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## APPLEGATE IS SELECTED HEAD OF STUDENT BODY

### STUDENTS LISTEN TO CHAPEL SPEECH BY DR. R. T. WELLS

Audience Cheers Former President Lushly As He Appears on Platform

#### PREPARE FOR LIFE IS ATTORNEY'S PLEA

Taking his text from the Bible story of Moses, Caleb and Joshua, Dr. Rainey T. Wells, founder and former president of Murray State College, delivered one of the most deliberate and most impressive talks heard in the college auditorium this year. The Wednesday morning chapel hour was extended to give the students opportunity to hear the address.

Dr. Wells related the well-known story from the Book of Exodus of the passage of the oppressed Israelites from Egypt to Canaan, under the leadership of Moses and his sons, Caleb and Joshua. He pointed out that Moses desired to know what was ahead, and when he discovered a "land flowing with milk and honey," his determination carried him through the wilderness.

The speaker predicted that out of every 12 students to graduate from this institution, two will prove themselves to be leaders who will be willing to sacrifice themselves to lead the masses into the "promised land," while the other ten will be discouraged with their lot. Many students now in college, Dr. Wells stated, are already discouraged with the fact that four years of preparation are necessary. But, he pointed out, it is better to spend 40 years in college than to go out in the world unprepared.

It's not the number of students that graduate from a college that make the institution great, but the character of these students," Dr. Wells asserted. "I would rather graduate 25 students from this college who are prepared for the life before them, than to graduate 200 who are unfit and unqualified for their various stations in life."

In closing, Dr. Wells urged every student of the college to build up within himself more courage and self-confidence and determination. He earnestly advised them to search for the hard jobs to be accomplished in college and to pursue them until they were completed. This, he declared, would aid each student to understand more clearly what to hope for and how to set about attaining his ideal.

The address was greeted with lasting applause from the assembly. Dr. J. W. Carr, dean of the college and also a former president of Murray, introduced Dr. Wells to the students and faculty. Dr. Wells now resides in Omaha, Neb., as general attorney for the national Woodmen of the World. He is in Murray on a brief visit to his many friends in and around the college.

### Blackburn Speaks In Murray Chapel

Prof. W. E. Blackburn, chemistry instructor in Murray State College, spoke to the student body in chapel, Monday, April 5, using as his subject "An Analysis of the Educational System Now in Use."

Mr. Blackburn asserted that in trying to arrange a system that will develop the whole personality as well as the intellect of the student, many schools are overburdening the curriculum with too many extra-curricular activities, and crowding out the necessary studies that are imperative to the development of mental discipline. The chemistry instructor stressed the value of intellectual development, and stated that only through education can the student develop social and character qualities.

Dr. Rainey T. Wells, former president of Murray State College was introduced to the student body after the main address.

#### Club Meets

Les Camarades Français French Club of Murray State College met at Collegiate Inn Tuesday morning, April 6, at 9:30.

Miss Mary Coleman, sponsor of the club gave a talk on "La Comedie Francaise." She discussed the French actors and actresses backstage and their dressing rooms.

## RICHMOND ASKS SCHOOL AID

Dr. Richmond To Receive L.L. D. From Louisville



Dr. J. H. Richmond, president of Murray State College, will receive the Doctor of Laws degree from the University of Louisville at the joint meeting of the university and the KEA April 17, in observance of the hundredth anniversary of the founding of the University of Louisville.

As a part of this program, the state superintendent, presidents of universities and colleges, and heads of professional and technological institutions of higher learning will be in academic costume and sit on the platform of the Louisville Memorial Auditorium, according to Dr. R. A. Kent, president, who issued a personal invitation to Dr. Richmond to participate and to receive the honorary degree.

In accepting the invitation, Dr. Richmond said in part: "It will be an honor that I shall cherish, coming as it does from an old and honorable institution and one located in the city in which I spent 25 years of my life, and where I have a host of friends. I feel the compliment very deeply."

Dr. Richmond is president of Murray State College, president of the Murray Chamber of Commerce, and chairman of the Lower Tennessee Valley Association. He recently completed arguments for the National Education Bill and was selected as one of the nation's outstanding educators to speak last Wednesday from Washington for the NEA over the NBC radio hookup.

### SUPERVISORS' CLUB IS ORGANIZED HERE

Western Kentucky Educators Elect Lewis and Shultz as Officers

More than 35 administrators and superintendents of schools in Western Kentucky met in the office of the President at Murray State College on High School Day, Friday, April 2, and organized themselves into a unit which tentatively will be called the Administrators' Club. Dean John W. Carr of Murray State met with the group.

Prof. J. O. Lewis, superintendent of Fulton City Schools, was elected president and Prof. O. M. Shultz, principal of Clinton High School, was chosen secretary. The administrative personnel of the club will be completed, President Lewis said, at the next meeting of the group which is scheduled to take place at Bardwell High School Friday, May 7. At that time, a definite and permanent name will be given the organization. The group will meet there at 4 o'clock, will take up its business session, and a fish dinner will be served, according to Lewis.

The purpose of the organization, Lewis stated, is to study and take up the problems of Administrative duties in the educational field. All administrators, superintendents, supervisors and faculty members of Murray State College are eligible for membership in the club. The group will meet once each month, and during the school year it is planned to meet nine times.

### Murray State College President Urges Passage of Harrison-Black-Fletcher Bill; Speaks Over NBC Hookup

Dr. James H. Richmond, president of Murray State College and former superintendent of public instruction in Kentucky, told the House Education Committee in Washington, D. C., Wednesday, March 31, that the federal government should extend aid to schools in the United States through provisions set forth in the Harrison-Black-Fletcher educational bill now before the senate.

President Richmond had previously appeared before the Senate Education Committee in sponsorship of the same bill.

In recognition of his leadership, Dr. Richmond was selected to participate in a national broadcast over NBC last week, sponsored by the National Education Association of the United States.

According to an Associated Press dispatch from Washington, Richmond said the bill, authorizing federal appropriations to aid state public school systems, would provide a "square deal" for the children of low income states.

In regard to the Murray President's appeal, the Associated Press said: "Representative Palmisano, chairman of the committee, asked Dr. Richmond if he didn't think there should be federal regulation of the expenditure of some \$1,500,000 of federal money. The Kentuckian replied his personal view was that there should be no federal control of the educational system and that the 'constitutional school authorities' of the various

states should distribute the money. "The measure would authorize \$100,000,000 the first year, and increase the fund by \$50,000,000 a year until it reached \$300,000,000. Distribution would be on the basis of school population, between the ages of 5 and 20 years.

"Palmisano also questioned the wisdom of making such a large appropriation when the federal government hasn't been able to balance its budget for the last four years, and of leaving parochial schools out of the picture.

"Dr. Richmond said he believed if the government could afford to spend millions for armaments, flood control, and public works, 'certainly the same government should not be niggardly in educating its children.'

"As to aid for parochial schools," the Associated Press dispatch continued, "Richmond said to tag a certain part of the appropriation for any one group would mean 'federal control', and that funds should not be divided along racial or religious lines."

Dr. Richmond in his address stated that the 12 wealthiest states had three times as much income as the 12 poorest states, and for the reason children in the poorer states were handicapped.

He pointed out the fact that only three other states collect more federal taxes than does Kentucky, and "we want some of that money back for the education of our children."

### Prospects for Dam Are Good, LTV A Learns in Washington; Richmond Heads Delegates

#### Dr. Morgan Agrees To Request for Construction

Headed by President J. H. Richmond, the Lower Tennessee Valley delegates returned this week from Washington, D. C., where much progress was made in expediting plans for the progress and construction of the huge Gilbertsville Dam on the Tennessee River near here.

Delegates from West Kentucky were: Dr. J. H. Richmond, L. J. Horton, Joe T. Lovett, and W. G. Swann. Murray, Hecht Lackey, Con Craig, and John Kirksey, Paducah; Luther Draffen, L. V. Hendon, and B. L. Trevathan, Marshall County.

As a result of the trip, the delegation received assurances that:

1. The dam would be built as a TVA project.
2. Dr. A. E. Morgan, TVA chairman, would be glad to have additional funds this year, besides the \$750,000.00 already recommended, "so that he might allocate a larger sum to the Gilbertsville project."

3. The appropriations bill has the support of Dr. Morgan for including the word "construction" so as to carry the assurance that out of whatever funds are available such constructive work as may be deemed necessary might be inaugurated.
4. The TVA chairman believes "this dam would be extremely valuable in connection with flood control in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys and feels that the recent flood demonstrated the ultimate value of this dam for flood control and navigation purposes as well as power."

5. Dr. Morgan is anxious to begin work as soon as possible.
6. President Roosevelt will be asked next week for an additional sum for the dam and for construction to be started this year.
7. Kentucky and Tennessee Senators and Congressmen will assist in the appropriations committee hearings next week.

8. Chances are good for work to start this year on building approaches, roads, power lines and necessary things in connection with the dam.

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## College News Wins 7 Prizes at KIPA

### BAPTIST STUDENTS' END SPRING MEET

R. H. Falwell Is President of Religious Union in Kentucky

"The B.S.U. movement is based on the power of minority group; as you go on this campus, so will go student union," said Dr. Nelson to the delegates attending the Baptist Student Union Spring Retreat held on the Murray College campus April 2-3.

Delegates from Western Kentucky Colleges met with the Murray B.S.U. to make plans for the coming year, under the leadership of R. H. Falwell, state president. Sam Wallace is president of the local union.

### Murray College Newspaper Awarded Three Firsts, Three Seconds, One Third in K.I.P.A. Contests

The College News ranked highest of any college newspaper in the number of placements for best published stories of the year, it was revealed at the annual banquet of the spring meeting of the Kentucky Intercollegiate Press Association at Danville, Ky., Friday night, April 9. Murray gained seven placements.

In the fall and spring contests, Murray won three first placements, three seconds, and one third. The Memphis Commercial Appeal judged the contest entries.

In the fall contest, the news story written by Miss Elizabeth Williams, Clinton, managing editor of the College News, was ranked first in the state, and the sports story of Ed Kellow, College News sports editor, also received first placement. A feature story submitted by the College News staff in the fall semester was adjudged third best published by a college newspaper in Kentucky. A College News editorial written by Editor-in-Chief Neely won second place in the fall entries.

The spring contest saw the College News win first rating on a

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### MICHIGAN STATE DEBATES MURRAY ON LABOR POLICY

Litchfield and Miss Allen Uphold Negative March 30

#### TILT IS FIRST IN HISTORY OF SCHOOLS

Michigan State College and Murray State engaged in the first intercollegiate competition between the two institutions in a debate in the chapel of Murray State College Tuesday night, March 30. There was no decision. The question under discussion was: Resolved: That Congress should be empowered to fix minimum wages and maximum hours for industry.

Murray's debaters, opposing the question, were Miss Rebecca Allen, Lone Oak, and L. C. Litchfield, Fredonia. Litchfield is a senior, Miss Allen a freshman. It was her first college debate. Murray has not lost a debate this season.

Debaters for Michigan, affirming the proposition, were Miss Helen Beattie, Howell, Mich., and Miss Theima Bishop, Lansing, Mich. Miss Jean Beukema, Holland, Mich., a member of Michigan State's squad was present. L. J. Horton, coach of the Murray debaters, was chairman. The Michigan speakers were coached by Prof. J. D. Muenchhofer, head of the public speaking department of Michigan State. The delegation to Murray, whose itinerary included a sight-seeing tour of the South with debates on the way, was accompanied by Mrs. Muenchhofer, wife of the coach. Michigan had previously debated on the trip Franklin College at Evansville, Ind. From Murray, the Northerners were enroute to Union University and were to return via St. Louis to engage in a forensic clash with Washington University.

### Heath Wins In District Debate



Above is pictured the Heath debating squad, which won the championship of the First Region in the Annual Music Festival and Debate Tournament at Murray State College Saturday, March 27. Heath's debaters left to right are Joseph Harting, Coach Leon Smith, and Roy Vance.

### MURRAY ELEVENTO SWAP PLAYS WITH HARDIN-SIMMONS

#### Coaches Stewart and Kimbrough Agree to Dispense With Scouting

#### MURRAY WILL PLAY TEXANS IN ABILENE

Murray State College of Kentucky and Hardin-Simmons University, of Abilene, Tex., brought in an innovation in finding out about their respective squads when Coaches Stewart of Murray, and Kimbrough, of the Texas school, came to an agreement whereby they will exchange plays. This will be the opening game for both schools, and neither will have an opportunity to scout the other team.

Another interesting feature of the game, which will be played in Abilene the night of September 24, is that Stewart and Kimbrough were both on the same high school team in Texas. Stewart, after serving an apprenticeship at Union University, came into his own as a coach when he took charge of the Murray team in 1932. The year following found the Murray team walking away with the SIAA crown. Kimbrough served as coach of a small Texas Junior College for a time, but after his team had decisively beaten the Hardin-Simmons team, he was moved over to Abilene to coach the Cowboys. Since then he has brought Hardin-Simmons to the front in Southwestern football.

The Cowboys' schedule includes teams from California, Kentucky, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Arizona, and Nevada. The Texans dropped only one contest last season, vanquishing Creighton University handily.

## HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR DAY IS SUCCESS AT MURRAY; 760 SENIORS SEE CAMPUS

### Springtime Weather Adds to Group Enjoyment

With Murray State College's students and faculty acting as hosts, an estimated 760 high school seniors from practically every high school in the first district and many from other surrounding districts were guests of the college on Friday, April 12, Murray's annual High School Day. The day was warm with sunshine, cloudless and without wind, and spring clothes were in vogue.

Chapel was held at 11 o'clock. Dr. Herbert Drennon, head of the English department, welcomed the seniors in the absence of President James H. Richmond, who was in Washington appearing before the House Educational Committee on the behalf of the Harrison-Black-Fletcher educational bill. Drennon read a letter in which President Richmond expressed his regrets at the necessity for his absence at

## Allison is Runner-up in Election at Murray College

### Student Leader



Lewis Applegate

#### Applegate Accepts

The election returns were reported at dinner on the evening of April 8, in the dining rooms at Wells Hall, and a short speech of acceptance was made by Lewis Applegate. He said:

"I appreciate the honor of being president of the student council, and shall try to hold your confidence always in mind by trying to deliver justice to the office, the student body, and to Murray State College. I would also like to compliment Mr. Cecil Gentry and others of the executive committee on the manner in which they carried out their duties this year."

Work has been halted on the construction of the boulevards and roads surrounding the campus, and no definite date for completion of the project has been set.

In his welcome to the seniors, Dr. Drennon extended an invitation for them to continue their educational careers by coming to Murray State College.

The morning exercises were opened with numbers by the college band. Other features of the program included a physical education revue in which the girls' physical education department presented rhythmic tumbling, pyramid building, and folk dancing. Dr. J. W. Carr, dean of the college, presented the schools having perfect attendance of their senior classes. They were Caldwell County High School, Kuttawa, Benton, Sedalia, Farmington, Frances, Cayce, Crutchfield, Shiloh, Golden Pond, and Symsonia. The college quartets closed the program with four numbers.

In the afternoon, open house in the home economics and art departments featured the early program. The agriculture department featured an illustrated lecture given by W. M. Landis, assistant director of the agriculture division of the TVA. At 2 o'clock, the Sock and Buskin Dramatics Club presented a 1-act play in the auditorium. Open house was held in Wells Hall from 4 to 6 o'clock.

The junior class of the college presented a black-face minstrel in the auditorium Friday night at 7:30, and Offerman's swing band played for a dance between the hours of 9 and 11:30.

Visiting students and faculty members were guests of the College at dinner in Wells Hall Friday at noon.

#### Club Meets

The Physics Club held its regular meeting in the administration building Monday night, April 5. Plans concerning the annual entertainment for club members were discussed but no definite time was set.

Many high school students were entertained by the club with a variety of demonstrations typical of the physics department.

### Miss Thompson Is Treasurer; Baugh Vice-President

Lewis Applegate, sophomore from Neptune, N. J., was elected president of the Murray College Student Organization in a run-off final over James Allison, junior from Owensboro, with a plurality of 87 votes. Miss Vaginalee Thompson, junior from Kuttawa, was named treasurer in the race against Miss Margaret Bingham, freshman from Mayfield.

Others elected without run-off were Charles Baugh, Lynn Grove, vice-president; Dutch Tanner, secretary; Floyd Burdette, Martin, Tenn.; Charles Yarbrough, Murray, senior representatives; David Booker, Hardin, and Bibbo Williams, Clinton, junior representatives; Bob Miller, Hazel, and Virgil Gipson, Heath, sophomore representatives. Of those on the Student Council, only Booker will succeed himself.

Applegate, a sterling football lineman, has proved he is one of the outstanding students at Murray. He was vice-president of the sophomore class this year. During football season last fall, Applegate proved to be adaptable to almost any position in the line, playing every position but center. Coach Roy, Stewart is planning upon using Applegate as a guard next fall. He succeeds Cecil Gentry as president.

Miss Thompson's plurality over Miss Margaret Bingham was 75 votes. Miss Thompson is active as a musician and is a candidate for Junior Prom Queen this year. She will succeed Howard Slayden, Boaz, as treasurer.

Officers for the second year of the Student Organization of Murray State College were nominated by petition, provisional to the constitutional requirements, here Monday, March 29. Cecil Gentry, incumbent first president of the students, a senior who will receive his degree in May, made the announcement.

Presidential nominees were Lewis Applegate, sophomore, Neptune, N. J.; James Allison, junior, Owensboro; Harold Edwards, junior, Buena Vista, Tenn.; Hawthorne Wallis, junior, Barlow; and Dallas Lancaster, junior, Dexter. Candidates for vice-president are Charles Baugh, junior, Lynn Grove; Robert Noel, junior, Somerset.

Miss Margaret Bingham, a freshman from Mayfield; Miss Vaginalee Thompson, Kuttawa; and Paul Fowler, junior, Kankakee, Ill., were nominated by petitions for treasurer.

Miss Dutch Tanner, Barlow, was unopposed for reelection to the secretarial position, and by consequence was automatically elected to the position.

Candidates for the class representatives were: Senior Class, Charles T. Yarbrough, Murray; Floyd Burdette, Martin, Tenn.; and Ralph Brausa, Murray. Junior class, Elizabeth Williams, Clinton; David Booker, Hardin; and Margaret Revelle Trevathan, Benton. Sophomore Class, Virgil Gipson, Heath; Robert Miller, Hazel; and Raymond Rocher, Lorain, Ohio.

Incumbent officials are Cecil Gentry, Reidland, president; Sue Gunter, Union City, Tenn., vice-president; Dutch Tanner, Barlow, secretary; Howard Slayden, Boaz, treasurer; Senior representatives, Floyd McClure, Decatur, Ill.; and Sam Boyd Neely, Hazel; junior representatives, James Allison, Owensboro, and Frank Jones, Lincoln, Ill.; sophomore representatives, David Booker, Hardin, and Claude McRaven, Portageville, Mo.; freshman representatives, Leone Young, Covington, and Raymond Rocher, Lorain, Ohio.

### Yancey Addresses Mathematics Club

Prof. A. F. Yancey, physics instructor at Murray State College, spoke to the Euclidian Mathematics Club Thursday morning, April 1, on "Harmonic Motion."

A short business meeting was held preceding the program in which the president, H. L. Hughes, gave a financial report of the club which was sponsored by the club.

### SHELBY PRESENTS OWN MUSIC DRAMA

Large Crowd Sees Production of Student Playwright's Composition

A three-act musical comedy, "That's What You Mean to Me" was given in the auditorium of Murray State College April 4, at 8:15 p. m.

The play, starring Rovine Parks, Murray; Georgia Gatlin, Arlington; Robert Myre, Paducah; and Charles Bough, Lynn Grove, was written by Samuel Shelby, Hickman, a sophomore at Murray College. Those of the supporting cast were Dr. H. Calvin Smith, of the Mason Memorial Hospital of Murray; Frances Stovall, Kuttawa; Charles Farmer, Lute Pooshee, Murray; and John Shelby and Robert Myre.



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### CONGRATULATIONS COACH AND BOYS

After putting some big names on the schedule, the Murray Thoroughbreds showed the people of Murray and Murray State that it was a wise move when they slipped off down to Vanderbilt last Friday, April 2, and gave the Commodores, predicted to be one of the strongest teams in the entire South next year, as tough a battle as they have had in quite a time.

So, congratulations to the entire squad, Coach Stewart and the other coaches who are helping to iron out the rough spots for next fall. The students and down-town fans feel a lot more confident of a good team next fall than we

would have if we had played some small team and beaten them 90-0. After playing a game with a team like Vanderbilt, it shows that we have the stuff to do it and that we can do it. Thanks to Mr. Stewart and others that helped to schedule good teams for us to display their fine ability so that Murray not only can make history for a short time, but history that will live and continue throughout the years to come.

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Whether you put up with us only a single semester, or four years, we still say, "You're the Tops!"

### Editor Interviews Mr. S. A. Ruskjer

Your editor desiring to become better acquainted with the general manager of the William Mason Memorial Hospital, Mr. S. A. Ruskjer, who delivered that most interesting educational travelog before the faculty members and student body on the beauties of nature in the Canadian Rockies, Alaska and the Yukon, sought and obtained a personal interview with Mr. Ruskjer.

Mr. Ruskjer points out first, of all, that he was wrongly reported in the College News as being a physician. Mr. Ruskjer, in the interview stated: "It is true that I am intensely interested in the work of both medical and educational institutions, but I am not a physician and have never planned to be one. My time has been given very largely, to and in connection with the management and general leadership of institutions whose work is largely philanthropic and educational."

During this interesting interview, we were able to learn briefly of Mr. Ruskjer's record as a traveler. In looking over his travel records, which for the past 25 years involves more than a million and a half miles of rail alone, we noted that in 1925 Mr. Ruskjer covered 36,729 miles on the ribbons of steel. In 1926, he traveled 45,189; 1927, 47,214; 1928, 52,834; 1929, 50,755; 1930, 49,973; 1931, 54,018; 1932, 53,892; 1933, 40,355; 1934, 50,455; 1935, 46,679. Thus, during the past ten years, Mr. Ruskjer has covered 528,101 miles by rail alone. During these ten years, he crossed and recrossed the major portion of the continent more than 100 times, spending more than 1500 nights on pullman sleepers. By special arrangement, he had the privilege of going to the Hudson Bay on the first train that was ever seen on its shores. He had the privilege of being present at the opening of the \$90,000,000 grain elevator and storage tanks on the Hudson Bay and saw the very first steamer loaded with grain that ever crossed the Hudson Bay on its way to Europe.

### Minstrel Given by Junior Class

The junior class of Murray State College presented its annual Negro Minstrel Friday evening, April 2, in the college auditorium, featuring Luther Goben, Birmingham, Ky., Bill Carrier, Louisville, Ky., Winky Nichols, Crofton, Ky., and Spike Hamby, Dawson Springs, Ky., as end-men. The minstrel was under the general supervision of Bob Noel, Somerset, Ky., class president, and Dr. Herbert Drennon and Miss Evelyn Linn, class sponsors.

Bob Blaeser, of Paducah, Ky., served as interlocutor of the jamboree, introducing the fifteen numbers presented on the program. Music was furnished for the minstrel by Leroy Offerman and his college dance band.

### Si Perkins Sez:

DON'T KNOW WHAT  
K.E.A. IS FOR, BUT  
SOUNDS GOOD TO  
US 'CAUSE WE GET  
OUT OF SCHOOL.....



### FISK SINGERS ARE LISTED FOR APR. 23

The Fisk Jubilee Singers from Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., will appear in the college auditorium in concert at 8 o'clock, April 23. The concert is sponsored by the International Relations Club.

Probably no other group of singers in America, is claimed, has a background richer in romance and drama than have these negro singers who first sang before Queen Victoria in London, England in 1871, and have since sung before celebrities all over the world. The choir gave its first public concert in Nashville in 1870 and was highly successful. Their first trip to England was under the patronage of the Earl of Shaftesbury. In his private concert they sang before members of parliament, the nobility, and diplomatic corps, and received favorable comment from the "London Times". Following this came an invitation to sing for the Queen, the Prince of Wales, and the Prime Minister. In Germany the crown prince, later the Kaiser, gave them a reception at Potsdam. Later they sang in Martin Luther's room at the old monastery in Wittenberg and for an entire season in Stockholm, Sweden.

Of the twenty-four men and women who at different times belonged to the company twenty had been slaves. One of the number, Maggie Porter Cole is still living.

### Arts Club Gives Fashion Show at P. T. A. April 7

The success of the fashion show that the Household Arts Club sponsored recently led to an invitation to entertain the Murray High School P.T.A. April 7, with a similar presentation. The clothes modeled at the high school were not furnished by the shoppers of Murray, but were the dresses that had been made this semester by members of the elementary and advanced sewing classes, which are under the instruction of Mrs. P. W. Ordway.

Teas are also in the cluster of duties of the householders. The most recent is that which was given for the high school senior girls who visited the college on Senior Day, April 2. Tea was served in the Training School laboratory under the direction of Miss Evelyn Slater. Accompanying the tea was a clothing exhibit and a food exhibit, illustrating the work of the Training School home economics students. On the same day the club served refreshments to the members of the Training School Mothers' Club.

Miss Rosemary Miller, president of the Household Arts Club, announced today that the formal initiation for new members of the club will be Thursday night, April 22. There will be no informal initiation.

### PORTFOLIO GROUP TAKES FIELD TRIPS

Club Visits Mayfield, Tilghman, Lone Oak, Reidland, Heath, Fulton, Hickman Schools

The Portfolio Club of Murray State College has sponsored two field trips in the last two weeks.

Miss Doris Bushart, Janice Puckett, Fulton; Harley Terry, Lone Oak, and Morris Brandon, Dover, Tenn., accompanied by Mrs. M. E. M. Hall, head of the art department of Murray College, visited Mayfield High School, Tilghman High School at Paducah, Lone Oak High School, Reidland, Heath, Fulton, and Hickman High Schools, and presented programs consisting of talks by Mrs. Hall on the practicality of art in a vocation and avocation and student discussions of uses of good posters, the importance of lines in costumes, demonstrated by dressing two dolls, one fat, and one slender. According to Mrs. Hall this was a very entertaining feature of the program. The group plans to present the program to the Training School Monday, April 12, at 9:30.

The "Open House" High School Senior Day, April 2, was sponsored by the Portfolio Club. The exhibit was composed of projects from each course in the art department. These were selected to show all stages of learning at the beginning, middle, and end of the course, the charcoal class, and painting class. They had projects for exhibit.

### Caplinger Talks on School Views

Prof. W. J. Caplinger, superintendent of Murray City Schools and Murray State College education instructor, in a chapel lecture Monday morning, March 29, declared that modern civilization is the possessor of an environment that it is incapable of evaluating. Dr. J. W. Carr, Murray dean, presided over the assembly for the first time since his return from a prolonged vacation tour in South America and the Eastern United States.

Taking for his subject "Some Contrasting Implications Resulting from a Consideration of the Two Views of Education Now Prevalent", the Training School chief catalogued the two predominant beliefs as, first, that "the social group should recognize the fact that we are in a civilization that is changing so rapidly that there are no permanent values and that it is the duty of the social group to assist the learner toward as happy a life as is possible in this kaleidoscopic era", and second, that such a view, if practiced, "is dangerous" both to the physical organism and the "development of desirable intellectual and moral traits."

"Why should education follow science in its goal to remove the handicaps to pleasure, ease and comfort when these very elements are necessary to physical and mental growth?" questioned the education instructor. Pointing out the view that ease leads to lethargy, Professor Caplinger remonstrated against what he termed the lackadaisical impulses which would "convert us into swigging swine."

### Walker, Darnell Present Recital

The music department of Murray State College presented two of its most talented members, Bonnie Walker, trombonist from Bruceton, Tenn., and Josiah Darnell, violinist from Paducah, Ky., in a joint recital Tuesday evening, April 6, in the college auditorium.

Mr. Walker, a member of the junior class, is a music major and plays in the college band and orchestra. He was accompanied throughout his program by Mrs. Ruth Clark McGovern of Murray, at the piano. Mr. Darnell, also a junior majoring in music, is likewise a valuable member of the band and college orchestra. Gilbert Colanin, of Lorain, Ohio, accompanied Mr. Darnell in his selections.

Mr. Darnell is the violin pupil of Prof. W. H. Fox, and Mr. Walker is the trombone pupil of Prof. Franklin P. Inglis.

### Training School

The junior class of the Murray Training School presented a 3-act comedy, "Mama's Baby Boy", by Charles George, Thursday evening, April 8, in the little chapel. The play was coached by Miss Anne Herron, senior in Murray State College, and Miss Margaret Campbell, social science instructor of the Training School.

Between acts, the audience was entertained by the Training School orchestra, under the direction of Daytha Dale, and by a violin solo by Helen Hire, student of the Training School. Miss Hire was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. C. R. McGovern.

The High School Scholarship Contest is to be given at the Training School April 23. The participants for the Training School are: Ann Richmond, Anna Lee Evans, Ann Eva Gibbs, James Redden, Angie Mary McNutt, Mary Adams Callis, Lattie Venable, Jessie Darnell, and Charles Henry Stamps.

### Juniors Nominate Candidates for Prom

Betsy Greer, Owensboro; Dorothy McElrath, Paducah; Doris Bushart, Fulton; and Vaginiae Thompson, Kuttawa, were nominated by the junior class of Murray State College for the honor of being Junior Prom Queen at the annual Prom, which will be held April 30.

Bob Noel, president of the junior class, announced that the queen will be elected Tuesday, April 13, at which time the editor for the '38 Shield will be elected, as will the business manager. Both meetings will be in the little chapel.

Of these four, the queen, a maid-of-honor, and two attendants will be selected. Miss Greer has taken an active part in student activities, and is one of the leading dance instructors in the Student Organization School of Dancing.

Dot McElrath is one of the most popular members of the junior class. She took an active part in the Girls Pep Club.

Doris Bushart, one of the outstanding artists on the Murray campus, is vice-president of the junior class, and secretary of the Portfolio Club.

### GROUP PLANS FOR MANN CENTENNIAL

Education Class Will Dedicate Program to Great Educator

The two sections of Education 211 are working in combined effort to secure a portrait of Horace Mann, great American educator, in celebration of the Horace Mann Centennial. The picture is to be presented to room 205 of the liberal arts building. A dedication program is being planned.

Frank Jones, master of ceremonies, will be in charge of the following program: "Horace Mann and His Education", Miss Hazel Newton; "Mann and the Common Schools", Leonard Burken; "Mann Educational Crusader", Lurwin Swift; "Mann's Influence on American Education", Miss Rovene Parks; presentation of portrait, Miss Georgia Gatlin; acceptance.

### MAGUIRE OPPOSES ROTC AT MURRAY

Pastor Gives Objections to Establishment of Unit in College

The Rev. Bruce Maguire of the Presbyterian church of Murray, speaking in chapel Friday, April 9, gave four main objections to the establishment of an ROTC on the Murray campus as follows:

1. The purpose of the ROTC is to set as many minds as possible to a big army, navy, and military preparedness.
2. It does not offer adequate and beneficial physical education.
3. It is not good character training, and is detrimental to good citizenship.
4. ROTC instructors are not capable teachers of history and international relations.

He asked the students to consider the effect of the ROTC on themselves, the student generation to follow, and upon the Training School boys before voting for or against it for the Murray campus.

Dr. Floyd and an x-ray technician will be at the college immediately after the K.E.A. holidays to complete the tuberculin survey.

### Mrs. Cleo Hester Will Attend Meet

Mrs. Cleo Gillis Hester, registrar of Murray State College, will attend the convention of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars to be held in Kansas City, Mo., April 13-15, it was announced today.

Mrs. Hester will leave Murray Sunday, April 11. She will probably come back through Louisville and attend the K.E.A. Bobby Hester will accompany his mother.

### Brien-Jaco

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Ruth Brien, formerly of Gilbertsville, and George Jaco which was solemnized in Detroit, Mich. on March 25.

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## PLAYERS TO GIVE 'OUTWARD BOUND'

Bill Carrier Says Masterpiece of Sutton Vane Will Be Outstanding Play

The annual spring play of the Sock and Buskin Dramatics Club of Murray State College will be presented on the stage of the college auditorium Tuesday night, April 27, according to Bill Carrier, president of the club.

The play, Sutton Vane's master production "Outward Bound," took London by storm and created a sensation in New York where it ran for months. The climax of the first act provides the sort of thrill that comes no oftener than once in a theatrical season.

The cast of characters for "Outward Bound" consists of Luther Goheen, Birmingham, Ky.; Janice Puckett, Fulton; Alton Thacker, Fulton; Bill Carrier, Louisville; Jane Melugin, Murray; Charles Farmer, Murray; Province Parks, Murray; Palmer Corn, Murray; and Bob Blaese, Paducah. The Portfolio Art Club of Murray State is in charge of the stage designing; music is furnished by the college music department; and the cast is directed by Mrs. C. S. Lowry.

## Health Building To Be Ready for Use at Summer Term

Those who come to Murray for the summer semester will have the privilege of using the John Wesley Carr Health Building for the first time, according to Business Manager R. E. Breach.

Included in the largest building on the Murray campus will be the second largest indoor swimming pool in the South; two gymnasiums, handball rooms, and facilities for boxing, wrestling, tumbling, and other minor athletic activities.

This building will also house the offices of the college physician, and athletic offices and class rooms for health and physical education.

Coach Roy Stewart has already announced that the equipment has been ordered, and that by May 1, the entire building should be at the students disposal.

The home demonstration house has already been completed. Both of these buildings were contracted to the Cole Construction Company. The plans were drawn up by architect G. Tandy Smith, of Paducah.

## Heath Defeats Lowes In Debating Tourney

Heath High School won the debating championship of the annual First Region Interscholastic tournament held at Murray College by defeating Lowes High School here Saturday afternoon, March 27. Heath's debaters were Joseph Harting and Roy Vance, and Lowes was represented by Misses Evelyn Pease and Marie Humphrey. Heath's coach, Leon Smith, and Lowes' coach, Miss Dorothy Wyman, are both graduates of Murray State College.

The semi-final round saw Heath defeat Murray High School and Lowes win over Hickman. The question under discussion was, Resolved that all electric utilities should be governmentally owned and operated.

Murray High School was represented by the only band in the tournament, the students of Director Everett Crane, Murray College graduate, rating excellent. There was only one entrant in the clarinet solo, Jane Sexton, of Murray High, and she was rated excellent. Max Miller, Murray High, was rated excellent in his trombone solo; Heath High School rated superior in both the boys' and mixed quartet; Murray High's octet was given the mark of excellent.

## Lowes High is Debate Runner-up



Above is pictured the Lowes debating squad, which won the runner-up position in the annual debate tournament held this year at Murray State College Friday and Saturday, March 26-27. Lowes' debaters left to right are Miss Marie Humphrey, Coach Dorothy Wyman, and Miss Evelyn Pease.

## Miss Hire Ranks Superior in State Contest in Violin

Miss Helen Hire, a junior in the Murray State College Training School an daughter of Dr. Charles Hire, head of the college department of physics, was given a superior rating by Judges of violin in the state Interscholastic Music contest held in Lexington, Ky., Friday and Saturday, March 26 and 27.

Miss Hire, who will be presented by the college music department in a violin recital in May, used as her contest number Hubay's "Hercule Kati." She will be eligible by virtue of her win, officials say, to enter the national contest either this year or next. Her accompanist at the state meet was Mrs. Claire Ross McGovern, wife of the Murray professor of piano.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Hire, parents of Helen, accompanied their daughter to Lexington.

## Lowry Talks On Prevention of War

"Can American Stay Out of Another European Conflict?" was the topic discussed by Prof. C. S. Lowry at the Westminster Fellowship Club on Thursday evening, April 8. Twenty years ago the whirlpool of an European war drew America into its center, he said. Money, lives, and destruction were part of the great cost.

The students of the Westminster Fellowship took charge of their club meeting or April 1. The purpose of the meeting was to arouse interest in one of the outstanding magazines, "The Christian Herald," on the student shelf at the home of the Rev. Bruce B. Maguire, sponsor of the club.

"Four Nickels," "Ma Little" a story of one of Paducah's most interesting characters, "Berries for the King's Plate," and "Dean Kicks Answers a Freshman" were the articles discussed for the evening's program. Those taking part were: Vernon Wilson, Kay Rudolph, Mary Mellen, and Julia Mary Bell.

## KEA Vacation Begins at Murray State on April 13

### Many Teachers from Murray Will Attend

Classes at Murray State College will be dismissed Tuesday afternoon, April 13, for the Kentucky Education Association, which convenes in Louisville, Ky., April 15-16. Mrs. M. E. M. Hall, Prof. Price Doyle, and Coach Roy Stewart, head of the art, music and physical education departments, respectively, will take part in a round table discussion to be held April 14 at 10 a. m.

President Richmond has accepted an invitation to sit in academic costume on the platform of the Louisville Memorial Auditorium with Hon. W. H. Peters, superintendent of public instruction, and presidents of all other institutions of higher learning in Kentucky, when the University of Louisville with the K.E.A. will in a joint program observe the 100th anniversary of the University of Louisville.

The meeting of the K.E.A. will open at 8:00 p. m., April 14 and practically all of the faculty of Murray State Teachers College will attend.

The headquarters for Murray State Teachers College will be just off the mezzanine floor of the Brown hotel. Prof. E. H. Smith, head of the extension department of Murray college, will be in charge. At the headquarters will be

credentials and photographs of seniors and alumni.

The Murray get-together breakfast will be held in the ball room of the Kentucky hotel on Friday, April 16, at 8:00 a. m. Tickets for this breakfast may be obtained throughout Wednesday and Thursday at Murray headquarters.

"The college breakfast last April was the largest in the history of this school and it is expected that a great many more will attend this year," says Mr. Smith. "This promises to be a very happy occasion for faculty, alumni, students, and friends of the college."

The decorating and display of exhibits representing the work of the various departments of the college will be under the supervision of Mrs. M. E. M. Hall, who is director of art in this college.

The conference of English teachers help in the ball room of the Kentucky hotel, Thursday at 3:00 p. m. will be opened by an address by Dr. Herbert Drennon, who will speak on, "Literature and the Emotions in the High School."

There are to be two sessions of the music section under the department of Fine Arts and Prof. Price Doyle, college music head, is to preside over both sessions.

"Report of the Committee on Pre-College Physics," given by Dr. Charles Hire, is the seventh of eight addresses to be given under the American Association of Physics Teachers.

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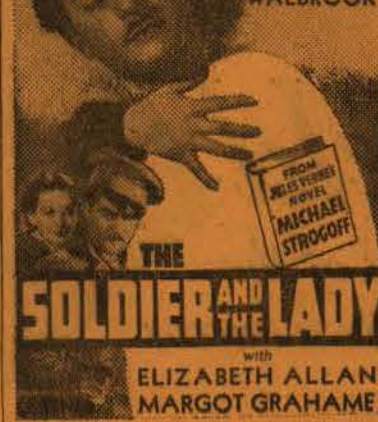


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### Benton Wins

Benton's mixed chorus was the only entrant for the Class C schools, and Murray High's was the lone entry in Class B. Miss Louise Putnam, daughter of Prof. L. R. Putnam, of the Murray music faculty, was rated first in the general piano contest with Mary Elizabeth Roberts, of Murray High second. John Roach, Murray High school student, took away first honors in the boys piano.

Mezzo-soprano winners were Odine Swann, Lynn Grove, superior; Eleanor Gatlin, Murray High, excellent; Martha Virginia Hall, Benton, good; Edna Earl Watson, Reidland, good; and Kathleen Winters, Fulton, excellent. Alto winners were Virginia Darnell, Almo, good; Bobby Farley, New Concord, fair; Marjory Fuller, Reidland, superior; and Dorothea Miller, Hazel, good.

The only tenor entered in the boy's solo contest was Nolan Fisher, Reidland, who placed excellent. The baritone ratings were Franklin Lax, Heath, excellent; James Kelso, Lynn Grove, fair; Rubard Smith, Reidland, excellent; Tom Turnbow, Hazel, good. Bass standings were Eldridge Cross, Benton, superior; Abner Mace, Heath, good; and Robert Vasseur, Reidland, good. In the girls trio groups, Reidland placed good; New Concord, excellent; Murray Training School, fair; Murray High School, excellent; Lynn Grove, superior; Heath, superior; Hazel, fair; Almo, good.

Heath, Lowes, Murray High, and Hickman went into the semi-finals with wins over teams from Paxton, Ballard County High, Murray Training School, and Hazel, respectively.

Lowes beat Bandana; Hickman won over Benton; Kirksey forfeited to Paxton; Heath tipped Lynn Grove; and Murray Training School walloped Almo. Ballard County High from LaCenter and Murray High byed past the first round.

Miss Waldrop Wins In the public speaking contests, Jean Vance, Heath, won first in the junior high school division, with Miss Jane Hale, Murray High School, ranking second. In the discussion involving high school pupils, Miss Elizabeth Lawson, Kirksey, placed first in one division, and Miss Clara Waldrop, Murray High School, won in the other. Clarence Walton, Benton, was first in the extemporaneous speaking contest, followed by Elmo Tinsley, Lynn Grove.

Miss Eva Stubblefield, Hazel, won the poetry reading contest. The oral interpretation group had for its winners Miss Margaret Lawson, Cayce High, first, and Miss Evelyn Lockhart, Lynn Grove, second. George Winn, LaCenter, placed first in the oratorical contest.

The tournament committee: M. O. Wraether, Murray; W. C. Jetton, Paducah; K. R. Patterson, Mayfield.

### Tilton Gives Recital As Senior March 18

Harwood Wayne Tilton, bass-baritone, from Covington, Ky., gave his senior recital in the college auditorium Thursday, March 18, at 8:15 o'clock.

Accompanied by Phil Howard, Mr. Tilton, sang the following: Arias: "Come raggio di sol" (Caldara), "When Love is Kind" (Old English), "The Wanderer" (Schubert), Recitative: "I Rage, I Melt, I Burn" (Handel), Air: "O Rudder Than the Carry" (Acis and Galatea), "Panis Angelicus" (Franck), "Bonjour, Suzon," (Delibes), "Ver-rath" (Brahms), "Without a Song" (Youmans), "Clouds" (Charles), "De Glory Road" (Wolfe).

## VANDY OUTSCORES MURRAY IN SPRING FOOTBALL CONTEST

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COMMODORES END LISTS RACERS CLOSE 2D WEEK

Showing surprising strength in many departments, Murray's 1937 football squad tallied once and held Vanderbilt to two scores at the end of a regular game period in a two and one half hour practice session behind locked gates at Nashville, Friday, April 2. At the end of the regular playing time, the score was Vanderbilt 13, Murray 7. In the extra play after game, Vandy scored two more times.

Coach Roy Stewart's lads left a very favorable impression on the minds of Vandy coaches and players as they permitted but four scores throughout the scrimmage period and frequently threatened the Commodore goal line with passes and intercepted laterals. Ray Morrison, Vandy coach, expressed the opinion that Murray could offer his pupils a very interesting game and informed Coach Stewart he would place Murray on the Commodore schedule at the next open date.

Vanderbilt, featuring "Baby" Ray, 270-pound tackle, exhibited numerous lateral pass plays and other "Razzle-dazzle" that is certain to bewilder many opponents next fall. Vandy drew blood twice before the Thoroughbreds tallied as Love, Murray end, intercepted a Commodore lateral on his own 20 yard line and ran to the opponents 10 before being downed. Mitchell, Murray full-back, drove the ball across for the score. Each team blocked one kick.

Using every man on their respective squads, both coaches expressed satisfaction with the success of the practice session, which ended Vandy's spring drills and marked the end of the second week for the Thoroughbreds.

### Howard Presides at Vivace Meet

The Vivace Club held its regular meeting Tuesday night, April 6, with Phil Howard, presiding. About 25 members were present. An interesting program was presented by the following persons with each announcing his own selections: L. J. Byrum, vocal solo; Ed West, clarinet solo; Gaston Taylor, two piano solos; Allen Cash, French horn solo; and Ruth Crawford, piano solo. They were assisted by Prof. C. R. McGovern, club sponsor.

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### Training School Is Represented in Club Meet

The chemistry class of the Training School presented an interesting program at a meeting of the Chemistry Club Tuesday morning, April 6. The subject of the program was "Fire." Some of the uses of fire and methods of preventing and extinguishing fires were discussed and demonstrated. Those appearing on the program were: Mary McNutt, Rebecca Lester, Dorothy Futrell, Margaret Morris, Dan Lassiter, Preston Bogges, Glen Sutherland, Kenneth Bailey, and Charles Henry Stamps. The club decided to have a winter roast Tuesday night, April 20. A committee in charge of the outing was appointed by Flavius Wyman, president of the club. Those appointed were: H. L. Hughes, Ocie Mae Owen, Imogene Hendon, Evelyn Ruth Gingles, Dee Cochran, and Ralph Patterson.

The next meeting of the club will be Tuesday morning, April 20. Miss Mary Allcock, Melber, Ky., graduate of Murray State College, was a visitor on the campus and the guest of her sister, Miss Flora Allcock, student, on Monday, April 5.

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## Rev. A. V. Havens of City to Preach at Baccalaureate

### Exercises to Begin Sunday Afternoon May 30

The Rev. A. V. Havens, pastor of the First Christian Church of Murray, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at the college auditorium on Sunday, May 30, in the opening service of the fourteenth annual commencement of Murray State College, according to Miss Alice Keys, administrative secretary.

The commencement address will be given on Thursday, June 3, and degrees and certificates will be presented to those students who have met the requirements of the college.

After receiving his A.B. degree from Transylvania College, Lexington, and his B.D. degree from the College of the Bible, also of Lexington, the Reverend Mr. Havens served a pastorate at Berea, and in March, 1936, he became pastor of the First Christian church of Murray.

Mr. Havens has appeared at various times during the past year before the student body of Murray State College in chapel programs. "I try to incorporate in my messages to you people," he stated, "both the spirit of the Master and the logic of science so that religion will be made attractive to college students who are prone to doubt the mystical qualities which have sometimes been associated with religion."

Mr. Havens was born at Kansas City, Mo., and entered the ministry at the age of 19.

### Mrs. John W. Carr Will Tell of Trip

The Murray branch of the American Association of University Women will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, April 13. At this meeting Mrs. J. W. Carr will tell of her recent cruise to South America.

The book group of the association will meet April 22, at the home of Miss Beatrice Frye. A discussion on "The Last Puritan," by Santayana, will be led by Miss Frye.

Further plans are being made concerning the traveling exhibit which is to be sponsored in the library May 11, 12, 13. A greatly varied collection of prints of masterpieces will be shown and a musical program will be presented the opening afternoon.

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### Landis Speaks for Agricultural Club

W. M. Landis, assistant director of the TVA, and general supervisor of conservation in the state, spoke before the "Ag" Club of Murray State on Friday, April 2.

Mr. Landis, with the aid of slides, explained the work of the soil conservation program and its effect on small rivers and streams. His illustrations revealed the contrast between some badly eroded American farms and some well-kept European farms.

Mr. Landis was accompanied by Kelly Cromwell, assistant county farm agent. Several other soil engineers and agents were visitors of the club.

### CHURCHILL SINGS AT CHAPEL HOUR

Murray College Graduate Is  
on Program at Murray  
March 31

Ralph Churchill, graduate of Murray State College and active church worker of Murray, Ky., appeared before the student body of Murray State with an entertaining program of vocal selections for tenor voice, on Wednesday morning, March 31, in the college auditorium.

The first number on Mr. Churchill's program was entitled "Spirit of God," by Neidlinger. He followed this with an interpretation of the Italian song, "Caro mio ben," by Giordani.

Next Mr. Churchill sang the popular "Road to Mandalay," and concluded his program with "Evening Star" from Wagner's "Tannhauser." Throughout the program Mr. Churchill displayed a rich quality and flexibility in his voice.

The Michigan State debaters who contested the Murray squad in a debate on the previous evening at the college were presented to the assembly. The coach of the visiting team and his wife were also recognized by the student body.

### 57 Enroll During First Day of Last Half of Semester

Fifty-seven students had registered at 3 o'clock Monday, April 5, to open the first day of mid-semester enrollment at Murray State College. Indications pointed to a record last nine weeks' registration, according to Mrs. Cleo Gillis Hester, registrar.

Wednesday, April 1, was the last day to register for maximum credit, and Monday, April 12, is the last day to register for any credit. The regular summer semester will be open for registration in 10 weeks.

Courses leading to certification and degrees have been especially arranged to accommodate last half enrollees. Many of the courses offered during the whole semester are open to registrants during the last half, and numerous double courses are being offered.

The mid-term enrollment will swell the enrollment in the college proper to more than 850 and with the Training School and extension centers the college enrollment will exceed 1,500.

Les Savants' scheduled meeting Wednesday afternoon, April 7, was not held because of lack of attendance. The next meeting will be Thursday morning, April 15.

## DR. CARR TALKS TO TRAINING SCHOOL

Dean Tells of Beauties of Rio de Janeiro and Havana at Chapel Hour

Speaking to students and faculty members of the Murray Training School, Dr. J. W. Carr, dean of Murray State College, Thursday, April 1, gave an interesting account of his recent trip to South America. The talk was given at chapel hour for the Training School and held in the little chapel.

"We had a most wonderful vacation trip," Dr. Carr said. "There were 400 passengers aboard the ship, including persons from the United States and Canada and nine European countries. There were varied forms of entertainment on board the ship."

"Our first stop was Havana, Cuba, where we had a delightful visit. We attended the sports, taking place there at this time of year. Havana has some magnificent buildings and its stores compare favorably with ours in many respects. In Jamaica, we visited a public school where most of the children and the teachers were colored. Life in Jamaica didn't look any too pleasant to us."

The speaker gave an interesting account of their visit in Brazil, and in Rio de Janeiro, the most beautiful city in the world. It has a population of more than a million with more white people than colored. The streets are well paved, with fine stores and homes.

At the conclusion Dr. Carr exclaimed, "I promised to take you down to Rio de Janeiro but I didn't promise to bring you back."

### Classical Club Gives Short Play Tuesday, April 6

A short play, entitled "Medicus" (the Doctor), was given by the Latin 108 class, at a meeting of the Classical Club, Tuesday morning, April 6, in room 207 of the liberal arts building.

The characters were: Titus, Betsy Treas; Pagnis, Frances Coll; Lucius, Mary Frances Bard; and Octavius, the mother, Mrs. Beulah Wilkins. Latin songs were given by Theda Wilkins.

In the absence of the officers, the sponsor, Miss Beatrice Frye, head of the foreign language department, presided.

### HEARD ATWELLS HALL

Miss Mary Brown Russell, Paris, Tenn., a former student at Murray College, was a visitor in Wells Hall this week.

Norma Waggoner, Nell Hagler, and Frances Underwood are planning to spend KEA vacation with Irene Paul at Popular Bluff, Mo.

Rooms at Wells Hall were clean and bright for High School Senior Day, and nearly every room was visited by the seniors from the "Ole Home Town." Approximately 650 high school seniors and sponsors were fed in the dining halls at noon Friday, April 2.

Miss Elsie Calhoun, Eddyville, Ky., spent the weekend with her sisters, Jane and Christine.

Miss Mary Reno, sophomore, has moved back into the dorm after nine weeks of "city life".

Miss Margaret McNutt is ill with measles.

Misses Lucile Garner and Louise Cosby spent the week-end with Miss Cosby's sister, Frances Cosby.

Misses Evelyn Hammack and Ruth Williams were week-end guests of Geraldine Hammack.

Miss Cornelia Sills was a visitor in Wells Hall Tuesday night, April 6. She called on her sisters, Louise and Elizabeth Sills.

Miss Virginia McDowell, who underwent an operation for appendicitis recently, is now back in school.

Beth Wilson and Helen Redford were called home Friday, April 2, on account of the death of their aunt. They returned to Wells Hall Sunday.

Misses Glenn Edna Campbell and Vaginalee Thompson accompanied Weldon Campbell, senior from Kuttawa, home after the dance Friday night.

The B.S.U. of the First Baptist Church sponsored a "get-together" supper at Wells Hall Friday evening at 5:30. It was the opening exercise of a Baptist spring retreat held in the little auditorium Friday and Saturday, April 2-3.

New boarders in Wells Hall for the last nine weeks are Mrs. Ernestine Barret, Miss Anna Lou Bivens, Jodelle Brown, Mrs. Margaret Clark, Nevaline Cowan, Sally de Haven, Anna Lou Egan, Mrs. Frances Lansdale, Montana McKinney, Laida Jane Moore, Lucile Bertha Quarles, Mary Reno, Lucile Thompson, and Mrs. Dorothy Waggoner. According to Mrs. Mary Gardner, matron at Wells Hall, more are expected soon.

### RUN-OFF

President: Lewis Applegate 237, Elected James Allison 140

Treasurer: Vaginalee Thompson 222, Elected Margaret Bingham 147

PRIMARY  
President: Lewis Applegate 117, James Allison 89, Dallas Lancaster 50, Hawthorne Wallis 46, Harold Edwards 27.

Vice-President: Charles Baugh 165, Robert Noel 162.

Secretary: Dutch Tanner unopposed, elected.

Treasurer: Paul Fowler 77, Vaginalee Thompson 134, Margaret Bingham 108.

Senior Representative: Charles Yarbrough 45, elected; Floyd Burdette, 44, elected; Ralph Brausa 15.

Junior Representative: Bibbo Williams, 56, elected; David Booker 51, elected; Margaret R. Trevathan 40.

Sophomore Representative: Bob "Hazel" Miller 51, elected; Virgil Gipson 45, elected; Raymond Rocker 40.

## SEAY PRESENTS SENIOR RECITAL

Louisville Student Is Heard in  
Program of Bassoon Solos  
Tuesday, March 30

Albert Seay, outstanding music student from Louisville, Ky., was presented by the music department in his senior recital on the bassoon Tuesday evening, March 30, in the college auditorium. Miss Margaret Marshall, Kuttawa, was accompanist for the evening.

The following numbers were given: "Sonata in C," by Beethoven; "Suite," by Bach; "Melodie Arabesque," by Glazounov; "Prelude de Concert," by Pierné; "Ode," by Schmidt; "Concerto," by Mozart with the college orchestra.

Mr. Seay has just finished setting four of Carl Sandburg's poems to music. They are "Sleep," "Valley Song," "Loam," and "Peace, Night, Sleep." Besides these compositions, he has written several others which have received favorable criticism.

The male quartet of Murray State College sang in a special service held at the South Pleasant Grove Methodist Church on Sunday, April 4. The group gave several selections, including a special arrangement by John Travis of "Christ Arose." Prof. Leslie R. Putnam, voice instructor of the college, accompanied the quartet in their selections.

## KY. N.Y.A. LEADERS TO HOLD SESSION AT K.E.A. APRIL 16

Harry W. Peters, Dr. Raymond Kent, Richard R. Brown and Others  
Will Speak

### MISS PATTERSON TO BE IN CHARGE OF UNIT

At the annual session of the National Youth Administration in the State's Educational Association to be held in Louisville April 14, 15, 16, and 17, there will be a section Youth Administration, which is scheduled for 3 p. m. Friday, April 16, in the main dining room of the Kentucky Hotel. Those scheduled to speak at this meeting are Harry W. Peters, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Dr. Raymond A. Kent, President of the University of Louisville, and Richard R. Brown, Washington, D. C., Deputy Executive N.Y.A. Director.

"The Place of the National Youth Administration in the State's Educational Program" will be discussed by Superintendent Peters, while Dr. Kent's subject will be "Report of the National Committee on N.Y.A. Educational Policies and Procedures."

An exhibit of feature stories, news stories, and editorials, plus issues of the College News of Murray State will be a part of the local presentation.

Throughout the four days of the K.E.A. session illustrative material, together with a display of articles produced by youth workers employed by the National Youth Administration, will be exhibited in the South Room of the Brown Hotel. The director of the Murray N.Y.A. work is Miss Mary Betty Patterson, a graduate of Murray State Teachers College. Miss Patterson will be in charge of all the Murray exhibits there. Both the educational aid program, which is designed to assist young people in school, and the work project setup for out-of-school youth will be shown.

### Chemists Meet

Kindred Winston, Dukedom, Tenn., spoke on "The Use of Catalysts in Certain Industrial Processes," at a meeting of the Chemistry Club Thursday night, April 1. After the talk the speaker led the group in an interesting round-table discussion.

It was decided that the club would hold its meetings regularly every two weeks on Tuesday morning at the chapel hour.

### Rev. Bruce Maguire Is Vesper Speaker

The Rev. Bruce Maguire discussed the subject of "Prayer" at the regular meeting of the Christian Association Sunday evening, April 4.

The program opened with the group's singing two songs, "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Work for the Night is Coming." Mr. Maguire explained that there were four divisions of prayer, which were: material, physical, mental, and spiritual.

At a previous program on Sunday night, March 28, Miss Hazel Newton, a junior at Murray, was the principal speaker. Miss Newton spoke on "The Spiritual Problems of the College Student." She explained that when students started to college they discontinued their religious interest. She gave three reasons for this which were: cowardice, loss of spiritual contact, and attachment of the important to unimportant things.

### Prospects for Dam Are Good, LTVA Informed on Trip

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the construction. Speaking for the LTVA, Dr. Richmond and other delegates arranged numerous conferences and meetings with Senatorial and Congressional committees, with Dr. A. E. Morgan, and secured the promise of Senator Barkley for the petition to be presented to President Roosevelt. Congressman Noble J. Gregory of Mayfield was also active in presenting the Gilbertsville project to the committees in Washington.

## College News Wins Seven Prizes in Kentucky Intercollegiate Press Association at Danville

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staff editorial. A feature story written by Miss Margaret Bingham, Mayfield, was rated as the second best in the state, and a news story by Edward Freeman, Calvert City, also rated second.

Other colleges in Kentucky to win placements of stories were the College Heights Herald, Bowling Green, four placements; University of Louisville, three; Kentucky Kernel, two; Centre College Cento, two; Transylvania University, two; Eastern Progress, two; and Union and Georgetown one each. Each first place winner will receive a gold key.

The College News was represented at the KIPA convention at Danville by Sam Boyd Neely, editor-in-chief of the College News; Edward Freeman, business manager; L. C. Litchfield, assistant business manager; Miss Elizabeth Williams, managing editor; and Miss Margaret Bingham, contributor and columnist. In the Friday afternoon session, Freeman led a group discussion of the delegates on "Campus Coverage."

Freeman was named by President James P. Hanratty of the KIPA as chairman of the resolutions committee, and Miss Bingham was named a member of the placement committee.

At a banquet Friday night, April 9, the delegation heard splendid addresses from Lieutenant-Governor Keen Johnson and Barry Bingham, vice-president of the Courier-Journal in Louisville.

Murray's delegation returned early Saturday morning. The Kentucky Kernel, University of Kentucky publication, received the cup for being the best all round college newspaper in the state. Rankings of other college publications were not announced.

### Miss Hollowell Will Review Book

Miss Lillian Hollowell, English instructor, will give a review of Van Wyck Brook's prize-winning novel, "The Flowering of New England," before the English club on April 13.

For the tentative date of the annual banquet sponsored by the club, the committee has named May 4.

### Capitol Theatre Adds Modern Equipment

Manage Clifton Morris of the Capitol Theatre states that he has installed new high intensity Peerless magnarc projection lamps. These new lamps improve projection of motion pictures 60 per cent. Work will start next week on the new Westinghouse refrigeration air-conditioning plant. If this plant was put to manufacturing use it would freeze 60,000 pounds per day.

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