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Senior Play To **Be Repeated** Sunday Night

Are Requested By City **Ministerial Alliance To Repeat Performance.**

Enthusiastically received by the playgoing populace of Macampus and the city of McPherson when it was played the first time on March 17, 'A Family Portrait," Coffee and Cowen's biblical dramtic hit of 1940 will be re-presented Easter Sunday night at 7:30 under the sponsorship of the McPherson Ministerial Alliance:

The cast has been rehearsing steadily since the initial performance Senior Day Held on March 17, and some improvement has been made in scenic and stage On April 11 effect has been made, it was announced Wednesday by Paul Dannelley, director of the play.

The second performance of the play is being given in response to many requests from local people who were unable to see the first presentation, and a large crowd is expected. Through the cooperation of the Ministrial Alliance, most of the churches in town are not having services and the local ministers are conducting an extensive campaign, urging their congregations to attend "A Family Portrait."

Because of the length of the play, curtains will open promptly at 7:30. No admission will be charged, but a free will offering will be taken be- at the present time shall be eligible. tween the first and second acts to cover cost of production. Between the al with the contestant, but must not second and third acts there will be a exceed eight minutes in length. brief intermission.

FOR Continues Studies In Jones New Book

The Fellowship of Reconciliation is continuing its study of the book, Is the Kingdom of God Realism, by Dr. E. Stanley Jones. Last Sunday even-"The Kingdom of Heaven is Within You.

to have any meetings for the next tion reductions must be used during two weeks

Speech Department

Alumni Present Chapel Program

Alumni of Macollege presented the program in chapel Friday morning. The first numbers on the program were two cornet solos, "Calm as the Night" and "Somewhere a Voice is Calling" played by Mrs. E. G. Nigh. a former Macollegian. She was ac companied at the plano by Gertrud, Conner, an M. C. student.

Miss Donna Jean Johnson of the class of '41 interpreted a short play, in a piano recital Monday evening. 'The Beau of Bath." She portrayed April 6 at 8 o'clock in the college the roles of the three characters very effectively

Harold Beam concluded the program with two tenor solos, "The Jessie Brown as accompanists. The Blind Plowman" and "Requiem."

To Feature Tea, Campus Tour, Banquet In Evening.

Music festival sponsored by the music department of McPherson Col lege will be held Saturday April 11 This festival is held in connection with the High school senior festival The festival is divided into two divisions—the adult and the juvenile divisions in both piano and voice Prizes of tuition scholarships in the music department are given.

The following rules are set down for all contestants.

1. No student enrolled in the Mc-Pherson College Music Department 2. The Composition used is option

3. The title of the composition must be in the hands of Miss Jessie Brown, not later than Thursday evening, April 9.

4. Students under 15 years of age shall enter the juvenile contest. 5. Students between the ages of 1 and 20 shall enter the adult contest 6. The judges shall consist of the ing Elvin Frantz reviewed Chapter Music Faculty of McPherson College. Each contestant will be allowed a 10 percent reduction in music tui-The next meeting will be held two tion, provided, he enrolls in the Mcweeks from this coming Sunday even- Pherson College Music Department ing with Kurtz Ebbert as leader. On during the year following the conaccount of the senior play and the test, and that he does not win a scholortario chorus it will be impossible arship. Also all scholarships or tui-

of Miss Della Lehman.

one semester only.

Poister Gives Piano Recital Next Monday

Junior Piano Student Of Miss Brown Presents Beethoven, Handel.

The music department of the college will present Miss Luella Poister chapel. Miss Poister will be assisted by Miss Twila Peck, contralto, with Prof. Nevin W. Fisher and Miss program will consist of compositions by Beethoven, Handel and Chopin, Liszt and modern composers, and will include the third movement of the piano concerto in G Minor by Mendelssohn. Miss Poister is a member of the Junior class and is a piano student of Miss Brown. Miss Peck is classified as a senior and studies voice with Prof. Fisher. The public is cordially invited to

No BYPD Meeting Held Next Sunday

attend this recital.

No B. Y. P. D. meeting will be held panied by Dave Albright. that the seniors are presenting their vocal part of the program when he in the Community Auditorium. All and "Purple Shadows." the members of the B. Y. are urged

to attend this performance. ler talked to the group about the ied at the piano by Prof. Fisher. events in the last week of Christ's The concluding selection was Shulife. Mary Spessard had charge of bert's "March Militaire" arranged Witmore First devotions; Alvin Klotz was song-lead- for eight hands and played by Richanist.

Thespians Choose Play "The Dover Road," by A. A. Milne, hight comedy in three acts was choen as the spring play to be given by he Thespians. This play has its setting on the Dover Road in England, and is supposed to have taken place about ten years ago. The plot is cleverly woven around the adventures of two married couples, each member of whom imagines himself to be in love with the mate of the other member. The couples change partners and elope, but their plans are foiled by an

inn keeper who tricks them into staying at his hotel and proves to Started By SCM them that they really loved their rightful mates.

Male Music Students Give Chapel Program

Miss Jessie Brown had charge of ment. the musical program which was pre-

chapel Friday morning. Scripture was read by Raymond

Slifer a two-piano number, "Liebesfreud."

"Polka" by Casey, and was accom- problems. on Sunday evening, due to the fact Kenneth Wampler presented the

play, "A Family Portrait," at 7:30, sang two solos, "Prayer Perfect" and group discussions.

On Palm Sunday evening Dr. Metz- ian number on his violin accompan- Tuesdays.

er, and Leora Dobrinski was the pi- and Mohler, Dave Albright, Herbert In State Anti-Ronk, and Kenneth Thompson.

Dr. E. Stanley Jones **Inspires** Audience

"All things belong to you: life, death, the future; and you belong to Christ," quoth Dr. E. Stanley Jones, in a message to an audience of approximately 2500 persons assembled in convention hall last night.

New Commission

The Ethnic Minorities Commission Pherson College and the Miniis a new commission on Macollege Campus, having been introduced this semester. It is one of the Commissions set up for the Region by the his audience by his deeply in-Regional Student Christian Move- spiring testimony of his faith

'fhe group has been studying and sented entirely by the masculine stu- discussing the conditions, discrim- introduced his theme by stating dents of the music department in inations, and possibilities of the Negroes of our Southand.

In the coming weeks of the school that Christ is the answer to this questerm, the plans are that the Jewish tion, and we meant it. But many The first performers were Dave Al- group will be the theme for several wonder what is going to emerge and bright and Herbert Ronk who played meetings, the Japanese on the West many wonder if Christianity is sufcoast since the United States entered ficient, or is just a defense mechan-Leland High played a trumpet solo, the war, and the migratory workers' ism.

> Programs consist of book reviews, not in the light of the problem, but representative literature of the in the light of the person; this is group talks by competent leaders, effective as long as we are centered

The Commission is co-chaired by Franklin Hiebert, a former stu- Wayne Parris and Eunice Swank. dent of Macollege played a Hungar- The meetings are held at 9:40 on

Tobacco Contest

Five Colleges Enter Contestants, **Prizes Given By Local Dentist**

Miss Anne Witmore, a "talented but timid freshman." (quoting Professor Hess), won the state anti-totions over their major subjects. Dr. sided, Dr. Boitnott remained at the bacco oratorical contest held at Cen-Miss Witmore's subject was "For

the Public Good." Kenneth Shelly of empted to transfer to paper the vast However, the atmosphere of the Miltonvale was awarded second prize quantity of information which they room was far from gloomy. Rather on his oration, "Birds of a Feather."

have accumulated during their four could it be described a studious. An Third prize was taken by Roscoe aura of self-imposed quiet surround- Knight of Friends University. Other No glamour there. Only frowns ed each busily writing senior. A schools participating in the event faith should be the Godman, and not

Dr. Jones, brought to Mc-Pherson through the cooperative efforts of the Student Christian Movement of Mcsterial Alliance of McPherson, held the undivided attention of in God.

Speaking without notes, Dr. Jones "Tonight is Holy Thursday, the night of the terrible question. We say

Christianity makes its decisions

In a special message to the students of McPherson College, Dr. E. Stanley Jones gave the following testimony in a brief interview after his address of last evening.

"My deepest conviction is that the way to Christ is realism and not idealism; that Christ was not an idealist, but a realist, so far ahead of us that we think of Him as an idealist; that the way of Christ is stamped into us, into the total organization of our lives. The way of Christ is the way we are made to live and if we try to live some other way we break down

"Evil is not only bad, but also foolish. When we try to live against reality, we find that it cannot be done. You cannot live against life and live."

in Christ. "No man is good enough to be the center of all faith." Dr Jones believes that the center of our

Continuing his theme that things belong to Christ," he pointed out that the unifying principle for all denominations should be, "I belong to Christ," and not I belong to John Calvin, or Martin Luther, or George Fox, or St. Francis, as the followers of these great teachers seem to do, but rather, these great leaders belong to all Christians and all Christians belong to Christ. At this juncture of his speech Dr. Jones pointed out that even the ideals of Hindu Mahatma Gandhi be-Dr. W. C. Heaston, McPherson long to him. He expounded Gandhi's fer than their agressors had to "Our efficiency today depends to punish. 85,000 leading men of India

rear stay at the college.

Seniors Parade Knowledge In

Comprehensives Wednesday Wednesday morning at 8:00 cross his t's and dot his i's. found McPherson College seniors During the entire four hour ex-

convened in the chemistry lecture amination period, except for a brief room for comprehensive examina- interval in which Mary Spessard pre-J. W. Boitnott, dean of McPherson desk in the front of the room, leav- tral College, Friday, March 27. College, presided during the four- ing his chair only to answer queshour ordeal while the seniors at- tions and distribute paper.

intense concentration and pre- spirit of condemned kinship united were Central College and St. John's the good men. Students heard on the program occupation covered the pans of the the normally undemonstrative seni- College of Winfield.

Presents Broadcast

Fifteen Members Participate In Program.

radio station KSAL, Salina at 1:30 Jarboe, and Lyle Albright.

Life," and was under the direction hear the broadcast.

were Lucy Blough, Betty Burger, otherwise cheerful seniors. Although ors into a body of like-minded souls. Dr. J. W. Fields, a local dentist, Maxine Ruchlen, Jean McNicol, Jean a brief recess for soft drinks and re- After the examination was concluded. provides the prize money for these Oberst, Margaret Hamm, Luella laxation was allowed at 10:00 the there was no loitering in the exami- annual contests. The prizes were Fifteen members of the McPher- Poister, Anne Janet Allison, Leland morning in general was character- nation room. As if at a prearranged \$35, first place; \$25, second place; son College speech department pre- High, Nathan Jones, Robert Mays, ized by a sternly observed silence, signal, the seniors, except for one or and \$15, third place.

sented a thirty minute program over Wayne Geisert. Wayne Crist, Russel broken only by the soft whirring of two brave souls who finished early. pencils and pens being brushed over rose and quitted the room, apparent in the afternoon of March 21. The A number of other students were paper, punctuated now and then by ly having but one motive-to forget program was entitled "American present at the studio to watch and the stacatto pecking of the pencil of and relax.

some English major going back to

Amateur Actors Splurge With Gala **Entertainment For Stunt Festival**

Last Saturday night the lads and Second berth went to the men of Several other stunts were highly Professor Fisher this week. Fisher lassies of McPherson College trod Fahnestock Hall. Their skit was cen- worthy of praise. Arnold Hall staged added, however, that these plans are a large extent upon our physical fit- went to prison to stand for Gandhi's the boards of the chapel stage in true tered about the well-known poem a parody on the balcony scene from merely tenative and may be subject ness," said Dr. Heaston. He stated theories, and thus, not through histrionic fashion in presenting their "The Murder of Dan McGrew". The Romeo and Juliet starring Kate Mc- to alteration if occasion demands, that the greatest need America is fac- force, but through love, India has annual stunt night. Various organiza- scene of this action was a saloon in Rae as Romeo and Blanche Geisert-as Students making the trip will be the ing today is the need for "individual shaken the foundations of Britain. tions from the campus contributed the Yukon during the gold rush days, Juliet. Women's Council gave an im- women's quartet, composed of Vir- and collective manpower." to the evening of hilarity, and from and the set was complete with bar, promptu radio Quiz program pat- ginia Kerlin, Louis Stambaugh, Jean these some previously undiscovered piano, typical saloon characters and terned after Kay Kyser's Kollege McNicol, and Lucy Blough, the men's which Dr. Heaston maintains should shirts, red shirts, green shirts, etc., actors and actresses of rare talent a general hazy atmosphere. The story of Musical Knowledge with Virginia quartet, composed of Lyle Albright, govern our lives are that we should of the various -isms of the world and emerged

Swinger in the roles of Prof. Hess, bartender Willie Linville. Dannelley was thoroughly browbeaten and subdued at the end of his excampus for another year.

cing jawbreakers.

presented by the Men's Council in by Clancy Bunyan, and the gal named of Arnold gave a gruesome gob of Poister and director Fisher will make Dr. Heaston also enumerated which appeared Wayne Geisert, Ted Lou played by Herbie Ronk. The jag gore entitled "Bluebeard" which fea- the trip. Washburn, Lucille Harris, and Glenn time kid was Dave Albright, and the tured Blanche Geisert, Leora Dobrin- The two quartets plan to visit need in order to meet those three re-

Prof. Wayland, Miss Lehman and Third prize was tendered to the of note was the hanging head which Minnesota, and Nebraska. They plan as Hess really set the pace and did on the well known poem "The Court- young man about to be married. The the various churches and in the en defective parts. cluding such fine points as the un- Miles Standish and Finfrock as John program featuring various entertain- schools along the route. locking of doors, swatting of flies, Alden carried the male leads and in- ers. The Student Council presented Expenses on trips of this kind are inflection of voice and grinning). Mr. cidentally a good line of wisecracks, a screwy takeoff on an old fashioned met largely by donations from "Floppy Locks" Flory played the "mellerdrammer," starring McAuley, churches attended. These deputaamination by these worthies and by part of Priscilla who evidently must Linville, Dobrinski and others. Retheir decision will remain on the have had some difficulty in pronuon- freshments were sold by the social to encourage prospective students to with medical men. committee.

Heaston Speaks On Physical Fitness

Must Keep Physically Fit, Mentally Alert, Says Heaston.

Members of the McPherson College College Doctor, spoke in chapel Mon- theory of pacifism, that love can Men's and Women's Quartets will day morning on the subject of physi- conquer hate. He interpreted Gandleave for a sixteen day tour on April cal fitness. His speech was another hi's philosophy as meaning that his 14, to visit churches and highschools in a series of programs devoted to people had greater capacity to suf-

centered about the miner played by Kerlin as the 'ol Professor and Katy Dave Albright. Esthel Ikenberry, and be physically fit, mentally alert, and pointed out that the -ism that Gandhi Capturing first prize was the stunt Doc Willams, Dangerous Dan played McRae as the orchestra. Third Floor Ronald Orr, also accompanist Luella morally clean.

number of health habits which we ski, and Isabelle Crumpacker. Also Kansas City, Northern Missouri, Iowa, quirements: 1. Regular constructive exercise Paul Dannelley respectively. Geisert Sophomore class who gave a parody the I. R. C. presented a pep talk to a to giev performances every night in 2. Corrective measures to strengththe impersonation to perfection (in- ship of Miles Standish." Klotz as WAA presented a radio push button daytime they will sing at several high 3. A regular continuous living schedule. 4_Good diet. 5. Rest. 6. Comfortable clothing and hous- tal. tions are made to show the constitu- ing.

ency what the college is doing, and 7. Complete cooperation of and Oratorio 8. A sense of humor.

Coloring his speech with bits of Three fundamental principles humor, Dr. Jones spoke of the black represented wore no shirt at all:

> (Continued on Page Two) une in on our Social Calendar Saturday April 4 .- Freshman Skating Party 7:30. Sunday April 5-Easter Monday April 6-Poister reci-Friday April 10-Rehearsal for Saturday April 11-H. S. Music Festival.

Through Five States

Quartets Take Trip

attend their church college.

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Readers Must Use Discrimination

Daily, as we pick up a newspaper, we read stories pertaining to the war, Japan. Germany, Italy, England, China or any other country involved in this war. As we read we form an opinion—either we believe the story or we don't. Chances ed to answer the terrible question. are, rather than disbelief, we probably have a belief in the truth of the statements therein.

Occasionally, however, we find ourselves becoming doubters. We don't believe anything we read. About each article assurred of an unshakeable King-we conclude, if it talks of war, that it is propaganda. Yet, we dom and an unchangeable Leader can read a neighborly news story, and if it criticizes the govern- "But only as you surrender to Him ment, for one reason or another, that too, in our minds, has a will you walk the world as a conbad taste because it is talking against our government.

On one hand we are mentally criticizing our government master myself," concluded Dr. Jones. for putting out propaganda, and on the other hand criticizing the other fellow for trying to keep the people aware of what is to master one's self he gave the folgoing on.

In our modern world with its many rapid means of communication, public sentiment changes rapidly. For this reason, your wrongs; Return to Christ; Rethe public must be kept informed and awakened to both its progress ad its mistakes.

Just because a story pertains to the government does not mean that it is propaganda. Likewise, just because a writer criticizes the government does not mean that he does not like his government. It probably means that his concern is great enough to spend time and effort on constructive criticism.

The reader, it is true, must use discrimination in his reading. He must not either accept blindly or reject blindly what-ever he reads. Yet there is the danger of becoming too critiing. cal. How much easier it is to find fault than to correct it.

April 1st Has Excuse For Existence

This week men's foolishness was reemphasized by his observance of April Fool's day, the day when the average person becomes a practical joker and the practical joker runs rampant, making a fool of himself as well as of his victims. When and how the custom got started and who is to blame for it nobody seems to know, but the day is here after withstanding the test of time

A love of fun is a natural characteristic that can be observed in every normal person from infancy to the grave. The teasing in grade school, the ribbing in high school, and the corny jokes of the college student (and his professors) serve as indicators of this instinctive nature. But the joker should remember that fun at another's expense is poor fun indeed. The only truely practical joke is the one that can be at least partially enjoyed by everyone involved. Practical jokes harm no one if they are tempered by common sense.

Perhaps April Fool's day is a blessing to mankind. In these times of stress and strain people need a vent for the mischief that collects within them. Laughter is good for the soul. A well-known clinic has the following motto: "A Laugh a Day Keeps the Doctor Away." That statement may seem trite but it does have a moral. On April 1, everybody is given the chance and excuse for doing the fooling things he secretly desires to do at other times; but for reasons of etiquette and propriety he

Jones Speaks

(Continued from page 1) therefore, should have nothing up its sleeve

As Gandhi's pacifism rocked the foundations of the English empire, so the Christian pacifism broke the Roman Empire. "You say it won't work?" questioned Dr. Jones, "The most powerful figure who ever lived took this stand; he still lives on. Attacking national morals, he made this statement. "In this national crisis the greatest fifth columnist is the legalized liquor traffic. All drinking and taking of narcotics is

failure of nerve, such practices are crutches for lame ducks." Con tinuing in this vein Dr. Jones said, "The right thing morally is not only the healthy thing physically, but also economically and sociologically. I don't think the world can run except in the Christian way. In trying to solve our problems we will try every other way, but finally we will

come back to the feet of Christ. Citing examples of people enduring great physical handicaps, the speaker of the evening philosophized that "We do not belong to life and death, but they belong to us and we belong to Christ." He spoke of a young girl who went out to get a kick out of life and all that she got was a

"The unshakeable 'yes' has sound-

proclaimed Jones, and he proved his statement by saying that we have the will to live now because we are queror. I master the earth as I In answer to the question of how lowing ladder, built around the letter R: Review your life: Reverse nounce yourself; Restore for your misdeeds; Receive from Him; Relate your experience to those about you; Replenish your spirit; and Release your soul.

thought was "I can do all things

if they are jealous and suspicious of each other and do not put the interests of higher education above institutional prosperity then they will, as they should, ultimately cease to function.

Arnaud C. Marts, president of Bucknell university. He agrees that "the privately endowed college faces some very puzzling problems brought on by war conditions," and adds that "every person, every institution, every business, is facing equally puzzling problems." He then goes on to ask: "Why should the college be exempt from worry, from readjustments, from sharp sacrifices? It is no time for a college to feel sorry for itself. Rather it is time for it to face its problems squarely bravely and wish unselfish zeal for maximum service to youth,

Eight different members of the

national problems. One enthusiastic member reported this morning that Dr. Jones has marvelous personality, a genial laugh, and a friendly twinkle in his He was very well pleased with the response of his McPherson audience last night, and expressed his appreciation for the large audi ence

Going to Wichita yesterday after noon to bring this outstanding peaker to McPherson were Wayn rist, Rowena Albright, Raymond Slifer, Bob Frantz, and Doris Voshell Accompanying Crist as he made he return trip to Wichita last night after the inspiring address were Al vin Klotz, Richard Berger, and Luile Horner.

Among the opinions expressed by he missionary to these members of the S. C. M. was this: that the preent world conflict would undoubt edly end in a stalemate, which, he pelieves, would be the best thing for the world.

on, Indiana, to speak for a special Easter service. He then plans to go o Fremont, Neraska, and thence to Texas

Choir Entertains Women's Council

Present Six Numbers Men's Quartet Sings

Ladies of the women's council of the Church of the Brethren and their guests from among the college hill population were entertained by vocalizations of the McPherson College A Capella Choir and Male Quartet intended to be complete. Thursday afternoon. The choir, led by professor Nevin W. Fisher, pre

Eight Students Become Acquainted With Jones

local Student Christian Movemen were privileged to become bette acuainted with Dr. E. Stanley Jone and to converse with him on inter

Dr. Jones' next journeys to Ander-

the war is over, but the general principles which will constitute the framework or pattern of a just and durable peace can he and ought to be seriously considered by all who in any way an concerned with ridding our posterity of the scourge of war. Some of us who were young men and women in the first

World War prayed and worked that another like conflag. ration would never occur again. Now we have sons and daughters caught up in World War No. 2. Evidently we did not do a very good job. May it be that we depended too much upon verbal prayer and not enough upon work.

The President's Corner

A Just and Durable Peace

ue in thinking and planning a peace while engaged in war, is true that the details of the peace cannot be determined unt

I do not share the attitude of a few who say there is no val

It seems to me that basic to a just and durable peace are th following facts and principles.

1. War is not inevitable.

2. The way to peace is to disarm the hearts of men b teaching to our children among other things the following:

- (1) There is one God, and the universe is His. (2) Human values are supreme values.
- (3) There are no superior nations or races. Prejudice

are acquired.

(4) Life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness are the inalieanable rights of all peoples everywhere.

(5) The innate tendencies of man can be directed to ward the general welfare and the common good

(6) Man is not innately immoral or unethical. He is pa tentially a saint much as potentially a sinner.

(7) The world does not owe me a living only a chane to earn an honorable livelihood. In earning my living should be willing to render value received for all favor and opportunities.

(8) The morals, ethics, and theology of Jesus if under-stood and practiced will make all men brethren and the world a brotherhood. Nothing short of a common moralit for the world will eliminate war.

3. The causes of wars, especially the last two, must be approached objectively and understood alike by all peoples of all nations.

4. The world is capable of producing the essentials of wholesome physical living for all of her inhabitants if her chi dren become morally and socially intelligent

5. Changes, as they affect large numbers of people, com slowly, but history furnishes many evidences of desirable social and cultural changes.

The above material is merely suggestive and in no sense



(usually) refrains from so doing

Private Colleges Healthy Influence

The prospect of continued success for private colleges in the United States, in the face of the strangling effects of an allout war situation, has become a frequently-discussed subject in educational circles. Three recent statements by college presi-dents seem to summarize educational opinion with regard to the outlook for these institutions:

Asserting that private colleges have proved a healthy influence on the life of the nation, the Rev. Robert I. Gannon, president of Fordham university, says "it is significant that wherever absolute states have flourished they have depended for their support upon public, and therefore political, control of all education. Without criticizing or even suspecting any college or university in the country, we can face the fact that the elimination of privately controlled institutions or even their serious debility, would remove an obstacle from the path of a possible dictator in the United States."

Dr. William Mather Lewis, president of Lafayette college "We are constantly reminded," he points out "that the private conlege, "We are constantly reminded," he points out "that the privately endowed college is not free, that its future is problematical, that in a period of rapidly increasing government domination it may entirely disappear. This counsel of gloom I believe to be entirely without foundation, because the independent insti-utions the most the mean industrial social and noli be entirely without foundation, because the independent insti-tutions train youth to meet the new industrial, social and poli-tical problems of each epoch. However, if our private colleges insist upon maintaining outmoded curricula, if they are timid and fearful in the face of crises which affect income and attend-ance, if they lower their standards and admit the unprepared,

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Jones Is First In Local Peace Oration

Burger Places Second, Hedges Third; State Contest April 24.

The local Peace Oratorical Contest won on Sunday evening, March 12 by Nathan Jones. The winning of this contest makes Jones eligible for participation in the State Peace Oratorical contest, which will be held in Lawrence, Kansas on the evening of April 24.

Second place in the local contest was won by James Burger; Geraldine Hedges won third place. Others participating in the contest were Blanche Geisert, Harry Reeves, and Bob Mays Local prizes awarded were \$7.50 for first place, \$5.00 for second, and \$2.50 for third. In the state contest the first prize will be \$15; second \$10; and third \$5. McPherson College has brought home a considerable amount of cash in contests of past years

Debate Delegation **To National Meet**

Will Apply For Membership In Pi Kappa Delta,

Tomorrow veteran debaters Ernest Peterson and Wayne Geisert, together with Professor Maurice A Hess, former debate coach, will leave by bus for Minneapolis, Minnesota, where they will attend the National Convention of Pi Kappa Delta

This delegation will represent Mc-Pherson College at the convention and will be expected to answer any questions concerning the college The hope is that a loca chapter of Pi Kappa Delta, national fraternity of senior college forensics may be granted by the convention.

If a chapter is granted to the college forensic society, the initiation banquet for local charter members they for McAuley. will be held on May 2. Present indications point to a charter membership of twenty to twenty-five debaters and orators.

The McPherson delegation, according to present plan, will return to the campus one week from tomorrow.

A Cappella Choir Concert Success

Large Crowd Attends Tenth Annual Program.

Extremely successful was the tenth anniversary concert of the McPherson College A Cappella Choir. The concert was held in the McPherson High School auditorium last Friday evening. A large and appreciative crowd greeted the sing-

Included on the program were



(This one is not a horse)

Ther's one who's cut a caper. This merry oneth of Apr. And he merits all the space that he is given.

He introduced Leora's folks To the dormitory blokes, Such tender things increase the joy of livin

engaged in making some little time Since this paper has been in the killers affectionately known as Solimaking for two weeks, I am going to tary marble games. Since the craze do a little ressurecting. I trust that started last week, it has swept such you don't mind. Anyhow, no news is gaming organizations as the SCM, dead news, as far as I am concerned. the IRC, etc. Rowena Albright, en-Let the dead bury the dead, I always tertainment fan, is one of the most say. Any fool can plainly see that recent converts. am not dead. A dead person could

At the A Cappella Choir banquet not be so clever. the other night, toastmaster Bittin-Nick and Connie, arsonists of the ger unleashed a barrage of verbal first water, returned to the scene of badinage at the various contributors their crime this week. The fire at to the program. Laughter greeted the Manor last week, according to each story with which the urbane Bunyan the informer, was started by master of ceremonies introduced each the two above-mentioned. But were succeeding number on the docket they sorry? No, they came back! Most successful of all, however, was Speaking of the fire, did you know the one in which the good doctor told why Orvell was safe afterwards? You of his first a cappella choir concert. guessed it. She was protected by Gayheard in the jungle. The story runs lord Coughenour, another underclassmen. The unders have as much at- to the effect that the leader of THAT choir had hair. At this point Prof. traction for Orvell, apparently, as Fisher evinced interest. Being nearsighted, I had thought that all choir

Margaret Davis, pretty dater of a leaders had hair. local mustached faculty member, has Since the lecture delivered by Jack stolen the heart and also the ring of Stutzman's roommate. Nothing like practically keeping it in the family. And Ralph "Bonny" Bontrager is also a friend of Pascal, Margaret' brother. Nothing like prospective We have completely rejuvinated brothers-in-law getting along well our cafe, built in a modern pantry, together modernized our kitchen facilities

Also Jim Burger, who will be renembered for his prowess at catching rabbits with his bare hands, has taken the step from which there is very little turning back, if any. He and Bonnie, who have been rushing the Arnold hours ever since school started, decided to justify their clannish behavior. They announced to everyone who would listen Friday night that they had intentions not only honorable, but also marital. Dutchie cut quite a figure at the

Physical Education Conference at Emporia. According to Hayden, she liked a fellow because he didn't repertories of all previous years. One terbug." Not to mention the fact of the most interesting numbers was that said fellow took Dutchie to lunch "Hospodi Pomilui", a Russian com- the next day, subsequently driving position by S. V. Lvovsky. The cres- her over the countryside in his conThe Spectator Kough, who, incidentally, we char-

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ulace that he didn't mean what he

said the other night when he said

seems that a few youngsters, includ-

ing our esteemed deau of men, Prof.

ties in the approved masculine style,

friend Klotz comes in, discovers

the plot, and bangs on the door for

bidden room, Klotz informed all

within hearing distance that ye

should speak to friend Prof. in that

cating the pin ball machines for am-

munition, various collegians are find-

ing it difficult to know how to spend

their spare time. Some of them, how-

ever, being naturally of an inventive

mind, have hit upon this very excel-

lent substitute. Lucile Horner, un-

der the tutelage of the head of the

industrial arts department, is busily

Good News!!

and redecorated the cafe throug-

We invite all students to come in

to enjoy them.

The Puritan Cafe

out

unseemly manner. I thought not.

bove mentioned hearties were

guess who opened the door.

acterized several weeks ago as having a chest like the "Angel," Muriel has settled back into the Kough routine and Frenchie has retired with a bewildered look in his beautiful blue some vile, vile words at the dorm. It eyes. Now that Kough has demonstrated his ability in lines other than physical and mental, he is being deluged with requests for advice and Dell, had assembled in one of the dorm rooms to cook up a few dain- possible methods of procedure. Men all over the campus are asking him

whatever that means. By and by how he did it. While we are speaking of engagements, it might be interesting to inadmittance. When he saw that the clude the story of an engagement "open door" policy was not going to be observed by ye hearties in the for-Dick Burger and play practice, and the breaker was Burger. Burger the breaker, with his companion Geraldounch of-yes, you guessed it. Now ine Hedges, together with the aforeit mentioned Kough-Lamle coalition, was Prof. Dell. Now, I should like to calmly sashayed picnicward so Dick know. Do you think that Klotz could recover from the effects of his comprehensives Wednesday morning. Hoot, Mon! The best laid plans of mice and men-gang aft Now that the nationally known aglee. And a fellow needs a little old gent with the whiskers is confis- entertainment





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which represented thel cendos and diminuendos used in this vertible coupe. number achieved a striking effect. this number as an encore.

traito; and Lyle Albright, baritone. The girls' quartette and the men's quartette each appeared in a group of numbers. Virginia Kerlin and Lyle Albright, senior members of the choir, were featured in a duet, "How Sweet the Moonlight Sleeps Upon This Bank", by Lehmann. Miss Gulah Hoover was the accompanist.

Klotz made a special request that Another favorite of the audience was we print this item: he wishes all to 'Vanka 'n' Tanka'', a Russian hill- know that he goes with Voshell for billy song. The choir later repeated sociability-at least that's what he told Bunyan, and that's equivalent Various solo parts were sung to spreading it all over heaven and

throughout the program by Virginia points west. Furthermore, Klotz Kerlin, soprano; Lucy Blough, con- asked us to inform the student pop





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Eight Lettermen Return To Track Squad

Only Three Scheduled Meets Because Few Teams Were Organized

Now that basketball season is a a track squad this season.

We have back this year eight letthe role of weight man and quarter 4:00, miler. Al Miller will be in the thick stretch of bacon and may perhaps member you are invited. initiate himself into the mile run haps in the half mile.

There are numerous prospects of into the Y pool. freshmen and also men who have not been out for college track pre viously to this year. There is good City Library prospects in Walt Buller as a weight man. Dayton Rothrock may turn out to be a good half-miler. Mays and Ditmars are running the half.

inter-class meet on some future date. into circulation this morning.

Don't be surprised to see another successful two mile relay team this year. Although three of last year's second place two mile team have gone leaving only Finfrock, there will be nearly seven half-miles to pick from. However some of our other distance runners may be converted into a halfmiler for the Ottawa Relays and others.

In all probability there will be no track meets until around the 1st of May due to a late start on the account of the weather. It has been for the past two weeks too cold or chilly to be running very much outside.

this year due to the fact that Bethany College dropped out and Bethel will have very little track. That leaves time in May.

of the boys may be entered in the Kansas Relays at Lawrence, April 18. This occurs a day after the "M" Club Banquet. Of course the boys will have to show favorable records before



of Coach Hayden, was set up this murals by the college. week. Alta Gross, head of softball anand games will oon begin.

And girls haven't you month gone by and track has been wanted something extra special to do intramural activities this spring will than participating in Intramurals it's under way for nearly a week, maybe on Saturday mornings? W. A. A. of- be softball for both the boys and we should look over the prospects for fers just that something-archery girls. The softball season will be every Saturday morning beginning opened with a game between the sec-

of javlin throwing and pole vault- out in this Kansas wind and get their pitcher and catcher can not be boys ing, Culver is back to cut the tape in hair blown-or should I say let the the dashes, Unruh will, with Vetter, breeze gently blow through your be crossing the bar in high jump, and Outing club went on one of their nament is in progress. Finfrock will be back on the two first spring hikes. Heads of this club quarter race: Dick Burger will are plauning a weiner roast-hike very again bring home that two mile soon, and even though you aren't a

Wouldn't you like to be able to with the absence of Holmes; and dive without falling flat on your Rogers after an absence of a year is fare or something-both Maurine back to run with Burger, his room- Blair and Miss Staehling are out for mate in the two-mile event and per- just that every Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 to assist girls as they plunge

Receives New Books

The second installment for books for the International Mind Alcove, mile and Ronald Orr may run the including two of the best and most recent works on Japan and the Far The pressure has not been put on East, has been received by the Mcas yet. We will find out what our Pherson Public Library. The books prospective men can do on the day of were placed on the shelves and went

> Books for the alcove are coming as a gift from the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. These books are sent in installments about four times a year to small public libraries until the library receives 100 books.

> The new group of four books are particularly timely. They include the autobiography of a Japanese woman 'My Narrow Isle," by Sunnie Mishima. She is a modern Japanese woman and in the book tells of her education in America and her clash with the feudal system of Japan.

Of special interest at the present time is "North of Singapore," by Carveth Wells. It is an informal account We are in dire need of competition of a trip starting in Japan, north to Manchuria and south to Singapore and was written in 1940.

The fourth of the new books is only Kansas Wesleyan, the Ottawa "The Heard of Europe," written by Relays, and Conference Meet some- Denis de Rougemont and Charlotte Muret. It gives a picture of present If there is enough interest some life in Switzerland, surrounded by warring governments, and shows the federated type of government in that country.

The Spectator

Intramurals Receive Emphasis This Spring

Intramurals will move to the fore-Abbh Happiness' softball diamond ground on Macampus this spring, be shown by lack of interest, little press your approval of it because inis being completed and softball prac- With the abandonment of golf and tice games are at last being started, tennis this spring there is a definite gram as planned and the lack of par- bid for recognition this spring. The dlamond, through the assistance shifting of emphasis towards intra-

Under the leadership of Coach indicating whether intramurals are nounced that teams will be organized Hayden and Jean Staehling an extensive intramural program has been get a team together or when students always planned. at 9:00, besides the oher practices ond and third floors of Arnold Hall. termen. Vetter will again appear in on Friday at 7:50 and Thursday at According to the rules each team will be permitted to let five boys play Of course who doesn't like to go on their team. However both the

Besides softball there are several other intramural activities in prorun the quarter mile again. Sies will locks-but anyway-last Monday the gress. At present a ping pong tour-Horseshoe stakes have been set up east of the gym and the croquet set has also been set up south of the gym.

Ramblings **By Robert**

With the abandonment of golf and ennis and the curtailment of competition in track this Spring, there has been a decided shift of emphasis from intercollegiate athletics to intramurals for the duration. Thus intramurals, which many believe have been neglected in favor of the intercollegiate sports, get their big chance for approval or disapproval this spring. Intramurals will be successful if the entire student body gets



behind Coach Hayden, Miss Staehl- a pretty good indication the students ing, and participates and cooperates don't care for intramurals. with the intramural program that

ticipation. Lack of participation is perhaps the best barometer of all in accepted or not. When it is hard to Predominant among the would rather be doing something else

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of entering thes Relays at Lawrence.

Coach Hayden has been working with the boys regularly of late and he may develop a few stars good enough to win a few meets this year.

Tennis And Golf To Be Abandoned

Tennis and golf have been aban doned as intercollegiate sports at McPherson College this year. Mc-Pherson will have a track team this spring but by necessity its schedule will be limited. Bethany College, College of Emporia and Hutchinson Jr. College are all abandoning track and Bethel will put little emphasis on it. Baker, Kansas Wesleyan, and Ottawa will have track teams as usual. But it will be impossible for the Bulldogs to have dual meets with Baker or Ottwa because of the distance.

It will be possible for Bulldog athletes to participate in the conference tennis tournament or conference golf meet Coach Hayden stated, if the college thinks their ability merits the chance. But McPherson will not send teams as in past years.

Coach Hayden made it clear that this measure was taken only for this spring and had no bearing on tennis and golf competition in future year

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The Central college chorus and the

the production.

of the oratorio.

particular parts. They include Mrs.

Festival Here Tuitional Prizes To Be

Annual high school senior fes urday, April 11. This affair includes

college and McPherson college will in the eventing. About fifty high present the sacred oratorio, "The schools within radius of approximately fifty miles have been invited to at-

> In general charge of the day is Dr. R. E. Mohler. The afternoon entertainment will include the music contest, which is in the charge of Miss

past week is the fact that Jim Burger lure of one of our red-headed coeds that he woke up Sunday morning and found himself securely clamped in her clutches (figuratively speaking) or in other words he is engaged! I suppose I have been disillusioned he was a man of strong will and one who wouldn't fall for that line of th opposite sex but perhaps that red hair blinded him. Nevertheless here's hop ing that they have a long and happy married life. Let this be a lesson to you other guys-If the army doesn't



two "spring-time" poems. a sightseeing tour of the campus, a tea in the afternoon, and a banquet Spring!

And her hidden bugles up the street. Spring-and the sweet tossing

and blush;

fife.

hush-

aloud.

It may be I shall pass him still. I have a rendezvous with Death On some scarred slope of battled hill, When Spring comes round again this

And the first meadow flowers appear.

breath.

dear-

But I've a rendezvous with Death At midnight in some flaming town, When Spring trips north again this year

I shall not fail my rendezvous,



The Spectator Poesy And Prose Hershey Presents

Synthetic Gases Subject Discussed In Paper.

Science Paper

Dr. J. Willard Hershey, head of the chemistry department at Mc-Pherson College, presented a paper at the state meeting of the Kansas Academy of Science held at Hays, Satur day, March 28.

Synthetic gases, especially the relative humidities of artificial atmospheres of nitrogen and oxygen ex-

cluding the rare gases, was the topic discussed by Dr. Hershey. The pape was prepared as a result of two years research and laboratory experimen tation with white mice in gases. Instructors attending the meeting from McPherson College were Miss Ida Shockley, Dr. R. E. Mohler, Prof

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LA LIBERATEUR



Students Overthrow Administration

New Torture Committee Plans Hayden Freed Of Sadie Williams Bucks Increased Social Activity Avisto Charge Of Tarzan Winkler **Aristo Charges Increased Social Activity**

tining.

line up.

With Freak Case

of charges that he deserved guillo-

Hayden, representing himself in

the trial, reminded the court that

one attempt at guillotining had al-

ready been made on him, remarking

in connection with this attempt that

it was not his fault that the execu-

tioner had miscalculated and had

Since his mis-execution, Hayden

pierre Wayland, Father Pierre Pet-

famed Spanish bullfighter visiting in

Paris to enjoy the revolution festiv-

etired for guillotining yesterday.

LONG LIVE THE REVOLUTION

of citizenry revolted against the tyranny of Madame Shockley DeFarge, who has long held this gallant little Slavery Shackles body under her subjugation!

None other than the "Torture Committee", commonly known as the Social Committee threw off the shackles of Madame's domination and anning by the "torture committee."

laboration of Pierrette Mildred Fries, everyone concerned would be happy. which two red-heads functioned was at the instigation of La-twila get the point of making beds. Peck, whose recent comprehensive exams had resulted in the rather beserk, revolutionary theory which was so heartily endorced by Pierrot and Pierrette Red-heads.

The only Tory in the "torture Committee' was Monsieur "Brigham Young" McAuley whose apple-polishing stood in the way of bringing his famed salvation-al talents to the got away!)

plutocrat faculty members in which "rejuvenation party" for all of her case the torture will be increased. friends on Saturday nights. But the third-estaters have been prostudy nights,-all under the adminis- rows has been reached. tration of the "new torture committee.'

Bosky Dell Apprehended

to death

Flash: Just apprehended by the Council Building. The Hens' Con-PCI (Parisan Council of Investiga- vention wants to commend Richard

Only this morning another group Arnoldites Rid Of

Shockley And Neher Subject To Whims Former Subjects.

Rumors have it that the "gals of nounced that from here on out this Macampus" revolted against the vital organization would be in com- tyranuy of the heirarchy of Madame plete harmony with the policies of Shockley and Housefather Neher. The the new Republique. The slogan "of, Women's Confab headed by "Shorty" by, and for the citizenry" will be en- Long is considering the use of the forced in every detail of future plan- extra matresses (from "old Fanny") now in Arnold Hall, to smother the This branch of the revolution was growing embers of revolt. "V for led by Plerrot Kurtz Ebbert (did you Vic" Long declares that if the girls know Kurtz was a hot-shot barn-dan- would employ "good-will" principles cer from a-way-back?), with the col- to wrestle with their problems that

One of the new rules is that beds smoothly in over-throwing the royal must be made or the girls will get Madame. The origin of this upheaval points; the girls say that they can't

> New Problems confront the "Chickens' Council" each day. The most recent problem child is "Swingeroo Horner". Lucile is spending too much valuable time at the V Club (during comprehensives too). "Mom" Pert is taking the wayward scamps under her wings and will hatch the bad eggs into good little chickadees.

third estate socialites. Monsleur Mc- Dick Burger's advice about girls Auley aided Madame Shockley in asking for dates has caused considmaking good her escape from the erable confusion among the girls. We coup d 'etat planned by less social- hear that Miss Neher and Miss Brown ites. It is rumored that this Tory will are frequenting "old Fahnselock. be no less than guillotined for this What's the attraction, girlies? Pert apple-polishing. (P. S.-His apple Neher is even becoming a problem to the Female Bund. It is said that the The new social committee has pro- S. C. M. cider which disappeared from mised to discontinue their torturing Arnold Hall last fall is sufficiently activities except in the case of the aged now and that Miss Nehr has a

The Council is debating on what to mised fewer sports-nights, no skating to do with Gulah Hoover and Roundparties, fewer corny shows, and have house Winkler for skipping chapel. been assured a bar in the S. U. R., (Our loss is Shotty's gain) A few jam-sessions in the gym, two o'clock hurt, but a point of diminishing back

> Isa Crumbel, Merrylad Sandstrom, and "Doc" McRae are at the head of the committee which is solicting J. B. Trostle for a new Women's

sandwich from Hotel Arnold Hall, by that ace reactionary "Sadie Wil-**Confounds** Opposition liams, who, enraged at being accused of sneaking five overdue books in the In a heated session at the Kan- stacks, when he had really only sneaked four, tackled the brute baregaroo court which convened yesterhanded. Hearing William's screams, day at the Bastille, Thomas "Curly" Hayden, Parisian artist, was acquit- a group of his henchmen, among whom were Man-mountain Ronk. ed of complicity in the French capitalistic graft machine, and relieved and "Beautiful Dreamer" Long, ral lied to his rescue and snatched him

from a gory death in the nick of time Today Williams, on who's wrath the sun had set and risen again, found sympathy in "Horrible Harry' Reeves and "Bloody Bob" Mays, and quickly organized a hand of revolu-

tionaries to occupy the library. At these drastic measures Winkler amputated him only from the hair- was "Simply shocked to death!" and screamed that, "We simply don't do this sort of thing in the library!" and shuffled covly off to sob his troubles has been confined in the dungeon of on the shoulder of Heckethorne the Bastille, where he has been amus- who was not at all disturbed ing himself by drawing caricatures of by the revolution, saying, "I'm not various aristocrats, such as Robes- worried; they can't run the library at the hands of insurrectionists led ers, and Santa Anna Winkler, world without me."

ities. Drawing of these aristos stood when, in tones registering deep emo-Hayden in good stead when he was tion, he argued his final point, "Any how, "he asserted in deep, mellow Hayden, in pleading his case, in- tones, "what is an aristocrat but a dicated that he should be absolved commoner whose success has gone of all guilt. According to the facts to his pocket?"

and figures he presented, Hayden's. This logical and stirring concluincome for the fiscal year 1791, em- sion won Hayden's case. When the phatically did not look like the na- jurymen appeared in barrels, having and cap--tional debt. His income tax. Hayden been gaming with Aces Metzler, the announced, amounted to two francs court clerk, the foreman, Bon jour and an old palette. Therefore, he ar- Naumann, local grapevine operator. gued, he could hardly be classed with gave the verdict. "We find the defendant," he sobbed between mun-

Hayden's most telling blow was ches on a glorious Sunday evening delivered near the end of the trial "not guilty."

As Tumbrils Rumble On

As I sit here in my small, cramped, ing less and less distinct, until fin-Of course, the guillotine. Today is the five today. day. What day? I don't know. Just Such is the new spirit-away with

the lousy rich.

another day in which numerous man- the tyranny of the corvee which ungy, sneaking, crawlers will be guil- der the modernized term is called relotined for support of the self-ap- quired class attendance. Viva la free-

dark, dingy-appearing quarters, gaz- ally, their noise can no longer be ing moodily out of the window. I can heard at all. The formerly milling, hear the noise, of the milling, discon- discontented crowd moves away, feeltented crowd as they approach the ing satisfied that it was worth all public gathering place. The occasion? the effort-even if there were only

Tarzan Winkler's regime crumbled andwich from Hotel Arnold Hall, w that ace reactionary "Sadie Wil-

Resounding with the rumble of the tumbril, the hunge chop of the guillotine, and the bloodthirsty shouts of a gore mad citizenry, the halls, where yesterday tyranny and despeism ruled a subjugated and broken people, ran deep with the aristocracy's blood, spilled at the hands of a people who, unde the leadership of Jacques Albright, the revolutionary price who, at odds with Pope Metzler, has broken away from the existing order, and with Revolting Richard, the ace conspirate resuolved to throw off the yoke of slavery and paganism.

The Fifth Column (For Rebel Spies Only)

evolted -- - but here's the inside heck with classes!" The st dope on the revoluting experience--say, did you hear that citizen jim burger and bonnie bonnie lou have Chapeau Kerlin, Madamoise speeded up the town's excitement by Lena Belle, and Terrible Ter revolutionizing their lives, were you Linville, stormed the Ad built surprised jim --- and just between ing early today and, after fi us--- have you heard what the rabbit ally overpowering a stro fire--you haven't--i've been "de- force of faculty henchmen l said when he came out of a forest ferred"-eldon gus mcdowell has by Fearless Frank Forne been seen quite frequently with a Francisco Waylandea, ar certain cute little high school gal; other faculty henchmen, th boys, her name is norma barngrover succeeded in entering the bui ----and talk of the revolution--we hear that ralph stutzman had a revo- ing and capturing several lution of his own, and his very own the faculty members. roommate, methinks margaret would be a fifth columnist----speaking of began shouting "To the guillotine! the tall and short of it-----mary kittell the Guillotine!" and were not likes extremes, and we do mean doc peasd until DeSlatzy Boitnott's la

mary had a little lamb his fleece was black as soot and every where that mary went his sooty foot he put

and we continue, all you quizzlings. --- the rumor is becoming wide-spread --that the third floor gals and ten kline gals get open season on the dorm men, picnic is furnished as a

eward for their efforts----the first and second floor gals claim that plu- Financier Fries tocratic parents nosed them out---the revolutionary grumbles and rum- Relieved Of Duty bles have been shaking arnold hall over this plutocratic action, these rumbles threaten the guillotine for reynolds, gross, and tammell----

Shouting "Long live th revolution! Down with con pulsory class attendance Down with paganism, we way fifth columnists, the revolution has Easter vacation!" and dents, among who were Bel

Mad with the lust for blood stature was shortened by abou foot, hewn from the upper por As the curriculum king stepped at the execution block he turned drawled to the crowd, "You cain't pect to graduate effen ye do this me," took one last bite out of candy bar, spat out the tinfoil wr per, and went to his death as a l Virginian.

Klotz Instigates Revolt

Against Exhorbitant Tax

After years of complaint agai What is real americanism ?--- the the despotic rule of Financier F chinaman says," you melikans, funny and his deputy, Rambling Rock people, you put sugar in drink to minister of finance they have fin make it sweet--and lemon to make it been ousted from office by the ins sour-gin to pep it up-ice to cool it rectionists and are at present Bastille awaiting trial. Conviction almost assured as there has growing resentment for will be quite a man when he fills out, against the high handed methods but we aren't so sure if he contin- doing business by the former inci It was indicated by "Ruthle ternal improvements could not b fected because of lack of m "Ruthless" Rogers pointed out modern lighting fixtures have needed in Sharp Hall, seat of the ministrative and legislative de two decades, but the treasury def ment repeatedly stated that no B were available for the desired provement. Ruthless Rogers went on 10 tion many other needed reform have not been effected been victory----another major revolution through with extravagance and concluded Ruthless Rogers Financer Fries and Rambins sured. The new watebauard expressed a dealers in appairs Voshell as his dapace but the require special action by (b) de nomes are farmident in he holding and a respectible of

tion) was Bosky Dell and his hench- Burger for taking Prof. Fisher' the directorship of Belle joli che- either). veaux Kerlin the PCI saw duty and it did it. Right now the rascals are probably being trucked in the tum- worry, just remember Confucius say, brils before a tribunal known as "Man who put needle in haystack fin-"The Common Will," and sentenced ally get it in end".

men who were concocting a scheme place at the a cappella concert. Dick which would have led to the down- directed with his thumb (and didn't fall of all the revolution fun. Under hitch his trousers up like Prof.

> Well if you didn't get a crack tak en at you (yet) in this issue, don'

Kingfisher Breaks Old Tradition; No More Sag

week.

year's freshmen, at the termination any cost. of each vocal upheaval of the choir. Orchesis one could notice hanging pants.

Fellow students! A time honored from the Fish's beltline a gold chain tradition, an annual attraction, and a and millstone of obviously great pro hallowed custom on the campus of portions and no doubt ponderous McPherson College has been broken, weight. As this dignitary would bow It broke upon us with a horrible cer- the weight would swing forward and tainty when we were least expecting nearly overbalance our director, and it, and now the entire student body at the same time would exert an ir should be enlightened as to what hap- resistable force on his pants tending Becomes Unfit pened on the night of the A Cappella to drag them toward the ground. Al concert. Older students have prob- the end of this bit of Terpsichore ably already been struck by the pur- Kingfish would turn again to his bat port of the situation, but for the ben- tery of cornshellers presenting to the efit of this years freshmen this ex- listening audience a vast expance of pose is herein printed. Comrades! baggy cloth. Everyone thought that The Kingfish did not hitch up his he was a coal miners son because of pants at the beginning of each new the slack in his pants. Then with a selection on the concert stage last mighty heave he would hoist these loosely fitting jodphurs into position ally interpreted the thought. In the dear dead days almost be- as if to say this number is really

yond recall, for the benefit of this rough but we will squawk it out at such, the citizens prepared to cele-

That is the concert as it used to be the Fish would do an about face on a true work of art with a little dash for a bountiful repast it was sadiy the podium and how with great dig- of human frallity; but now those nity and grace to every individual in glorfous days of yore are gone with thing-that-was-left-over" the audience. In executing this bit of the wind. The Fish has bought new

pointed authorities who were also dom. Viva la arbitrary class attenrecently eradicated from this earth. dance.

Let's see-there was Citizen Stucky, Ah, such peace, such quiet, such Klotz, Herr Geisert, until recently of content-at last we are free-free Prussia, Harry Reeves, the Parisan from the tyranny of the despots, who Philosopher who advanced the the- under the mask of authority, were ory that cooperation is the best pol- sapping the Third Estate, making it cy, and until recently when his some- subject to the will of the whims of what fattened-even ploated-head the lucrative, power-seeking self-apwas cleanly and efficiently severed pointed rulers.

from his dainty trunk, practiced, in Viva la freedom. Viva la guillotine, all of his dealings of efficiency, the cheap method of eradication of As I go to the window, I can hear rodents in office. Viva la press. And the clatter of hoofs, the distant rum- incidentally, if the First Estate doesble of the tumbrils as the sneaks are n't take over again and catch me, 1 brought to the public meeting place can live in contentment until I die. -lets see-one-two- three-only --But bark! There is a knock on the four carts this time. (the boys in the door. It's-it's-it can't be, but it LPC must be slipping.) The tumbrils is-Yes, there is the tumbril coming are quiet. There is a diminuendo in to the door-I fear that-yes, I, too, the chorus of the waiting crowd-a must go. As in the words of Madame few short minutes elapse-the tum- McNicol, "Ah freedom-what Crimes brils rumble off, their clatter becom- are Committed in thy name,"

Dormitory Hash

For Human Consumption; Rebels Take Over.

superintendents who have too liber-

brate the meal following the Queen's

suggestion, but upon setting-down further lose his head. discovered that a "let-them-eat-anywas the order of the day.

down--you give a toast "here's to you" and then drink it yourself-gertie conner says that herbie ronk

ues keeping such ungodly hours, and bents. if he continues dissipating his manly physique by insisting upon using the Rogers, one of the leaders of the conner mobile so consistently --- we volt that exorbitant taxes have don't see why the upperclassmen charged for years yet long desire stand for such conduct from a freshman, are the upperclassmen revolutionists or royalists-----if anyone suc-

ceeds in getting the particulars of shorty orvelle long's vision (dream to you, you dope)---it might be well to inform this column because such ments of the government, for sub-subversive activity cannot be allowed during our revolution, mebbe you'd rather tell us yourself, beautlful dreamer---everybody's hero espe-

cially the young ladles', that superman walt buller has disillusioned macoeds by announcing his marriage will occur today, nice way to start the lack of money. "Under d our revolution, walt-----bugger, why regime, "Rogers states, "taxes were you so exuberant when you lowered; yet many of lows learned of the third floor arnoldite's reforms will be effected."

on our fair campus, we hear that del- tape in the government (inclusion) bert brunton has stuck his neck out by inviting vera maurine blair to the m-club banquet, v. maurine, could will be brought to trial sometim beat your time, remember, vesta is treasury under the Republic say it pays --- say, say girls, there s commendation was the fact the been enough heat or fire around this ing the past year he has been Palace, friend Geisert will no doubt revolting college today, cool down, cessful dry cleaning agent in kindling point 150 degrees fahren. the sovernments building

> hiskory dickory dock the mouse can up the clock the clock struck one and Cokle ant away

('Heh! heh!) the subjugated D. 1. C rushed for the kitchen and congrat ulated the King's chef for something-or-other (the remainder of the citizens rushed another place)

Comrades, the day will come when Madame Harris and the well-man-

Since the Queen's timely "let nered Geisert will rise and protest hem eat-cake" statement, the in- liberly, freedom, and equality. In mates of the Palace at McPhorson fact, the movement was especially this be respite for the senior class month with conviction atom have been victimized by the royalist noted a few days ago when citizen play incident at which our vesta v Geisert was approhended red-handed swiping the potato salad from the definitely the domestic type----they erument is Klots. Kleins bi Having no objection to cake, as keeper's table. Unless the Citizens' Committee is quick in purging the

Ding Dong Della from Duma was attitude one of the few government officials to escape the first mass guillotinings. Immediately following the "meni" The reason her taxi was late,