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C H E M I S T R Y

The chemistry department located in the basement is well equipped. The laboratory room for experiment work accommodates forty students working, at one time. There are good chemical tables with drawers and lockers and each student is loaned the apparatus for his individual use. All chemicals, reagents, and apparatus necessary are in stock. The spectroscope and balance room is easily accessible across the hall. General apparatus include spectroscope, projection lantern, drying oven, water bath, gas generators, gasometers, gas cylinders, analytic and general balances, standard thermometers, hydrometers, specimens to illustrate organic chemistry, hood, besides stock of glassware and smaller pieces of apparatus. Recitation and lecture room is in the large and commodious Science Hall. An excellent library is in the adjoining room for reference, consisting of principal text books and other publications relating to Chemistry. While in the courses given, the text books are used as guides, the instruction is in no case confined to what is presented in the book. Students are referred to standard publications bearing on their work. Further, the

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Chemistry 2.—Qualitive Chemistry open to all who have had course 1. It comprises a study of those reactions of the elements and their compounds that are used in their detection. This is followed by the practical application of the knowledge thus gained to the analysis of unknown substances, both in the solid form

and in solution. Laboratory work, four hours per week. Notes of experiments and reactions required besides theses. Regular text book work in quantitative analysis and metallurgy, besides lecture and investigative work in chemical subjects. Time, eighteen weeks third and fourth terms, daily.

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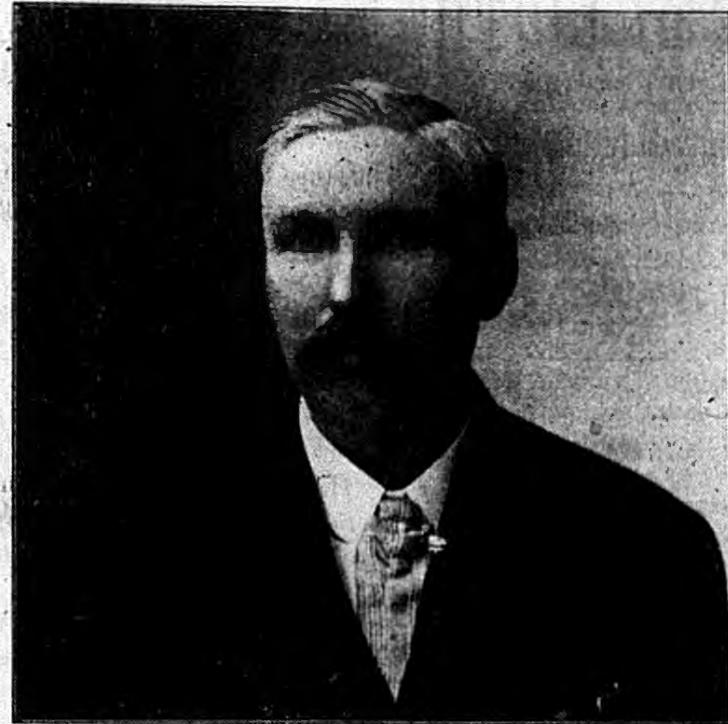
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A. J. Shaw was born in Michigan in 1867. He came to Kansas in 1878. Worked on a farm and attended district school until he was 22 years old, when he entered McPherson College and took the Commercial course, graduating in May 1890. At this time he was a fairly good writer, but realizing that the better penman he was the higher salary he could command, he re-entered the school on December 1, 1891, taking the one study, Penmanship. He completed it on April 1, 1892, and immediately took a position with the Farmers' Alliance Insurance Company where he remained as head bookkeeper until January, 1899, when he resigned to accept the position of secretary of the Kansas State Mutual Hail Association, which he still holds.

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EDITORIAL

DEAR PROFESSOR: To yourself and McPherson Students.

Two Lives.

(HARPER AND BROTHERS)

1. Two bodies are from us gone:
But two lives are with us yet.
Two lives ended? No, only changed.
Two lives make our city pause,
And look with awesome reverence
On their marvelous deeds and works.
Two lives, in all our hearts, have
Builded firm, strong monuments,
And now two lights like radiant
Stars shine above our very heads.
2. Two forms back to earth have gone:
These great lives are yeasting yet.
Two good lives? Yes, transformed.
Two grand lives with their leavening,
Towering thots leave us pondering,
To follow on in their footsteps
Hallowed by their useful deeds.
And hopeful works, and hopeful
Words. Two glorious lights by the
world will be adored for aye.

J. A. C.

B U S I N E S S

In a recent issue of a city daily there were one hundred and twenty-three "Help Wanted" ads for bookkeepers, stenographers, bill clerks and other office help.

WHAT DOES THIS SIGNIFY?

Just this: Firstly, the reputable colleges of today are unable to supply the demands of the business men for competent office help and they are forced to use the want columns of the newspapers. Secondly, if the truth were known regarding those advertising for positions you would find that fully ninety per cent of

them have either been forced to "resign" their last position, because of incompetency, or have had their application for a position rejected by the business man because they did not have the necessary thorough training. A great many of them are the very victims of "fake schools" that guaranteed to "graduate" them in six or eight weeks and to get them a position.

BUSINESS MEN OF TO-DAY.

Have no time to conduct a kindergarten or school for the training of their office help; whom they pay to do their work. They are willing to pay well for help that comes to them thoroughly trained to do the work they want done.

YOUNG MAN, YOUNG WOMAN.

If you wish to succeed in business you must be prepared. If you are not you will probably be forced to add your name to the "Situation Wanted" list.

We keep in close touch with all the largest business houses in this section and have arranged our course of study accordingly. Hundreds of our graduates are occupying positions with them and are giving perfect satisfaction. Hence, we have the confidence of the business men and when they are in need of office help of any kind they naturally look to us to fill their wants. We cannot supply the demand.

YOUNG PEOPLE, THINK BEFORE YOU LEAP.

Do not go into the business world unprepared to do the work the business world wants done. Let us help you. We can give the necessary thorough training that will equip you to successfully hold any position offered you.

STENOGRAPHER.

Yesterday a business man phon-

ed us for a stenographer. He said I want a good stenographer to go to work next Monday. We have more such calls than we are able to fill. Come, let us get you ready for a position.

D I S T I N C T I V E

Harvard University has many distinctive features that Yale or Chicago does not possess. The same may be said of either Yale or Chicago Universities.

McPherson College, situated in the center of Kansas, which is located about the center of the United States has many distinctive features of high merit, high quality, and high grade work not possessed by similar colleges.

We can give you facts that you cannot help but accept. We had three young men to enter our college from Ohio; as soon as they graduated they received fine positions; one as professor in a college, one as superintendent of a public school and the other in one of the high grades in a city school.

This is one out of many similar cases. Ask our old students; they will tell you why and how.

Many of our old students are filling fine paying positions in New York, Chicago, Kansas City, Denver, and San Francisco, and a host of other towns and cities. You can thus judge by what we have done for others whether we can be of help to you.

NEWS NOTES

Prof. C. J. Shirk is to give a lecture on "Combustion" at Elyria on Feb. 23.

A. A. Hartman of Vinton, I. T., has enrolled in the Commercial department.

Miss Ollie Groff has been dangerously ill for several weeks but is now improving.

Grover Dotzour, a former student has returned and enrolled for the rest of the school year.

Mrs. L. J. Dickey and children went to Cordell, Okla., where they will spend about six weeks visiting with relatives.

Our Elder, L. D. Mohler, has purchased the Miller property north of John L. Kuns' corner and will move his family into it.

Miss Ida Jacobs, one of our Senior Normals was unable to attend classes on account of sickness but is now well again.

About sixty electric lights have been placed in the dormitory, and the gymnasium and Irving Hall have also installed new lights.

Noah Neher has purchased the Kindblade farm 2 miles east of College Hill. Joseph Andes, our genial real estate man made the transfer.

The Elite Society gave a special program on Monday evening, Jan. 15, and demonstrated the fact that they are doing excellent society work.

Miss Helen Goodsheller recently visited at the college. She has decided to enter the sanitarium at Pueblo, Colorado, and become a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Trostle of Nickerson spent a few days on College Hill. They left for a visit to Chicago, Mt. Morris and other points in Illinois.

About fifteen of the young men have organized a debating club known as the Athenian. Merle Slagle was chosen president, and Frank Kraybill secretary.

Earl Kauffman arrived from Bellefontaine, Ohio, and will continue his studies at McPherson

College. Earl has rubbed up against the world and finds need of better preparation.

Pres. Frantz is winning fame by his lecture on "The Successful Life," which he has given on the Lecture courses of the neighboring towns. He will also address the McPherson county teachers on March 3.

Elder Thomas Garst has moved his family from Tennessee to take advantage of our superior educational system. Two sons are attending College, two daughters are in High School and four children are in the grades.

Prof. L. W. Elder gave a lecture in the college chapel recently on "Types of Fairy Tales" which was very much enjoyed by the students. Prof. Elder has read extensively in Greek Mythology and his lecture was both instructive and entertaining.

S. H. Bashor is attracting considerable attention by his steady and rapid improvement in penmanship. Prof. Fahnestock offers several prizes and a number of the students are working hard and faithfully and are becoming fine penmen.

Miss Europa Horning's Mission Study class gave a Missionary program at Bridgport and Elyria and also at the College chapel. They are doing excellent work and enjoy it very much. The other Mission Study classes are growing in numbers and interest.

Mrs. J. P. Harshbarger received the sad intelligence that her sister, Mrs. Netzley was burned to death in California. A lamp fell and exploded, the flames catching her dress. Mrs. Harshbarger went out to help care for the motherless children. Mr. Netzley was badly burned in trying to extinguish the flames. Mrs. Laura Haugh is caring for them until the arrival of her mother.

The chapel was overflowing with people Saturday evening, Feb. 3. Never before in the history of this

institution did a Senior elocution address such a large audience. The music which was supplied was of the highest order and we feel that such an entertainment as was given, does not have its highest merits in entertainment but it is educational.

Prof. S. J. Miller, instructor of English in McPherson College, gave his lecture "Literature in the Public Schools," at the college on Saturday evening, Feb. 10. Prof. Miller has spent much time in the study of literature and languages. His lecture showed thorough preparation and was greatly appreciated by a large audience. He has lectured at a number of the surrounding towns this season and has been everywhere greeted with much enthusiasm.

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ALUMNI NOTES

Miss Edna Suffield '02, returned from Emporia and has enrolled as student in her Alma Mater.

Prof. S. E. Miller who has charge of the Chase Schools spent Sunday at his Alma Mater recently.

Miss Della Macomber has so far recovered as to go to Lawrence where she will reside with her sister.

Mrs. Berenice Gateka Ritz '93, visited her Alma Mater recently. Her husband is engineer on one of the main lines through Indian Territory.

Miss Lucetta Johnson of Wichita, a former student and teacher of McPherson College, arrived recently for a visit with Prof. Harnly and family.

Miss Lulu Gilchrist '05, writes from Fairfield that she enjoys teaching and has found the ideal school of which Prof. Clement so often spoke.

Miss Ruby Buckman gave an excellent Kansas Day program at her school south of Conway. S. A. Pollock, Minnie Bartells, and Myrtle Pickering furnished the music.

E. D. Baldwin writes from Kansas City that the Y. M. C. A. basketball team is winning laurels. Chas. J. Davis, James Ferris, Ernest Horn, James Fields and E. D. Baldwin play in the team.

Go to Chanute.

Eighteen of the young men of the College Y. M. C. A. left on the midnight Rock Island to attend the State Convention of young men's Christian association which meets at Chanute February 8 to 11. Those who composed the delegation were: J. H. Williams, Pres. F. H. Crum-packer, Merle Slagle, Herbert Derrick, Guy Breon, Harvey Snowberger, F. R. Cline, Howard Shirky, S. H. Bashor, G. C. Dotzer, F. E. Pouts, A. J. Delp, Harvey Brubaker, S. A. Pollock, Ira Vaniman, Ira Arnold, Levi Stump and James Wöhlgemuth. The McPherson Col-

lege association is one of the strongest and best in the state and has a national reputation for strongest Bible Classes and Mission Study.—*McPherson Daily Republican.*

Were Well Pleased.

Elders Geo. Mannon, of Gypsum city, M Kellar, of Nickerson, and L. D. Mohler of this city who compose the visiting board of McPherson College paid a visit to the institution yesterday. They were highly pleased with the high grade of work being done and the excellent moral and spiritual atmosphere that pervades the school. They say that all reports of the college were complimentary and no word of criticism had reached them. Everyone is justly proud of the record of this institution for it is a credit to the city and community.—*McPherson Daily Republican.*

BOUGHT MARKERS.

John D. Milliken as a member of the State Historical Society attended a meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the State Historical Society, held at Topeka, whose purpose it was at that meeting to purchase markers for the old Santa Fe Trail.

The markers which will be purchased for this purpose are of concrete and are about four feet in height, and will be erected at intervals of two miles all along the trail. The railroads will also be requested to erect more elaborate markers, wherever their road crosses the trail. The trail covers about thirty-five miles across McPherson county and is crossed by railroads at six places. Three miles south of town is where the Santa Fe trail crosses Coronado's line of march. At this place and at Fuller's Ranch and the Stone Corral it has been proposed to erect larger monuments. The

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be sure, there are not an awful lot of them, but there are certain opportunities for every young man and young woman who will avail themselves of first getting a good education.

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