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BOARD ELECTS NEW MEMBERS FOR FACULTY

Five Women and Two Men Are Appointed By Regents

DR. H. DRENON HEADS ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

The Board of Regents of Murray State Teachers College convened at the office of the president Friday and elected seven new faculty members, granted certificates, and discussed matters relative to the construction of new buildings.

The new members of the faculty as elected Friday are: Miss Mary C. Wilson, rural school supervisor of Calloway and Marshall Counties; Miss Ida G. Rees of Ruston, La., head of the home economics department; Miss Evelyn Eaves of Greenville, Ky., piano instructor; Prof. L. J. Hortin of Illinois, department of journalism; Miss Howard Woodruff of Peabody, art instructor; Prof. John Burnham of Kansas, head of the music department; Miss Gwendolyn Haynes of Marion, Ky., public school music for the Training School. Dr. Herbert Drenon, Ph. D. University of Chicago, has been previously elected as head of the English department.

Miss Wilson is a graduate of Ruston Polytechnic with an A. B. degree and has done work at Peabody. For five years she was engaged in school supervision work at Ruston.

Jess Rees, who will be head of the home economics department is also from Ruston and received her A. M. degree from Columbia University.

Miss Eaves of Greenville has her bachelor of music degree from the State Teachers College for Women of Tallahassee, Fla. For two years she has been studying at the Percy Granger Music College of Chicago.

Professor Burnham of Pittsburgh Kan., is a graduate of Union College, N. Y., and has done graduate work at Columbia University and at the Damrosch School of Music, N. Y. He will head the music department.

Miss Woodruff, who has been employed in the art department of Murray State Teachers College, received her A. B. degree from Peabody.

Miss Haynes of Marion, Ky., who will instruct in public school music in the Training School, is a graduate of the Louisville Conservatory of Music.

Professor Hortin, who will head the journalism department and be editor of the College News, received his A. B. degree from McKendree College, Lebanon, Illinois and was formerly a member of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch staff.

The members of the Board of Regents who were present at the Friday meetings were: Mrs. Will Mason of Murray; G. P. Ordway, of Kuttawa, Ky.; J. E. Wilson of Mayfield, Ky.; G. P. Thomas of Cadiz, Ky. Superintendent Bell was unable to be present.

The exact number and names of persons for whom certificates were issued is not available at the time that the College News goes to press, but these will appear in the next issue. Nothing definite in the way of locating the new buildings has been done.

POET LAUREATE VISITS MURRAY

Dr. J. T. C. Noe, University of Kentucky, Lectures to Murray Students

Dr. J. T. C. Noe, poet laureate of Kentucky and professor of the education department of the University of Kentucky, is visiting Murray State Teachers College, where he is making speeches in chapel and in the various classes during this week. He spoke in chapel yesterday morning and gave an illustrated lecture on architecture in the evening.

"There is no better spot in Kentucky than Murray," declared Dr. J. T. C. Noe, in answer to the introduction by President Wells. He gave a brief comment on the death of his life-time friend, Dr. George Colvin, president of the University of Louisville and former state superintendent of education of Kentucky. Dr. Colvin died at the hospital in Louisville, Sunday afternoon, July 22, at 3:30 o'clock.

"I have Christmas in my heart the year around," asserted the poet laureate as he announced the poems which he read in chapel Monday morning. Five poems of his own composition, including verses on Lincoln, Daniel Boone, birds, and Christmas, were read by Dr. Noe.

His lecture on architecture, which was given last night in the old auditorium, was enjoyed by a large number of students and faculty members. Many points of interest and of educational value were brought out by the speaker.

DR. R. T. WELLS TALKS IN CHAPEL

Speaker Emphasizes "Spirit" and Draws Lesson From Bible Character

"Spirit" was the keynote of the forceful address made by Dr. Rainey T. Wells, president of Murray State Teachers College during chapel exercises held in the new auditorium Monday morning, July 16.

"The reason why Daniel was chosen as the head of the kingdom, in Bible times, was not that he had more experience or better preparation, but it was the excellent spirit that was in him. He was not elected because of his popularity. He did not get the position because he was born into it. He was chosen for his special fitness for the task and that fitness was his spirit."

Every bank, every administrator, every business concern, President Wells affirmed, chooses the leaders according to the "spirit" of the officials. Kentucky and Texas have furnished many young men for eastern establishments, and these young men have become prominent because they have always had the proper attitude of promptness, honesty, and contentment in their business relations.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is a man to be admired because he has conducted himself as an example to the youth of America, even though he has always had millions of dollars at his disposal, Dr. R. T. Wells declared. He stands for clean government and believes in "being right." It is the "spirit" of this man that makes him a true citizen of America, he repeated.

Carelessness, discontent, pessimism, grumbling, are habits not conducive to the formation of a good spirit, the speaker asserted. Too many persons do not think ahead. They do not have orderly habits and well-arranged programs. The promptness with which employees attend to their duties is the measuring mark of their efficiency.

Some people are habitual fault-finders. They grumble at their food, their rooms, their teachers, their grades, and everything with which they come in contact, Dr. Wells stated. We must learn to be satisfied with our environment and must not complain about the little things in life.

A person who plays golf must keep his eyes on the ball and so must a person in business keep his eyes on his goal. Some people have such little confidence in themselves that they are like the golf player who always uses an old ball when he attempts to drive across a lake. He fears that he will drive the ball into the water, said the speaker, illustrating his theme that confidence is one of the things that helps to provide the proper "spirit."

"Any man in a public position who pays out money from the funds of his commonwealth that he would not be willing to pay from his own pocket is a thief. He is worse than a robber who comes into a house at night or a hold-up man who openly takes your money."

"Spirit is a thing that cannot be taught. It is the biggest thing on earth. Young men and young women can get an idea of what I mean by spirit if they will read all twelve chapters of Daniel in the Bible," concluded President Wells.

MRS. F. E. CRAWFORD ENTERTAINS GUESTS

Mrs. Finney Crawford entertained at luncheon the following guests at her home on West Main street Wednesday: Miss Zella Brown, dean of women of Murray State Teachers College; Mrs. David McConnell of Fort Worth, Texas; Mrs. Louis Conner of Hopkinsville, Ky.; Mrs. Wells Purdon of Murray; Mrs. Barney Bangston of Murray.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Carr Write Letters From Yokohama and Tokyo Describing Enjoyable Voyage Around the World

Letters from Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Carr, the dean and the former head of the English department, respectively, of Murray State Teachers College, have been received from Yokohama Harbor, and from the Imperial Hotel in Tokyo, where they were on June 25, by Prof. and Mrs. G. C. Ashcraft and Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Houston.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Carr left Murray June 2 for their trip around the world. On June 8, aboard the S. S. President McKinley, they left San Francisco enroute to Honolulu. Up to the present date they have visited Honolulu; Yokohama, Miyanshita, Kyoto, Nara, and Kobe of Japan; Shanghai and Hongkong of China; Manila, P. I.; and Singapore, British Malaya, where they are today.

Other places which they will visit are: Penang, Farther Indian; Colombo, Ceylon; Suez, Egypt; Jerusalem, Palestine; Cairo, Egypt; Alexandria, Egypt; Naples, Italy; Genoa, Italy; Marseilles, France; New York. They plan to arrive in Murray by September 23.

Mail or cablegram may be sent to any hotel or office of the American Express Company mentioned above.

3149 STUDENTS HAVE ATTENDED STATE NORMAL

Enrollment Has Increased Each Year of Its Existence

STUDENTS FROM 11 STATES ON ROSTER

(By EVERETT BOWDEN)

The complete roster of Murray State Teachers College for the five years since the beginning of the institution was completed today. It includes 3149 students from eleven separate states within a radius of one thousand miles.

When the Kentucky legislature appropriated the necessary funds for the construction of this school plant its prime interest was for the people of West Kentucky as: the tractately surrounding territory. But such broad-minded men are in charge of this institution have seen the wisdom of throwing open its doors to all those who are interested in education regardless of their origin. Hence we have now represented eleven states on the records of the registrar's office. Those included are: Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Texas, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, and West Virginia.

Ethel Hasson of Texarkana, Texas, Bowie County holds the position of living farther from Murray than any other student who has ever enrolled. In contrast to this considerable distance we have one student who merely steps out of his door to the campus. He is O. Stum Wells, son of the President Rainey T. Wells. The Wells family resides in the presidential mansion located on the campus just south of the administration building.

Calloway gives the largest number of students with Graves running a close second. McCracken, Ballard, Carlisle, Fulton, Hickman, Lyon, Trigg, Caldwell and Henry are all in close competition for third, fourth, and fifth places.

As to nomenclature the Jones came first with fifty-seven. Thirty-five Millers take second and thirty-two Smiths are third.

STUDENTS ENJOY SWIMMING PARTY

Miss Zella Brown Sponsors Evening Party Held at Shady Dip Swimming Pool

Continuing the social program outlined for the summer session of Murray State Teachers College, Miss Zella Brown, dean of women arranged a swimming party which was enjoyed by students and faculty members at the Shady Dip pool Friday evening, July 20.

Special rates were given by the proprietor who cooperated with the taxi company in reducing the price of admission for the members of the party. Leaving Wells Hall about 7:30 o'clock, the group enjoyed a delightful evening of swimming and recreation.

The chaperones for the affair were: Miss Naomi Maple, critic teacher of the Training School, and Miss Zella Brown, dean of women. All present expressed themselves as being delighted with the novel type of evening entertainment. Miss Brown states that in conjunction with regular social events of the college other swimming parties may be arranged in the near future.

The College Troubadours



The members of the Murray State Teachers College Quartet reading left to right: H. H. Haley, J. B. Cox, Norman L. Galloway, and Ortis Story.

FACULTY GIVES VARIED CHAPEL ENTERTAINMENT

Men's Quartet, Trio, Duets and Readings Are Featured

PRESIDENT WELLS SINGS "MY BONNIE"

Featuring an impromptu duet by President Wells and Professor Burnham, quartet numbers, trios, instrumental selections, and readings, the members of the faculty of Murray State Teachers College presented a varied program for the entertainment of the student body, visiting friends, and members of the Board of Regents at the chapel exercises held in the old auditorium Friday morning, July 20.

A pleasurable surprise was experienced by those present when the faculty's men quartet, composed of professor Burnham, tenor, Superior Professor Caplinger, tenor, Professor Ashcraft, bass, and Dr. W. R. Bourne, bass, appeared on the stage and made their introductory announcement. "Kentucky Babe" was the first song sung by this impromptu quartet. When the applause had subsided, "Stars of the Summer Night" was presented as the second offering. Concluding their part of the program, the vocalists gave the classic production, "The Bulldog on the Bank", featuring Dr. Bourne. So well was this number received that the last verse was repeated as an encore.

Miss Inez Burch of the public speaking department gave two readings: "The Widow Doodle" and "Trees" by Joyce Kilmer. Miss Burch demonstrated that she is master of the art of public speaking, not only in humorous readings but in serious numbers as well.

Mrs. Gordon Banks, with the violin, and Prof. John Burnham, cellist, accompanied by Mrs. Italy Conner at the piano, all of the music department of M. S. T. C., entertained the audience with two selections: "Barecastle" from the tales of Hoffman by Offenbach, and "Angel Serenade" by Braga. The playing of these numbers revealed the unusual musical skill of these artists.

Always ready at a moment's notice to do his right thing, President Wells and Prof. Burnham responded to the request of Mrs. Conner by singing the old favorite "My Bonnie". The enthusiastic applause which followed was evidence of the enjoyment with which the song was received.

One of the best parts of the program was the singing of three numbers by the faculty women's trio, composed of: Miss Stella Pennington, Mrs. Florence Lemon Green, and Miss Zella Brown. They sang three songs: "Love Came Calling", "Mighty Like a Rose", and "Lilas Tree".

After the program, Dr. R. T. Wells, President of the Murray State Teachers College, commended the music department for the program and introduced to the audience the members of the Board of Regents who were present at the chapel exercise.

CANDIDATES SPEAK AT COURT HOUSE

Many of the student politicians attended the political speaking yesterday, "Fourth Monday," at the court house.

Mr. Garth K. Ferguson of La Center and Congressman W. V. Gregory of Mayfield, candidates for congress spoke to a large audience of Democratic voters about 2:30 p. m.

Mr. Ferguson is the father of Miss Inez Ferguson, recently elected head of Student Council of Murray State Teachers College.

FORMER STUDENTS VISIT

Mr. Hub Easley and Jack Parham, former students in the college, visited friends here Monday July 16. Mr. Parham is in the dental school at the University of Tenn., at Memphis where he will finish in 1928. Mr. Easley has been in State University of Kentucky.

QUARTET SINGS FOR MEETINGS

Haley, Cox, Story, Galloway Entertain At Chapel Exercises

"College Troubadours", (the name adopted by the male quartet of Murray State Teachers College) is an organization which in talent, activities, school loyalty, and ability to entertain is perhaps unexcelled by any organization on the campus.

The membership is made up of the following members: Norman L. Galloway, baritone; Ortis Story, bass; H. H. Haley, tenor; J. B. Cox, second tenor.

The first chapel appearance of the Troubadours was made Thursday morning, July 12 when they gave a varied program of comic, sacred, and sentimental selections. The numbers sung were: "My Rosary", "Light House-Keeping", "Way Down South", "My Blue Heaven", "Farewell To Thee", and "Annie Laurie".

Organized four years ago, the quartet has appeared on numerous occasions at important meetings. It has given programs at meetings of the Kentucky Educational Association of the First District Educational Association, and the Centennial celebration of Graves County. The places on this summer's schedule include: Benton, Cadiz, Paris, Mayfield, and Paducah. The members have also appeared at various social meetings and informal gatherings in Murray and throughout western Kentucky.

Playing the comic role, Normal L. Galloway, baritone, is always a popular singer and does much to make the quartet a favorite in any group. Mr. Galloway of Mayfield, received his B. S. degree at Murray State Teachers College in 1927 and for three years has done rural school supervision for the college. He is a member of the Wilsonian Society.

Hailing from Metropolis, Ill., H. H. Haley, tenor, became a member of the organization in 1926, and immediately proved his ability as a singer and stage performer. Mr. Haley was formerly a member of the Vaughn Quartet of Tennessee which traveled extensively in the South. He is now attending Murray State Teachers College. He will return in September to his duties as principal of the Metropolis Junior High School.

A very essential part of the quartet is J. B. Cox, Murray, second tenor. Always active in promoting the interests of everything of which he is a part, Mr. Cox does his share in helping the quartet and the college. He is a graduate of Murray State Teachers College with a B. S. degree in the class of 1927 and is now doing active field work as a rural school supervisor.

Ortis Story of Lynn Grove sings bass. His voice is a remarkably smooth, deep bass and lends completeness to the harmony of the quartet. Mr. Story is a student of M. S. T. C. and holds a life certificate from the college. He is employed as principal of the Junior High School of Big Sandy, Tenn.

Womanless Wedding To Be Solemnized In College Auditorium

The citizens of Murray announce the coming marriage of their charming and accomplished daughter, Miss Bennie B. Keys, net weight 349 pounds, to the manly and robust Mr. Harry Short Arnold, gross weight 87 lbs. 3 oz.

The wedding ceremony will be solemnized tonight at eight o'clock in the new auditorium of M. S. T. C. in the presence of all students, faculty members and town people who bring the unusually small wedding present of "two bits". The beautiful blushing bride is a pianist and a graceful toe-dancer of great renown. The groom is now in training to fight Gene Tunney soon after the wedding.

The entire wedding party is expecting you to come and will be disappointed if you fail.

Representatives of M. S. T. C. Appear on Program at Benton

Murray State Teachers College was well represented at the annual meeting of Marshall County teachers at Benton, Ky., by the "M. S. T. C. Troubadours," Miss Mary Gabbert, and Prof. E. H. Smith, all of whom appeared on the program given at the high school auditorium Wednesday, July 11.

The college quartet, known as the "Troubadours" is made up of the following members: J. B. Cox, second tenor; H. H. Haley, first tenor; Ortis Story, bass; Norman L. Galloway, baritone. The quartet appeared twice on the program and sang the following selections: "Annie Laurie," "Light House Keeping," "Farewell To Thee," "Blue Heaven", and "Way Down South".

Miss Mary Gabbert, who is now the official head of rural supervision of schools of Murray State Teachers College, delivered an address on "Project Teaching in Rural Schools". She emphasized the importance of project teaching in rural schools and summarized the benefits that accrue through this method of teaching. She illustrated her speech with actual projects as undertaken by a teacher. "Health" and "Indians" were examples used. Miss Gabbert, as an important factor in the department of education of M. S. T. C., has had much experience along the lines indicated by the topic assigned her and her remarks were especially interesting and beneficial to those in the teaching profession.

Prof. E. H. Smith, director of the extension department of Murray State Teachers College, gave a short talk on the "Relation of Teaching in Rural Schools to Community Life." He declared that the rural teachers are the determining factors in the attitude of their communities. With the cooperation of county agents, and school superintendents, the teachers are able to mold the sentiment of the rural communities into an attitude which will promote the best interests of education. Especially, he emphasized, teachers ought to organize themselves in an effort to provide more adequate funds to support rural schools.

R. L. Montgomery, secretary of the P. D. E. A., gave an interesting talk on the good done by sub-organizations which work through the agencies of higher organizations. He illustrated his point by showing the efficient work done by the First District Educational Association, working for the interests of the Kentucky Educational Association. As a result of his talk and with the cooperation of Supt. R. O. Chumbler, the Marshall County teachers enrolled 100 per cent in the P. D. E. A.

The meeting at Benton, which was held in the high school auditorium, was the third consecutive meeting at which Murray State Teachers College representatives furnished an important part of the program. Practically all the teachers of Marshall County were present.

CHORUS OFFERS MUSIC PROGRAM

Mrs. Italy Conner's Chorus Makes Public Appearance in Chapel Friday

That President Wells and the Board of Regents made no mistake in securing the services of Mrs. Italy Conner as a regular member of the faculty in the music department, was again evidenced by the high quality of the musical program which her women's chorus presented in chapel Friday morning, July 13.

The women's chorus, made up of M. S. T. C. students and faculty members, sang the following songs in two groups: "Allah's Holiday", "Love is Like a Fire-fly", and "When A Maid Comes Knocking" by Rudolph Frimil, and "The Old Road" by J. P. Scott; "The Forest Dance" by Brahms and "Recession" by De Koren.

Mrs. Florence Lemon Green, a member of the faculty, and Charles Day, student, sang two duets: "I Waited For The Lord" by Mendelssohn and "Whispering Hope" by wh'th'arll' f-u-n-ifiprgsio.og'a

After the program, President Wells commended Mrs. Italy Conner and the members of the chorus for their excellent program and for the consistent practice and work that have made possible such an artistic ensemble. Friday's appearance was the first public presentation of a music program by the chorus.

The following is the list of the members of the chorus: Miss Zella Brown, Miss Stella Pennington, Mrs. Florence Lemon Green, Mrs. L. B. Page, Mrs. Imogene Prieck, Miss Linnie Brown, Mary Lee Wasson, Mamie Roberts, Jessie L. Pryor, Dudley Olive, Eppie Wilcox, Sency Woodruff, Sadie Padgett, Tennessee Parter, and Mary Gabbert.

LAST HALF OF SUMMER TERM OPENS JULY 16

15 Counties of Kentucky and Tennessee Send Students

MANY ARE EMPLOYED AS SCHOOL TEACHERS

Fifteen counties of Kentucky and Tennessee have sent students to register for their original enrollment for this semester in the last six weeks of the summer session of Murray State Teachers College. The first six weeks of the summer session ended Friday, July 13, and the last half of the semester began officially Monday, July 16.

Registration began Friday and Saturday and was continued until Tuesday, July 17. Mrs. Cleo Gillis Hester, registrar, was in charge of the registration. In order that the regular meeting of classes might not be interrupted, President Wells arranged the registration activities so that they were conducted by faculty members during their vacant periods.

Murray State Teachers College has the distinction of holding a larger percentage of its students through the last half of the summer session than any college in the state. Statistics for last summer show that more than 80 per cent of the students remained for the last six weeks of school. According to information furnished the College News by the registrar, approximately the usual proportion have remained in college this summer.

Most of the students who withdrew from the college at the end of the first six weeks have done so because they are employed to teach in the various counties of this vicinity. Schools in Marshall, Graves, Trigg, Hickman, Carlisle, Livingston, Fulton, Crittenden, and Lyon Counties have already opened and a large proportion of the teachers in these schools are students of Murray State Teachers College. Besides the above mentioned counties in Kentucky many counties in Tennessee have employed Murray teachers for their schools.

The counties which are sending students to the last half of the summer semester are: Calloway, Marshall, Graves, Carlisle, Daviess, Ballard, Caldwell, Trigg, Fulton, Lyon, Hopkins, and McCracken of Kentucky; Henry, Weakley, and Obion of Tennessee.

Of these, Calloway is sending 30 per cent of the number enrolled, Marshall 15 per cent, and Graves and Carlisle 7 per cent each.

Reference to the registration cards reveals the fact that many of the students have had teaching experience, either in the grade schools or in the high schools of this vicinity. An interesting point of information is the fact that only 13 per cent of the students who recently enrolled are men. The preponderance in the number of women can be accounted for by the fact that many men are school principals and have already opened their schools or are preparing to open their schools soon. Another explanation is the men are choosing professions other than school teaching.

MRS. BANKS GIVES UNIQUE PROGRAM

Mrs. Italy Conner, Daughter Bianca, and Miss Margaret Schroeder Give Interesting Musical Program in Chapel Thursday Morning

Mrs. Gordon Banks, Mrs. Italy Conner, Miss Bianca Conner, and Miss Margaret Schroeder presented an unusually interesting musical program for the chapel exercises held in the old auditorium, Thursday morning, July 19.

Mrs. Banks, who is connected with the music department of Murray State Teachers College, arranged the program which was so well received by the students and faculty members present.

Mrs. Italy Conner, of the music department, and her daughter, Miss Bianca, sang "C'est Vous." Miss Bianca, who has inherited the unusual talent and charming personality of her mother, followed Mrs. Conner's presentation of "C'est Vous" with an encore of the same song.

Miss Margaret Schroeder, a student of Murray State Teachers College, sang a solo, "What Can I Do Without You".

Accompanied by Mrs. Gordon Banks at the piano and by Miss Margaret Schroeder with the clarinet, Miss Bianca gave a delightful exhibition of clogging as the concluding part of the unique program.

Miss Mary Brandon, an alumna of Murray State Teachers College, has been confined to her bed with typhoid fever for the past week. Dr. William Mason reports she has a light case and that she is already improving. She is at the home of her mother on South-Thirteenth street.

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POLITICS AND EDUCATION

Politics has entered education. The Federal Trade Commission, which recently adjourned until September 1, brought out indisputable evidence of the fact that utilities are expending large sums of money to promote propaganda in schools and colleges which shall prejudice students in favor of their views.

As J. W. Crabtree, secretary of the National Education Association, pointed out, "Nothing else arouses the indignation of all people so much as an attempt to use the schools for commercial and political purposes".

C. O. Ruggles, formerly of Ohio University, it was disclosed, received a salary of \$15,000 per year as a "contact man". "Conferences were held by him throughout the country with college professors to discuss the extent of college instruction on public utilities".

Attempts have been made by utilities to "exercise a censorship of textbooks". On Ginn and Company, which published about 12,000,000 books in 1923, pressure was exerted by utilities companies to induce the book company to allow them to criticize the proposed textbooks.

Education is one thing in America that is relatively respectable and efficient. But if politics is permitted to dictate the employing of teachers, the formation of courses of study, and the form of resolutions adopted by the various associations, education will soon be afflicted with all the evils that have made American politics so obnoxious in the eyes of the world.

Our teaching methods are arranged to care for the "average child". Most of the progress made through the ages has come from the brains and lives of **unusual** men and not the **average** person. Christ, Copernicus, Socrates, Newton, Einstein, Emerson, Shakespeare, Poe, have been exceptional. Their methods have not been those employed by the average person. The child with a brilliant mind does not usually receive half the attention that the dull student receives. What the world needs is more geniuses, more leaders, more discoverers. In art, religion, literature, and politics—America needs **geniuses**. A teacher that discovers one genius does more for the world than one who trains methodically a thousand in mediocrity.

The trouble with our government lies in the fact that we are being over-governed. We have too many and too complex laws. We try to legislate the impossible—goodness, prosperity, and peace. If rains prevent crops from being planted, we advocate a law to help the farmer. If Mexico dislikes the attitude of American tourists, we pass a law. If Oregon trees are visited with a disease, we pass a law. Laws should be passed only when individual action and community attitude fail to bring the desired results.

Why is it that people not in college know more about college students than the people actually in attendance? The world must learn that college people, basically, are like the rest of mankind. They occasionally break rules, they make mistakes, they are partly bad and partly good, and they are more or less the products of their homes. Why, then, are individual transgressors in college held up as examples of the "deplorable conditions in our educational institutions"?

Are we becoming a nation of "side-steppers"? Politicians who have made a reputation on account of their definite views on a subject evade the issue when confronted with the possibility of losing votes. Officials, elected for their uprightness that they have exhibited in private life, become parties to nefarious money grabbing schemes. They side-step the issue of honesty.

Rules of government are applied when men, individually, cannot govern themselves. A crime is the breaking of rules of government. Crime is more prevalent than it has ever been. Hence, is it not true that men are becoming less able to govern themselves?

Like Gaul, some chapel speeches may be "divided into three parts": Introduction of praise to the institution, how to become a great man (such as the speaker is), and thanks for the kind attention.

The idea may be Socialistic, but it is, nevertheless, tenable—World wars could never be, if all wealth in the countries were conscripted before war could be declared.

Thrill-seekers furnish headlines for the newspapers, occupation for the police, and early graves for their mothers.

One wonders what the navigators are going to do with the North and South Poles after they arrive there.

WELLS HALL NOTES

(By CARRIE WOODALL)

The vacancies filled by the student council for the next six weeks will be—
Pauline Wyman, treasurer
Tommie Tolbert, sophomore
Virginia Wright, freshman.

The student council was delightfully surprised with a big cake last Wednesday evening. This was presented by Miss Susan Peffer and Miss Mattie Lou Lockwood.

Miss Gladys Childress spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Leon Grogan of West Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Woodall and children, Himmie and Charles, were the Sunday guest of Misses Pauline Wyman and Carrie Woodall.

Miss Henrietta Johnson spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Johnson of Paducah.

Miss Opal Miller of Reidland, Ky., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Miller.

Some of the girls of Wells Hall enjoyed a swimming party Friday night. They were chaperoned by Miss Brown.

Mr. Powell Woodall of Kuttawa, Ky., visited Miss Virgie Tyree Sunday. He was accompanied by his brother, Dalton Woodall.

Miss Fay Hicks a former Wells Hall girl, was a visitor of Miss Irene Sumner last Tuesday.

Miss Pauline Atkins was called home Thursday on account of the sudden death of her grandfather.

Miss Velma Sullivan, a former Wells Hall girl, and Mr. John V. Rone of Lone Oak, Ky., were married Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Hinkle and Miss Mary Foster took dinner with Elizabeth Elliott and Eva Rollings Sunday, July 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Scatterfield, Mrs. Otis Smith and daughter Miss Dixie Smith of Princeton were the guests of Miss Virginia Glass Sunday.

Miss Gladys Childress was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Grogan last week-end.

Miss Mellie Scott was the guest of Miss Gladys Childress Monday night.

Miss Alma Magruder of Owensboro has entered school for the last six weeks.

Miss Mildred Wilson of Sedalia, Ky., spent last week-end with her sisters, Misses Grace and Lucille Wilson.

Miss Alpha Cathey spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Cathey near Heath.

Miss Hallie Phelps spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Phelps of Paris, Tenn.

Miss Mildred Phelps and Miss Lala Grogan of Hotel Graystone, Paris, Tennessee, visited Miss Hallie Phelps last Monday.

Mr. P. L. Hooks, of Hopkinsville, former principal of Heath High School visited the women of Wells Hall from Heath Monday.

Miss Rowena Marshall spent the week-end with her parents of Kevil, Ky.

Miss Mignon Sullivan spent the week-end with her parents of Mayfield, Ky.

Miss Mellie Scott of West Paducah spent Tuesday and Wednesday as the guests of Miss Gladys Childress.

Miss Alma Holt Woodall and Anna Fay Milliken spent Thursday visiting friends at the Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gilbert of Reidland delightfully entertained with a picnic lunch Monday the following: Virgie Tyree, Ruth Vassar, Carrie Woodall and Louise Edwards.

The following proctors have been elected for the next two weeks: (These girls will have charge of the conduct in the Hall) Miss Ethel Diskman, Miss Rowena Marshall, Miss Alma Coon, Mrs. Frances Barker, Anice Ashmore, Miss Mary Francis Wilson, Miss Rebecca Moore, Miss Ruth Faust, Miss Sara Bunday, Miss Grace Wilson, Miss Edna Household, Miss Clemmie Cox, Miss Lucille Reed and Miss Mary Emma Wilson.

The newcomers for Wells Hall are: Mrs. Kitty Marshall, Miss Catherine Gray, Miss Elizabeth Nall, Miss Alma McGruder, Miss Louise Lowry, Miss Marjorie Hines, Miss Chimmie Cox, Miss Mary Gray, Miss Katherine Graves, Miss Elizabeth Miller, Mrs. K. Morris, Miss Anna Myrick, Miss Elizabeth Rudolph, Miss Geraldine Townsend, Mrs. Beulah Simmons.

Miss Clyde Vaughn of Kevil visited her daughter, Miss Mary Charles Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Summerville and family visited their daughter Miss Mary Mabel Summerville, Sunday.

Mrs. J. P. Brown Is Murray College Visitor

Mrs. J. P. Brown of Madisonville, Ky., formerly known as Guenn Page Pullen, the daughter of Prof. J. S. Pullen of Murray State Teachers College, visited her relatives and friends in Murray last week.

Her husband, J. P. Brown, is an employee of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company of Atlanta, Georgia. Mrs. Brown, who was formerly a student of Murray State Teachers College, returned to her home at Madisonville, Saturday.

Miss Sallie Pence Visits Friends in Morganfield

Miss Sallie Pence, a member of the faculty connected with the mathematics department of Murray State Teachers College, visited friends at Morganfield, Ky., over the week-end.

JOKES

By McCARTHY

A SHORT STORY BY GUY DE M.
When the sun starts his daily work, appears with a glow, and peeps his head above our Eastern horizon on alternating Tuesday mornings we see the campus dotted with students, Wells Hall approach hard to ascend, corridors ringing with laughter and a "Did you see this?" and a "Look here," students racing to the distributor, faculty cutting classes, office work neglected, President leaving off the administration, Prof. S. and S. taking time out of old Kentucky. "TO READ THE COLLEGE NEWS."

Did you see one?
↑ ↑ ↑
Be Prepared
A student having failed in exams in all five subjects he took, telegraphed his brother saying "Failed in all five. Prepare papa." The brother telegraphed back, "Papa's prepared, prepare yourself."

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Soph: I go zero in geometry today.
Fresh: That's nothing.
Soph: What's nothing?
Fresh: Zero.

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Full Time
Visitor (in factory): Do you have to work long hours here?
Tenderfoot: (happily) No, only the regular length, 60 minutes.

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To Much of a Good Turn
Absent Minded Professor (going through revolving doors): Dear me, I can't remember whether I was going in or coming out.

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Ask Me Another
Do ships have eyes when they go to sea?
Are there springs in the ocean's bed?
Can an old henising her lay?
Can you bring relief to a window pain?
What sort of vegetable is a policeman's beat?

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Having a Big Time
Stranger: What are you fishing for, son?
Boy Scout: Whales.
Stranger: You should know there are no whales in this place.
Boy Scout: Nor fish, so I might as well fish for whales.

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A Large Order
Jim: Where will we eat today, John?
John: Let's eat up the street.
Jim: No, I don't like asphalt.

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Mrs. Newlywed: Well I could not find any shorter rhubarb.

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A Swell Artist
Jack: That dentist is an artist.
Jim: An artist?
Jack: Yes, you should see him drawing teeth.

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What He Got
Bill: He put on speed thinking he could beat the train to it.
Will: Did he get across?
Bill: He will as soon as the tomb stone marker gets through with it.

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As You Were
A man called up a bird store and ordered 30,000 cockroaches. The owner of the store was very much surprised. So he asked the man what he was going to do with them. He then said, "My lease expires today and it seems that I must leave the house in exactly the same condition it was when I moved in."

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Nervous
Interviewer: Aren't you sometimes frightened when you look down at the street below you?
Steeplejack: Yes, only yesterday I thought sure I was going to see a pedestrian run over.

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Raised 'Em
Lady: How much are these chickens?
Tender: \$1.50, ma'am.
Lady: Did you raise them yourself?
Tender: Yes, ma'am, they were \$1.25 yesterday.

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Stringing Him
Grocer: We have some nice string beans today.
Mrs. Youngbird: How much are they a string?

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An Army Note
Jack: What key in music is the most useful in the army?
James: What is it?
Jack: A sharp major.

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Miss Hargrove Visits Friends at M. S. T. C.
Miss Maple Hargrove, former student of Murray State Teachers College, who has been teaching English and science at the Blackford High School, visited friends at the Murray State Teachers College Wednesday, July 11.

Miss Hargrove is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hargrove of Paris, Tenn. She will enter college in September as a senior.

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STUDENT ACCEPTS POSITION
Miss Verna Williams, a senior of Murray State Teachers College has accepted a position as teacher in one of the rural schools of Pulaski County. Miss Williams is the daughter of L. D. Williams of Murray. She is a member of the Wilsonian Society.

STUDENT SUBMITS POEMS IN CONTEST

"ONWARD ALMA MATER"

Onward, Alma Mater!
Greater than of yore,
With the shield of Murray
Going on before.
Its colors, blue and gold,
Flash against the sky,
Free from every tarnish
See them gleam on high.

↑ ↑ ↑
Chorus
Onward, Alma Mater!
Greater than of yore,
With the shield of Murray
Going on before.

↑ ↑ ↑
Like a mighty army
Moves this dear old school;
Midst all kinds of peril
We are calm and cool;
We are not faint-hearted,
With our leaders brave
We're prepared to conquer
Whatever we crave.
Teachers oft may leave you—
Students come and go,
But your grand old spirit
Conquers every foe.
In the hearts of students
Swell your great ideals.
Leading like a beacon
On where victory peals.

↑ ↑ ↑
Onward, then, oh college,
Will your happy crowd
Blends with ours its voices
In these praises loud.
Glory, love, and honor
Unto thee we bring!
Thus through countless ages
The alumni sing.

—Marie McConnell

↑ ↑ ↑
"OLE MURRAY"
(Tune of "Billy Boy")
Oh where can you find such a school,
Such a school?
Oh, where can you find such a school?
If a real one you would see,
Just come to M. S. T. C.
For we know and believe in "Ole Murray".

↑ ↑ ↑
For the town can't be beat! can't be beat!
For the town can't be beat! can't be beat!
If you come, then you'll agree
It's the place for you and me,
And we'll pledge our lives to "Ole Murray".

↑ ↑ ↑
And the Prexy, rah, rah, rah, rah,
rah! rah, rah, rah!
And the Prexy, rah! rah, rah, rah!
He's the finest sort we know;
He's for us wherever we go,
And we're yelling for him and Ole Murray.

↑ ↑ ↑
And the teachers, oh my, oh my, my!
oh my, my!
And the teachers, oh my! oh my, my!
They are jolly, they are wise—
They will make you open your eyes,
And we're counting on them and "Ole Murray".

↑ ↑ ↑
And we students, oh, oh! oh, oh, oh!
oh, oh, oh!
And we students, oh, oh! oh, oh, oh!
We are keeping right in step,
And we're full of love and pep,
And it's all, and it's all for "Ole Murray".

—Marie McConnell

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LIVE ALLIGATOR GIVEN M. S. T. C.
J. B. Cox Donates Alligator to Prof. Pennabaker's Biology Department

A live alligator, whose age is the same of that of Murray State Teachers College, was donated to the biology department under Prof. G. B. Pennabaker, by J. B. Cox last Saturday, July 14.

The interesting specimen of alligator mississippiensis is now being kept in a water vat in Room Six of the administration building. The alligator is a little over two feet in length and weighs approximately 12 pounds. Mr. Cox reports that he obtained the specimen from Toy Burton of Nashville. Mr. Burton is head paymaster of the City railroad company, formerly of Hazel.

The animal has the typical large mouth, and even at this early stage of its life, presents a terrifying appearance. When fully grown, Professor Pennabaker states, this alligator will be probably 14 to 16 feet in length and will be a typical "man-eater" of the species. The animal eats only once in two weeks.

Professor Pennabaker and Mr. Padgett are reported to have experienced considerable difficulty in boxing up the alligator preparatory to transporting it to the new home in the biology room.

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CLASS IN COACHING PRACTICES BASEBALL
Coach Cutchin's class in coaching took its initial practice in baseball on the athletic field Thursday afternoon, July 19.

Preliminary work-outs, class discussion of the principles of baseball, and general instruction in the theory and practice of baseball constituted the afternoon's activities. Coach Cutchin plans to schedule baseball games with teams in Murray to be played within the next few days.

Batting, base-running, position play, and team work are being emphasized in this class. The purpose of the course is to revive a love for the game in the rural community and small towns.

Songs of Plain Folks

By James Lewis Hays

Country Doctor
I thought I'd read Mark Twain when I grew old,
And put my slippers feet up, smoke and doze.
I've made enough wild night rides in the cold
For grandmas' aches and babies' pains, God knows.
I tried, but all the babies had to be
Born as their parents were—that called for me.

↑ ↑ ↑
I dreamed that some day my gray head could rest
Whole nights, but hurried folks at midnight still,
Breathless, dry-lipped, plead "Doctor, you're the best;
We trust you—others may not have the skill!"
Oh well, since I must serve, it's good to know
That's how they feel. It warms me as I go.

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Sometimes I think I'll travel and enjoy
The things my practice never let me see.
Right now, though, Howard's little crippled boy
Won't brighten up for anyone but me.
Maybe I'll just keep on. It might be best.
Somehow, I doubt if I'd know how to rest!



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MESSENGER EDITOR SPEAKS TO CLUB

George Bingham, Author, Gives Humorous Talk At Dinner Of Exchange Club

Editor George Bingham, the author of "Dog Hill Paragraphs" and the "Hog Waller Kentuckian," and the editor of the Mayfield Messenger, gave a humorous talk at the dinner of the Exchange Club of Murray, held in the Come Back Cafe Wednesday, July 18 at 12 o'clock. Mrs. Lemon Green of the M. S. T. C. faculty, Miss Elizabeth Randolph, and entertained the club members with vocal, violin, and piano selections during the dinner.

"There are three essentials that are necessary to any town. Fires, funerals, 'n clubs," declared Bingham, who asserted that he has made "seven hundred talks but never a speech" in his life. "Fires burn down the old shacks so that the insurance companies can pay for new buildings. (Insurance companies might just as well pay for 'em as anybody else). Funerals are necessary to towns so that old men, who hang onto the ways their fathers and grandfathers used, can die and give their daughters a chance to marry some scallawag who'll cash in on matrimony and sell the lots. Then new buildings will be made".

Optimism, belief in the young people of today, and encouragement for cooperation were themes emphasized by this unique speaker, who is an editor, humorist, and philosopher. Every club in Murray, he affirmed, ought to cooperate with every other club in the city.

In an appeal for a return to the common sense things of life the speaker related some of his experiences in

meeting "high society ladies," as he termed them. "We are all alike. Deep down in our hearts we know we are", he concluded.

After the dinner talk, Mr. Diltz Bolton conducted the business meeting wherein it was decided that the club should send two representatives to the national convention at Toledo next week.

Faculty members who were present were: Prof. C. S. Lowry, head of the social sciences department, and his guest, Prof. L. J. Horton, editor of the College News, and Prof. Cooper of the education department. Judge T. R. Jones, county judge, was in charge of the program at the dinner.

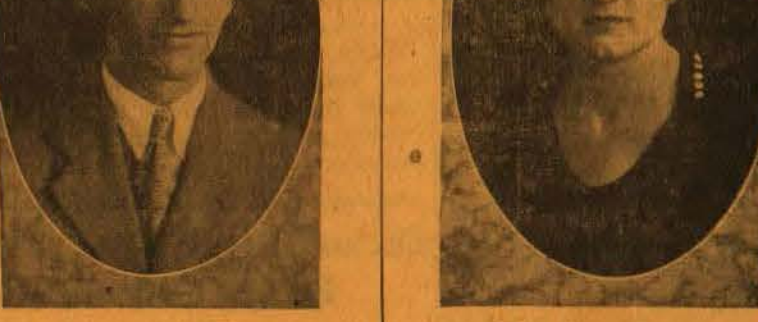
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Miss Lucille Sisk Accepts Teaching Position at Nebo
Miss Lucille Sisk, senior of Murray State Teachers College, has been employed to teach in the Nebo High School of Nebo, Ky. The subjects she will teach are algebra and English.

Miss Sisk is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sisk of Madisonville, Ky. At present she is attending Murray State Teachers College where she will get her degree this August. She is a member of the Wilsonian Society.

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Students Are Visited by Friends from Blackford
Messrs. Marion McCarthy and Chestnut Litchfield, students of Murray State Teachers College, were visited by Libborn Litchfield and Enoch Crowell of Blackford, Ky.

Mr. Crowell and Mr. Litchfield visited friends at Paris, Tenn., on Monday and returned to their home Tuesday morning.

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Who's Who at M. S. T. C.



Matt Sparkman
A man who takes an active part in many forms of college activities is always to be admired. Matt Sparkman, a senior of Murray State Teachers College, is a man of that type. He holds membership and offices in the following organizations: Allegian Society, assistant business manager of the Shield, vice president of the senior class, president of the junior class, player on baseball team, football team.

Mr. Sparkman is employed as principal of the Concord High School where he will teach mathematics and history and will coach basketball. In August he will receive his B. S. degree from Murray State Teachers College where he has majored in education and has minored in history and mathematics.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sparkman of Murray, Ky. Mr. Sparkman is regarded by the people at Murray State Teachers College as an "all around" man who is certain to be a credit to the institution which has given him his scholastic training.

The best wishes of his many friends at Murray will go with him as he endeavors to inculcate within his students the ideals and training that he exemplifies.

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Miss Emma Hicks
The graduation of Miss Emma Hicks with an A. B. degree next month will deprive Murray State Teachers College of the services of one of its most capable students. Miss Hicks has accepted a position in the Kevil High School of Kevil, Ky., where she will instruct in English and history.

Miss Hicks, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hicks of Paris, Tenn., has had three years of teaching experience, two years in the Hardin High School, and one year in the grade schools of Benton.

She has held the following offices and memberships in the organizations of Murray State Teachers College: president of the Latin club, member of the Wilsonian Society, secretary of the English Club, and associate editor of the Shield. Her major work has been done in education, and her minors have been taken in English and Latin.

As a popular student on the campus, Miss Hicks has achieved for herself a reputation for sincerity and capability that will always remain with her as she enters the field of public service where success awaits her.

Dr. Rainey T. Wells Addresses Students In Chapel Exercise

Dr. Rainey T. Wells, president of Murray State Teachers College, delivered a forceful address on the necessity of work and the evils of idleness to the students and faculty members during the chapel exercises held in the new auditorium Monday morning, July 2.

Taking his theme from an account in chapters in Samuel on the Scriptures, President Wells pointed out that the pomegranate tree has always been associated with the idea of luxury and that anyone who went to the pomegranate tree was a seeker of luxury.

He asserted that the world accords to heroes of war much praise and devotion, but it often neglects to give any praise or recognition to the people in civic life who do deeds equally deserving. He illustrated his point by calling attention to the deeds of the war hero, York of Tennessee.

"Many people are looking for positions with a big name. They want employment and not work," declared Dr. R. T. Wells. He said that a student ought to be willing to put in full time on his job and should not hesitate to work more hours than the contract requires.

From time to time the speaker illustrated his points with humorous and appropriate jokes. Any person seeking a position who stipulates his terms and working conditions will in all probability lose his job, President Wells said.

He advised students who are entering college to talk with older students and with faculty members in order to find out from them which studies are the difficult ones. When they have ascertained which are the difficult subjects, he advised that they enroll for them. "You do not get much good out of doing easy things," he asserted.

President Wells informed his listeners that any student or faculty member who refused to work on Saturday or who disliked to work hard was a misfit in Murray State Teachers College. "A person ought to work sixteen hours every day and dream eight hours about his work," he said.

"Some college people go to college to get their B. A. degrees, then they get their M. A. degrees and their Ph. D. degrees and finally go back to 'PA' for a living," he declared in pointing out that most of the trouble in this world is caused by people who are trying to find easy positions.

SONGS SUBMITTED BY THE TEACHERS

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Our colors, the Blue and the Old.

—Anonymous.

CHEER! CHEER! CHEER!

(Tune: "Johnny Comes Marching Home")

Out on the field come our heroes dear,

Hurrah, hurrah,

Let's give them a yell and a grand old cheer

Hurrah, hurrah,

Oh, one for the captain and one for his men,

And one for the lion they'll hear in his den,

Oh, cheer, cheer, cheer, cheer them to victory.

A blow of the whistle—away they go,

Hurrah, hurrah,

A dash down the field—they're not so slow,

Hurrah, hurrah,

Give a cheer for the tackles, the quarters, and backs,

Give a cheer for the man who was dropped in his tracks,

Oh, cheer, cheer, cheer, cheer them to victory.

Under the goalposts they're fighting now,

Hurrah, hurrah,

They've made it a touchdown—a game, I vow,

Hurrah, hurrah,

Whether pushing ahead or defending their goal

They're thoroughbreds all to the depths of their soul,

Oh, cheer, cheer, cheer, cheer for the victory.

—Anonymous.

PRESIDENT WELLS GIVES PICTURES TO MOTHERS

The pictures taken of the mothers who were visitors at Murray State Teachers College on Mother's Day, May 6, are being sent out by Dr. R. T. Wells to the mothers whose pictures were taken.

President Wells has written a letter to each of the mothers, presenting the picture and extending a welcome for another visit at Murray.

Wells Hall Women See Clara in "Get Your Man"

"Get Your Man", starring Clara Bow, was the picture that the residents of Wells Hall went to see on their theater party last Tuesday evening, July 3. Approximately 50 of the women who are living in Wells Hall went to the party that attended the picture at the Capitol Theatre.

FRESHMEN HAVE EVENING PICNIC

Coach Cutchin Is Sponsor; McCarthy Elected Acting President of Class

The members of the Freshman class of Murray State Teachers College enjoyed a delightful class picnic which they held in the athletic field, Saturday evening, June 30. Games, stunts, and refreshments featured the enjoyable activities of the live-wire freshmen, whose sponsor is Coach Cutchin.

Marion McCarthy, elected as acting president of the class, announced in chapel last week that the freshmen would stage the picnic and named the various committees for the event. Those on the committees were: refreshments, Lillian Gilliam, Madge Butler, Ruth Faust; entertainment, Weldon Hall, Chesteen Litchfield, Elsie Wallace.

After adequate preparations had been made the joy seekers chaperoned by Coach Cutchin assembled near the library building and went in a body to the athletic field, Weldon Hall, leader of the games, staged several contests and stunts for the entertainment of those present. Three teams were chosen and these engaged in a series of volleyball games. Races around the athletic field furnished thrills and entertainment for the freshmen onlookers.

According to the president of the class the most important event of the evening was the serving of refreshments. Sandwiches, lemonade, and doughnuts, unlimited in quantity and quality, comprised the evening repast. Not being able to dispose of all of the refreshments, the generous freshmen took lemonade, sandwiches, and doughnuts to Wells Hall where they had no difficulty in disposing of them. Wells Hall residents have reported that they are hoping that the enthusiastic beginners will have another similar picnic in the near future.

Miss Zella Brown Is Visited By Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Blackmore, the brother-in-law and sister of Miss Zella Brown, dean of women, made an auto trip from their home in Columbia, Mo., to Murray where they visited at the Murray State Teachers College Sunday, July 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackmore are prominent citizens of Columbia, where they own a large photographing establishment. While at Murray they dined in the Wells Hall dining room as guests of Miss Brown. They expressed themselves as being highly delighted with the M. S. T. C. institution.

Mystery

What is the purpose of this universe, An evil one . . . or good? I can't see far . . . I wish I could. A wandering phantom of the infinite comes close enough For me to see its unending stuff . . . But a million stars mock foolish me For wanting things that cannot be.

Clouds grow pale and cross the full moon's path. They're gone . . . When I go Will I be only a shadow there, To fade like clouds that blow In cold thin air? I wouldn't care so much If I could get one fleeting touch Of this eternal mystery. —Clarke Devers

DR. BOURNE FILLS MAYFIELD PULPIT

Dr. W. H. Bourne, head of the education department of Murray State Teachers College, took the place in the pulpit of Dr. R. A. Clark in the Methodist Church, South, of Mayfield, Ky., Sunday morning and evening, July 1.

For some time Dr. Bourne has been associate lay-leader of the district laymen and has been active in the affairs of the Methodist church as a layman. During his visit in Mayfield, he was the guest of Judge and Mrs. Speight.

The pastor of the Mayfield church, Dr. R. A. Clark, is away on a tour of European countries.

MEREDITH VISITS MURRAY

Miles Meredith, principal of Lone Oak High School, was on the campus two weeks ago visiting friends and relatives who are attending the summer session at Murray State Teachers College. Mr. Meredith has been attending summer school at the University of Kentucky and is connected with the Smith-Hughes agriculture work.

Fred Rohrer, of Detroit, Mich., was a visitor on the Murray State Teachers College campus with his friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rudolph of Murray, Wednesday, June 27. Mr. Rohrer was a former student of Professor Patterson, superintendent of schools of Mayfield and member of the summer faculty of Murray State Teachers College.

Miss Mary Lassiter, a senior of M. S. T. C., has accepted a position as instructor of English and home economics in the Golden Pond High School of Trigg county.

WELLS HALL NEWS

By CARRIE WOODALL

Miss Edith Downs of Paducah and Roy Redden of Detroit, Mich., spent June 25 with friends at Wells Hall.

Miss Elizabeth Reed of Paducah spent the week-end with Misses Ruth Vasseur and Louise Edwards.

Miss Virgie Tyree spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Tyree.

Miss Elizabeth Cotton of Eddyville, Ky., was the week-end guest of Miss Virginia Glass.

Miss Alice Shelby of West Paducah was a visitor in the hall last Wednesday.

Bert Burkhardt of near Heath spent Sunday here.

Miss Lucy Glass spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Glass of Kuttawa, Ky.

Miss Marlene Perkins spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Perkins of LaCenter, Ky.

Miss Opal Webb spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb of Cunningham, Ky.

Mrs. J. W. Hayden of Kuttawa, Ky., spent the week-end as the guest of her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Woodson.

Mrs. Cecil Reed of Paducah, Ky., returned home yesterday after a week's visit with her daughter, Miss Lucille Reed.

Miss Alberta Boren spent the week-end with her parents at Mayfield, Ky.

Mrs. M. G. Purcell of Paducah, Ky., visited her daughter, Miss Louis Purcell last week-end.

Miss Anna Mae Cochran spent the week-end with her parents in Mayfield, Ky.

Miss Opal Miller visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Miller, of near Reidland, Ky., last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Acker of Princeton, Ky., were the week-end guest of their daughter Miss Elnor Ackers.

Miss Clemmie Cox of Benton, Ky., spent last Thursday and Friday as the guest of friends at Wells Hall and was accompanied home by Miss Henrietta Johnson.

Miss Nettie Nall of Clay, Ky., is the visitor of Miss Elizabeth Elliott.

Miss Anna Watt Smith of Fulton, Ky., spent the week-end with Miss Margaret Nix.

Misses Irene Doyle, Alice Doyle, Mary Ruth Buchanan, and Blanche Piercey were the visitors of Miss Sarah Bundy.

Mrs. Alma Holt Woodall spent week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holt.

The proctors for Wells Hall for the coming week are:

Frankie Spicer

Thelma Flint

Voisey Waters

Mrs. Virginia Hill

Jeffie Turnbow

Mozelle Williams

Bianche Norton

Lucille Thomas

Elizabeth Louise Smith

Elizabeth Louise Smith

Sadie Wray

Louise Edwards

Lucille West

Letha Vinson

Lucille Wilson

Virginia Hodge

Mrs. Robie Smith Wilson

Rosa Clara Baker

Mrs. A. G. Martin

Mrs. Ellen Roark

Misses Rosemary Lassiter spent the week-end with her aunt Mrs. Elrath of the city.

Misses LaRue and Laburna Nance spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Nance, of Lynn Grove.

The following people spent the week-end at their respective homes:

Frances Jett

Dorothy Jett

Mrs. Vivie Parker

Nellie Coats

Mrs. Kate Hammonds

Mrs. Mamie Ferguson

Gertrude Adams

Rozelle Adams

Virginia Jones

Virginia Williams

Viola Nunn

Mildred Hobson

Mary Joe Holland

Mildred Swain

Mavis Miller

Katie McNeil

Katherine Prather

Hattie Viel

Mrs. Ada Horn

Ruth Morris

Dorothy Bell Thompson

Louise Smith

Lenda Robertson

Elizabeth Wyatt

Miss Katherine Mobley spent the week-end with Miss Ina Joe Pace of Benton, Ky.

Miss Ruth Rowland of Barlow, Ky., spent the week-end with Miss Carrie Woodall.

Miss Sadie Lee Sisson was called to Mayfield Wednesday to attend the funeral of her grandfather.

MISS RAY VISITS MURRAY

Miss Anna Ray of Bardwell, Ky., has been visiting her friend, Miss Nellie Wyman of the education department of Murray State Teachers College, since Sunday, July 3. Miss Ray is instructor of primary education at the Colowee Teachers' College, Colowee, N. C. She has taught at Troy Teachers College in Troy, Ala., and at the East Carolina Teachers College where she was on the faculty with Miss Wyman for three years.

PROF. F. SCHULTZ DELIVERS SPEECH

"Enthusiasm" and "Toast to Kentucky Feature His Inspirational Chapel Address

"What constitutes the best type of teacher?" was the theme of Professor Fred Schultz's speech that he delivered during the chapel period in the new auditorium last Friday morning, June 29.

The keynote of Professor Schultz's inspirational talk was "enthusiasm". To President Wells he paid tribute for his vision and for his devotion to the cause of education in Kentucky. "What we need," he asserted, "is bigger and finer communities and teachers."

"The credits you make in college do not mean anything when you go out to teach if you haven't vision and enthusiasm. Are you in tune with life? If you are not, you are as sounding brass," he pointed out.

Professor Schultz said that not all of us can be great oaks, or even little trees, nor the flowers beside the road; but some of us will have to be the shrubs down in that unnoticed valley. Yet, no matter where we are, we may be the best shrub, flower, tree or oak that grows.

"Do you believe in your community?" he asked. "Let them know that you believe in them. Be the best whatever you are."

One of the many inspirational parts of his talk was his quoting of the famous "Toast to Kentucky."

"Are we from old Kentucky? You're blamed right. Say! We'd rather live in this state the remainder of our days, than to be the Czar of Russia with his riches and his truck; we wouldn't take his kingdom for one corner of Kentucky."

"I'd rather be the hopper just a lazy in the corn, on an old Kentucky hillside than any king that's born. I'd rather see the blue grass wave its dainty head and blow, than to see the slickest picture in Italy I know."

"It seems to me old Nature, when she cut Kentucky out, came pretty near a knowing just what she was about, so she made another Eden with the sweetest flowers that grew, and christened it Kentucky with a jug of mountain dew."

"And the women . . . jumpin' Jay-birds! . . . in this good old Bluegrass State, the Lord just made them perfect, then He lost the fashion plate. Now, my friends, I'm here to tell you, without a groan or sigh, that you may plant me in Kentucky when it comes my time to die."

STUDENTS HOLD CAMPUS CIRCUS

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able partners in "ballyhooing." Miss Carrie Woodall with Miss Zella Brown as adviser was business manager. Her efforts did much toward making the carnival a social and financial success. She reports that approximately \$80 was received from the sale of tickets and that about \$60 dollars would be profit.

In charge of the rings was Miss Molete Morelock, with Miss Dorothy Logan as adviser, while Miss Thelma Flint and Margaret Lowe had charge of the side shows. Miss Henrietta Johnson, with Mrs. Annie Young as adviser, managed the concessions. The advertising campaign was conducted by Miss Jessie Pryor with Miss Stella Pennington as adviser, Miss Ina Joe Pace, with Professor J. S. Pullen as adviser, had charge of the ticket selling.

The janitors, faculty members, and students cooperated in a commendable manner to make the carnival one of the outstanding events of the year. Miss Brown plans to have a different form of entertainment each semester whereby funds may be secured to further enhance the appearance of the beautiful Wells Hall.

I TEACH SCHOOL

I write no poem men's hearts to thrill, No song I sing to lift men's souls; To battle front, no soldier's lead, In halls of state I boast no skill; I just teach school.

I just teach school, but poet's thrill, And singer's joy and soldier's fire And statesman's power, all are mine; For in this little group where still I just teach school.

Are Poets, soldiers, Statesmen, all, I see them in the speaking eye, In face aglow with purpose strong, In straightened bodies, tense and tall, When I teach school.

And they, uplifted, gaze intent On cherished heights they soon shall reach, And mine the hands that led them on! And I inspired, therefore, content, I still teach school. —Unknown.

MISS KNIGHT VISITS FRIEND

Miss Ann Parker, a student of the Training School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parker of 704 Poplar street, is being visited by Miss Helen Roberta Knight of 1813 Sills avenue, Louisville.

Miss Knight, the daughter of Mrs. C. J. Knight of Louisville, is making a three weeks visit with Miss Barker of Murray.

Reception Is Given Mr. and Mrs. Cooper By Faculty Members

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Cooper, who were married June 16, an informal reception by the faculty members was given in Wells Hall Friday evening from 8 to 9 o'clock.

The reception was held in the Wells Hall drawing room which was re-arranged to give a homelike appearance. Approximately 100 persons, including faculty members, their wives and friends were present. Dr. and Mrs. Will Mason and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stokes were the invited guests.

After the group had spent an informal hour of conversation, Professor F. D. Schultz, a member of the summer faculty of Murray State Teachers College, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Cooper the gift, a beautiful colored-glass flower basket and a sandwich tray to match, which the members of the faculty gave as a token of remembrance and as a symbol of their wishes for their happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper responded to the presentation speech with a few words of appreciation and gratitude for the kindness of the faculty members in giving them such a beautiful present.

For refreshments a course of ice cream was served. The following assisted in serving: Virginia Hodge, Thelma Flint, Virginia Williams, Mildred Swain, and Vienna Holland.

Mr. Cooper, the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cooper of Bartow, Fla., was the principal of Washington Junior High School of Paducah and at present is employed as a member of the Murray State Teachers College for the summer session. Mrs. Cooper is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Truman of Fordsville, Ky. She is instructor of English at Tighman High School, Paducah, Ky. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Cooper are residing at the home of Dr. W. H. Graves on West Poular street, Murray.

CROWDER IS CHOSEN FRENCH CLUB HEAD

W. H. Crowder, a member of the staff of the College News and a popular student on the campus of Murray State Teachers College, was elected president of the Les Camarades Francais at a meeting of the club in room 206, Tuesday morning, July 3.

O. D. Springer, retiring president, called the meeting to order and conducted the election of officers. The following officers and committees were chosen: president, W. H. Crowder; vice president and president of Les Savants, Rebecca Moore; secretary-treasurer, Marie McConnell; program committee, Lucille Crawford, Ruby Swann, Frances Sexton; social committee, Irene Reeder, C. S. Albrinton, Ernestine Derrington; publicity committee, Jessie Pryor, Marie McConnell.

After the election of officers, Miss Lucille Crawford read an interesting paper on "Cyrano de Bergerac" by Edmund Rostand. The next meeting of Les Camarades Francais will be held on the west campus, July 17 at 7 o'clock. Miss Maryleona Bishop, a member of the faculty of Murray State Teachers College, is sponsor for the club.

MISS WYMAN HOLDS EVENING RECITATION

Miss Nellie Mae Wyman, instructor in the department of education in Murray State Teachers College, held her regular recitation of English 105, Children's Literature, on the south campus near the Graves County tree at twilight Tuesday, July 3.

The class had an interesting program consisting of the following parts: Songs, by the Class. Nonsense Story—Miss Anise Ashmore. "Uncle Remus With Toothache"—Miss Omega Cox. "How the Porcupine Got Its Quills"—Miss N. M. Adkins. Song "Way Down Upon the Swane River" led by Miss Margaret Graves.

The children played several enjoyable games, led by Miss Veal of Mayfield and by Miss Wyman. A number of the students of Murray State Teachers College were present as visitors and all were favorably impressed with the new plan of having a twilight class.

Miss Wyman announces that the class will meet every Tuesday evening.

Circulation Manager to Make New Mailing List

Mr. Everett Bowden, circulation manager for the College News, is making out a list of all students who have attended the Murray State Teachers College for use in mailing copies of the college paper.

Mr. Bowden states that the College News has at present a circulation of 3500, which is a high circulation for a college paper. In going over the enrollment records, he is getting a revised list of all names of the students who have ever attended the Murray State Teachers College since it has been established. The object of sending the College News to former students and friends is to keep them informed of the activities and progress of this institution.

BAND SERENADES COLLEGE PEOPLE

Professor Burnham's Musicians Perform in Front of President's Home and Wells Hall

Murray music lovers were delightfully surprised and entertained with a serenade staged by Prof. John Burnham, of the music department, and his band corps when they played several band selections in front of President Wells' home and in front of Wells Hall Wednesday evening, June 27.

Dressed in full band uniforms, the M. S. T. C. serenaders marched from the new auditorium to the lawn in front of Dr. R. T. Wells' home where they gave their first public exhibition of their musical ability. Dr. and Mrs. Wells came out and personally thanked the musicians for their evening entertainment.

When the band repeated its program a few minutes later in front of Wells Hall, the reception was an enthusiastic one. More than 200 of the residents of Wells Hall came to the windows and to the front steps to welcome the serenaders as they played marches, waltzes and old tunes.

Among the selections played were the following: El Capitan, Colonel Miner's, and Precision marches; Norma's Dream Waltz; Carry Me Back to Old Virginia, Love's Old Sweet Song, Annie Laurie, When You and I Were Young Maggie, and other old favorites.

MANY STUDENTS GET CERTIFICATES

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Guy Boggess

Pansy Brown

Otto Beckner

Novella Beckner

Pauline Brown

Julia Thomas Bridges

Ambie Barrett

Juanita Brooks

Palace Clapp

Dollie Coleman

Carleen Cook

Zelma Downs

Effie Fields

Earl Ford

Warren Feltner

Sue Felts

Lucille Ferren

Frank Franklin

Vernon Fiers

Johnny Farley

John Fuqua

Thelma Gregory

Lenon Hall

Faivia Hall

Effie Frances Harris

Mabel Hill

Gracie Hobbs

Margaret Hina

Mae Harris

Avice Henderson

Ruth Hubbard

Thelma A. Jones

R. C. Lawrence

Laura Lassiter

Training School Makes Preparations For Fall Term

Principal Gibson Gives Out Honor Roll for His Department

By CARTER

Evidently, Superintendent Caplinger of the Training School, by the plans he has for the future, thinks that a person should not stop when he has won his first victory or even the second but that each victory should only be steps forward and that he should keep going.

Superintendent Caplinger and W. J. Gibson, principal of the Training School, with their corps of teachers and supervisors are diligently working on a new curriculum which will be published before the opening of the fall semester. Both the high and the graded departments will have courses made out primarily for the purpose of providing training school facilities in all departments of high school and grades.

Miss Overall, head of the department of languages, is sponsoring the publication of a Latin paper and promises to have a copy on the desk before the next issue of the College News.

Miss Maner, first grade critic teacher, plans to resume her studies at the University of Colorado at Boulder immediately after the close of the Training School this summer.

Miss Jones, of the Training School, and Mr. Lowry were entertained at a dinner party at the home of Miss Jones' sister in Benton, Wednesday, July 4.

Plans are already being formulated for commencement exercises for the high school department of the Training School to be held six weeks from now. The enthusiasm that is being manifested is shown by the following essay, written by one of Miss Clopton's students in English.

GRADUATION

By SARAH TAYLOR

What could be more pleasant after a long hot summer in school than to receive a diploma on a hot August night? That is just what we are hoping to do in the six more weeks.

There are only eleven of us and we know there will not be many orators or statesmen who will want to come and deliver an address to us; nevertheless we are going to graduate. The exercises will be held in the old auditorium in the administration building. We will have music, will wear our caps and gowns and if there were enough of us one might think we were from college instead of the Training School because we really are intelligent looking even though we act dumb at times.

You must just watch the bulletin board or the paper for the exact date and come over and see for yourself what the Training School turns out.

HONOR ROLL

The following honor roll is given out by W. J. Gibson, principal of the Training School, for the past semester.

Students making all A's and B's: McNealey, Mrs. Clara (The highest grade made).

Carr, Jennie
Filbeck, Lois
Ferguson, Morris
Goheen, Luther
Johnson, Karl
LeGrand, N. R.
McKeel, Gaston
McKeel, Bill
Murray, Miller
Phillips, Lottie
Trail, Mrs. Mary Ethel
Ward, Nealie
Students Making all B's:
Bagwell, Ralph
Creekmur, Thyra
Hughes, Helen
Woolridge, Searcy
Thacker, Alton
Students Making A's, B's and one C:
Beyer, Susie
Boudurant, Ma Mae
Ford, Mrs. Beulah
Frankland, Leola
Jefferson, Mrs. Ivy
Moore, Mrs. Jimmie
Roberts, Bert
Watson, Mrs. Lala
Yandell, Myrtle
Roland, Leonard.

PROFESSOR TARVER DISCUSSES POLITICS

The members of the World's Affairs Club of Murray State Teachers College listened to addresses by Professor Tarver of the political science department and by Jesse M. Hunt at a meeting held Tuesday, July 3.

The speakers spoke on the procedure of the national nomination conventions. They made clear the methods employed by the major parties of the United States in nominating their candidates and outlined the various organizations of these parties.

They also gave a brief history of the parties from the time they were organized up to the present time. The various committees and methods of choosing them were explained by the speakers. The World's Affairs club was organized in 1925 "for the purpose of studying, in an unbiased manner, the great problems of international interest." Professor W. M. Caudill, head of the geography department, is sponsor of the club.

Many Colleges Have Journalism Course in Their Curricula

Belief in the practicability of imparting preliminary training for newspaper work in educational institutions has established itself so rapidly in a score of years that more than a fourth of the colleges and universities in the United States now offer some kind of journalism courses. Most of the institutions, however, offer courses about journalism rather than instructions and training in the principles and technique of the profession.

Lawrence W. Murphy, editor of the Journalism Quarterly, the official publication of the American Association of Schools and Departments of Journalism, states in the Quarterly (January 1928) that 51 of the 230 colleges offering journalism work have a quality and range of instruction that deserves to be classified as "professional" training. Twenty of these have sought and received admission into the American Association of Schools and Departments of Journalism, which is the nearest equivalent at present to the Class-A ratings for schools of medicine and law. This is only broadly true, however. The American Society of Newspaper Editors each year for several years has urged in formal resolutions the importance of securing a dependable differentiation of schools and departments of journalism in A, B, and C ratings.

10,000 College-Trained Journalists
The number of college graduates engaged in some form of newspaper work is now approximately 10,000; more than half of these have studied journalism in one of the schools which Mr. Murphy credits with "professional" standing. The 1926-27 enrollment of these schools was 2672, of which 1700 were men and 972 women students. More than two-thirds of these students, 1837, were enrolled in the twenty schools holding membership in the Association. These figures include only junior and senior students definitely preparing for newspaper work. Approximately 450 men and women are now teaching journalism in the United States; 200 of these are on the faculties of the fifty-one professional schools.

In size of student bodies, the four largest schools of journalism are (1826-27 figures): Missouri 257, Michigan 274, Pulitzer of Columbia University 138, Wisconsin 133. Five schools have buildings, specially constructed and equipped for education in journalism, namely: Missouri, Columbia University, Oregon, Ohio State and Georgia. Most schools either issue a daily newspaper or co-operate with the staff of a student daily in its production. The full wire service of one or more of the press associations is subscribed by almost all of the schools.

The expansion in size of student bodies and inadequacy of equipments has been paralleled through the years by improvements in the comprehensiveness of the curricula. Whatever scepticism once prevailed in journalism has largely vanished in the face of the records of journalism alumni.

Journalism Schools Develop Abroad.
The success of schools of journalism in the United States has led naturally to an interest in the idea in other lands. London University now offers courses in journalism in the University College, Bedford College, and the London School of Economics. Hin Wong, an alumnus of Missouri, is conducting a series of courses in journalism in Ying Wa University, Hongkong, China, St. Johns College, Shanghai, has had courses in journalism for many years, first under the direction of Don Patterson and then of Maurice Votaw, both Missouri graduates. The proposed development of a school of journalism in the capital under the joint direction of Missouri and Yenching Universities is told elsewhere.

The creation of a Pan-Pacific school of journalism in Honolulu is being discussed by citizens there with the authorities of the University of Hawaii. Various organizations of Japanese journalists have discussed the possibility of developing one or more schools of journalism in Japan. It would seem that another American idea has taken root so firmly and grown so sturdily that shoots from it may now be transplanted or grafted into older growths in many other lands.

All Growth of Schools in 20 Years
And all this has taken place in the twenty years since the first school of journalism was started. Attempts of an experimental character in the field of education for journalism were carried on in the last half of the nineteenth century at various times at Washington and Lee, Harvard, Cornell, Bessie Tifts, all abandoned for a time. Wisconsin University holds a continuous record in offering systematic instruction in journalism, but only this year changed its form of organization from that of a department of the arts college to a separate division with a title of school.

Four states, California, Illi-

Rapid Growth Shown By Director E. Smith In His Department

Approximately 1300 correspondence courses, 350 of which are now out, were sent out by the extension department last year, according to a statement of E. H. Smith, director of the extension department, who outlined the remarkable growth and progress made by this division in the Murray State Teachers College during the past year.

The number of courses being given shows an increase of 25 per cent over that of last year. Miss Martha Kelley, secretary to Mr. Smith, reports that \$719.75 was received during the month of June 1928 from the correspondence courses as compared with \$386.75 during the month of June 1927 - an increase of more than 50 per cent.

The extension department is a member of the American Teachers College Extension Association and is an important factor in the work of Murray State Teachers College. Study centers have been organized at Paducah, Mayfield, Bardwell, Metropolis and Brookport in Illinois, Bandana, and Fulton, Local Teachers, approved by president Wells, conduct the classes at these study centers.

Miss Gwyneth Bartley, at Paducah, Dr. W. R. Bourne at Paducah, Prof. W. M. Caudill at Mayfield, Prof. C. A. McGinnis at Metropolis, Prof. A. Wright at Brookport, Prof. Harry Richmond at Clinton, Sup't. R. C. Huey at Wickliffe, Prof. V. C. Myers at Fulton and Miss Clyde Vaughn at Bandana have been in charge of the various study centers at the places named.

Two types of extension work are given, correspondence courses and courses given at extension centers. Instruction is given in both high school and college subjects. Entrance requirements are the same as for resident students. This institution especially requests the cooperation of county superintendents and school principals in carrying on the work of this department.

AGRICULTURE CLASS VISITS PARKER HOME

The beginners' sections of the department of agriculture of Murray State Teachers College, under the supervision of Prof. George Parker, instructor, visited Tuesday afternoon the home of Robert Parker where one of the most scientific and artistic farms of this section of Kentucky is located.

The class assembled at 3 o'clock in front of the library building and departed immediately for the home of Mr. Parker. The members of the class were royally entertained by the Parkers and were especially interested in their beautiful home.

Apples and peaches from the well-kept orchard of Mr. Parker were served to the members of the agriculture class as they rested on the beautiful lawn. One of the most attractive spots on the farm is the fish pond that Mr. Parker has provided. An abundance of flowers, shrubs and plants enhance the appearance of the naturally beautiful home and garden. After an hour spent in chatting with the owner, the students and their instructor returned with a deeper appreciation of the possibilities of improving a home.

JAMES H. PRYOR, MAYFIELD, DIES

Mr. James H. Pryor, the father of two well-known Murray students, Neal B. and Ollie May, died Sunday morning, July 2, at nine o'clock at the Mayfield hospital. He had been ill one week with appendicitis.

Mr. Pryor, a well known and progressive farmer of the Farmington section, always took a very great interest in community activities, especially school interests.

The burial was at the Farmington cemetery Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock. The Reverend J. B. Hardeman officiated at the funeral services. Several Murray students attended the services.

Besides Neal and Ollie May, Mr. Pryor is survived by his wife, Mrs. Dora Pryor and four other children, Stokes, Mary Evelyn, Nova Lee and Virginia, all of Farmington.

PROF. W. CAUDILL SPEAKS SUNDAY

"Bible in Our Land" Is Discussed By Professor Caudill at Vesper Service

Professor W. M. Caudill, head of the department of geography of the Murray State Teachers College, delivered an address on "The Bible in Our Land" at a meeting of the Christian Association on the campus in front of the new auditorium Sunday evening, July 8.

Professor Caudill, who is one of the first to be placed on the faculty of M. S. T. C., gave a very interesting and inspirational discussion of the subject concerning the Bible and interspersed his remarks with illustrations of educational and religious value. Professor Caudill is a man who has been very thorough in his studies and his talk was one that did credit to the institution of which he is a vital part.

Miss Mildred Graves, accompanied by her sister, Miss Margaret Graves, sang a number for the entertainment of those present. Miss Eleanor Acker of Princeton led the devotional exercise.

FIRST GRADE BEGINS CONSTRUCTION WORK

By MISS LILLIAN JONES
"Then the old wolf said, 'I'll huff and I'll puff and I'll blow your house in.'"

And there he is, with his wicked tongue hanging out of his mouth, standing right in front of the little pig's house. Of course, he's only a clay wolf, but he looks wicked.

There are three little houses, too, just like those in the story. There is one imposing brick structure, the one which baffled the wolf, a little stick house, and the straw house which fell so easily.

There's a little clay pig in each house. Their names—but read the story for the first grade did and then you could help them finish the homes of "The Three Little Pigs."

Misses Roper, Chambers, Bugg to Come to M. S. T. C.

Miss LaVerne Roper of Hickman, Ky., Miss Mary Hughes Chambers, and Miss Ruth Bugg of Fulton, Ky., have made arrangements with Dr. Rainey T. Wells, president of Murray State Teachers College, to enter college here at the beginning of the fall term, September 17.

Miss Roper and her parents from Hickman were visiting at Murray last Friday, June 29. Mr. and Mrs. Chambers and the latter's father, Mr. Hughes were also visiting friends on the campus last week. Mrs. Chambers was formerly a student of Murray College and was valedictorian of her graduating class.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION HOLDS EVENING PICNIC

The members of the Christian Association of Murray State Teachers College enjoyed an evening picnic at the picnic grounds of the Baptist Church Saturday evening from five to eight o'clock.

The group met in front of Wells Hall about five o'clock and from there walked out to the delightful picnic grounds where they held the picnic. For evening supper they had baked and buns, ice cream, cold drinks cake and sandwiches.

After they had lunched, the persons present seated themselves and sang songs until almost dark. Then came the time for ghost stories. Professor J. S. Pullen, W. H. Crowder, Miss Susan Pfeffer, and others told weird ghost stories that were enjoyed by all. More songs were sung and the party returned.

MUSICAL PROGRAM GIVEN TO STUDENTS

Miss Roberta Holton and Mrs. A. S. Nichols entertained the students and faculty members of M. S. T. C. at chapel Thursday morning, July 5, with a delightful musical program. Miss Holton played three piano solos: "Waltz" by Debussy, "Etude in F. Minor" by Chopin; and "Arabesque" by Leschepizsky. Mrs. Nichols sang three numbers: "If You Love Me," "My King of Love," and "Oh, Don't You Listen." As the concluding part of the program Miss Holton played "Lento," by Cyril Scott, and "Spanish Caprice" by Miszkowski.

COACH CUTCHIN AND MISS LOGAN INSTRUCT IN GAMES

Daily basketball games are being played by Coach Cutchin's classes in coaching, physical education 108, and in physical education 102. The purpose of these games is to drill the students in the offensive and defensive maneuvers of basketball. The students are given instruction in the art of coaching so they may be able to go out into the high schools with a scientific preparation in the field of high school athletics.

Miss Logan, of the department of physical education for women is likewise giving instruction in the playing of games. For the past two weeks she has been supervising games of volleyball, tennis matches, and elogging.

Both departments, men and women, have large enrollments and are doing excellent work in their respective divisions.

BARNYARD GOLF THRILLS CROWD

President Wells and Professor Ashcraft Defeat Professors Patterson and Hanifan 3-2

The day of horses is almost gone. But not the day of horseshoes. President Wells and his trusty partner, Prof. G. C. Ashcraft humped the challenging pair of horseshoe slingers, Prof. Kenneth Patterson and Prof. L. J. Hanifan, to the tune of 3-2 in a barnyard golf classic last Tuesday afternoon in the athletic field.

The Paducah and Mayfield superintendents started the combat with a decisive lead, winning the first two games. Professor Hanifan invariably tossed the equine foot-wear so close to the elusive targets that the score leaned heavily on his side. President Wells, however, had not, as yet, regained his pitching form that he had possessed in days gone by.

With bleachers well filled, the third game opened with President Wells and Professor Ashcraft holding up the zero end of the score. Grim and determined, they pitched consistently and gained a victory. In the fourth game they repeated the stunt and the score stood 2-2.

Excitement reigned. Coaches on the sidelines gave final orders for the final and deciding game. Clanking of iron shoes against the stake announced the opening of the last game. First, the Summerites would be ahead and then the Regulars would push into the lead. Midway in the game, the score stood 14-14. Professors Patterson and Hanifan feared defeat almost as intensely as Dr. R. T. Wells and Professor Ashcraft loved victory. At length, the old form of President Wells came back and his keen eye evidenced itself in his focusing the stake for point after point. At six o'clock the game ended. The Wells-Ashcraft combination had won. Proud, happy, and tired, they congratulated their disgruntled opponents as enemies worthy of their steel.

Professor Schultz told a College News reporter that the victory was due to the extraordinary coaching from the side-lines that his opponents had received. Measures are being taken to prevent a recurrence of this objectionable feature in the next classic. The officials were Professor Schultz, manager of the losers, and Coach Cutchin, manager of the winners. Professor Glasgow started the game for the regulars.

A feature of the barnyard golf classic was the golf attire of Professor Hanifan. Rumors are afloat to the effect that he and Professor Patterson had been observing rigid training rules for the week previous to the classic. The next contest which will take place this afternoon at four o'clock promises to be "full of thrills. Manager Schultz reports that the visiting lady members of the faculty will engage in a pony-shoe classic with the regular lady members, this afternoon at 4:30.

Summer Members of Faculty Win 3-1 In Volleyball Classic

The summer faculty volleyball team of Murray State Teachers College, marshalled by Captain Patterson, after twice tasting the crumbs of defeat from the hands of the regular faculty members, completely swamped the "Permanents" by winning three of the four games played in the gymnasium, Thursday afternoon, June 28.

Excellent playing was demonstrated by both teams. But, the old faculty missed the services of one of their serving aces, Professor Pullen. The new faculty was somewhat strengthened by the services of L. Neale.

Galloway of the new faculty was the high scorer of the day and was a star in the receiving line.

Cutchin, Caplinger, Bourne, and Gibson did stellar work for the old faculty.

Both teams used systematic methods in putting over their volleys. In serving and in close net placing, the new faculty outclassed the regulars. Another game will be played sometime this week.

COLLEGE STUDENTS WIN IN POOL MEET

The college students who took swimming events in the free for all swimming contest at the Murray pool on July 4 were Hayden, Crowder, Branch and Hay.

George Hayden of Paducah, a popular student of M. S. T. C. and a former Tilghman High athlete won the dash in a relay race. Mr. Hayden, who has won swimming meets at Paducah, also was one of the three best divers as he was in a three-way tie for first place in fancy diving.

Miss Mary Helen Branch, a M. S. T. C. student, won the girl's swim. She easily won her race in this event.

In the fancy diving contest, W. H. Crowder and Hayden of the college and Hay of Murray tied for first place. In the vote off, Hay was given first.

Dewey Devers, aquatic star of Paducah, gave several exhibitions of water stunts, such as swimming tied in a chair, breaking rocks with his fists, and many other performances of remarkable interest.

Thoroughbreds Lose To Town Team 3-2 In Pitcher's Battle

The M. S. T. C. baseball Thoroughbreds were defeated 3-2 by the town team in a thrilling game, that proved to be one of the best pitching duels ever staged on the athletic field of the college, June 26.

The score is evidence of the fact that the game was a good one, marked by good team work and brilliant plays. Charlie Hay, former pitcher for M. S. T. C., did some real pitching to put Norman a bit in the shade.

Several former diamond men of the college were doing duty for the town team. Holland, Sledd, Hughes, and G. L. Han played stellar games for the town, while Kendall, Cutchin, Wells, and Brookshire starred for the Thoroughbreds.

Wells made a great catch of Stubblefield's line drive in the sixth to keep Dinguid and Sledd from scoring. The fans were glad to see Jimmie Brookshire again on the diamond with his trusty glove and bat. As usual, the most enthusiastic rooter of the crowd was Dr. R. T. Wells whose presence and cheers did much in inspiring the boys to true Thoroughbred action.

The following is the box score:

Thoroughbreds			
Player	Ab	R	H
Kendall, c	3	0	0
Cutchin, 3b	3	1	0
B. Norman, p	3	1	0
Wells, ss	3	1	1
D. Norman, 1b	3	0	0
Springer, cf	3	0	1
Tomb, lf	3	0	0
Brookshire, 2b	3	0	0
Sparkman, 3b	1	0	0
Holcomb, rf	1	0	0
Total	26	3	2

Town Team			
Player	Ab	R	H
Hughes, 2b	3	1	1
Stubblefield	3	0	1
Holland, c	3	2	1
Hay, p	3	0	0
E. Sledd, cf	3	0	0
Graham, 3b	3	0	0
E. Hughes, 1b	3	0	0
T. Sledd, lf	3	0	0
E. Sledd, rf	1	0	0
Dinguid, rf	1	0	0
Total	27	3	3

PROFESSOR SHAW SPEAKS IN CHAPEL

"Take Time Out" was the theme of the chapel address given by Prof. John Shaw, a member of the Murray State Teachers College, in the new auditorium Wednesday morning, June 27.

Professor Shaw, the principal of the high school of Paris, Ky., is a man of wide experience and his message contained many suggestions that could be applied by the hearers in their various professions.

Beginning with an appropriate illustration from a football game, Professor Shaw declared that every student should take time to consider his opportunities in an institution like Murray State Teachers College. "Do you feel that you are in a college atmosphere?" he asked. He advised all students to join all the organizations that would tend to promote culture and training in the various fields of education, to make use of the library provided for research work, and to make friends with every other person on the campus.

Class room teachers, Professor Shaw asserted, ought to "take time out" to plan each detail of their daily work. They should know how to teach a thing as well as knowing what to teach. He showed that most teachers ask too many trivial questions which they ought to ask a few definite big questions with a definite purpose in view.

Too hasty classification of pupils into "dull" and "brilliant" classes is a fault that teachers must overcome, he declared. He enumerated many famous men who have been classified as "dull" in their early school life. Some students, the speaker said, have "reference indigestion." In other words, they have read reference material, but they do not know thoroughly the material they have read.

It is impossible to "teach more than you are," Professor Shaw pointed out in showing that a teacher must be the embodiment of honesty, justice, sympathy and integrity. In order to care for the discipline of his pupils, the teacher must "know his pupils." "Blanket rules will not fit each case," he added.

Outside the classroom there are problems which require that we "take time out" for their proper solution, he said. "Educators must reexamine our school laws. We must take time out to consider some constructive changes in our school organizations," Professor Shaw asserted.

The speaker concluded his address by admonishing his listeners not to wait until it is too late "to take time out." Success, he said, awaits those who "take time out" at the proper time.

Thomas Willingham and George Hayden were visited last week by Fred Walker and Mott Habacker of Paducah, Ky. Mr. Walker and Mr. Habacker are making a two weeks visit with their friends who were "pals" in Tilghman High. Mr. Habacker is manager of the Standard Oil Station at Paducah and Mr. Walker is employed in a clothing company in Cincinnati, Ohio.

MURRAY NINE BLANKS TOWN

Boyd Norman Pitches No-hit, No-run Game for Easy Victory of 11-0 Over Town Team

Getting revenge for the 3-2 defeat administered to them in the previous game, the Murray Teachers nine blanked the town team 11-0 in a four inning affair that was called in the fourth inning on account of the heat, Wednesday, July 4.

Boyd Norman, pitcher for M. S. T. C., was star twirler of the game, allowing no hits, no runs and striking out three of the opposing men. He also chalked up two runs, one of which was a circuit clout into deep center field.

The first inning opened with Kendall's pop fly to center. Coach Cutchin in hit a double into center field. He was followed by Wells who was given a hit on an easy roller to third base. Cutchin stole third and scored on an overthrow by the catcher. Norman rapped the ball for a hit over second base. Sparkman walked and scored on Springer's hit. B. Norman reached first on an error. Neal fled out to left field.

Stubblefield, for the town team, was the first to oppose Norman, the Thoroughbred pitcher. Norman struck him out. Glasgow fled out to left field. Wells walked and stole second. Holland popped to the catcher, who missed the ball and was given an error. Kendall, Murray, catcher threw out Holland, trying to steal second base. The inning ended with no hits, no runs, and one error.

The Thoroughbreds continued their rampage in the second inning and scored three runs. Kendall, Cutchin, and Jeffrey were the men who crossed the plate in this frame, making the total score 7-0. Errors and passes enabled these Murraymen to make their circuits. Glasgow now assumed the mound for the town team, relieving Hay.

Only four men faced Norman in the last half of the second inning. Stum Wells made a brilliant catch of Hughes' drive between first and second base. Wear struck out. Hay walked. Bradley closed the inning by striking out. No hits, no runs, and no errors.

In the third inning, the Thoroughbreds got two hits and one run off the town team pitcher. Cutchin and Springer were retired by the pitcher whose efforts were now more successful than they had previously been.

Repeating the procedure of the previous inning only four men faced the inevitable Norman. After walking the first man, Stubblefield, he held the next three batters hitless.

The M. S. T. C. players collected three runs in the fourth inning, making a total of eleven. Springer got a single and B. Norman crashed the ball for a home run.

Although the day was extremely warm and the diamond was slightly rough, good team work and fast playing were evidenced by both teams. Coach Cutchin's playing was of high class and the work of his team showed that his coaching has been effective.

The line-ups for the teams were as follows:

M. S. T. C.	R.	H.
Kendall, c	1	1
Cutchin, ss	2	1
Wells, 2b	1	1
Sparkman, 3b	2	0
D. Norman, 1b	0	1
Springer, cf	2	2
B. Norman, p	2	1
Neal, rf	0	1
Jeffrey, lf	1	1
Total	11	9

Town Team	R.	H.
Stubblefield, 2b	0	0
Glasgow, ss	0	0
Wells, cf	0	0
Holland, c	0	0
Hughes, 1b	0	0
Wear, rf	0	0
Hay, p	0	0
Bradley, 3b	0	0
Sledd, lf	0	0
Total	0	0

MRS. M. G. PURCELL SPEAKS IN CHAPEL