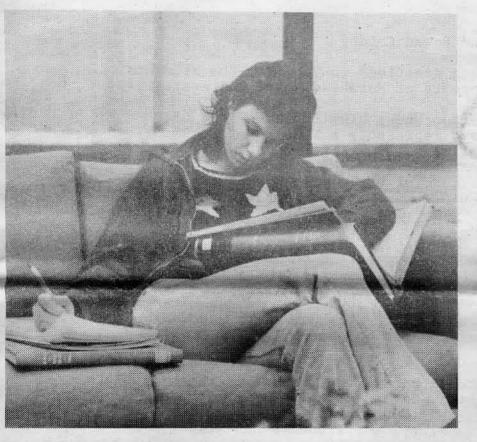
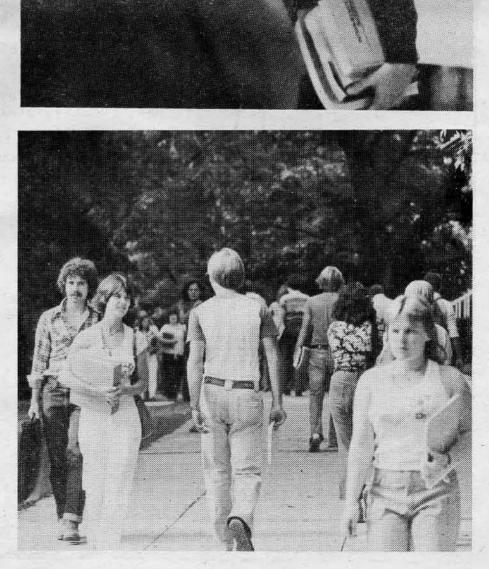
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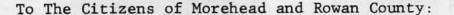
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March 8, 1979



It is a pleasure for me to bring greetings to you from the students, faculty, staff and Board of Regents of Morehead State University.

The observance of MSU Appreciation Week, highlighted by the 57th anniversary of our Founders Day, represents a time for the community and the campus to pause and reflect on our interdependence. The community is expressing its appreciation of MSU and it also is appropriate for those of us at the University to express our gratitude for the support provided since 1922 by the people of Morehead and Rowan County.

The growth and development of Morehead State University did not happen solely as a result of the financial support of our state government. You have contributed immeasurably with your willingness to speak out on behalf of your University, with your warm hospitality which our students and their families and friends have enjoyed through the years and with the congenial spirit which motivates community and campus leaders to work together to solve mutual problems.

We are happy to share this birthday celebration with you and we hope you will have an opportunity to patronize the businesses which are participating in MSU Appreciation Week and that you will attend the campus events on Founders Day, Thursday, March 8. Our committee of local citizens, faculty, staff, alumni and students has arranged an interesting day.

We are glad that you are proud of Morehead State University. It is a privilege and pleasure to be your neighbor.

Best wishes,

Morris Norfleet

Morris L. Norfleet President

Founders Day Features 3 Events

Morehead State University is observing Founders Day on Thursday March 8 with a series of programs open to the public.

MSU President Morris L. Norfleet announced recently that this year's observance was being expanded to embrace "MSU Appreciation Week" in Morehead and Rowan County, March 5-10, which has been declared in a joint proclamation by Mayor Crayton Jackson and County Judge-Executive W.C. Flannery.

"Founders Day provides a unique opportunity for the University to honor its heritage and to point to the future," Dr. Norfleet stated. "Our planning committee worked with community leaders to develop a meaningful observance and we invite all friends of the University to join us in celebrating our 57th birthday as a state institution."

Gov. Edwin Morrow signed the bill on March 8, 1922, which led to the establishment of state normal schools at Morehead and Murray. The institutions actually opened their doors in 1923.

John Collis, a membed of MSU's administrative staff since 1949, is serving again this year as chairman of the 21-member Founders Day Committee which is comprised of faculty, staff, students, alumni and local citizens.

"This is a very special time for Morehead State University and we are looking forward to sharing the occasion with our community and the region," said John Collis chairman of the 21member Founders Day Committee which is comprised of faculty, staff, students, alumni and local citizens.

Participating in this year's week-long observance are the Downtown Morehead Merchants Association, Trademore Merchants Association, Morehead-Rowan County Chamber of Commerce and other business and professional organizations.

Persons who patronize participating businesses during MSU Appreciation Week will be eligible for free bumper stickers which read, "I Like Morehead State."

Details of the individual Founders Day events include:

PRAYER BREAKFAST

Scheduled at 7 a.m. in the Adron Doran University Center Cafeteria, the Prayer Breakfast is co-sponsored by the Rowan County Ministerial Association. Individual ministers will conduct the program, starting at 7:30 p.m.

Persons who plan to eat breakfast are asked to use the normal cafeteria serving lines.

The invocation will be handled by the Rev. Russell Taylor, pastor of the Assembly of God. Serving as master of ceremonies will be John (Sonny) Allen, MSU's assistant athletic director and an active layman in the First Baptist Church.

The devotional will be the responsibility of Dr. Roy Robertson, pastor of the Morehead Christian Church. Special music will be provided by the Rev. Frank Fultz, pastor of the First Church of God.

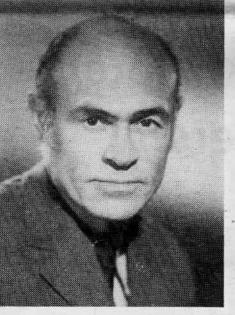
The closing prayer will be offered by the Rev. Richard Moon, pastor of Faith Presbyterian Church and president of the Ministerial Association.

CONVOCATION

Veteran television journalist Bill Monroe, executive producer and moderator of NBC-TV's "Meet The Press", will be the featured speaker at Founders Day convocation.

His 10:20 a.m. presentation in Button Auditorium will be free and open to the public. He will be introduced by Kevin Porter, president of The MSU Student Government Association.

A former newspaper and wire service reporter, Monroe broke into broadcast journalism in the early 1950's as a



Bill Monroe

Collis Heads FD Committee

John Collis, manager of the University Store, is serving for the second consecutive year as chairman of Morehead State University's Founders Day Committee.

Representing the community are Mary Levee, Bobby Trent, Agness Williams and Bobby Stamper. Harold Wilson of Mt. Sterling, president of the Alumni Association, also is a member.

From the ranks of retired faculty and staff members are Mrs. Oval Hall and Monroe Wicker. Kevin Porter and Susan Davis are the student members. Members from the active faculty and staff include John (Sonny) Allen, Dr. Charlotte Bennett, Joyce Chaney, Major Jackie Jones, Dr. Roger Jones, Keith Kappes, Dr. Earle Louder, Nell Mahaney, Hazel Martin, Gail Ousley, Joe Planck and Anna Mae Riggle. Chairmen of the subcommittees

include Joyce Chaney, awards advisory; Mary Levee and Bobby Stamper, MSU Appreciation Week; Dr. Earle Louder, awards luncheon; Kevin Porter, convocation; and Anna Mae Riggle, breakfast. television news director in New Orleans. He moved to Washington in 1961 as chief of the NBC bureau and became Washington editor of "The Today Show" in 1968.

Monroe has been responsible for "Meet The Press" since December of 1975 when its creator, Lawrence Spivak, retired. It is the longest running television news program in the industry.

Monroe is a past president of the Radio-Television News Directors Association and the Radio-Television Correspondents Association. He received broadcasting's highest news award, the Peabody, in 1973.

AWARDS LUNCHEON

Concluding the Founders Day schedule will be the annual awards luncheon at 11:45 a.m. in the Crager Room of the University Center. Dr. Jack Ellis, director of libraries at MSU, will be the master of ceremonies.

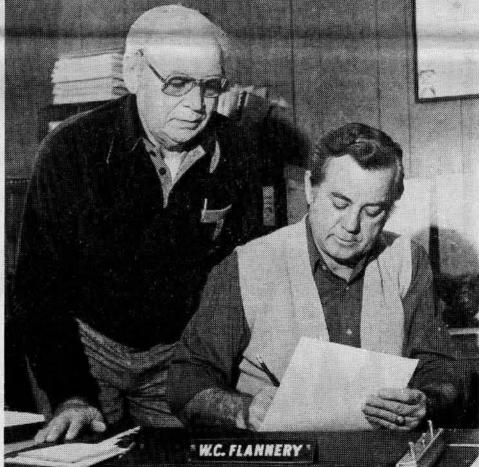
Tickets for the luncheon are \$3 and are available on campus at the ADUC Information Desk and the Business Office and at several Morehead area businesses, including Citizens Bank, Peoples Bank, Trademore Tobacco Derby, Holiday Inn, Levee's Thom McAn, 1st Federal Savings and Loan Association and McBrayer's Ben Franklin.

Mayor Crayton Jackson and County Judge-Executive W.C. Flannery will present their joint proclamation on MSU Appreciation Week to be added to the University Archives.

Luncheon music will be provided by George T. Young, associate professor of government. The invocation will be delivered by Kenny Hopkins, a student member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Awards will be presented by President Norfleet.

Judge, Mayor Proclaim MSU Appreciation Week



MAKING IT OFFICIAL---Rowan County Judge-Executive W.C. Flannery, seated, affixes his signature to a joint proclamation for the observance of Morehead State University Appreciation Week in Morehead and Rowan County from March 5 through March 10 in conjunction with MSU Founders Day on March 8. Also issuing the proclamation was Morehead Mayor Crayton Jackson, standing, "We urge all of our citizens to become involved in the activities of the week and particularly on Founders Day," the officials stated. MSU Heritage Dates Back To 1887

In 1887, Mrs. Phoebe Button and her son, Frank C. Button, arrived in Morehead from Midway Junior College. At this time, Morehead had no streets, no sidewalks, no electric lights, no churches and less than 1,000 residents.

Mrs. Button and her son enrolled an orphan girl, Anna Page, as the first student in the Morehead Normal School housed in their small home located where the Adron Doran University Center now stands.

Among the first students were George Johnson, the father of former MSU coach and athletic director Ellis Johnson, and Herb Bishop.

For 13 years the school was under the control of the Kentucky Christian Missionary Convention and on July 31, 1900, was placed under the control of the Christian Women's Board of Missions of St. Louis, Mo.

Three wooden structures and Burgess Hall, a brick and stone building, formed the nucleus of the campus. Hodson Hall, one of the three wooden structures, was the last to be torn down.

Mrs. Button died in 1892. Her son maintained the operation of the Normal School until 1911 when J.M. Robinson became principal. Dr. J. Wesley Hatcher was principal from 1913 to 1919 and his protege, Harlan Hatcher, became the president of the University of Michigan.

W.O. Lappin, the father of Dr. Warren C. Lappin, was principal from 1919 to 1922 when only three persons received diplomas at the last graduation exercise before the school closed.

On March 8, 1922, Gov. Edwin Morrow signed an act of the General Assembly providing for a special commission charged with the task of locating two new normal schools, one in Eastern Kentucky and one in Western Kentucky.

Allie W. Young, state senator from the 31st District from 1924 to 1935, was influential in the decision to establish one of the new colleges in Morehead.

Morehead State Normal School opened on Sept. 22, 1923, and all remained of the old normal school were the products and memories of an educational enterprise which for 35 years had served the region and made a major contribution to advancing the cause of Christian education.

Dr. Frank C. Button was named the school's first president and Morehead State Normal School began operations during the period of post war prosperity.

The sum of \$30,000 was appropriated by the 1922 session of the General Assembly to hire a faculty, provide the necessary supplies and "put the school in working order." Using the buildings which had formerly housed the old Christian Normal School, Dr. Button began the 1923-24 school year with eight faculty members - Dean Charles D. Lewis, C.O. Pieratt, Miss Inez Faith Humphrey, Miss Evelyn Royalty, Ruby Vansant, Miss Emma Shader, Henry C. Haggan and Dan Holbrook.

Miss Anna Carter served as Dr. Button's secretary and Warren C. Lappin joined the faculty in the spring of 1924 as baseball coach.

Three college students and 70 students in the secondary school made up the first study body. By the end of the decade, the enrollment had grown to more than 350 college students representing 31 Kentucky counties and two states.

In 1925, the first college newspaper the More-Head Light — was published and two years later, its named was changed to The Trail Blazer, a name it bears today. In 1927, the first yearbook — The Raconteur — was published and that same year also marked Morehead State's first four graduates.

During Dr. Button's administration, five buildings were constructed. The old administration building, now Rader Hall, and Allie Young Hall were built in 1926. Thompson Hall and Fields Hall followed in 1927. The President's Home was completed in 1930 and Button Auditorium was constructed in 1929.

In 1926, Morehead Normal School became Morehead State Normal School and Teachers College and was admitted to membership in the Kentucky Association of Colleges.

Dr. Button resigned the presidency on July 24, 1929, but remained on the staff as chaplain and assistant field representative for a year before being named president emeri us.

Dr. John Howard Payne was serving

as superintendent of Maysville City Schools when he was named the college's second president on Aug. 1, 1929.

Morehead State Normal School and Teachers College became Morehead State Teachers College in 1930 and graduated 11 persons that year. MSTC offered 65 different courses, the faculty numbered 22 at the beginning of the decade, the enrollment had grown to 585 and the faculty had increased to 58.

During the 30's, Morehead State Teachers College was admitted to the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the American Association of Teachers Colleges and the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association.

The sabbatical leave program was initiated on the campus, correspondence courses were offered, off-campus teaching programs were organized, industrial arts and commerce courses were added and the debate team won all 25 of its scheduled meets in 1935.

The Campus Club initiated the "Hawg Rifle" in 1936 and Tim Wyant raced 99 yards against Eastern to help give MSU possession of the rifle in the first year of it existence.

Earle K. Senff's "Fight, Fight, Fight for Morehead" caught on and became the official college fight song and the music department got its first practice room in the basement of Field Hall. Dr. Payne left the presidency on Sept.

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Heritage — (Continued from page 4) 13, 1935. Dr. William H. Vaughn assumed the duties from Sept. 13 until Oct. 7, prior to the appointment of Dr. Harvey Babb as the institution's third

president on Oct. 7. Four major buildings and Jayne Stadium were constructed during the 30's. Built were Johnson Camden Library, 1093, named for former U.S. Sen. Johnson Camden; University Breckinridge School, 1931, named for Robert J. Breckinridge, the sixth state superintendent of public instruction; Lappin Hall, 1937, named in 1958 to honor Dr. Warren C. Lappin; and Mays Hall, 1937.

Morehead State Teachers College began the 1940's with a new president when Dr. William H. Vaughn took over on April 30, 1940.

The enrollment in the fall of 1940 was 588 and the college's first foreign student came to the campus from Cuba in 1941.

The curriculum was reorganized in 1942 under the quarter system and continued under this plan until 1948.

In the early 1940's, many students and male faculty members joined the armed services and enrollment dropped to 255 in the fall of 1942. In the spring of 1943-44, only nine male students were enrolled and the enrollment hit a record low of 166 in the fall of 1944.

MSU's contribution to the war effort included the training of U.S. Navy personnel as the college facilities were made available, for an electrical training school which kept 600 Navy officers and trainees on the campus at



FROM THE PAST — Members of the Morehead Normal School Club elected these ladies to lead their organization during the 1962-63 school year. From left are Mrs. Ida Caudill, secretary; Mrs. Ruby Wood, treasurer; Mrs. Maude Hogge, vice president; and Miss Anna Carter, president. The MNS Club is comprised of persons who attended Morehead Christian Normal School before establishment of the state institution.

all times between 1942 and 1944.

the faculty members returned and many students enrolled under the GI Bill. On Aug. 6, 1946, Dr. William Jesse

When the war ended in 1945, most of

president following Dr. Warren C. Lappin's acting presidency from July 1 to Aug. 6.

Enrollment for the fall of 1946 reached 614 and the college appeared to be on the way up during a period of post-war prosperity. But such was not



In December, 1946, charges were filed with the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools against Morehead State because of political interference in the administration of its affairs. The college was removed from the association's list of accredited schools and the darkest days in the school's history were ahead.

The enrollment dropped to 435 in the fall on 1947, 179 fewer than the previous fall and the college faced a gigantic rebuilding program.

The governor named a new Board of Regents composed of outstanding business and professional men from the region and the association was convinced that the days of political interference had ended. Thus, the college was re-accredited in 1948 on a retroactive basis.

Morehead State Teachers College became Morehead State College in 1948. and by the end of the decade, the enrollment was hovering as the 600 mark, a level which had been established previously in 1940.

The decade of the 40's ended with the college static - the enrollment had not increased, no new building had been erected and the academic programs remained relatively unchanged.

On Jan. 9, 1951, Dr. Baird was granted a leave of absence for health reasons until September and Dr. Lappin again was named acting president. Dr. Baird died on Feb. 19, 1951, and Dr. Charles Spain was named the college's sixth president on May 28, 1951.

Dr. Spain officially resigned on April (Continued on page 7)

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6. 1954. and Dr. Adron Doran was named on the same day as the seventh president of Morehead State.

The mid-50's saw Morehead State break through in a dramatic fashion. An enrollment at the beginning of the period of just over 600 doubled, then tripled, then quadripled - until the enrollment was eight time larger than 10 years earlier.

During this period, modern facilities were provided for programs in business, foreign languages, music, industrial arts, home economics and special education. Programs in preforesty, pre-veterinary medicine, medical technology, nursing, foreign languages and philosophy were added.

Off-campus student teaching and the professional semester was developed in the teacher training program and the guidance and testing services were integrated with the total social, recreational program.

This decade saw MSU become one of the first institutions in the South to fully integrate and become the first statesupported college or university in Kentucky to have integrated dormitories.

Marshall Banks became the first black to play on a varsity athletic team in the Ohio Valley Conference and Howard Murphy was the first black to play football in the OVC.

During the decade, the faculty increased to 160. A director of graduate studies was named for the first time in 1957, an alumni director was named and the administrative organization of the college was modernized in 1960 with the arrangement of seven academic divisions as the result of a comprehensive self-study.

The sound philosophy of service to the region was greatly strengthened by an action program buring this period and Morehead State College became the center of regional activities for many varied and diverse groups and organizations.

During this period, Morehead State College received recognition as a major college in basketball by the national Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA).

The total athletic program reached an all-time high in 1962-63 when MSU's football, basketball and baseball teams captured championships in the Ohio Valley Conference.

Baird Music Hall, constructed in 1953, became the first major structure to be built on the campus in 17 years.

Buildings constructed during this period were Wetherby Gymnasium, 1956; Doran Student House, 1957; Lakewood Terrace, 1960; Waterfield Hall, 1960; Butler Hall, 1961; Bert T. Combs Classroom Building, 1961; addition to Button Auditorium, 1961; Industrial Arts and Home Economics Building, 1962; Wilson Hall, 1962; Mignon Hall, 1963; Administration Building, 1963; and 11 faculty duplexes. The Doran Student House was named

for President Adron Doran and Butler Hall for Wendell P. Butler, who served three terms as state superintendent of

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Waterfield Hall was named for Harry Lee Waterfield, two-time lieutenant governor of Kentucky. The Combs Building was named for Gov. Bert T. Combs.

Wilson Hall was named for Roger L. Wilson former vice president for student affairs, and the Mignon Complex for Mrs. Mignon Doran, wife of MSU's seventh president.

During this period, a 25-bed infirmary was built, the Palmer House a 12-room home management house, was purchased and there was extensive remodeling and redecorating of numerous buildings.

Breathitt Sports Center and West Mignon Hall were added in 1964.

East Mognon Hall, Cooper Hall and the Rice Service Building were constructed in 1965

WMKY, an FM radio station on campus, began broadcasting from the Combs Building with 10 watts of power.

The school's crowning achievement came in February, 1966, when the Kentucky General Assembly granted University status. Five academic schools and a graduate division were formed and the first vice presidency was created with the appointment of Dr. Lappin in academic affairs.

Breck was renamed University Breckinridge School. Four major construction projects - Mignon Tower, Alumni Tower, Normal Hall, Downing Hall and Laughlin Health Building were completed in 1967.

Opening in 1968 were the Claypool-Young Art Building, Lyman V. Ginger

Hall and the remodeled Button Auditorium. Army ROTC began the same year. A 212-acre farm was acquired in rural Rowan County.

Added to the campus skyline in 1969 were W.H. Cartmell Hall and Nunn Hall. The Doran Student House was enlarged and renamed the Adron Doran University Center. The fall enrollment was 6,460, MSU's highest in history to that point.

Construction began in 1970 on B.F. Reed Hall. Student Council became the MSU Student Government Association.

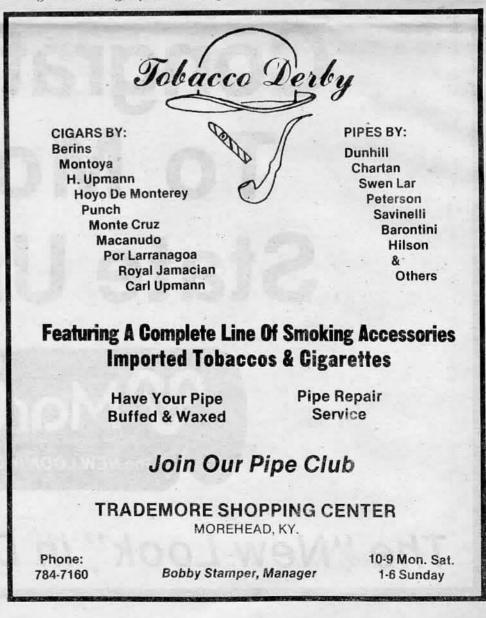
Rader Hall was reopened in 1971 after an extensive remodeling project which transformed the oldest compus building into an ultra-modern classroom and office structure. WMKY increased its power to 50,000 watts and moved to an 18-hour-a-day broadcasting schedule.

The 1972 session of the Kentucky General Assmebly removed the state superintendent of pulic instruction from MSU's Board of Regents, ex-panded the board's lay membership to eight persons and gave full voting rights to the student and faculty representatives.

By mid-1972, MSU's practical yet imaginative building program had produced more than \$50 million worth of new facilities and won four awards for architectural excellence in the space of 18 years.

In the fall of 1972. MSU began offering bachelor's degrees in university studies and in social welfare a two-year degree in food service technology and a major

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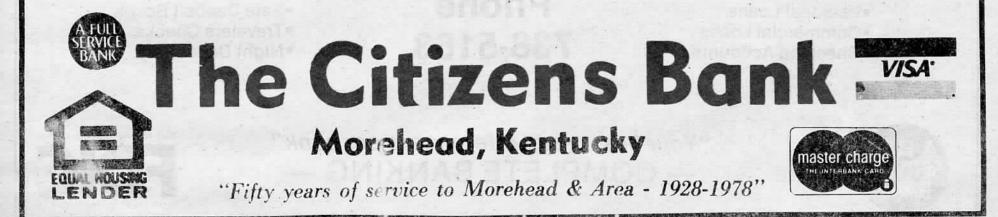
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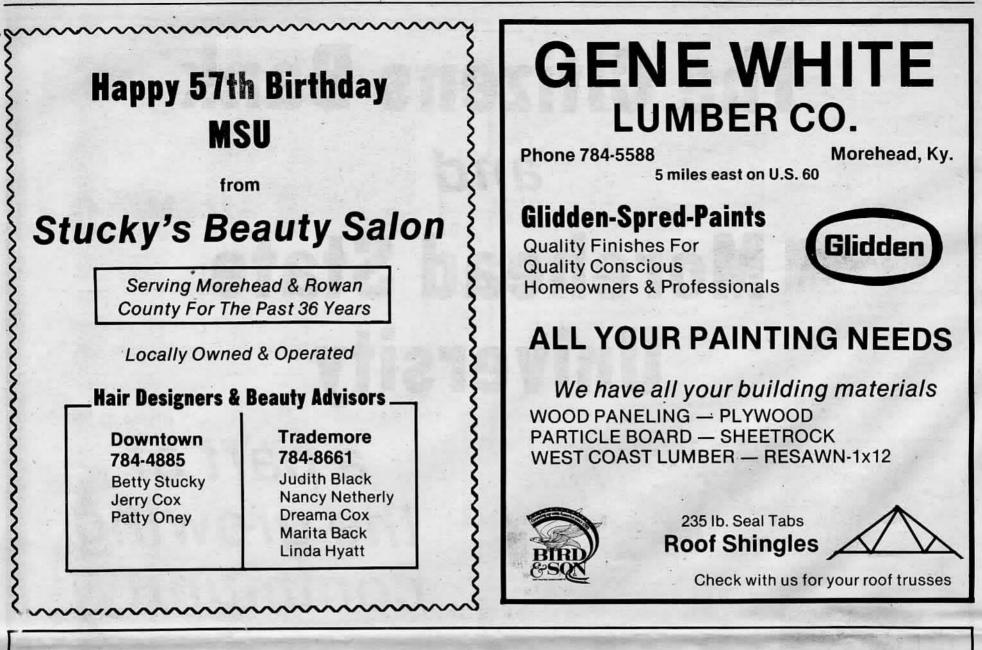
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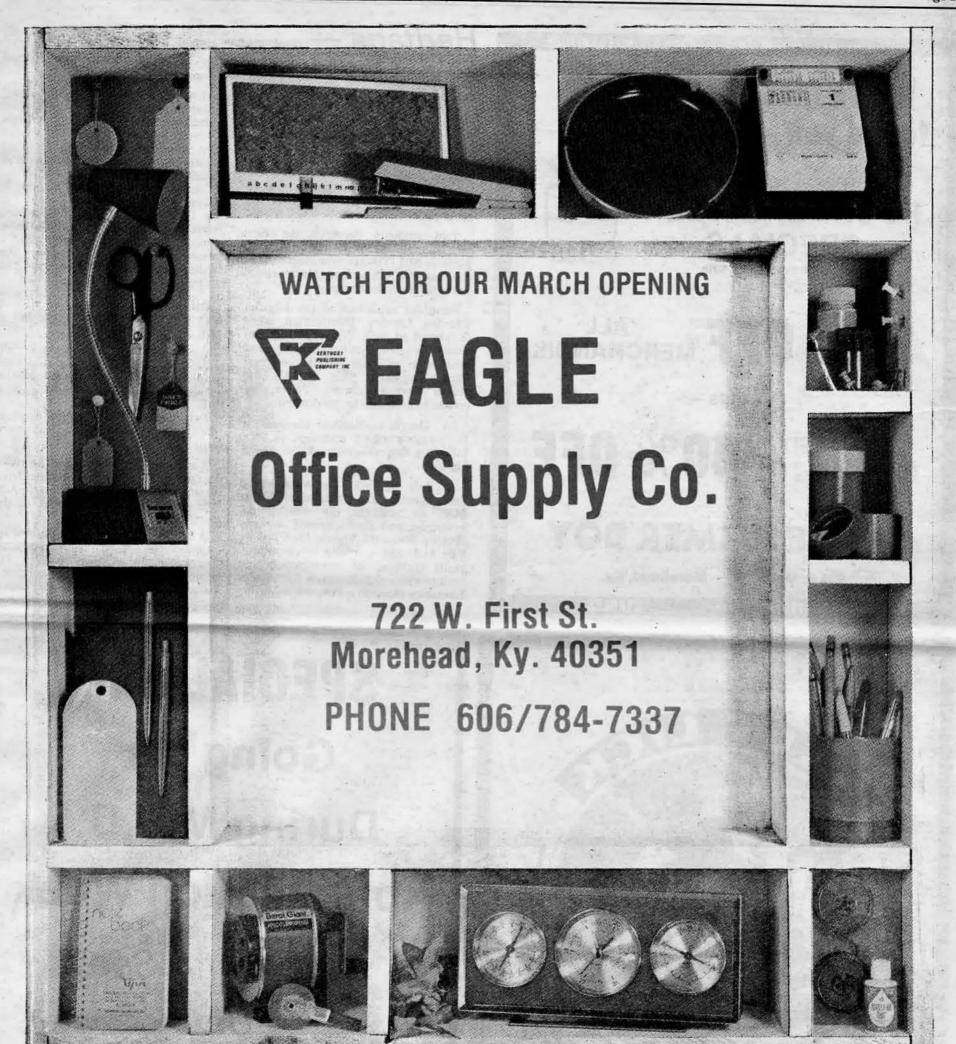
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in journalism to better serve the academic needs of Eastern Kentuckians.

A minor in animal science with emphasis in horsemanship began in 1973. With this addition, students from Kentucky and surrounding states interested in the horse industry could pursue their career goals. Since then, many individuals have donated horses to the MSU program for use in the program.

Two students received the first educational specialist degrees from MSU in 1974. The six-year degrees are the highest authorized for regional universities in Kentucky.

Plans for expansion of the Johnson Camden Library Gymnasium were developed in 1975. The expansion included a new tower addition and renovation of part of the original library building. This facility, the Julian Carroll Library Tower, increased the library by 300 percent.

Dr. Morris L. Norfleet became the University's eighth president in 1977, following the retirement of Dr. Adron Doran.

In July of 1978, the Appalachian Development Center was established at MSU to promote the educational, economic and social growth in Kentucky's 49-county Appalachian region. The ADC also provides employability skills training for unemployed and underemployed individuals throughout Kentucky through a cooperative effort

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with the Department for Human Resources.

Also, in 1978, the new Carroll Library Tower was didicated. With the addition of the tower to present library facilities, the overall volume of the library has been increased and several new additions have been made, including an Appalachian collection.

Construction began on a new \$7 million Academic-Athletic Center. The new facility will include a basketball arena, indoor swimming pool and other physical education facilities, offices, classrooms and locker rooms. The facility is expected to be completed by the 1980-81 basketball season.

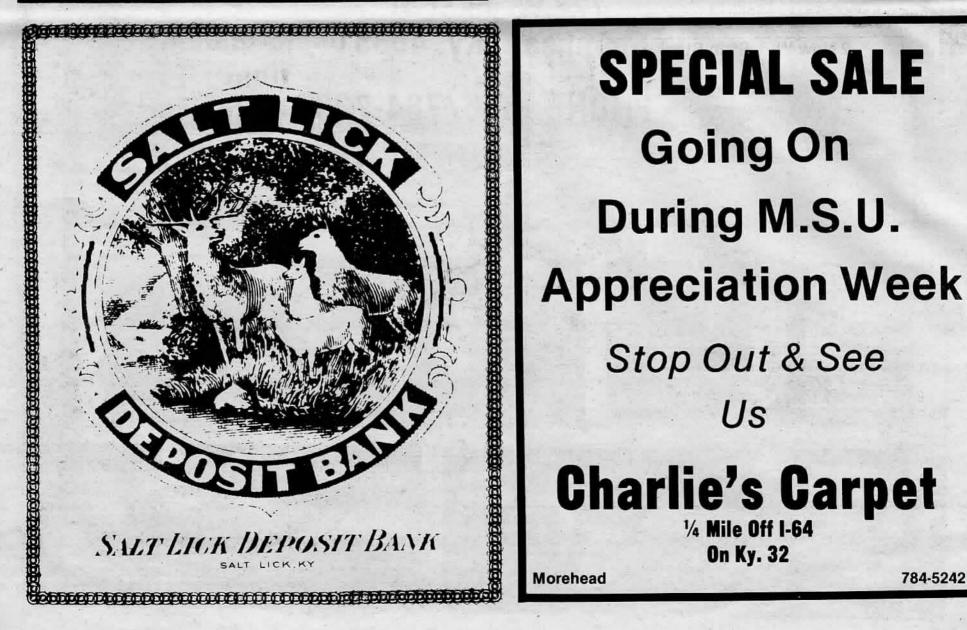
Enrollment also reached an all-time high with 7,683 students in the fall of 1978.

In 1979, Ashland Oil, Inc. gave \$50,000 to MSU for the construction of a coal processing laboratory to aid MSU's mining technology program.

Two capital construction projects totaling more than \$1 million were initiated in early 1979.

A contract for \$849,400 was awarded for construction of a utility tunnel from Normal Hall to the new Academic-Athletic Center on the east end of the campus.

A bid of \$173,749 was submitted for replacement of a horse barn at Derrickson Agricultural Complex. The wood and steel structure will replace a barn which burned in September 1977.



Mrs. Sample Reminisces About MSU Beginning

On a sunny fall day back in 1923, several hundred people helped a new educational institution celebrate the opening of its classes. Hungry visitors waited impatiently while a pig roasted over an open barbeque and students from the surrounding counties, hungry for the opportunity to learn, anticipated the opening of classes at the new State Normal School.

Mrs. Emma Sample recalls that one of the biggest problems they had that day was preventing the horses from being hitched on the campus. She is the only surviving member of Morehead's original nine faculty members

original nine faculty members. Things have changed rapidly at the school since then. The campus had only four buildings and only one of these was a brick structure which was used as the administration building and the president's residence. It stood where the library new is benefad. Two of the the library now is located. Two of the frame buildings were dormitories. The other frame building was used for classrooms.

The first year there were a few more than 100 students and Mrs. Sample says that they were "sincere, loyal, and very intelligent students." By the time she left the school in 1930 to become music supervisor in the county school system both the number of students and the faculty had increased dramatically.

As a teacher at the new state school, Mrs. Sample, or Miss Shader as she was known then, was the only teacher in the music department. She taught the students to play various musical instruments, which were rented from a

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music company, and by the end of the first year she had organized a band and later an orchestra and several small ensemble groups.

Mrs. Sample says that most of the students in her classes were older than she. She was 21 years old when she was contacted by Dr. F.C. Button, who was to become the first president of the state school, about the job. In fact, one student who was the same age as she later became her husband. He was William J. Sample, a man who was to figure prominently in the development of Morehead. He was a former state senator, owner of the MOREHEAD INDEPENDENT, and along with two other Moreheadians was one of the founders and president of WMOR radio station.

After teaching music in the county system for a while, Mrs. Sample moved with her husband to Lexington. They returned to Morehead when her husband had an opportunity to buy the newspaper

Asking her if she thought the school would grow as much as it has today she replied, "I knew it would grow into a



Mrs. Emma Sample, one of the original nine teachers at Morehead, reflects on those days in the 1920s when the school was just getting started and she was embarking on a career as a music teacher. (Staff

knowing very little about the place. She knew Morehead was in eastern Ken-tucky, but she didn't know anything about the town. The only person she knew when she came here from Louisville was her third grade teacher from her hometown of Springfield, Ky. who taught drama at the new school.

When asked if students during the 1920's and 30's were very different from the students of today, she said, "Of course, they didn't have the advantages that the young people have today, but they were similar in many ways. They did most of the same things that students do now, but today they are a little more frank about what they do." Then she added, "I really liked teaching. The students were so very appreciative". She does admit that teaching would not be as easy today as it was when the school was founded. In fact, she says the entire life style and pace of things was much easier then. Mrs. Sample is the only surviving

teacher of the faculty of nine members that made its mark in history. One thing she has to her honor is her name on a campus building, the Emma Shader building at Lakewood Terrace which houses married students.

Real estate chair funded

A faculty chair in real estate was established at MSU in 1978. This enables MSU to serve individuals interested in real estate as a profession. Real estate classes are now offered in a variety of areas and specialties.



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Chronological History Of MSU

- 1922 Gov. Edwin Morrow signs act providing for commission charged with locating two new normal schools.
- 1923 Morehead State Normal School opens doors with Dr. Frank Button as President.
- 1924 Warren C. Lappin joins faculty as baseball coach.
- 1925 First college newspaper the Morehead Light published.
- 1926 General Assembly adds "and Teachers College" to name. Administration Building (now Rader Hall) built.
- 1927 First yearbook the Raconteur published. Thompson and Fields Halls built. Newspaper name changed to "The Trail Blazer". First degrees awarded (Bachelor of Arts in Education). Intercollegiate football starts.
- 1929 Button Auditorium built. John Howard Payne named second president. Intercollegiate basketball starts.
- 1930 Name changed to Morehead State Teachers College. Eleven degrees awarded. Johnson Camden Library and Jayne Memorial Stadium built. First Bachelor of Science in Education degree awarded.
- 1931 University Breckinridge School built.
- 1935 Harvey Babb becomes third president. Debating team wins all 25 of its scheduled meets.
- 1936 Campus Club initiates "Hawg Rifle" trophy. First Bachelor of Arts degree and first Bachelor of Science degree awarded.
- 1937 Science (Lappin) Hall and East Men's (Mays) Hall built.
- 1940 William H. Vaughn named fourth president.
- 1941 Basketball champions of KIAC.
- 1942 First Master of Arts in Education degree conferred. Football champions of KIAC.
- 1944 Basketball champions of KIAC.
- 1946 William Jesse Baird becomes fifth president. Football co-champions of KIAC.
- 1947 Baseball champions at KIAC.
- 1948 Name changed to Morehead State College. College helps form Ohio Valley Conference.
- 1951 Charles Spain named sixth president.
- 1954 Adron Doran named seventh president. Baird Music Hall built.
- 1955 Track champions of OVC.
- 1956 Wetherby Gym and Riceville built. Track champions of OVC. Basketball co-champions of OVC.
- 1957 Doran Student House built. Basketball co-champions of OVC. Baseball champions of OVC.
- 1960 Waterfield Hall and Lakewood Terrace built.
- 1961 Combs Building and Butler Hall built. Basketball co-champions of OVC.
- 1962 Home Economics-Industrial Arts (Lloyd Cassity) Building and Wilson Hall built. Football tri-champions of OVC.
- 1963 Administration Building, Mignon Hall and Regents Hall built. Baseball co-champions of OVC.
- 1964 West Mignon Hall and Breathitt Sports Center built, Palmer House acquired.

- 1965 East Mignon Hall, Cooper Hall, and Rice Service Building constructed. WMKY begins broadcasting.
- 1966 MSC becomes Morehead State University. First Associate of Applied Science degree awarded. Football champions of OVC.
- 1967 First Master of Arts degree awarded. Mignon Tower, Alumni Tower, Normal Hall, Downing Hall and Laughlin Health Building constructed.
- 1968 First of three new bachelor's and three new master's degrees awarded. Claypool-Young Art Building and Education Building (Lyman V. Ginger Hall) built.
- 1969 First of two new master's degrees awarded. Basketball co-champions of OVC. Men's Tower (William H. Cartmell Hall) and Nunn Hall built. Doran Student House enlarged, renamed Adron Doran University Center. Baseball champions of OVC.
- 1970 First Associate of Applied Arts Degree awarded. MSU starts women's basketball, 5-3.
- 1971 First of new associate and master's degrees awarded. Rader Hall renovated.
 WMKY increased to 50,000 watts. Army ROTC program becomes voluntary. School of Business and Economics formed. First associate degree in nursing awarded. Installation of dial access information retrieval system. WMKY dedicated.
 Department of Music promoted to full membership in the National Association of Schools of Music.
- 1972 MSU's Golden Anniversary observed. First offering of journalism major. First bachelor's degrees in university studies and social welfare awarded.
- 1973 First daily medical service by physician for MSU students. Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society Chapter chartered. OVC baseball champs. OVC golf champs.
- 1974 Beginning of nationally-distributed "The Technical Writing Teacher" from MSU. First educational specialist degree awarded.
- 1975 Raconteur discontinued in favor of quarterly magazine. First female, Debbie Poore, elected to MSU Board of Regents as student representative.
- 1976 President Adron Doran announces retirement. Dr. Morris Norfleet named acting interim president. Contract for construction of Julian M. Carroll Library Tower awarded. Dr. Norfleet chosen as eighth president, effective Jan. 1, 1977.
- 1977 Horse barn destroyed by fire. OVC baseball champions. OVC golf champions. President Norfleet inaugurated. Board of Regents approved concept of Appalachian Development Center. Associate degree in veterinary technology accredited.
- 1978 "Lady Eagles" authorized as official nickname MSU women athletes.
 MSU becomes co-sponsor of Arts in Morehead series.
 WMKY joins Kentucky State Network.
 Rebirth of MSU yearbook - Raconteur.
 Appalachian Development Center officially opened.
 Julian M. Carroll Library Tower dedicated.
- 1979 Ashland Oil, Inc. donates \$50,000 for construction of coal processing laboratory on MSU campus.



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MSU Athletics Began 55 Years Ago

The colorful history of intercollegiate sports at Morehead State University spans 55 of the institution's 57 years, encompasses four athletic conferences and involves thousands of contests in 16 varsity sports.

George D. Downing might well be called the father of intercollegiate athletics at MSU. He came to the campus in 1924 as the institution's first athletic director and head coach in all sports. The athletic residence hall today bears his name as the university's tribute to his early leadership.

Football actually began with the arrival of Coach Downing but official intercollegiate play in the sport didn't start until 1927. Baseball was in and out from the beginning and finally was reinstated for good in 1934. Men's basketball started with the 1929-30 season.

Other men's sports and year of adoption include swimming, 1936; track, 1937; tennis, 1938; cross country, 1951; golf, 1960; wrestling, 1963; and soccer, 1966.

Women's sports began at MSU in 1969 with basktball and tennis competition. They were followed by volleyball, 1972; gymnastics and track, 1975; and cross country, 1976.

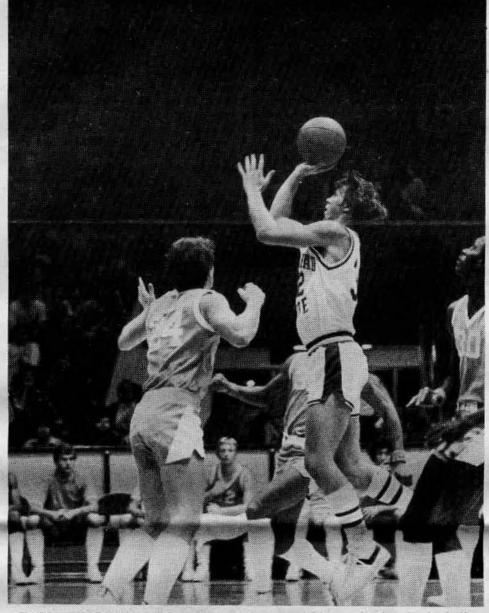
The University's affiliation with athletic conferences began in 1928 with the West Virginia Conference. MSU became a conditional member of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association (SIAA) in 1933 and gained full membership in 1935. At the time, the Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (KIAC) was a subsidiary of the SIAA. The KIAC became an independent organization in 1938.

Morehead State and four other KIAC members broke away in 1948 to form the Ohio Valley Cnference. The OVC began its 31st yar of competition in the fall of 1978 with a membership of eight state universities, four in Kentucky, three in Tennessee and one in Ohio. Morehead State is among the five remaining charter members.

MSU's Lady Eagles became charter members of the Kentucky Women's Intercollegiage Conference (KWIC) in 1970. The league numbers seven members in its Division I, offering championships in all of MSU's varsity sports.

Men's basketball has been MSU's main vehicle to national prominence. The Eagle cagers have appeared nine times in two post-season tournaments. They have won eight championships, six in the OVC and two in the KIAC, and produced seven All-American players starting with Earl Duncan in 1943. In 50 seasons of varsity basketball MSU has a cumlative record of 604 wins and 497 losses, prior the final three game of the 1978-79 current season.

Football put MSU in the national spotlight in the years just prior to and shortly after World War II. The 1950's brought problems and three coaching changes before MSU's grid fortunes began to improve in the decade of the 1960's. The school's cumlative record for 49 seasons is 169 wins, 226 losses and 21 ties, and include - two OVC championships. Two championships also were won in the KIAC. Five Eagle griders have won All-American recognition since John (Buck) Horton of Mt.



EAGLE SHARPSHOOTER — In the 50th season of intercollegiate basketball at Morehead State University, a jump-shooting guard from Knott County became the first Eagle cager in history to score more than 2,000 points in his varsity career. Herbie Stamper, a senior from Brinkley, had amassed 2,047 points as the Eagles of Coach Wayne Martin were preparing for the Ohio Valley Conference Tournament. The previous career scoring record was 1,925, held by former All-American Dan Swartz, now the sheriff of Bath County.

Sterling became the first in 1938.

MSU has won other championships in women's basketball, baseball, indoor and outdoor track, swimming, soccer, golf, cross country and volleyball.

From the first crude playing fields, MSU's athletic facilities have been developed through the years to stand today as the equal of those at any similar institution in the country. Included are a 10,000 seat football stadium with an enclosed eight-lane, quarter-mile track; a 5,000 seat gymnasium for basketball and volleyball with an 8,000 seat arena under construction; fourteen allweather tennis courts, a modern baseball park, a nine-hole golf course, one indoor swimming pool and another under construction; and indoor track; and numerous practice fields.

Morehead State University athletic teams have won 28 championships in four sports in three leagues, the Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (KIAC), the Ohio Valley Conference (OVC) and Kentucky Women's Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (KWIC).

The first conference title was the

KIAC basketball crown in 1940-41 under Coach Ellis Johnson. The most recent championship was OVC women's basketball earlier this season under Coach Mickey Wells.

Nine titles have been won in men's basketball, two in the KIAC and seven in the OVC. Coach Len Miller's Eagles took the second KIAC crown in 1943-44. Coach Bobby Laughlin's teams won the OVC four times; 1955-56, 1956-57, 1960-61, and 1962-63. Bob Wright coached the OVC champs in 1968-69. Bill Harrell had OVC titles in 1971-72 and 1973-74.

The basketball Eagles have appeared seven times in post season tournaments with a 5-8 record. They are 3-4 in three NCAA tournaments. Play in the now defunct SIAA tourney produced a 2-2 mark. MSU is 0-2 in the NAIB tournament, now the NAIA.

Four crowns have been won on the gridiron, two in each league. Coach Ellis Johnson directed the Eagles to KIAC championships in 1942 and 1946. Coach Guy Penny was the OVC's championship mentor in 1962 and 1966.

MSU has copped six baseball championships. Stan Radjunas coached the KIAC winner in 1947. Coach Sonny Allen guided the OVC titlists in 1957, 1969 and 1973. Dr. Rex Chaney coached the 1963 champs in the OVC and Steve Hamilton coached the winner in 1977.

Dr. Nolan Fowler's teams won the OVC track championship in 1955 and 1956 and A.L. Dawson's indoor thin clads captured the OVC crown in 1977.

The golfing Eagles of Coach Ed Bignon won the OVC crown in 1973 and Dr. Rex Chaney's linksman won the crown in 1977.

Coach Mickey Wells' Lady Eagle basketball team won the KWIC title in 1977 and the OVC crown this year.

1977 and the OVC crown this year. The volleyball team of Coach Laradean Brown won KWIC titles in 1974 and 1976.

Foundation Aids Eagles

For the first time in its history, Morehead State University turned last fall to private funding sources to help finance intercollegiate athletics.

MSU President Morris L. Norfleet and a group of Morehead businessmen engineered the formation of the Eagle Athletic Foundation as a fund-raising organization for athletics.

At last report, more than \$25,000 had been pledged.

"We feel the foundation offers an excellent opportunity for our alumni and other friends who wish to give direct financial support to intercollegiate athletics," Dr. Norfleet said. "The funds are handled in strict compliance with NCAA and AIAW and OVC rules and regulations and the foundation and its members are not be involved in the management of our athletic program."

President of the foundation is Harold Bellamy, Morehead insurance executive.

"We felt the University could not continue to upgrade its athletic program on the funds available." Bellemy stated. "The time was and is right to accept outside money to help men's and women's sports in an appropriate manner."

He said the donated funds are disbursed by the University and that supporters can earmark their gifts for certain sports or for the total athletic program.

Dr. Norfleet said the money is being used to support recruiting and other "legitimate" needs of MSU's eight men's sports and six women's sports.

MSU Athletic Director G.E. (Sonny) Moran also is positive about the new organization.

"This matter was studied carefully for more than a year and we believe the foundation is the right course of action for the future of our athletic program," Moran said. "All of us are excited about the prospect of this additional support and we are trying to make wise use of the money."

Membership applications are available by mail from Eagle Athletic Foundation, Box 718, Morehead, Ky. 40351.





71 Persons Have Served On Board

With the appointment last month of Billy Joe Hall of Mt. Sterling as a new member, Morehead State University's Board of Regents has involved 71 persons in voluntary service since the first board was formed in 1924.

Total membership has included 47 private citizens, 11 state superin-tendents of public instruction, 10 students and three faculty members

Lloyd Cassity, the current and 13th board chairman, is the second layman to head the board. The first 11 chairmen served by virtue of their elected status as state superintendent of public instruction. Dr. W. H. Cartmell served four years as the first lay chairman. He remains on the board today.

The Kentucky General Assembly acted in 1972 to expand the board to eight citizen members and remove the state school superintendent from membership Faculty and student regents were given full voting rights the same year

Dr. Cartmell, a Maysville surgeon, is in his 23rd year on the board and has served longer than any other person. He was first appointed in 1956. B. F. Reed of Drift, a coal executive, ranked second in length of service with 21 years when he resigned last December for health reasons.

Other citizen members of the current board and year of appointment include Cassity, Ashland dairy executive, 1963; Cloyd McDowell, Harlan coal executive, 1966; Jerry F. Howell, Jackson real estate developer, 1968; Sam F. Kibbey, Grayson attorney,

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BOARD OF REGENTS ... Eight of the 10 members of the current MSU Board of Regents were photographed at a recent meeting. Seated, from left, are District Judge James M. Richardson of Owingsville, Sam . Kibbey of Grayson, Lloyd Cassity of Ashland and Dr. W.H. Cartmell of Maysville. Standing are Billy Joe Hall of Mt. Sterling, Evan Perkins of West Liberty, student regent, and Jerry F. Howell of Jackson. Not shown are Cloyd McDowell of Harlan and Dr. Daniel Stamper of Pikeville. Cassity is chairman of the board and Howell is vice-chairman.

1973; James M. Richardson, Owingsville district judge, 1975; Dr. Daniel Stamper, Pikeville physician, 1977; and Billy Joe Hall, Mt. Sterling bank president, 1979.

Dr. Charles J. Pelfrey, professor of English, is in his second three-year term as faculty representative on the board. He was elected in 1974 and reelected in 1977. The board's other faculty delegates , were Dr. Frank Mangrum, professor of philosophy,

1968-71; and Dr. Madison E. Pryor, professor of biological sciences, 1971-74.

The current student member is Evan Perkins, West Liberty senior, who is serving his second one-year term. The student seat goes automatically to the president of the Student Government Association if he or she is a Kentuckian. If not, a special election is held to select

Quentin Hatfield of McCarr was the first student member, serving briefly in

1968. Others and their academic y membership were W. A. (Bill) Bradford of Russell, 1968-69 and 1969-70; Jack Sims of Munfordville, 1970-71; Mike Mayhew of Morehead, 1971-72; Pete Marcum of Louisville, 1972-73; Dennis Warford of Lawrenceburg, 1973-74; Robert (Woody) Byrd of Morehead. 1974-75; Deborah Poore of Hodgenville, 1975-76; and Jerry Mayes of Louisville, 1976-77

Dr. Pelfrey and Mayes became the first faculty and student regents, respectively, to participate in the appointment of an MSU president when they voted with the eight citizen members to name Dr. Morris L. Norfleet in October, 1976, as the institution's eighth president.

The board's membership of private citizens has included four women. Mrs. W. J. Fields of Olive Hill was appointed to the original board and served four years. Mrs. S. M. Bradley of Morehead was a member from 1928 until 1932. Mrs. Allie W. Young had three terms, starting in 1936 and ending in 1948. Mrs. E. E. Shannon of Louisa served from 1958 to 1960

The University expressed its appreciation to those who have served on the board when, in 1963, it named Regents Hall, a four-story men's residence hall. Several past and present members have facilities named for them personally

The 11 state school superintendents who served as board chairmen were

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a Kentucky resident.



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Jennifer Reis, shown during registration for the fall semester, is one of the many Lewis County students who enrolled in 1978 at MSU. The students of Lewis County and Citizens-Deposit Bank commend the founders and builders for their effort in developing Morehead State University. Their contribution has brought the University to its present status and consequently a better way of life to Lewis County.

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McHenry Rhoads, 1924-28; W. C. Bell, 1928-32; James H. Richmond, 1932-36; Harry W. Peters, 1936-40; John W. Brooker, 1940-44; John F. Williams, 1944-48; Boswell W. Hodgkin, 1948-52; Wandal P. Butlan 1955-56, 1960 C4, and Wendell P. Butler, 1952-56, 1960-64; and 1968-72; Robert R. Martin, 1956-60; Harry M. Sparks, 1964-68; and Lyman V. Ginger, 1972.

The 39 private citizens who served on the board in the past came from 22 cities and towns, mostly in Eastern Kentucky. Morehead has had five members with Ashland contributing four. Olive Hill and Paintsville each had three former members

The roster of former board members includes

MOREHEAD - Allie W. Young (1924-35), Mrs. S. M. Bradley (1928-32), D. B. Caudill (1934-36), Mrs. Allie W. Young (1936-48) and Roy E. Cornette (1944-48).

Donald H. Putnam ASHLAND (1936-46), William H. Keffer (1944-48), J. T. Norris Sr. (1948-55) and Charles D. Wheeler (1969-73).

Mrs. W. J. Fields OLIVE HILL -(1924-28), Dr. J. M. Rose (1930-36 and 1946-48) and Dr. W. E. Day (1956-58).

PAINTSVILLE Harry LaViers (1942-44), Dr. Paul Hall (1956-58) and D. H. Dorton (1962-68).

MAYSVILLE -Dr. A. O. Taylor (1935-38) and W. W. Ball (1948-54).

HAZARD - W. A. Stanfill (1930-34) and M. K. Eblen (1948-56).

LOUISA — E. E. Shannon (1938-44) and Mrs. E. E. Shannon (1958-60).

MT STERLING - Earl W. Senff (1926-30 and 1932-36) and Crayton (Bo)

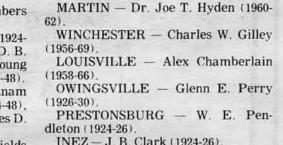
Queen (1972-75). PIKEVILLE - Bruce Walters Sr. (1958-63) and William E. Justice (1972-

WEST LIBERTY - W. A. Caskey (1937-40)SALYERSVILLE - Harry H. Ramey

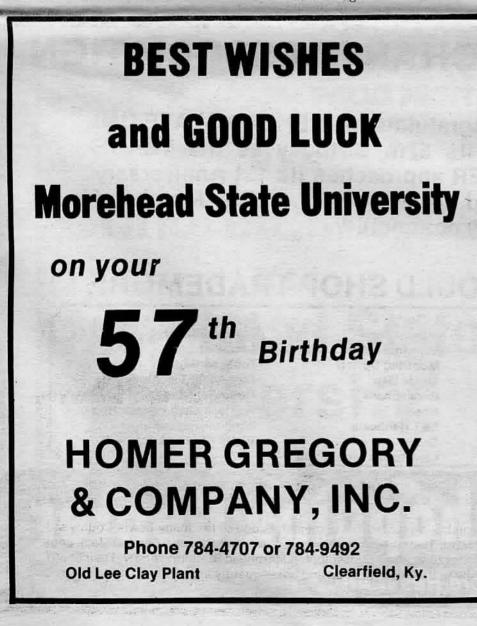
- (1940-42) WHEELWRIGHT - E. R. Price (1948-53)
- VANCEBURG Dr. Elwood Esham (1954-58)
- GRAYSON Dr. Lowell Gearhart (1954-58
- SANDY HOOK John Keck (1955-56)
- INEZ-J. B. Clark (1924-26). GREENUP - C. B. Bennett (1936-37).

LAKE AMONG STATE'S CLEANEST MSU's 30-acre lake, created by the impoundment of Evans Branch in 1953, is among the cleanest in Kentucky, according to state officials.

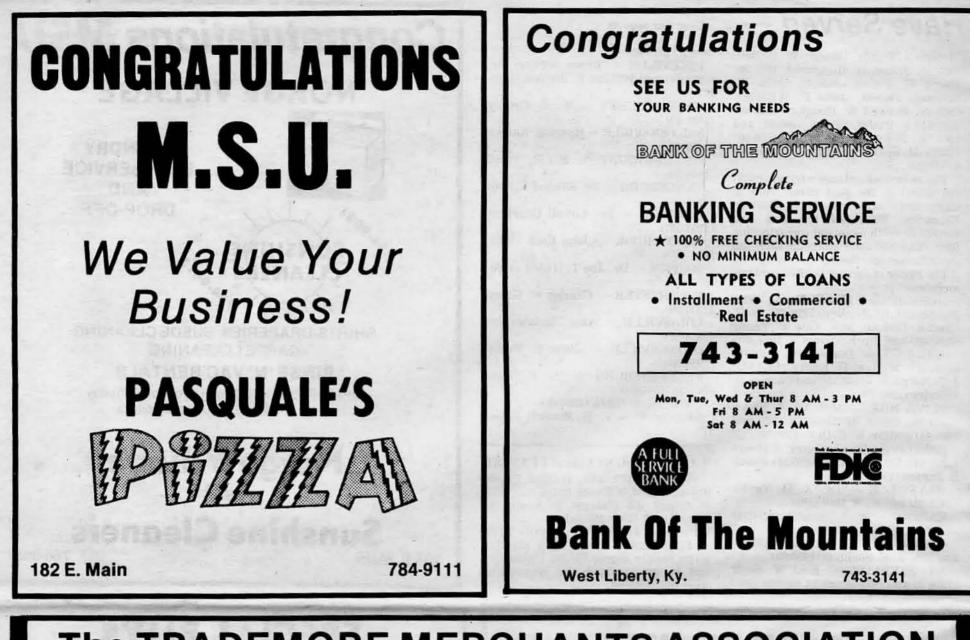
The lake, known as University Lake or Eagle Lake, serves as a standby water supply source for the University and is not available for recreation. other than fishing.



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Cornette Among Illustrious Alumni

By JOE LAMB

As Morehead State University takes a look into its past to examine its roots and assess where it has been, one of the best places to begin would be one of its most illustrious local alumni, Roy Cornette.

Roy Cornette exemplifies and personifies the story of the young man who went to college to realize the American dream and came away conquering almost every horizon that crossed his path.

Roy Cornette, former county school superintendent, former MSU regent, former teacher, retail business man, entrepuener and president of First Federal Savings and Loan, attended MSU the second year it was in existence. He says he would have gone the first year, if he hadn't got a job working on the C&O railroad.

Since those early days, Cornette says that he has seen considerable change, not only at the university but Morehead itself. So many changes, in fact, that it could fill several volumes of books. Pointing to Main Street, Cornette said that he could remember when it was a mud road.

While he was getting ready to graduate from the university, Cornette made up his mind that he would have to leave the area, if he wanted to get a good job. But Harlan Powers, who was then Rowan County school superintendent, said that he might be able to get a job as a teacher, if he talked to School Board Chairman Doc Stewart.



Now in active retirement, Roy Cornette sits at one of his favorite spots behind the president's desk at First Federal Savings and Loan. Cornette has sat behind many desks during his life time and most of them have been at the top. (Staff Photo)

Cornette taught for one year at the senior high school at Haldeman before being named principal. He stayed in that job for five years before being hired as superintendent of the Rowan County School system. He kept that job for about 12 years when he decided that "was long enough."

"You see schools didn't pay much in those days," he explained, "and I knew that if I was ever going to have the kind of money I wanted to have, I was going to have to go into private business."

to have to go into private business." Many people would be afraid to change jobs when they are 40 years old, but Cornette not only changed jobs, he started a whole new career as a business man. He and Glennis Fraley opened Monarch Supply Store in 1945, starting "from scratch." The business prospered and Cornette was beginning to get the kind of money he couldn't make as a teacher and administrator in the school system.

Roy Cornette seemed to have a way of "joining everything there was to get into." Usually for him, it was more than just joining, it was becoming a leader. He wasn't satisfied being a member of the Alumni Association at MSU, he became its president. He wasn't just involved with the university, he became a regent.

As a superintendent he wasn't only a member of EKEA, he was its president. And he wasn't just a retail merchant, he became a president of the Kentucky Retail Hardware Association.

Then again, Roy Cornette has never been the type of person to let opportunities pass him by. In 1950 he and some other businessmen saw the need for a radio station in Morehead. Cornette then founded WMOR and as co-owner of it, served as vice president. He said, "Other radio station owners told us to be patient for a couple years and expect to be in the red, but we were in the black the minute we opened up." He later sold his interest in the radio station but it was not to be his last venture.

In 1963, at the ripe young age of 60, he saw an opportunity to start a financial institution in Morehead. It took a court battle but before long, the First Federal Savings and Loan opened its doors and Cornette was the president, a job he still holds. Since then the Savings and Loan has grown to the point where Cornette says, "I'm very proud of it." After 23 years in the Hardware business, he sold his interest and retired to the job of being president of the Savings and Loan.

Cornette attributes his success and happiness to several things, not the least of which is hard work. He says, "Success is built on your willingness to buckle down and work hard." To that he adds one disclaimer, "You've got to do your own thing — what you want to do."

He believes that nothing is beyond the reach of hard work in something you want to do. When he was over 40 years old and running Monarch Supply Store, he often got up at 4:30 in the morning to get supplies for the store.

Much as he says he liked being an educator. Cornette said that he would not be as happy today had he not decided to change careers when he did. Although he did spend many years in (Continued on page 25)



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the field of education. Cornette says he has kind of lost touch with education. But he does have some comments about it. For one thing, he believes that schools don't emphasize the fundamentals like they used to. He says that today, students get more of a social education and that might "compensate" for the absence of the fundamental teaching. He also says that a college degree

He also says that a college degree used to mean more than it does today. But he says that is probably because there are more people with degrees today, although he does concede that it might be that employers don't think a degree is as valuable as it used to be.

Even though he is in good health and looks much younger than his 76 years, Cornette says that he is not as physically active as he would like to be. He can remember when he could "run like a deer" and was the lead off man on the baseball team. He said that when then the second man came to bat, and Roy was on first as he usually was, the coach would tell him go for third when the ball was hit. What he calls "the best legs in the world" also helped on the MSU football team on which he lettered.

Cornette is also proud of his family. His wife is the former Elsie Lee Hogge, a Morehead native. He has one daughter Margaret Sue (Mrs. Fenton) Morris, who is a teacher, and two granddaughters, Marsha Saunders and Nancy Morris.

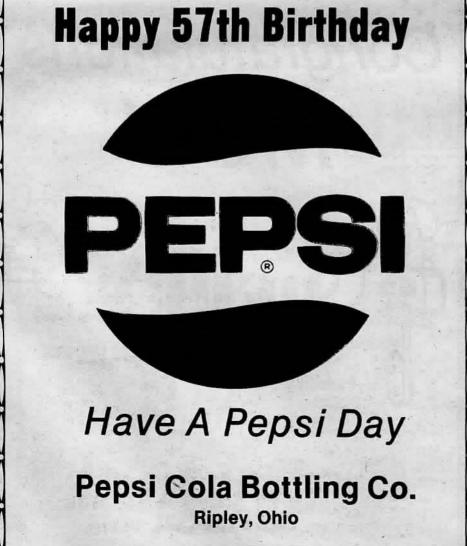
In addition to the things already mentioned, Cornette's list of achievements includes: being a member of and secretary to the 'M' Club; being a member of the YMCA Council; being a member of the Rowan County Country Club; being a member of the Literary Society and Drama Club; being a member of the President's Club in 1966; being a 50 year Mason and past Master of the local lodge; being a permanent member of the MSU Executive Council; being a member and 10 year deacon of the First Baptist Church of Morehead; and having an honorary life membership in the MSU Alumni Association.

Cornette says that his success was "something I fell into, it wasn't any brilliance on my part." One gets that feeling that he is being a little too modest.

VET TECH UNIQUE IN KENTUCKY MSU's associate degree in veterinary technology is the only program in Kentucky which can qualify individuals for licensure as "animal technicians," para-professionals who assist veterinarians in clinical duties.

The program is accredited by the American Veterinary Medical Association and has its clinic at MSU's Derrickson Agricultural Complex on Ky. 377, north of Morehead.

SIX ACADEMIC SCHOOLS AT MSU MSU's academic structure consists of six schools and the Office of Graduate Programs. Schools include Applied Sciences and Technology, Business and Economics, Education, Humanities, Sciences and Mathematics and Social Sciences.



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Conferring here are (left to right) Senators Nelson Allen, D-Bellefonte; Woodrow Stamper, D-West Liberty; and Gene Huff, R-London

Budget and Property Tax Resolved In Saturday Session

Senator Stamper and other members of the General Assembly met all day Saturday, February 10, before conference committees resolved disagreement between the House and Senate over House Bill 19, the state's budget, and House Bill 44, a proposal to limit the growth of property taxes.

The special session concluded it's business on February 10.

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Adron Doran (1954-1977)

By the time he retired on Jan. 1, 1977 Dr. Doran had become the senior MSU president in terms of service with



nearly 23 years as the school's chief executive. He be-came MSU's seventh president in 1954, coming to the campus from the Kentucky Department of Education. His earlier educational experience included 15 years

as a teacher, coach and high school principal in Western Kentucky. A graduate of Freed-Hardeman Junior College, Murray State University and the University of Kentucky, President Dor-an is a native of Graves County, He served four terms in the General Assembly, Including one term as Speaker of the House. Now a resident of Lexington, Dr. Doran is the only living former president of MSU.

Charles R. Spain (1951-54)

Dr. Spain, Morehead State's sixth president came to Morehead from Peabody where he was dean of instruction.



He was graduated from Bethel College, Tenn., and earned a master's degree from Peabody and a doctorate from Columbia. He began his educational career in his native Carroll County, Tenn., where he was a

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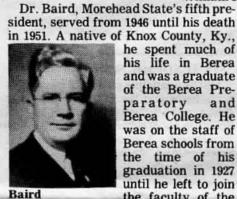
teacher and then a principal. Later he taught at Arkansas State and at Florence State and was a faculty and staff member at the University of Kentucky from 1946 to 1949. Dr. Spain resigned the Morehead presidency in 1954 to ac-cept a position as dean of the College of Education at the University of New Mexico. He later became superintendent of the Albuquerque public school system and died there.

William J. Baird (1946-51)

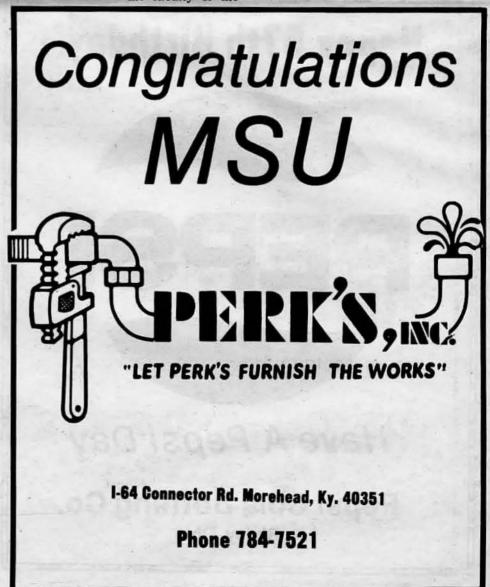
Berea Schools in Rome, Ga., in 1942. In that same year, he was awarded an honorary doctorate by Berea College. Dr. Baird's education also includes graduate work at Columbia University,

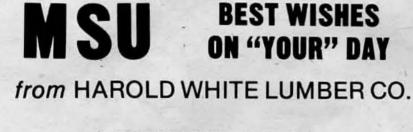
Cornell University, the University of Wisconsin and the University of Kentucky.

During a leave of absence from Berea in 1940, he visited 56 campuses in the United States as a representative of the **Danforth Foundation. Baird Music Hall** was named in his honor.



he spent much of his life in Berea and was a graduate of the Berea Preparatory and Berea College. He was on the staff of Berea schools from the time of his graduation in 1927 until he left to join the faculty of the





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Économic Impact Is Significant

By KEITH KAPPES MSU Director of Public Affairs

How much is Morehead State University worth to Morehead and Rowan County?

In strictly financial terms, the impact is virtually impossible to measure in view of the "multiplier" effect of the dollar passing from hand to hand through a local economy. But some figures are available and can be verified.

For example, the City of Morehead benefits to the tune of more than \$130,000 each year because of the \$13 million annual payroll at MSU. City Finance Director Phillip Tackett reports the payroll tax paid by MSU employees represents one-third of the city's toal revenue from the one percent tax on gross pay and net profits.

In the matter of jobs, MSU employs nearly 1,000 persons on its faculty and support staff and about 80 percent of them hold full-time positions.

It can be logically assumed that all or nearly all of these families would not be living in Morehead and Rowan County and buying food, housing, utilities, clothing, vehicles, automotive supplies, furniture and other goods and services if the University had not been located here.

In addition, the University employs nearly 2,000 students under the workstudy program as part of an annual student aid outlay of nearly \$4 million.

Informal surveys have determined

that each full-time student living on campus or commuting will spend from \$500 to \$1,000 in Morehead each year for food, clothing, supplies, off-campus housing, gasoline, entertainment, etc. Using the lower amount and figuring a minimum of 5,000 students, this category shows \$2.5 million going into the local ecomony. Recent date indicated this calculation may be low by as much as 50 percent.

Turning to visitors who come to Morehead and Rowan County because of MSU, there is no serious effort to count all of them but some figures are available.

MSU's Office of School Relations recently reported that more than 60,000 persons came to the campus in 1978 for conferences, state and regional meetings, high school events and other activities. Exact numbers are not available but it is estimated that about 20 percent of them spent at least one night in Morehead.

No figures are maintained on the outof-town alumni and other visitors for other public events or the parents and other relatives and friends who come to visit students or the tourists who drive through the campus because of the new signs on I-64 or MSU's promotions in tourism publications.

MSU pours roughly \$2 million directly into the local ecomony each year through the purchase of supplies, utilities and certain governmental and business services. The handling of the University's annual operating budget of about \$26 million benefits local financial institutions and MSU is acknowledged locally as the largest single customer of Kentucky Utilities and General Telephone. And MSU is No. 2 at the Morehead Post Office behind Kentucky Publishing Co.

The University's water plant is interconnected with city water mains and the two systems help each other in times of shortages. Thus, both avoid the expense of standby systems.

A sizable impact on the local ecomony through the years and today is capital construction at MSU. At present, a \$7 million project is underway with another \$1 million worth set to start later this spring. Projects costing more than \$4 million have been completed in the past two years. Capital construction benefits the local economy through wages, city payroll taxes and purchase of supplies and equipment rental.

One of the new projects will result in an increase in the amount of natural gas available to city residents. MSU is extending its coal-fired central heating sytem to three major facilities on the east end of the campus. At present, all three are heated with natural gas.

But arguments also can be made to support the negative impact of the University, as well. For instance the mobility of faculty and administrative staff members is cited as a major factor in the inflation of real estate in the Morehead area. And there are those who recall the days when Morehead had no problems with traffic, urban congestion and related matters. One might make a case for smaller fire and police departments in the absence of the University community.

It is said by some that Morehead would have been relatively untouched by the drug culture if persons from different geographic areas had not come here to attend MSU. And we hear periodically that there was little or no crime in the Morehead area before MSU.

Regardless of the pros and cons, the clock cannot be turned back and the state's \$80 million investment in Morehead State University will continue to grow as the institution fulfills its three-fold mission of teaching, research and public service.

Perhaps a former mayor said it best when he observed recently:

"The campus and the community have had their ups and downs through the years but relations today are good and getting better because level-headed people realize that the school and the community need each other. Our people know that a college town has unique problems and advantages and we are working together to keep a good balance."

MOONLIGHT SCHOOL ON CAMPUS The "Cora Wilson Stewart Moonlight Schoolhouse" at MSU was established in 1972 to honor the former Rowan County school superintendent who started the adult education movement in the United States.

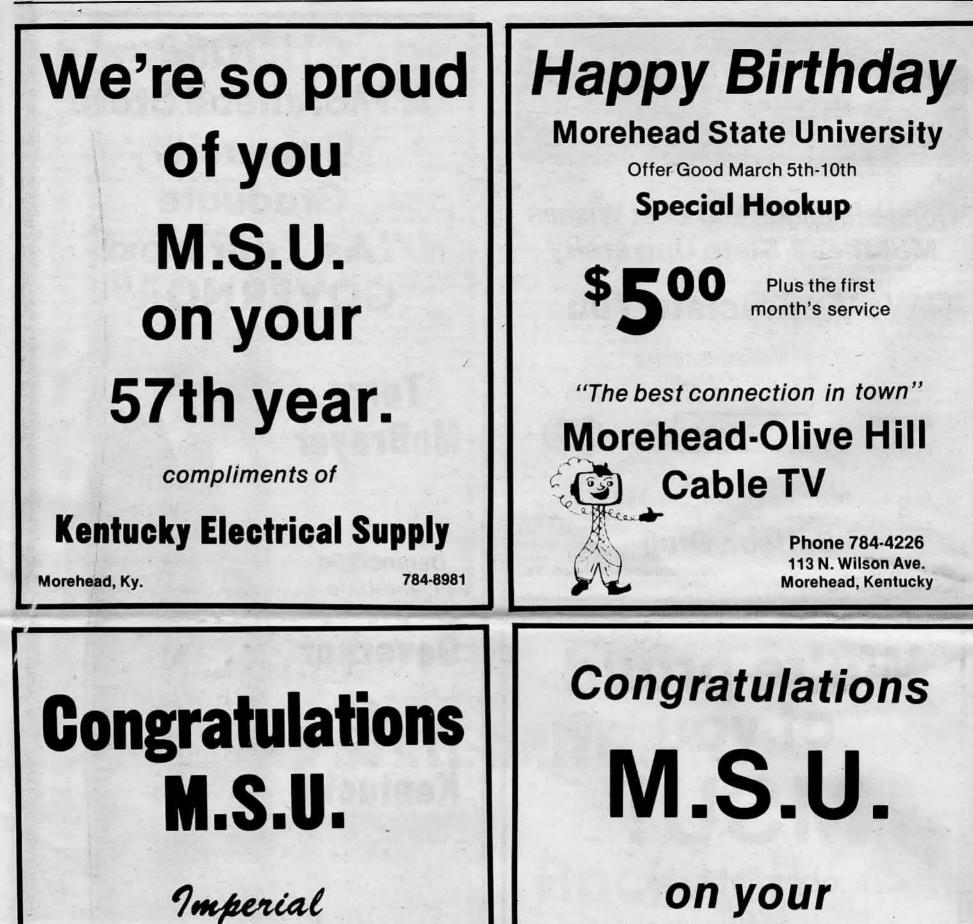
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William H. Vaughan (1940-46)

Dr. Vaughan, who had been academic dean of Morehead State since 1928, was named its fourth president in 1940 and



served until 1946. He received an A.B. degree from Georgetown College in 1923, did graduate work at the University of Chicago, and received a master's degree and, in 1937, a Ph. D. from George Peabody

Vaughan-

College for Teachers. he was superintendent of schools in Louisa before coming to Morehead. In 1946, Dr. Vaughan accepted a position as director of associations and professor of education at Peabody. He later retired from Peabody and presently resides in Nashville. Dr. Vaughan is MSU's only living former president.

Harvey A. Babb (1935-40) Dr. Babb, Morehead State's third president, came to the college after 16 years as superintendent of schools in



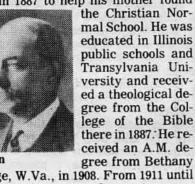
ndent of schools in Mt. Sterling. He was born in Crittenden, Ky., in 1884 and received a B.A. degree from the University of Kentucky in 1911 and a M.A. from the same institution in 1923. After his graduation from col-

Babb lege, Dr. Babb taught high school at Springdale, Ark., principal at Henderson for a year before assuming the superintendency at Mt. Sterling. In 1946, he was director of unemployment compensation in Kentucky. Frank C. Button (1923-30)

for two years and at Henderson (Ky.)

High School for three years. he was

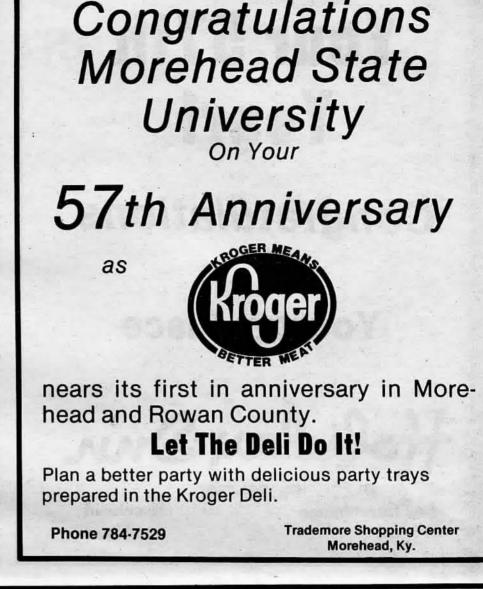
Dr. Button was born Nov. 19, 1863 at Oquawka, Ill., and first came to Morehead in 1887 to help his mother found



Button gree from Bethany College, W.Va., in 1908. From 1911 until 1923, Dr. Button served as state supervisor of rural schools under the sponsorship of the Rockefeller Foundation. He returned to Morehead as first president of the Morehead State Normal School in 1923 and continued in this capacity until his retirement in 1930. He died in 1933. Dr. Button also served as mayor of Morehead, as a newspaper editor and as pastor of the Christian Church. Button Auditorium was named

CAMPUS HAS REGION'S TALLEST MSU's campus skyline is dominated by the two tallest occupied structures in Eastern Kentucky, 19-story Cartmell Hall, a men's residence hall, and 16story Mignon Tower, a women's residence hall.

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Young, who was born in Fleming County in 1865, began his fight for the school in 1923 during his first term as a Kentucky state senator.

He played a major role in influencing a state commission to locate the school at Morehead. He was appointed in 1924 as one of the original members of the Board of Regents and served until his death in 1935

During this period, the promotion of the school's interests was his major concern

At the first meeting of the Board on April 15, 1924, Sen. Young volunteered to loan the school any sum up to \$10,000 without interest to pay expenses for the remainder of the school year.

He taught school in Rowan County and studied law in the office of his father, Col. Zachary T. Young, before entering public service.

His first public office was county attorney of Montgomery County. He was later appointed master commissioner of Montgomery County Circuit Court.

Young was elected circuit judge before joining the Consolidated Coal Company as general counsel.

Area voters urged him to run for the state senate and he was serving his third term as a state senator from the 31st District when he died.

An eloquent debater, Senator Young quickly emerged as a leader of the legislators. A champion of the common man, he was called "The Sage of Morehead."

When Rowan County celebrated its 100th birthday in 1956, Senator Allie W Young was selected as the person who contributed the most to Morehead and Rowan County during the first 100 years

Allie Young Hall, constructed in 1926 as a women's residence hall and renovated in 1976-77 to become an academic-administrative facility, was named in honor of Sen. Young's immeasurable contributions to Morehead State University.

The four-story building was rededicated during the 1978 Founders Day activities.

John J. Payne (1930-35)

Dr. Payne, the second president of Morehead State, served from 1930 until 1935. He had previously been a public school administra-



tor and superintendent of several city school systems. He resigned in 1935 because of ill health. Later, until his death, he served for many years in the Kentucky Department of Economic Security at Frankfort and was widely known as a

public speaker. Dr. Payne was, during his presidency, appointed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt to a committee to study education in Germany when Hitler was in power.





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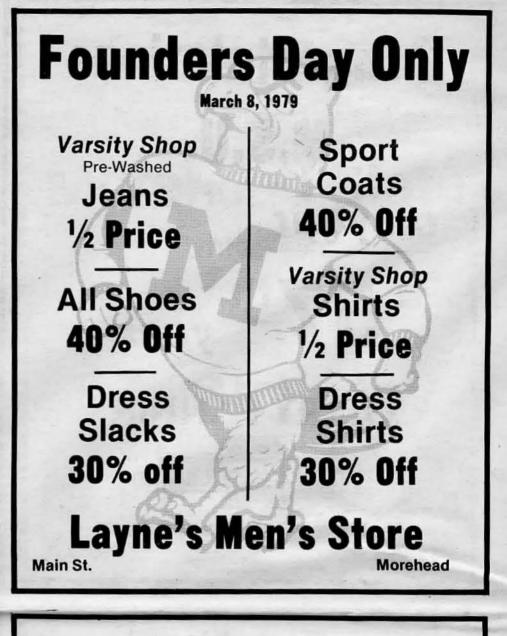
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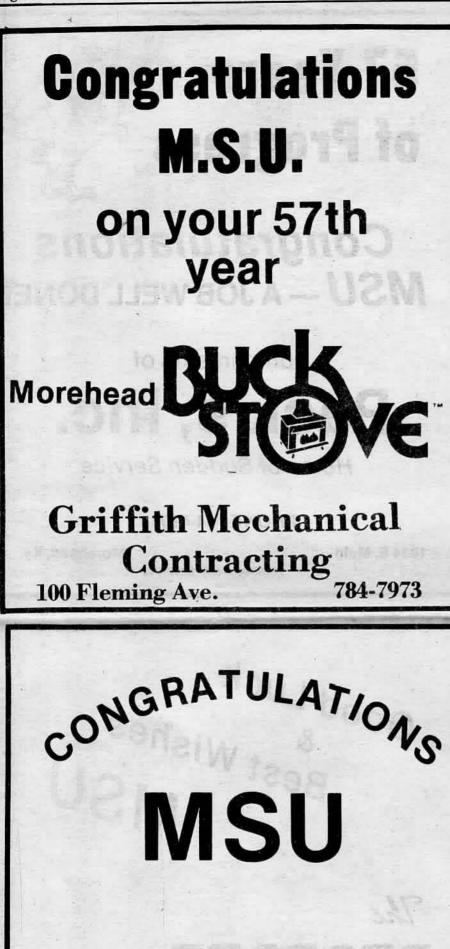
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He was chosen by nominations from alumni at large with the concurrence of an alumni committee and the executive council of the Alumni Association.

Criteria for the "Distinguished Faculty Award" are a minimum of five years' service at MSU, contribution to the field of education, professional and instructional growth, pursuit of excellence, appreciation for anonymity, adaptability and responsibility to the campus community, versatility, ethical attitudes in accomplishments and cooperation with faculty and students.

Other recipients of the "Distinguished Faculty Award" include:

1965-66 Dr. Margaret B. Heaslip, professor of biology.

1966-67 Dr. J.E. Duncan, dean, School of Humanities.

Mary Northcutt, 1967-68 Dr. professor of education.

1968-69 Dr. Madison Pryor, professor of biology

1969-70 Dr. Franklin Mangrum. professor of philosophy. 1970-71 Allen Lake,

associate professor of biology

1971-72 Dr. Charles Pelfrey. professor of English.

1972-73 Mrs. Julia Webb, associate professor of speech and debate coach. Victor B. Howard. 1973-74 Dr.

professor of history

1974-75 Dr. Louise Quinn, assistant professor of business.

1975-76 Dr. Charles M. Derrickson, professor of agriculture and head of the Department of Agriculture.

1976-77 James Ross Beane, associate professor of music.

Charles Whidden, 1977-78 Dr. professor of physic.

Morris L. Norfleet (1977 -

A native of Nancy in Pulaski County, Dr. Norfleet became MSU's eighth president on Jan. 1, 1977. He had served



the previous six months as acting president. Before coming to More-head State in 1962 as director of student teaching, he had taught for more than six years in the public schools, served eighteen months as

Norfleet

an educational assistant in public relations, spent two years on the faculty of Purdue University and worked six months in market research. A graduate of Purdue and the University of Kentucky, his career ladder at MSU included appointments as director of research and program development in 1965 and as vice president for research and development in 1968, the post he held at the time of his selection as acting president. The Board of Regents announced in October of 1976 that it has picked Dr. Norfleet from more than 120 persons to become the eighth president. He is married to the former Loistene Tarter, also of Nancy. They have a son, Doug-las, a junior at University Breckinridge School.



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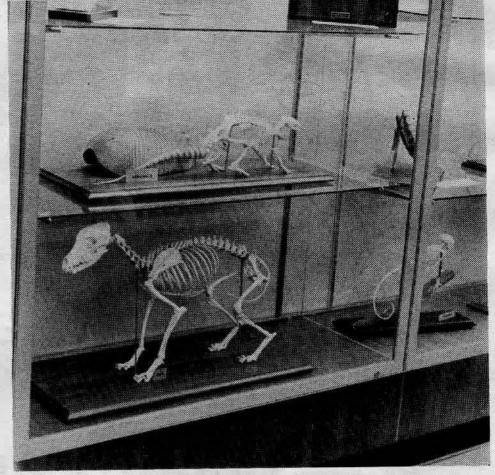
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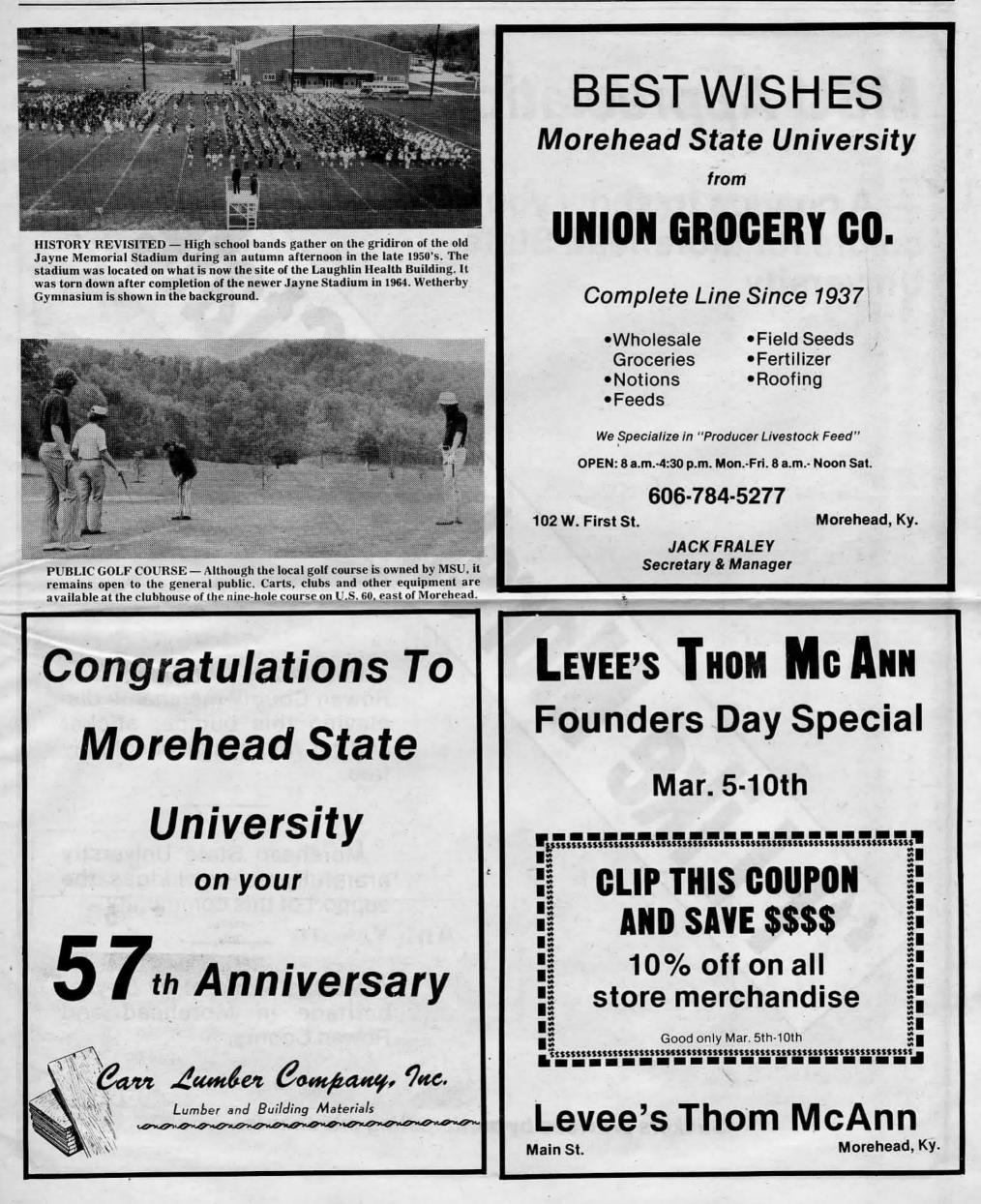
SCIENCE MUSEUM — This exhibit is part of the West Science Museum at MSU's Lappin Hall. Open daily and on weekends by arrangement, the collection is dedicated to the natural and physical sciences. It was named for the late Fenton West of MSU's science faculty. Also on display in Lappin Hall is a fossilized root system of a tropical plant which is estimated to be 235 million years old. The University Planetarium is another tenant of Lappin Hall and is available to visitors by special arrangement. MSU encourages visitors at all of its facilities.

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