital factor in this successful and glorious year. He has been the substance of the Renaissance.

FROM OUR ALUMNI TRUSTEE

Mr. Brandt was elected director of the Board of Trustees in February.

Those who attended the McPherson College regional conference can enthusiastically testify that they gave us one of the most excellent programs ever presented there. The high notes sounded on our present dilemma and its cure, on social ideals, doctrine, and peace; and the type of leadership that presented these messages made an alumnae feel proud of his Alma Mater. I believe that the morale of the school was never better than now. Our president Dr. Schwalm and his splendid faculty have sacrificed and cooperated through these lean years for the best interests of M. C. They have kept the college out of debt and have lived and carried on within the limits of their meager salaries. Dr. Schwalm with high courage and careful forethought in his organization is moving forward, not backwards in these days when most organizations are retreating.

The spirit of the faculty, the student body, and the harmony within the trustee board makes the future appear hopeful. While no man can predict with infallibility what the future holds in store, all these signs point together with the four newly added college districts give us hope and faith in M. C.'s future. We have here an institution that has been built up slowly and solidly through the years and one that every alumnae can justly feel proud of; therefore everyone of us should loyally support her with our time and our money in her struggle to again get into the North Central Association of Colleges. M. C. has an enviable record in scholastic, forensic, and athletics. May she long continue to train our youth for leadership in the new social order that is now dawning.

PAUL, BRANDT, '29

THE REGIONAL CONFERENCE

Rev. S. Lawrence Hamhart, '28, Alton, Oklahoma.

Many alumni and former students were among those who gathered at McPherson College for the Regional Pastors' Conference February 18 to 23. Pastors and their wives from near and far over the college territory swelled the crowds to break previous records of attendance.

Dr. D. W. Kurtz, president of DePue Biblical Seminary, Chicago, headed the slate of speakers, giving several masterful addresses at the college church. It was particularly his lectures on "How I Find, Prepare and Deliver my Sermons" which found favor with the attending ministers.

The addresses of Dr. W. O. McDonnell, president of Friends University, Wichita, were a distinct contribution to the conference. He made three public appearances.

M. R. Zigler of Elgin, General Ministerial Secretary, gave two addresses and conducted public conferences on ministerial problems each morning.

Dr. Ray C. Peery of the college faculty strengthened the program with three lectures on the book of Amos and an address on "Our Religious Heritage."

Dr. V. P. Schwalm, president of the college, made but one address but received an unusual hearing on his lecture touching on the pressing economic, social and moral problems of the day.

Prof. A. C. Voran, head of the voice department of the college, had a new and distinct contribution to offer the visiting clergymen in his appearances before the conference and in the public rendition by his A Cappella Choir.

Other speakers and leaders were Dean F. A. Bringle and Prof. Robert Mohler of the college, Rev. C. E. Davis of Independence, Kansas, and Miss Ada Correll of Buckeye, Kansas.

Leaders of the conference were pleased with the general enthusiasm and reception of their 1934 program and on that basis are already laying plans for the 1935 conference.

Russell and Dorothy Jones of Glendale, Calif., former students, visited in McPherson with friends this spring while on their way back east. Mr. Jones is an accountant at Hullocks in Glendale.

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10. Helps plan the program of the College through the alumni representative on the Board of Trustees.

These services cannot be rendered when the association funds are low. Much more could be done were the annual income of the association larger. Your annual dues are now due, won't you kindly send them in at once and help the association progress? If any of you wish to pay fifteen dollars for life membership we will gladly accept it. Send checks or money to the treasurer, Miss Edith McGaffey.

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OUR COLLEGE POETS

Prayer of the Class of 1932

To Thee, O God, we pray for strength
in need

The strains and stresses we confront
today:

Amid the turmoil keep our spirits
sweet;

Above all else, we for Thy guidance
pray.

We ask not for the fickle crowd's
acclaim

But for the challenge that awakes
the soul:

Not brief possession of ill-gotten gain
But for the peace that comes with
self-control.

We ask that we may serve thee as
Thou art:

Great God of mercy, love, and
gentleness,

May these become our qualities of
life,

And selfish seeking change to kind-
ness.

God, let us serve Thee, the one
way we can—

By humble service to our fellow
man.

—Ward Williams, '32

For the Moon to FRI

Five birches in a cluster, straight
and tall.

Among the black bushes on a mid-
night hill

Are five saints listening to the blue
sky's call,

Waiting help come for the moon to
fill.

—P. Roy Brammell, '32

FOREWORD

Another year is swiftly passing and once again we are attempting to give you some interesting facts concerning your M. C. friends and acquaintances. It has been very difficult to secure important items concerning you this year and so many items may be included which do not interest you and may be left out which you would like to see in print. It is the sincere hope of the board of editors that the magazine will bring you a measure of enjoyment. We will appreciate pointing out any mistakes or omissions. To those who have so faithfully given of their time and knowledge I wish to offer my appreciation and thanks to Edith McGaffey, Milton Dell, Edith Almon, R. E. Mohler, Mrs. Fahnstock, LeRoy Doty, Grace Crumpecker, and Edith Sherry, who secured material; to Gilbert Myers for managing the business side; to Leland Lindell for make-up work; and to all who willingly helped to address wrapper and wrap the magazines. H. H.

DUES

Your Alumni Association is attempting to help you in the following ways:

1. Keeps you in touch with the College and other alumni.
2. Keeps an index and directory of all M. C. graduates.
3. Publishes annually an Alumni Magazine.
4. Handles an ever-increasing num-

WILL YOU HELP?

In order that the magazine may be up to date and interesting we are soliciting the help of every alumnus. When you hear of a friend who is doing some outstanding work, or has changed his occupation or location; when you hear of a marriage, birth, or death, drop us a card telling us about it. This favor will be greatly appreciated. Address in care of the secretary.

EDITORIAL

The alumni can aid the college by:

1. Urging worthy students to attend.
2. Recommending the college to prospective students.
3. Advertising the college when possible.
4. Knowing the advantages of Christian Education.
5. Visiting your Alma Mater frequently.
6. Establishing alumni chapters.
7. Knowing what your college is doing.
8. Establishing a loan fund for worthy students.
9. Supporting the college.
10. Notifying college of prospective students.
11. Notifying the college of vacancies in teaching positions, pastorates, or work of any type in which our graduates might be interested.

NORTH CENTRAL STANDARDS

I have just returned from the 1934 meeting of the North Central Association of Colleges. It was a significant meeting because at this meeting the methods by which colleges are to be admitted or rejected by that body were significantly changed. In the past the Association attempted to measure colleges largely on a quantitative basis. Now it attempts to estimate the quality of an institution, instead of being a policeman to enforce certain external requirements, the Association seeks to become a friend to stimulate to higher achievement. Instead of becoming a "haven of rest," which having entered, colleges may repose peacefully, the Association desires to hold up before its colleges constantly receding goals toward which to strive. The use of the word "standard" is discouraged because it suggests something fixed and has come to have some bad connotations. Certain institutional ideals or patterns are suggested instead of fixed standards.

Any institution, under the new plan, is supposed to define and state very clearly the purpose for which it exists and the aims it holds. The institution will then be judged on the basis of its stated purpose. If it has a worthy and clearly defined purpose and fulfills its purpose well it will be given a higher rating. Educational alertness in the administration and faculty will count for much. If a college studies its own organization, methods and achievements and constantly seeks to improve itself it will count as a strong asset. The unforgettable six of colleges will be indifference. The way a college selects its students and inducts them into the institution, and the work it does with and for students while in college will be an important factor in the estimation of the Association.

Finances are still a vital matter but the emphasis will now be placed on educational expenditure per full time student, and not on paid up endowment. The concern of the Association will be that a college has stable income for doing what it sets out to do. If a college has fairly reliable sources of income adequate for its purposes it will not be denied recognition even if it does not have paid up endowment.

The crux of the matter for the smaller college from a financial standpoint will be to secure adequate and reliable income to give permanence to an institution and to assure the association that the institution

will not exploit its students but will give them high class educational opportunity. The income for a college will certainly not be less than the income provided for under former standards. According to the new plan a college will not be denied recognition on the basis of one point of weakness but will be considered as a whole. Institutional excellence in some lines may compensate for weaknesses elsewhere.

Will McPherson College be able to enter the Association next year? We shall need some time to study the new North Central requirements to make sure on this point, but it now seems possible provided all—faculty, trustees, students and constituency—cooperate in setting our house in order in the light of these new ideals. In many ways we have been working in harmony with the new standards. In others we shall need to do some reorganization and certainly we shall be compelled to provide larger income than has been coming to the college during the last few years. We may call on the alumni to assist in this task. We are definitely looking toward re-entrance to the North Central Association and trust our hopes may be realized.

—V. F. Schwalm.

THE GOODWILL CAMPAIGN

A certain Kansas educator made the following comment after attending the commencement here last spring: "They have hardly any money at that college. Those things which take money to do they cannot do at all so they have concentrated on those activities that can be carried on without much money and they are doing a surprising number of worthwhile things and are accomplishing a lot of good for the young people they are training."

It is true McPherson College has been handicapped by lack of funds. The income has declined sharply since 1929. Nearly \$55,000.00 less was collected last year as compared to the income of 1929. This spring the executive board presented the situation to the Chamber of Commerce. After consideration the directors of the McPherson Chamber of Commerce decided the need was sufficient and that they would take the responsibility for raising the necessary \$10,000.00 needed by the college to help meet their obligations. Plans were organized and committees were appointed. The value and merits of the college were discussed before all the women's clubs, the men's clubs, in fact before every organization in the city. Before solicitation had progressed very far it became evident that the citizens of the town and the people of the country do appreciate the college and the work it is doing for the young people, many of whom are local residents.

It was a pleasure to watch the development of the Goodwill Campaign. To learn that many persons in the city, and nearby, thought enough of the college to give as much as \$500.00 and lesser amounts. Especially is this all the more remarkable when present conditions are considered.

The campaign was terminated by the Goodwill Banquet. It became extremely interesting, as the evening approached, to learn if the entire amount had been raised. The thrill of the entire campaign came when Simon Strouse, president of the Chamber of Commerce, announced at the banquet that the amount raised was \$10,650.00.

Dr. Schwalm in his toast of appreciation said, "I believe it is the confidence of the people in Higher education that has stimulated this rally around the college. Nothing has happened recently that has been so heartening and has given us so much

CALENDAR

- May 4—Junior-Senior Banquet.
 May 6—Dr. Cordier from Manchester College will lecture.
 May 26—Senior Reception.
 Dr. V. F. Schwalm will give the address.
 May 27—Baccalaureate Service.
 May 31—Class Day, Alumni Banquet at 6:30.
 June 1—Commencement. Dean Paul Lawson of Kansas University will give the address.

Ruth Krehbiel, former student, who lives in McPherson, has announced her engagement to Ralph Reno of Hamilton, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sehermerhorn of Lansing, Michigan, with their children, Don and Gail have been visiting friends and relatives in McPherson. Mrs. Sehermerhorn will be remembered as Miss Martha Mugler.

course to go on."

Surely the alumni want to join with Dr. Schwalm and the college in expressing their appreciation to the McPherson Chamber of Commerce for the splendid campaign which they sponsored and to the many friends who gave, not from their abundance, but from their diminishing incomes. May our Alma Mater realize the full benefit of their gifts and in time may the enriched and ennobled lives of her graduates richly repay the donors for the sacrifices which they have made.

ALUMNI GREETINGS

Greetings to Our Many Alumni:

We congratulate you upon your many achievements and successes during the past year. We recognize that attainment comes only through much hard work and conscientious effort.

We welcome the news of the arrival, into many of your homes, of prospective students whom we trust may in time become alumni as their parents are. We are happy to extend the privilege of the Association to those who have come into our group by forming life alliances with some of our alumni. We hope for them the same long, happy life which they desire. We sympathize with those who have suffered the loss of a loved one. We trust that some day we may all understand the workings of this universe but until that time may we all have faith and courage which comforts us.

We are sure that all of you will welcome the members of the Senior class into our ranks after June first. We congratulate them upon their growth and development thus far. We hope the responsibilities of life will not be much worse than the last few years.

We were exceptionally glad to learn from the field men that they alumni are more interested and responsive than they have been for sometime. From other articles in this magazine you can learn of the progress and achievement of the college this year. We believe the more you know and understand about the college, the more justified you are going to feel toward helping the college.

Your officers last fall set up the following aims for the year:

1. To aid the college in advertising the school.
2. To work with the college in its attempt to get into the North Central Association.
3. To co-operate with the execu-

tive board in its attempt to raise funds.

We believe one of the best ways to increase the student body is by all the alumni and constituents knowing about the school. The college is unquestionably a good school working for the best interests of the Church and for the development of Christian character in the young people of the constituency. Students must attend before they can benefit from the values which the college has to offer, likewise parents and students must learn of these outstanding merits of the college before they will desire to attend. More students of the type which the alumni well know should be here. The attendance this year is up and an increase must be maintained next year.

Many of you during this year have been asked to contribute to the running expenses of the college. The field men report that you have gone the second mile. In many cases, to help. It encourages your officers to learn of your loyalty. Education is the offering of the Church. Christian education will continue to grow and develop just so long as it is made to grow by those who believe in it and know of its merits. We do appreciate the manner in which you gave your support this year.

By no means has the college solved all its problems but from an alumni standpoint we believe everything has been shaping up to work out for the best. It has seemed that throughout the entire year so many significant factors have materialized with the trustees, the administration, and the students that a hopeful future is eminent.

S. M. FELL

President, Alumni Association

Miss Celesta Wine, former instructor in the English department of the college, holds a doctor's degree from the University of Chicago at the March convocation.

Max Montor, famous dramatist and reader, gave a program in the college chapel late in April. He gave outlines from some of the world's outstanding dramatists.

Dr. A. W. Cordier, Manchester, Ind., spoke in McPherson the first of May, on economic and social problems of the world. He talked before students of the coll. ge.

Kenneth Rock, who this year has been on a leave of absence attending the University of Southern California next year will teach in the high school at Abilene.

THE COLLEGE EVANGELIST

Galesburg, Kan., April 12, 1934
Dear Alumni:

It hardly seems possible that another year has rolled around. No doubt it has been one of varied experiences for all of us but such is life. After all, "life is a great glad game to those who play it gladly; a high adventure to those who enter upon it with a high heart."

During 1933 our work was in Pennsylvania, Maryland, North Carolina, Virginia, Iowa and Kansas. We had the happy privilege of leading four hundred and twenty souls to an avowed allegiance to the Man of Galilee. Also we had pleasant association with many of the best people on this earth, some of whom were fellow alumni who have made our lives richer and fuller by this brief contact. Last fall we enjoyed laboring with Howard and Winnie Keim at Ottawa, Kansas and were delighted with the splendid work they are doing in the pastoral field. While in Ottawa we had a small group with M. C. Kretzschmar at John and Winona Dugreets at Lawrence, Kansas. Those present were Henry and Fannie Stover, Foster and Maxine Hoover, Ralph and Olive Lehman and their children. It was also a rare opportunity that we had while conducting a federated campaign at Gaylord, Kansas last December to have happy association with six other alumni—George and Jessie Merkley, Fred and Velma Andrews, Lloyd and Vera Dicks and Mary Wehde. Do you wonder that Gaylord boasts one of the leading high schools in North Central Kansas when it is manned by four of M. C.'s alumni—Fred, Lloyd and Mary with George as superintendent? While in this part of Kansas we also visited with Lewis Naylor and Florence Lehman.

We spent the heart of this winter in the desert sunshine of Arizona. At Phoenix we found Frank and Esther Howell making a splendid contribution to the religious and cultural life there. We also visited with Aris Waterbarger from Shamrock, Texas who with her mother was wintering in Arizona and California.

Our work for the first of 1934 will be in Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Colorado. We plan to again vacation in Denver through July and August and if any of you are passing that way, we shall be glad to greet you.

OLIVER AND HAZEL AUSTIN.

HIGH LIGHTS OF THE YEAR AT McPHERSON COLLEGE

Prof. M. A. Hess

That depression does not mean defeat is abundantly proved by the achievements of the year at McPherson College. In spite of the predictions of those who said it could not be done, the field men in cooperation with the faculty and administration brought in one of the largest freshman classes in the history of the school. Comparative tests showed the class to be quite above the average in capacity.

Out of material that could be called fairly satisfactory Coaches Binford and Selves moulded a football team with a fighting spirit and a determination to win. A series of close victories over strong rivals paved the way for a crushing defeat inflicted on the traditionally strong Bethany Swedes. With a string of six consecutive victories McPherson was early in November one of seventeen undefeated teams in the United States. Second place in the conference was won when the boys yielded a stubborn contest to the more experienced Ottawa team.

Basketball was even more successful. Decisive scores in several pre-season games gave a harbinger of good things to come. Then several defeats served to take away overconfidence before the conference season opened. The end of a close conference race, which saw the leadership change repeatedly, found McPherson tied for first place with only two conference defeats. Three successive games were played in which the margin of victory or defeat was one point.

The season in forensics was less untold for outstanding victories than for the large number of students who participated creditably in a record number of debates, extemporaneous, and oratory contests. Because of the large number of promising new candidates eight debate teams were organized which participated in a total of 161 debates. McPherson was represented at five tournaments by from four to eight teams. Only one senior will be lost by graduation.

Of unusual interest and value this year was the Regional Conference from February 18 to 23. Dr. D. W. Kurtz of Bethany Bible School was the chief speaker and his addresses were well received by a large number of visitors and friends. President Mondahl of Friends University and others added to the attrac-

tiveness of the program. The trustees of the college held their annual meeting during the same week. Among other items may be noted their acceptance of the resignation of Dr. H. J. Harney after forty-two years of service on the faculty of McPherson College.

Possibly the outstanding event of the year was the financial campaign which culminated with the Good Will Banquet on March 23. Seriously decreased income from various sources, in spite of drastic reductions in salaries and other expenditures, made it necessary to call upon the constituency for substantial funds in order to avoid crippling the efficiency of the institution. Alumni raised over \$2500. After weighing the matter carefully the McPherson Chamber of Commerce voted to assume the responsibility for raising \$10,000 in McPherson and nearby territory. A campaign carefully planned by Mr. W. J. Krehbiel and others was pushed vigorously. Through the generosity of the many friends of the college it was possible to announce the attainment of the goal of \$10,000 at the Good Will Banquet which filled the Convention Hall to its capacity. The third phase of the campaign is being carried on among the Brethren churches which support the college. April 22 has been designated as McPherson College Day. About \$5,000 is hoped for from this source.

The administration is striving earnestly to maintain the morale and efficiency of the institution in difficult times. With the gradual return of prosperity and assurance of measurable income there is hope of meeting the most exacting requirements of accrediting institutions. Alumni and interested friends can aid by their financial support and by sending students who show promise of future leadership. Such cooperation is sincerely appreciated.

Covering

There is no kindness like to that of snow

That spreads its fleecy blanket on the graves we know;

We chop the summer sod to make the flowers blow.

But who could wish to mar a covering of snow?

—P. Roy Brunnel, '23

COLLEGE NOTES

The Theatrical Club, under the direction of Miss Ada Brunk, presented "Enchantés d'April" by Kane Campbell in the college chapel, Friday, April 13. The new cyclorama, designed by Robert Huzley, a student, was used.

Paul Booz of McPherson, was elected Y. M. C. A. president for next year and Verma Keller of Minneapolis, president of the Y. W. C. A.

The art department is now occupying several rooms on third floor of Harnly Hall. The museum has also been enlarged by taking the wall out between it and the practice room on the east.

Dr. Sherwood Eddy, widely known lecturer and social leader was on the campus April 16-17 for a series of four lectures on world problems of today.

The Cosmos Club redecorated the Y. W. room this spring. Many improvements were made and appreciated by the girls.

The Quadrangle, which will be a two-year book, is nearing completion. The editors and business managers for the two years have been Delbert Kelly and Vernon Rhodes, '32, and Everett Fassnacht and Wilbur Vander.

There were seventeen states represented in the student body this year. Kansas heads the list with ninety-one.

The Senior Class of '31 presented an original pageant called "Progress and Promise," which was a history of the college. The pageant was written by members of the class, Reginald Fowler, Gretta Wilma Griffin and Dorothy Drescher in charge. Special music was composed by Mrs. Arthur Reinlander of McPherson and Whiston Cassler, '27.

About twenty students on the campus are employed in C.W.A. work. Improvements are being made on the campus and much office work is being done by these students.

Willard Flaming, a freshman, won the final anti-tobacco oratorical contest.

Rimer Frantz won the championship in the ping pong tournament.

Harry Frantz of Rocky Ford, Colo., was elected president of the student council for next year; Walter Weddle of Bloom, Kans., treasurer of the student council. Sam Stoner of Lagoda, Ind., will edit the Quadrangle next year with John Priesen of Ithaca, Kans., as business manager. Royal Franz of Fruita, Colo., was elected editor of the Spectator and Robert Hook of McPherson business manager. Neva Hunt of Minneapolis, Minn., was elected college cheerleader with Homer Kinnison of Sheldon, Ia., as assistant.

The High School Festival and Music Contest was held April 28.

The journalism department under the supervision of Miss Alice Gill is doing some outstanding work. Campus news items are sent to home town newspapers of college students. They have also organized a clipping service whereby all college news that appears in daily newspapers of this section is collected.

Dian F. A. Replagle has received a special invitation to study in the Psychology Center in Paris this summer with a select group of psychologists and educators from this country.

The Senior Class will present the Shakespearean drama, "Twelfth Night," in the college chapel, May 30. Miss Della Lehman will direct the production.

The Juniors and Seniors had their annual snack on the 4th day, April 30.

New courses offered the second semester included: Theory and Practice of Preaching, Life and Letters of Paul, Programs of Religious Education, Social Pathology, Abnormal Psychology and Advanced Journalism.

Nine men in the college are enrolled in the courses of cooking and sewing. Instead of actually sewing, the boys are making an extensive study of clothes selection.

The college is issuing a monthly bulletin every month except July and September.

FORMER PROFESSORS

Prof. Swopo is teaching in the Industrial Education Department at Purdue University.

Prof. Gaw who taught voice at McPherson College for five years has received his doctor's degree and is now professor of psychology at Iowa State Agricultural College. He is gaining considerable recognition through his experiments on the causes of auto accidents. A recent issue of Harper's Magazine contained an article concerning him.

Miss Mildred Throw received her doctor's degree at Cornell last summer and is now lecturing through the Extension and Research Departments of that institution.

Mrs. Mildred Lamb Le Sueur, a former commercial instructor in the college, lives in Lawrence, Kansas. She is the proud mother of two children. Her husband is employed as an accountant at Kansas City, while she works in a treasurer's office in Lawrence.

Prof. Walter Thompson visited at McPherson last summer. He is head professor in the department of Political Science at Leland Stanford University.

Miss Mianie Walters, former Home Economics instructor at McPherson College gave up teaching in order to care for her mother. Now she and her sister have a lovely home near the campus of Oklahoma A. and M. College at Stillwater, where her sister is college librarian. A nephew resides with them and attends school.

Prof. Briggs, who taught in the Commercial Department of the college, received his doctor's degree at Northwestern and is Associate Professor of Economics in Vermont University.

Prof. Rebel is instructor of modern languages in Redlands University.

Coach Lomborg has been located at Northwestern University for several years as basketball coach. His teams have done some splendid work.

Miss Oral Marchette has been teaching history in the rural high school at San Francisco. At present she is taking a vacation on doctor's orders due to a serious ear disorder which left her deaf in one ear.

Mrs. Anna C. Tsia, former voice instructor at the college, sang the soprano solos in the oratorio, "Elijah" at Winfield this spring and also the soprano solos in the College of Emporia's presentation of the "Messiah" on Palm Sunday.

Miss Margaret Shelly, former violin instructor, assisted by her sis-

ter, Carol, presented a concert in Pappas Hall in Lindsay April 27. Miss Pauline Dell, former student, accompanied them.

Former Coach George Gardner had charge of the Hutchinson, Kansas, independent basketball team known as the Reno Creamery team.

G. Lewis Doll, former violin instructor, was recently elected president of the Kansas League of Junior Bands. Prof. Doll is now director of the Minneapolis Junior Band at Minneapolis, Kan.



DR. H. J. HARNLY

The college trustees at their annual meeting in January elected Dr. H. J. Harnly, director of the college museum and professor emeritus of biology. This move was brought about by the resignation of Dr. Harnly, who has taught longer than any other college professor in Kansas.

In resolutions voted in accepting Dr. Harnly's resignation, the trustees said in part: "We express to Dr. H. J. Harnly our deepest appreciation for his long, devoted, efficient and unselfish service as instructor, secretary, dean, vice president, and acting president of McPherson College. We thank him for his loyal devotion of spirit and for his generous gifts to the college."

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Spohn, '29, Two States, Colo., announce the birth of a son, October 15, 1933.



IN MEMORY OF
 PROF. J. HUGH HECKMAN

Prof. J. Hugh Heckman was born near Hammond, Illinois, on July 17, 1887. He grew to manhood at Cerro Gordo, Illinois. Because of ill health he spent several years in Colorado. In 1908 Prof. Heckman began his ministry in Cerro Gordo, Illinois. He filled several pulpits throughout the country. He secured his education in the grades and the high school of Cerro Gordo, at Colorado College, Mount Morris College, Bethany Biblical Seminary, and the University of Chicago. For ten years he was a teacher in Bethany. Prof. Heckman came to McPherson College in 1928 as head of the bible and philosophy department, which place he held until his death on April 23, 1932. On August 12, 1911, he was married to Joseph A. Sellers, who was always a faithful companion. The three children are Grace, '32, Paul, a sophomore, and Vera, a senior in high school. As a young man Prof. Heckman took an early interest in our church periodicals and contributed occasionally to them. He also is author of several books on the Bible and had been permitted to give a white longer would have added several other books to his list. Besides his family, Prof. Heckman left to mourn his loss a great host of loving friends who will ever hold his life in sacred memory.

This poem was taken from his own handwriting in his Pastor's Manual:

"O happy soul, be thankful now, and rest!

Heaven is a goodly land;
 And God is love; and those he loves
 are blest;
 Now dost thou understand
 The least thou hast is better than the
 best
 That thou didst hope for; now upon
 thine eyes
 The new life opens fair;
 Budge thy feet: the blessed journey
 Has
 Through homelands everywhere;
 And heaven to thee is all a sweet
 surprise."

IN MEMORIAM

Immensurable and far-reaching was the loss of McPherson College when Prof. J. Hugh Heckman was called to be with the Master he had exemplified among his associates. Like his Master, he "spoke with authority" yet his mind was constantly open to new truth, finer discernment, and larger vision. His pure character, high ideal, vital personality, scholarly mind, and dauntless confidence combined to make him one of the best-loved members of the faculty. Students confronted by problems involving moral integrity and spiritual discernment invariably found him a sympathetic helper and advisor. Contemporary leaders and thinkers found him to be optimistic, aggressive, vigorous, one who dared to investigate truth and to stand for his convictions. Readers found him to be a clear, concise, and forceful writer, one whose statements impressed and whose ideas challenged. Words fall one who would eulogize his greatness, yet the word "Friend" suggests the humility, simplicity, greatness with which his life was lived. It was fittingly said of him, "He needs no eulogy; his life is his obituary."

Ebel Sherry, '33

A son, Ronald, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brank, '23, April 27, at Hilo, Hawaii.

Two students of Miss Una Morins, former McPherson college student, ranked high in the annual McPherson College Music Festival.

Herbert Hochstrasser, '32, this year had three championship teams at Luray high school. His basket ball, football and baseball teams won the championship in the Luray league.



IN MEMORY OF
 MISS LORA TROSTLE

Matron Trostle was born in Maryland on August 26, 1883, and died in McPherson, July 29, 1932. She was the daughter of Elder Jacob D. Trostle and Sarah Pfonk. The family moved to Navarre, Kansas, in 1893. After the death of her parents, Miss Trostle did practical nursing in Illinois and served as matron of Mt. Morris College for one year. In 1915 she became matron at McPherson College and retained this place until 1930. Here she became the sympathetic friend and second mother to thousands of college girls and boys.

On account of falling strength, Miss Trostle gave up her work at the college in 1930. While visiting in California with her sister she contracted asthma from which she never recovered. She bore the most intense suffering with patience and sweetness and enjoyed her friends' visits until the last.

IN MEMORIAM

The passing of Miss Lora Trostle, lovingly known as "Matron" to hundreds of McPherson alumni and students, brought grief to all who had known her. Probably the memory of no person who has been connected with the college is more widely, intimately, lovingly regarded and cherished. Her influence was felt by all who attended school during the time she was there. Her sincere concern for all who had ever been under her care was the secret of her popularity during and after her tenure. No problem or difficulty brought to her found other than kindly sympathy and willing administration; no joy or success came to any of her

girls or boys without for genuine satisfaction and happiness. She spent her life "mothering" girls and boys; she will spend an eternity blessed by their gratitude.

Ethel Shorty, '32

HOMECOMING

The Homecoming festivities in the college were unusually interesting this year. The first important event was the football game between the Bulldogs and their ancient enemies, the Swedes. Needless to say, the Bulldogs won by a score of 35-0. A trip through the Globe Refinery was very interesting and instructive. On Saturday evening a college band dinner in the dining hall with the students provided an excellent opportunity to talk over old times and visit with friends. Following the dinner the Dramatic Art Department presented two Oriental plays. On Sunday morning the Homecoming activities were concluded with a fine sermon from our pastor, Rev. Richard, on the subject, "A Drink from the Old Well." We sincerely hope that more of you will find it possible to attend next year. Any suggestions for the program will be welcomed.

FOUR NEW INSTRUCTORS

Four new instructors were employed by the college this year. Dr. Roy C. Peery, a former instructor here, from Chicago has ably filled the place left vacant by the death of Prof. J. Hugh Beckman. Dr. Peery is head of the bible and philosophy department.

Miss Lois Wilcox from Salina is head of the violin department.

Lester Selvey from Emporia was assistant to Coach B. and in football. Coach Selvey was left in the same capacity two years ago.

Paulsel Hayes, student in the college from McPherson has had charge of the college band. Mr. Hayes is a prominent cornetist.

The varsity made quartet of the college sang at the state Eastern Star convention held the last of April at Salina.

C. H. Dresher, '32, an instructor in the McPherson high school, in February gave an address before the annual convention of the Council of Administrators of the Kansas State Teachers Association. He spoke on "How I Teach General Science."

MARRIAGES

Miss Irene Steinberg, '29, and Mr. Walter Kohrs were married last June. They are making their home in Elmo, Kansas.

On Sunday, August 6, 1933, Miss Myrtle Moyers, '28, became the bride of Mr. Leon Freed at Ames, Oklahoma.

Dr. Martin Carlson, '27, of McPherson and Miss Anne Holmquist of Soudan, Kansas, were united in marriage at five o'clock Friday afternoon, February 9, 1934, at the Lindsborg Lutheran Church at Lindsborg. Muffal Eskes, '27, was one of the ushers. Dr. Carlson and his bride are making their home in McPherson, where the doctor practices medicine.

Miss Sylvia Flory, a former student, and Mr. Harold Seaberg were married Sunday, January 28, 1934 at the Methodist Church near Carleton, Nebraska. Rev. W. A. Kizilo, formerly of Navarro, Kansas, and a member of the college trustee board officiated. The couple are making their home in McPherson, where Mr. Seaberg has employment with the Lark Superior Lumber Company.

Kernell Hayes, '22, and Edith Ischtelheimer, a junior in the college, were quietly married Friday, February 2, 1934 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Schwahn. They are living on a farm near Geneseo, Kansas. The groom is teaching school near his home. Mrs. Hayes will be remembered as Dean Mohler's secretary.

Miss Coila Jones, former student and Mr. Ed J. Graber of Moundridge were married at Enterprise, Kansas, November 9, 1933. Mr. and Mrs. Graber will make their home in Moundridge.

Miss Viola Wampler of Dawson Rock and Mr. Harvey King of Lardard were married last fall at the Eden Valley parsonage near St. John by Rev. H. D. Michael. Mr. King is a former student and athlete of the college.

Miss Janice Oliver, former student and Mr. Earl Slayton of Troup, Texas, were married July 29, 1933 in the Methodist Church parlors at McPherson. Music was furnished by Miss Una Morline and Miss Mattie Shay, both former students. The happy couple are making their home in Troup, Texas.

Miss Alice Recklen of McPherson became the bride of Mr. Robert Hodgson of Little River, Sunday evening, May 7, 1933. Miss Jessie Brown played the wedding march.

Mrs. Hodgson is a former student, having taken an active part in Journalism. Mr. and Mrs. Hodgson are at home to their friends on a farm near Little River.

On Wednesday evening, August 16, 1933, Miss Vera Dean and Mr. Nels Christensen were united in marriage at the bride's home in Holmesville, Nebraska, Rev. Paul Brandt, '20, officiating. Harold Deam, '22, brother of the bride sang.

Miss May-Bine Switzer became the bride of Mr. Clinton Hawley September 2, 1933 at ten thirty o'clock at Salina. The couple are at home in McPherson, where Mr. Hawley has charge of the Cofco Shop at the Hotel Hawley. Mrs. Hawley is a former student.

Dean Van Baren, former student of Minnesota and Miss Edna Roberts of Meno were married in Minnesota June 7, 1933. The ceremony was performed in the happy couple's new home. Mr. Van Baren is practicing dentistry in Minnesota.

Marriage united Miss Dorothy Warner and Mr. Max Conner, Wednesday, August 9, 1933. Mr. Conner is employed as music instructor in the Lindsborg high school.

The marriage of Miss Mercedes Chapman to Mr. Phillip Bassett took place at 3 o'clock, Saturday, September 2, 1933 at St. Christy's Church in Chicago. Mrs. Bassett will be remembered as a former instructor in the college. They will make their home in Boston, Mass. Mr. Bassett is an instructor in Brookline, Mass.

Miss Gihetta Clark and Mr. John Wall were united in marriage at ten thirty o'clock Saturday morning, May 20, 1933 at the home of the bride's parents in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Wall is attending school this year, enrolled as a Junior.

A simple and wedding was solemnized Sunday morning, May 14, 1933, when Miss Lois Kuhn became the bride of Mr. Elmer Noel, '32, with Mr. William Riddobach of Galva officiating. The happy couple are making their home in McPherson, where the groom is employed at the McPherson Ice Company.

At high noon, Sunday, June 11, 1933, at the lovely country home of the bride's parents near Hurdell, Miss Floy Brown, '29, and Mr. Leland Lindell, '31, were united in marriage. Mr. Alvin Voran, '28, sang. The bride was attended by Miss Kathie Brown, '23, the groom by Mr. Gilbert Myers, '32. Mr. and Mrs. Lindell are making their home in McPherson.

The First Presbyterian Church of McPherson was the scene of a pretty wedding Sunday afternoon, June 25, 1933, at four o'clock when Miss Dorothy Swain, '29, became the bride of Mr. Carl Anderson of Berkeley, California. Miss Autumn Lindblom, '29, played violin selection and Miss Esther Dallinger, '30 sang preceding the ceremony. They were accompanied by Clara Davis Bowers, '29 at the piano. The maid of honor was Miss Atilia Anderson, '32 and the best man was Byron Swain, a former student. The young couple are making their home in Berkeley. The groom is in the insurance business in Oakland.

Miss Irene Stover, former student and Mr. George Krebs were married on Sunday, October 22, 1933, at the bride's home in McPherson.

The wedding of Miss Edith Oldham to Mr. Gilbert Myers, '32 took place at Newkirk, Oklahoma, Thursday, October 12, 1933. Mr. and Mrs. Myers are making their home in McPherson, where Mr. Myers is employed in the B. K. Store.

Miss Joyce McCristy, former student and Mr. Wayne McGlothlen were married in McPherson, Friday, March 9, 1933. They are at home in McPherson. The groom is employed at the Globe Refinery Laboratory.

The marriage of Miss Clara Grabner and Mr. Eugene Somers took place last summer. Mr. and Mrs. Somers are making their home in Hazelton, Kansas, where Mr. Somers runs a drug store.

Miss Ruth Nickenstaff, '30, and Mr. Willard D. Gilbert were married on June 26, 1933. These young people are living at Abilene, Kansas.

John Whiteneck, '28, was married to Miss Lois Heckman of Chicago, on August 26, 1933, at the Bethany Church, Dr. D. W. Kurtz officiated. They are living in Chicago.

Harvey Shank, '33 and Marjorie Shank, former student were married in Wilmington, Delaware, February 14, 1934. They are living in Hercules, California.

Gleau Seltz and Beulah Nickenstaff, both former students were married last summer. They are living near Larned.

Helen Flory, former student from Grant Head, was married on January 5, 1934 to Wilbur Maxum of Cedar Falls, Ia. They were married at the home of Wray and Irene Whiteneck, '30, in Lincoln, Nebr. They will make their home in Cedar Falls.

Thelma Rudge, '29 and Chester Smith, who were married in the summer are making their home in western Kansas.

Miss Adelyn Taylor, '32 and Mr. Albert Dean, McPherson, were married February 11, 1934 at Manhattan. They are making their home in McPherson.

Miss Jennie Viengst, '29 was married to Mr. Herschel McKinnon in January 1933 in Houston, Tex. They are living in Houston.

Miss Mildred Libby, '29, and Mr. Garnett Stohle were married last summer. They are living in California.

Miss Orpha Beams, former student, and Mr. Ralph Heidbrecht of McPherson were united in marriage at the South Beatrice Church near Holmesville, Nebraska, Sunday, March 25, 1934. Miss Pauline Dell, former student played, Mr. Harold Beams, '22, sang, and Mr. Paul Brandt, '26, officiated. The young couple are making their home in McPherson.

The marriage of Donald Trostle, '32, of Nickerson and Miss Lenore Webb, of Johnson, Kansas was solemnized at Elysees, Kansas on March 4, 1934. They are now busily engaged in building a new home at Johnson, where Donald will farm.

Miss Norine Howard, former student from McPherson was married to Mr. Marvin Johnson of New Gaitland, April 22, 1934 at Lawrence, Kansas. The young couple will live in Wichita.

Oliver Ikenberry, '29, and Margaret Moulton, former student, were married June 11, 1933. Louise Ikenberry, sister of the groom and a former student, and Vernon Rhoades, '33, were attendants. They are living at Lamar, Colorado, where Oliver is principal of the high school.

Dr. J. Willard Hershey was elected president of the Kansas Academy of Science last spring. Dr. Hershey and his assistant in the chemistry department have written and compiled a chemistry manual for beginners, known as the "Laboratory Manual for General Chemistry."

A daughter, Marilyn Lavouns, was born April 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hill, '31.

Dean F. A. Reipolds took his religious education class to the state conference of the Council of Religious Education at Hutchinson. The meeting was held for a three-day period during the first of this month.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brammel, a son, Strong City, Kansas, April 1, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowers, Don Emerson, Phillipsburg, Kansas, Feb. 5, 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hodgson, a son, Little River, Kansas, Jan. 27, 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schafer, Charles Frederick, McPherson, Aug. 23, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Strickler, Ruth Elaine, Hamota, Kansas, April 5, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reed, Dale Vaniman, Wichita, Kansas, April 8, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dick, Paula Marie, Kanorado, Kansas, Oct. 29, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson, James Elmer, McPherson, Kansas, Dec. 22, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shumate, Eugene Lewis, St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 1, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Ruchlen, Janet Lou, McPherson, Kansas, Oct. 23, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Sander Crumacker, Marilyn, Santa Monica, Calif., Sept. 21, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Statzman, Sue Marilyn, Blackwell, Okla., Feb. 26, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bishop, a son, Canton, Kansas, March 11, 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Anderson, a son, McPherson, Kansas, June 21, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hayes, Keith Quentin, Stafford, Kansas, Nov. 27, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Frantz, Robert, Rocky Ford, Colorado, June 7, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brummett, Nadine Helen, Willimantic, Conn., May 16, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kauth, Dan Harold, Salina, Kansas, Aug. 29, 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lauver, Philip Justin, July, 1933, Tampa, Fla.

Four of the sixteen teams that qualified for the state high school tournament in Class B basketball were coached by former McPherson College students. They are Posey Jami-on of Arnold high school, Floyd Baragrosser of Dulbar high school, Marvin Hill of Windom high school, and Ernest Toland of Alexander high school.

DEATHS

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rothrock passed away during the past year. Mr. Rothrock on June 17, 1933 and Mrs. Rothrock on April 22, 1934. From 1888 until 1905 Mr. and Mrs. Rothrock were connected with McPherson College as cooks in the basement of Kahnstock Hall. From here they went to Bethany Biblical Seminary at Chicago, where they remained for 17 years as cooks. Mr. James Rothrock, 69, of McPherson, is a son.

Calvin Briggs, 71, was accidentally killed at his home in Harrison, Iowa early this spring.

Maxine Beaman, former student, whose home is in Oklahoma City, was struck and killed by a hit and run driver last fall. Mr. Beaman was practicing law in Oklahoma City. He attended McPherson College from 1922 until 1924.

Word was recently received of the death of Mrs. Verna Caldwell McGrooy of Calumet, California, who graduated in 1914 from the Normal.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel McKinnon of Houston, Texas passed away on March 13, 1934. Mrs. McKinnon will be remembered as Miss Jennie Younger, '29.

REUNION IN CALIFORNIA

About fifty alumni of McPherson College, who live in southern California, gathered at the Linn Branch Church of the Brethren for a reunion on the evening of March 23, 1934. Mr. Floyd Miehler, '19, acted as toastmaster. After the dinner Mrs. Jacob Boaz, '12, gave the address. At the election of officers which followed, Mr. George Boone, '21, was elected president, Miss Gladys Muir, '15, secretary and Mr. Sam R. Crumpacker, '24, sponsoring plans for being made to hold next year's meeting in Pasadena.

Alex Richards, former student and associate of Prof. Nisinger made some unusual discoveries last summer. Mr. Richards found what he has termed the Sylvan Grove fossil find, a fossil treasury in a rock garden in Sylvan Grove, Kansas.

The Annual Meeting of the Church will be held at Ames, Iowa, June 12-19 this year. It is in our territory and as many as find it possible to attend should do so.

CLASS NOTES

1894

Dr. James Z. Gillett has made the most valuable contributions to the McPherson College Museum. A complete restoration of the skeleton of the North American Sloth, and a complete skeleton of the sabre tooth tiger, both from the Lake, have been contributed by Dr. Gillett.

1903

Ivy C. Strohm and wife spent the summer and winter at Manitou, Colorado. Mr. Strohm is in insurance work.

1905

Ray W. Baldwin received his Ph. D. from the University of Chicago, in March 1933. He is now teaching economics at Morningside College in Des Moines.

1906

Charles Siffer organized an elementary night school program in McPherson for the unemployed and those preparing for employment by the F. E. A. Only those over eighteen years of age are eligible to enroll.

Minnie Bartels is doing some fine work in the Red Cross organization at Inman, Kansas.

P. C. Heberer is president of Taber College at Hillsboro, Kansas.

1907

Robert E. Mohler was elected to the post of Governor of the Eleventh District of Rotary International last spring. During the summer he with his family toured the eastern states attending Rotary meetings. Recently Dean Mohler was elected treasurer of the Kansas State Teachers Association.

Gay Hudson, of Wiley, Colorado, and father of Helen Hudson, '31, will run for state senator from his district. Mr. Hudson has been state representative.

1910

Mr. Bert Trostle of Nickerson is in charge of the farm loan work in Reno County. He just received his appointment for another year and has moved his office to Hutchinson.

1911

Professor J. C. Russell, for a number of years professor of chemistry at McPherson College, continues his successful career in the University of Nebraska as Professor of Soils. Professor Russell's work is recognized as authoritative throughout the entire agricultural world.

1912

R. C. Flory, since returning from the China mission field, has, with his family, been living at Grant's Pass, Oregon. Mr. Flory operates a farm, specializing in the production of bulbs and in the raising of English walnuts. Before her marriage, Mrs. Flory was Miss Lizzi Keher, of the normal class of 1907.

Mrs. Edna Lester Boaz, with her husband Rev. J. M. Boaz, is serving efficiently the Brethren church of San Diego, California.

1913

John W. Deeter is at present the pastor of the Brethren Church at Redondo, California. For a number of years, he was professor of Bible at McPherson College. Since discontinuing his college work, he has proved himself an efficient pastor. Mrs. Deeter was formerly Miss Effie Stump. She is a graduate of music and education.

Mr. P. W. Way continues his work as Professor of Biology in Wichita North High School. There are in this same school several other McPherson graduates. Included in the list are J. C. Dotson, who is now assistant principal, and Miss Catherine Mohler, Professor of Journalism.

Since the death of her husband, Roy Nisinger, Mrs. Elsie Buckman Nisinger, with her children, has been living in McPherson. In addition to her home duties, Mrs. Nisinger is teaching Bible in the grades of the city schools.

Sarah Wilmore Haruly, wife of Dr. H. J. Haruly, finds great joy as she devotes considerable time to the growing of her beautiful flower garden. Former students and alumni are always welcome in the Haruly home.

1914

If one were to take a vote of the most widely known McPherson College alumnus at the present time, without a doubt the one receiving the most votes would be Professor H. H. Nisinger. His recent book "Our Stone-Paved Planet" has attracted wide attention. Recent articles he has written that have appeared in several leading magazines, have done much to spread his fame throughout the country. Last summer the Nisingers collected meteorites for the Smithsonian Institute at Washington.

Paul Seidel is a successful farmer in McPherson County. Mr. Seidel has not only proved his ability to manage a farm through a period of

depression, but he has also extended his influence in community, county, and state as a leader of agriculture.

1915

W. H. Yoder is pastor of the Brethren Church a few miles south of Waterloo, Iowa. This church and community have been pronounced by some as being the most ideal rural community to be found in the entire United States.

Gladdys Muir of LaVerne, California, was elected secretary of the McPherson alumni group in southern California at their annual dinner, March 23.

Ellis M. Studebaker, now president of LaVerne College, spoke in Wichita to a group of Friends University trustees and alumni, late in January, on the affiliation of colleges in the Claremont group. LaVerne College is one of the several schools associated with the Claremont Colleges.

1914

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoerner of Fairfield, Iowa, are the parents of a baby girl born February 27, 1934. They have given her the name, Mary Louise.

1917

Bruce Ebelman and Kathryn Thomas Ebelman, '18, are now living at Red Cloud, Nebraska.

Mannia Miller has profited by the extensive oil industry in his community near Galva, Kansas.

Fayanna Snader Wilson and her husband, who live in Los Angeles, California, have patented a collapsible boat which is receiving a great deal of recognition in sea coast cities.

Nan Swanson Sharpe continues as the able executive secretary of the Red Cross in McPherson County. Mrs. Sharpe has had large responsibilities in recent government employment and relief projects.

1918

Galen Jones, assistant superintendent in charge of Secondary Schools at Tulsa, Okla., has been elected principal of the high school at Plainfield, N. J. Mr. Jones succeeds Mr. Lindsey Best, who has reached the age limit for service and will retire this year.

H. Roy Phillippi continues his active work as a Congregational pastor, Baker, Montana. He is serving his tenth year as a member of the Board of Directors of the Montana Congregational Conference. He is now chairman of the Conference committee on religious education. He is a member of the Commission on Stewardship of the General Council of the Congregational and Christian churches and will serve as a

delegate to the meeting of the council at Oberlin, Ohio, the coming summer.

Jonathan and Adra Schmidt are serving the First Congregational church at Highland, Illinois, for the sixth year. Jonathan was recently moderator of the Springfield Association of Congregational churches. For a number of years he has been one of the faculty for the state young people's conferences held annually at Torron Hill, Michigan. The Schmidts have four delightful children: Pauline, fifteen; Ruthana, twelve; Jean, six; and Jack, five.

1919

Claude and Mary Durst: Wilson live busy lives at Boulder, Colorado. Mrs. Wilson was elected president of the Rocky Mountain region at the recent state educational convention, Denver. The honor is in part a recognition of his successful coaching of high debate teams at Boulder. Four years out of the past five his teams have been state champions. He is one of the nine delegates who will represent Colorado at the N. E. A. in Washington, D. C., this summer. Mrs. Wilson is secretary of the Boulder branch of American Association of University Women.

1920

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Ebbert of Quinter, Kansas, write from their farm home that they are very happy and busy with the round of chores and business connected with their livestock and wheat farming operations. Mrs. Ebbert is especially busy since the arrival of Alberta Mae on last July 6th. who with the other children, a girl and two boys are demanding time and attention as they make progress in their educational careers. Aside from his home duties, Mr. Ebbert has taken a leading part in the organization and development of the local Co-operative Oil Company of which he is President. Mr. Ebbert is also a member of the board of directors of the Union Oil Company of North-Kansas City, Missouri, a regional organization of the National Cooperatives Inc., composed of Kansas and seven adjoining states.

Roy Wampler received his Ph. D. from the University of Chicago in Chemistry.

Morris Harnly, who has been teaching in the undergraduate school of New York University has recently been transferred to teaching in the graduate school of the same university.

1921

Ada Decker Dechold and little daughter have almost recovered from very severe injuries received when struck by a car near their home at Weka, Kansas in September. Mrs. Dechold and three daughters expect to move to Emporia, where Mr. Dechold has been appointed director of the next C. C. C. work.

Samuel R. Merkey writes that they are living on a farm north of Abilene and doing the best that they can.

Minnie Mugler is a music teacher at Altamont, Kansas.

Lewis Naylor is teaching at Coryell, Kansas. Last summer he and two of his three boys helped the Central-Kansas Young Peoples' Camp at Abilene, where Mr. Naylor had charge of the camp recreation.

Edward Van Pelt is farming near Nickerson and preaching in the Salem Church.

Earl Frantz resumed his pastorate at Subotha, Kansas, to take up a similar work near Grundy Center, Iowa.

1922

Oliver Holmes is at home with her mother, who is not in good health. They live at 1931 Cedar Street, Carthage, Missouri.

Ira Whitmore is finishing her second year teaching English in the High School at Robinson City, Illinois. Having had only two months' salary paid in cash and the rest in school orders during that time her future ambition is having to pay an income tax.

Bertha Franz is keeping house for her brother Alfred and mothering his four children. She also is a most efficient teacher and worker in the South Beatrice church at Holmesville, Nebraska.

Harold Beum is a very successful farmer near McPherson. In addition to his farming he is very active in Farmers' Union work and is also clerk of the Elyria school board.

Mayme King is teaching in the Hutchinson High School. Recently she was one of the judges for the city religious drama contest.

Ira Stiles has a fine dental practice in McPherson.

Henry Stover and his wife, Fannie McGaffey Stover with their three children are located at Nortonville, Kansas, where Henry is superintendent of schools.

Dayton Yoder lives on a farm near Conway, Kansas. He and his wife are the proud parents of a girl and a boy.

In the February number of the *Alumnae Monthly* is an article written by Curtis Billings a member of the staff of the Public Safety Council, explaining the driving tests of Dr. Alvah Lauer, chairman of the Committee on the Psychology of the Highway of the National Research Council. He is now associate professor of psychology at Iowa State University.

1923

Ira N. H. Drummell is principal of the high school at McLouth, Kansas. In addition to being principal Ira is coach of athletics, teaches a Sunday school class, preaches in the McLouth church, farms some, serves on the county examining board and lectures at Teachers' Institutes. That should be enough to keep one man busy.

D. E. Brunk is teaching in Honolulu, Hawaii at the McKinley High School. For the first time this year he is teaching woodshop.

Enlah Crumpacker Essex is keeping house at Stafford, Kansas. She spent a part of the winter in McPherson caring for her mother who was seriously ill.

Marietta Ryerly is teaching home economics in the high school and junior college at Poteau, Oklahoma. Carl Dell's are operating a general store at Oneida, Kansas.

Bernice Morrison lives with her sister in Lawrence, where Bernice is doing some tutoring in the University.

Leonard J. Frantz is superintending the Hillsboro Public Schools.

F. Roy Brammell is teaching his second term in Connecticut State College. He is directing a graduate student in his work on a master's degree.

Mrs. E. Neher is a licensed poultry tester at Quinter, Kansas. He says that he has handled approximately 25,000 birds during the season.

Lewis W. Florman is in a very interesting work at Onekama, Michigan. He is in the business of buying and selling postage stamps.

Fuel and Rowena Sargent are very busy people these days. While "50" sells life insurance Rowena is occupied caring for their three fine children. They still live in McPherson.

Anna I. Myers is doing computer work for the Priceo Railroad at St. Louis, Missouri.

Cecile Martin is a very active club worker in McPherson.

Stella Bowman Harden enjoys her housework, caring for little Joyce

and substituting for Len occasionally at Toescott, Kansas.

P. R. Lange is serving the Menouette Brethren Church at Huhler, Kansas as pastor. Occasionally he is engaged in evangelistic work.

Roy F. Hyton is teaching in the eighth grade of the LaVerne Grammar School at LaVerne, Calif.

I. T. Dirks is a busy principal of the senior high school at Yates Center, Kansas.

Mrs. B. E. Ebel is teacher and principal of a school in Redlands, California. Her oldest boy is spending his third winter in the graduate school at K. U., while the youngest is doing graduate work in the University of Redlands.

Jessie Breon Trent cares for a husband and four children besides being representative for the Sprella garments in Forest Park, Ill., where she lives.

Harry Nickel is teaching in Dinuba Union High School at Dinuba, California. He also teaches a class in night school.

Ada Correll is very efficiently serving the church at Buckeye, near Abilene as pastor.

Orville D. Pote is having a busy time at the Halstead High School where he is serving his eleventh year as principal.

Jacob Yoder says that times are better at Carleton, Nebraska, where he is in the Ford business.

Earl M. Rowman is again preaching in Philadelphia, Pa. and is also taking some theological subjects in Crozer Theological Seminary at Chester, Pa., a suburb of Philadelphia.

Ada Kurtz Carpenter is enjoying life in Texas City, Texas, with her two little girls and her husband.

Glenn A. Johnson, while tending the affairs of a farm near Newton, Kansas has time to write songs and poetry. Mrs. Johnson is also inclined that way.

Marie Cullen is busy in San Bernardino, California in civic work. Last summer she had a very enjoyable trip to Alaska.

John Mohler is an agriculturist at McCune, Kansas and says that he has no desire to change.

Clyde H. Rupp has been acting on a county committee to cooperate in the carrying on of the program of the A. A. A. in Palfurrias, Texas.

Ines Hagston Graher and her husband are enthusiastic members of the Hutchinson Dramatic Art Club and Little Theatre in Hutchinson, Kansas.

Grace Crumpacker is in charge of the general reference department in the State Library at Topeka.

1924

To the members of the class of 1924, the Alumni Association sends congratulations on your tenth anniversary.

Dale Strickler is doing some outstanding work with one of the Boy Scout troops in McPherson.

Miss Edna Neher is teaching in Gaylord, Kansas.

Roy C. Kinzie is manager of the Ice Company at Lyons, Kansas.

Floyd Holcomb is teaching at Duran, Kansas.

Chreslea Heckman Colberg had charge of a branch of CWA work in Lyons County this winter.

Garmou Daron is teaching anatomy in New York Medical University.

David Brubaker is teaching in an intermediate school in Los Angeles, California.

Lillian Sandy is teaching in the high school at Hillsboro, Kansas.

Out of sixty members this class has three deceased, 22 teaching, and six married couples within the class. They are:

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Homberd
Haddon and Della Day Hsley
Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Waas
Summer and Doris Ring Eshelman
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Templeton
Carl and Grace Ebaugh Schneider.

1925

Mr. Vilas Retis is now located in Chicago as an accountant with the Price-Waterhouse company.

LeRoy Allison Crist scored his Ph.D. in Philosophy and Religion from the University of Chicago.

Little Crumpacker Jones has recently organized a nursery school in McPherson. She has a group of about twenty-five youngsters of pre-school age.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garman are living in Snohomish, Washington, where Mr. Garman teaches. Mr. Garman has his Master's Degree from Oregon Agricultural College.

Mr. Marathon High has his Ph.D. from Ohio University at Columbus, and is now Professor of Physics at the State College, Fargo, North Dakota.

Abram Hostetter teaches music at Manhattan, Kansas.

Elvie Prather is principal of the high school at Meade, Kansas. Last summer Mr. and Mrs. Prather and Mr. and Mrs. Horning, former students, succeeded in man-handling a handi, who was attempting to take

their car while they were playing croquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ruthrauff live at Eudora, Kansas, where Mr. Ruthrauff is manual arts instructor in the high school. Mr. and Mrs. Ruthrauff are the proud parents of a little girl born about a year ago. They have given her the name of Phyllis.

1926

Ambyr Hale has become sales manager for the Farmers Alliance Insurance Company at McPherson. Mr. Hale is also building a new home on North Walnut Street. His engagement has been announced to Isabel Eskoldson. The wedding will take place this summer.

Paul Lutz is now head chemist for the Refinery of the Pure Oil Company, at Midland, Michigan.

Mattie King Werts lives in Nampa, Idaho. Her husband has recently accepted a position with the Kelm Meat Packing Company.

Sibbey Sondergard is proving to be an outstanding county superintendent in Saline County. Mr. and Mrs. Sondergard are living in Salina.

1927

Martin Carlson is located at McPherson in the medical profession and has been reappointed county health doctor.

Moffat Eakes finds that the insurance business is more enticing than teaching school. Moffat has offices in McPherson and is salesman for the Union Central Life Insurance Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Baldwin live in Mayetta, Kansas, where Mr. Baldwin is superintendent of the schools. This spring Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin adopted a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlo Kilian have given up the sunny plains of Kansas for the mountains and valleys of Idaho. The Kilians are now located at Nampa. Saleswork seems to have a fascination for Harlo.

George Merkey still has much capacity for work. George superintends the schools at Gaylord, Kansas, and for pastime operates a dairy. We believe that Mrs. Merkey must be an able assistant.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hiebert are living in Wichita. Mr. Hiebert is operating a general insurance agency. Mrs. Hiebert will be remembered as Kathryn Swope.

Glen Rothrock is working out his Master's Degree in the University of Arizona at Tucson. He is assisting in the physics department, also has had charge of the C. W. A. work at the University.

1928

S. Lawrence Barnhart is pastor of the Brethren Church at Allene, Oklahoma.

Kathryn Burgin has announced her engagement to Clyde Shentels.

Leo Crumpacker has finished his work at the Northwestern University medical school and is taking up his internship in the Evanston hospital.

Franklin and Roberta Brown Evans and little girl have visited the campus several times during the past year.

Howard and Winnie O'Connor Kelm are doing a fine work in the Church of the Brethren at Ottawa, Kansas, where Howard is pastor. Last summer Howard taught a class at the Young People's Camp at Abilene, Kansas.

Laverne Martin teaches physics in the Nampa, Idaho high school.

Lela Rhodes Kriebel is a housewife at Lenora, Kansas, where her husband edits the newspaper.

Mabelle Koskum teaches in McPherson.

Myrtle Sangron is a teacher in the McPherson schools.

Anna Kaye Birckler teaches in the high school at Oskaloosa, Kansas.

Raymond Trostle and his wife, Bernice McClellan Trostle, live on a farm near Johnson, Kansas. They are hoping that they will have a good wheat crop this year.

Portis Vaughn has a position in the Indian school at Tellequah, Oklahoma.

John Wall and his bride, the former Othetta Clark are living in their new home recently constructed on east Euclid Street in McPherson.

John Whiteneck is studying for the ministry in Bethany Biblical Seminary in Chicago.

Martin Whee, who for several years was an assistant chemist in the Western Star Mills at Salina, Kansas, recently accepted the position as head chemist in the Gourz Flour Mills Company at Newton. Mr. Whee will have one assistant chemist. While working in Salina Mr. Whee was co-writer of a number of pamphlets concerning cereal chemistry which have attracted some attention.

Alvin Votaw teaches voice in McPherson College.

1929

Hulse Barber is at home in McPherson. In the recent presentation of the "Messiah" at Lindsborg, Hulse played in the orchestra.

Ruth Hish is a teacher at Sylvia Grove, Kansas.

Chester Bishop coaches in the Canton high school.

Archie Blicke-staff is the coach in the Little River high school.

Ralph Bowers coaches and teaches manual training in the Phillipsburg high school. He and his wife, Clara Davis Bowers are the proud parents of a son.

Thelma Judge Smith is a housewife, living in western Kansas.

Lola Bell and a girl friend are running what is known as the Kitz-Bell nursery school in Des Moines. It is composed of children of preschool age from 2 to 4 years. At the present time they have about 25 enrolled.

Margaret Drescher is librarian at Hays State Teachers College.

Harold Farnach teaches commerce in the high school at Wiley, Colo. This past summer Harold taught a class in commerce in Greeley Colorado Teachers' College.

Roy and Ethel Mae Metzker Frantz live in Rocky Ford, Colo., where Roy is in the chicken business. They are the proud parents of a son born last summer.

Eather Fredaure Shumate is the mother of two children. She lives in St. Louis.

Ernest Goehla for the past four years has been principal of the high school at Bush Springs, Okla.

Harvee Hutchison is at home in Thomas, Okla.

Elmer McTominie is farming near Nickerson, Kansas.

Melba Mohr-Johnson lives in Abilene. Lloyd works with the telephone company there.

1930

Doris Ballard teaches English in the Alta Vista high school.

Floyd and Madelyn Gray Barngraver live in Boulder, where Floyd teaches and coaches in the high school. Floyd's team won first in the class B tournament at McPherson. They also won third place in the state tournament for class B schools.

Ruth Blicke-staff Gilbert lives in Abilene. Her husband is a minister. Paul and Ruth Turner Bowers are spending their third year at Stockton, Kansas. Paul coaches and teaches in the high school. Ruth has students in piano and voice.

Reuben Bowman and his wife, the former Alberta Hovis live in Abilene, where Reuben teaches and coaches.

Chester Carter Graham is a housewife in Perryton, Texas.

Harold Crist is the principal of Rocky River high school.

Esther Dahlinger teaches music in the McPherson city schools. Recently Esther organized a county 4-H Club chorus, which will participate in a state contest.

Lloyd Dicks teaches music in the Gaylord high school.

James Elrod is the pastor of the First Brethren Church in Wichita. Lila Fields is helping her father in his office.

Wray and Irene Whitbeck live in Lincoln, Nebraska. Wray runs a dairy truck.

Glenn Harris is working on his rice plantation at Jennings, La.

C. O. Heibrecht operates a drug store in Inman, Kansas.

Ethelbeth Hess teaches in Detroit, Ia.

Martin Hoover teaches in Wilsonville, Nebraska.

Edward Kaufman is high school principal at Whitton. Mr. Kaufman is also president of the county teachers' association.

Helen Ellice Riehl is a housewife in Twin Falls, Idaho.

Florence Lehman teaches in the high school at Covert, Kansas.

Ethel Meyer is at home in Canton, Kansas.

Ruth Miller teaches home economics in the Bloom high school.

Ray Nonken coaches at Wakarusa, Kansas.

Irene Steinberg Kohr is a housewife in Elmo, Kansas.

Lillian Thomas is principal of the Park Grade School in McPherson.

Lawrence Turner teaches in Twin Falls, Idaho.

Clarence Zink teaches in Harper, Kansas.

Vivian Lindbeck is the art teacher in the Lyons high school.

1931

Edith Aboldt teaches at Leoti, Kansas.

Fred Andrews and his wife, Velma Wino Andrews are still in Gaylord where Fred teaches and coaches in the high school. They are the proud parents of two fine children, Fritz and Joyce Elaine.

Cletus Carney is farming near Novelty, Mo.

Glady's Christiansen is the home economics teacher in the Canton high school.

Eugenia Dawson teaches home economics in the Anthony high school. "Gene" also has charge of a large G. R. group of high school girls.

Keith and Viola Bosser Hayes moved to Stafford, Kansas this year, where Keith teaches in the high school and Viola cares for their infant son, Keith Quentin.

Both Hendrickson Leonard lives in McPherson. Beth had the leading feminine role in the play "The Enchanted Cottage" recently presented by the Playmakers.

Marvin Hill teaches commerce and coaches in the Windom high school. Marvin's basketball team won recognition in several tournaments this spring.

Edna Hoover teaches home economics in the Roxbury high school.

Heiken Hudson teaches in the high school at Two Buttes, Colo.

Ethel Jamison is a teacher in the Quinter high school.

John Lehman is furthering his study of law in K. C.

Iida Longel teaches home economics in the Alden high school.

The reporter of reporters at the McPherson Republican Office is Leland Lindell, Leland and his wife, Floy Brown Lindell make their home in McPherson. Floy is in charge of one of the Girl Scout troops of the city. Recently Leland was elected county president of the young Republicans.

Alma Morrison is the English teacher in the Roxbury high school.

Edith Murray teaches history at Canton in the high school.

Bianche Pyle is the commerce teacher in the high school at Quinter.

Ivan Rump is farming near Inman, Kansas.

Herbert Ruthrauff is pastor of one of the Brethren churches in Wichita. Mr. Ruthrauff has done some fine work in the Bible School there.

Nina Stull teaches in the Windom high school.

Minnie Teeter teaches in McPherson in one of the grade schools.

Beth Trustle has been appointed to the position of medical case worker at the welfare office at Hatchinson.

Carroll Walker teaches music in the high school at Norway, Kansas.

Naomi Witmore is the music teacher in the Otis high school.

Harry Zink teaches manual training in the high school at Valley Center, Kansas.

1932

Roy Battles teaches in a rural school near Canton.

Lillian Carlson is at home in McPherson.

Nellie Collins is at home in Larned.

Herbert Eby is taking graduate work in the University of Chicago. Last summer Mr. Eby won a tuition

scholarship in the graduate school of social service administration.

Evelyn Fields is teaching in the Park Grade School at McPherson.

Vera Flora Diggs is a housewife at Gaylord, Kansas, and on the side teaches piano lessons.

Myretta Hammann is teaching music at Enterprise, Kansas.

Kermit Hayes teaches near Geneseo, Kansas in a rural school.

Fern Hirkman has been taking training in a hospital in Colorado Springs, where Miss Hirkman is also teaching a class in chemistry.

Luther Horn is farming near McPherson.

Posy Johnson of Arnold, Kansas, is now principal of the high school there.

Ralph Johnston is coach and manual arts instructor at Coffland, Kansas. Ralph has had a very successful year in athletics.

Elmer Keck is assistant manager of the McPherson Ice Co.

Philip Lawver is principal of a high school at Ruskin, Florida. On Sundays, Philip preaches in the Tampa Church.

George Lerew teaches near Fortis, Kansas.

Clara Peru Mast is at home in McPherson.

Constance Meyer has charge of the Study Hall at McPherson Junior High School.

Herbert Mowbray farms near Conway.

Minnie Magler is a music instructor at Altamont, Kansas.

Gilbert Myers clerks in the E. K. Store at McPherson.

Verle Ohmart is proof-reader at the McPherson Republican Office.

Ethel Sherfy teaches English and dramatics in the Chase High School. At the recent Playmakers production of the play "The Enchanted Cottage", Ethel's entire dramatics class was present.

Elizabeth Richards teaches a rural school near Waldo, Kansas.

Evelyn Saylor teaches English in the Lehigh High School.

Charles Smith is studying music at Bethany College, Lindsborg.

Ada Stutzman is working in Droll's Grill in Wichita.

Adelyn Taylor Dean is a housewife in McPherson.

Donald Trestle is married and lives on a farm near Johnson, Kansas.

Florence Weaver is secretary to Earl Reed in the Union Central Life Insurance office at Wichita.

Mary Weddle teaches home economics at Gaylord, Kansas.

Alberta Yoder is convalescing from a very serious illness at her home in Waterloo, Iowa.

Royal Yoder teaches the Groveland, Kansas school.

Attilla Anderson recently announced her engagement to John Austin of McPherson. The wedding will take place in the near future.

1933

Charles Austin is principal of the Mound City, Mo. high school.

Ethel Brown is the home economics teacher at the Abbyville, Kansas high school.

Genovieve Crist is a teacher at Cove, Kansas.

Odesa Crist is teaching home economics at Quinter, Kansas.

Clarice Evans has recently taken up duties in one of the McPherson Grade Schools as an overflow teacher.

Bernice Fowler is at home in Worthington, Minn.

Gretta Wilma Griffin was awarded a scholarship in the Department of Education, University of Chicago, where she is studying. Grace Lerow, former student in with Miss Griffin as reader.

A. W. Hinds is serving the McPherson Nazarene Church as pastor. Grace Heckman is teaching English and Latin in the Marion, Kansas high school.

Tilly Heidebrecht teaches at Duhler, Kansas.

Elizabeth Holsemer is doing post graduate work at the college.

Dolbert Kelly works in the McPherson Home State Bank.

Melvin Landes is furthering his studies at the college.

Lloyd Larsen has a position with the Barber Supply Co. of Abilene, Kansas.

Ruth Lingenfeller is principal of the Roosevelt Grade School in McPherson.

Hopo Nickel is doing graduate work in English at Wichita University.

Ruth Harms Nigh is a housewife, living in McPherson. Mrs. Nigh is very active in club work.

Clara Peterson is a mathematics teacher in the Junior High School of McPherson.

Vernon Rhoades is teaching in the Canton high school. Mr. Rhoades has had a very successful debate team this year, having tied for first place in the state class B meet.

Kislo Rump is at home near Inman, Kansas.

Harvey Shank has a position as chemist with the Hercules Powder

Co. at Harenlos, Calif. Mr. Shank was transferred in February.

Ellen Stolberg is at home near Lovelace, Kansas.

Milo Stucky is teaching the upper grades in the Elyria school.

Faurl Walker is working in McPherson.

Ward Williams teaches and preaches at Castleton, Kansas.

Six women, who were McPherson College students 30 years ago and all lived in the dormitory during their school days met on August 28, 1933 for a reunion, the first time they had all been together for 29 years. Those in the group were: Ella Pheber, '14, a missionary to India who is here on furlough, Mrs. James Rothrock of McPherson, formerly Bertha Delp of Murdock, Miss Della Hoerner of McPherson, Miss Almeda Hill, a graduate of Lincoln University, Miss Nellie Knosley, who teaches in the schools of Clovis, New Mexico, and Mrs. J. M. Sautsman of the Monitor community.

College Hymn

(Tune: Dear Lord and Father of Mankind)

Written for the Senior Pageant

Dear Alma Mater, College fair,
Our praise to thee we give.

May doubt, defeat, ne'er thee en-
sue;

Thy life, thy hopes we gladly share;
In loyal service live.

Dear thou thy torch aloft, un-
dimmed;

Flash on, thou flame of truth;
Light all the world with love divine;
May God thru thee our hearts refine,
Thou cherished friend of youth.

—Ethel Sharfy, '32

California

Breath of orange or desert air,
Zephyr that tangle sweet maidens'
hair,

Tides that swell and kiss the strand,
Golden sunbeams on golden sands, &

Mountains shadowed against the
blue,

Mists that vanish when day peeps
through,

Verdant valleys with nature's store
Of sweet perfume and gold glare,

Peace and contentment, treasures
rare;

Life's open portal, dreams mystic
fair;

Symphonies celestial, God's crystal
dome;

Land of my passion! California, my
home.

—Roy P. Nyton, '23

TREASURER'S REPORT
April 22, 1933—April 28, 1934

Checking Account	
RECEIPTS	
On Hand, April 22, 1932	\$ 87
Amount Dues	12.50
Advertising	12.50
Banquet Tickets	72.50
Interest Rec'd	225.30
	\$331.67

EXPENDITURES	
Envelopes & Postage	52.86
Typing & Printing	4.45
Banquet Expense	96.17
Letterheads	5.50
Secretary	85.00
Sec'y of State	1.00
Trustee Expense	20.00
Miscellaneous	2.56
Interest Paid	.50
Balance, April 28, 1933	63.65
	\$331.67

Savings Account	
On Hand, April 22, 1932	\$125.00
Receipts	45.00

ON HAND APRIL 28, 1933 \$165.00

RESOURCES	
Church Bonds 4%	\$2,500.00
College Note 7%	1,000.00
Note @ 8%	100.00
Cash	63.65
Savings Acc't	165.00
	\$3,828.65

LIABILITIES	
Class of '32, Interest on	
\$400 @ 8% for 3 yr.	\$ 72.00
On \$100 @ 8%	32.00
Net Resources	3,724.65

\$3,828.65

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