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FOUR MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY EMPLOYEES were recognized during the sixty-sixth commencement program for faithful service to the University over a 15-year period. From left, Dr. James Howard Gonce, professor of industrial arts; Miss Virginia Wilkinson, assistant professor librarian; Mrs. Norene Hudgens, secretary of the maintenance department; Dr. Edwin S. Voorhies, professor of industrial arts.

Sidelines Receives First Class Honors

THE SIDELINES of the fall, 1966 semester achieved First Class Honor rating as scored by the Associated College Press. Tony Pendergrass of Murfreesboro was editor at the time of the rating. Cheryl Allen, present SIDELINES editor, was associate editor.

The newspaper was awarded 200 points for superior news coverage. Top rating was also given for editorial page features, front page make-up and inside newspaper make-up. THE SIDELINES was also complimented on the headline schedule and on headline writing.

Jim Freeman, sports editor, was highly praised for his work. He received the maximum score of 150 points for both sports coverage and sports page make-up. He also scored 120 of 150 possible points in the area of sports writing.

MTSU Gains Grant For Ag Facilities

A grant of \$183,926 by the office of Education under the Higher Facilities Act to Middle Tennessee State University, announced recently by Congressman Joe L. Evins, will finance about one third of the cost of the new Agriculture facility according to Dr. Quill E. Cope, president of the University.

The brick and concrete block structure located on the site of the old farm residence building just north of the new High Rise dormitory is in the blue print planning stage. It is the desire of the MTSU administration to seek bids for the new structure about September 1.

The over-all cost, including equipment for the four laboratories, will be about \$550,000 according to Dr. Cope.

THE SIDELINES is the second MTSU publication to attain a First Class Honor rating this year. The 1966 MIDLANDER was also awarded this rank.

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Cope Names Kerr Psychology Head

A Department of Psychology will be developed from the Education Department as curriculum expansion continues at MTSU. Dr. Willard A. Kerr has been employed to head this department.

A native of Brookport, Illinois, Kerr has served as professor of psychology at the Illinois Institute of Technology in Chicago where he has been teaching for the past 20 years. He holds the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees from Purdue University and his baccalaureate from Southern Illinois University.

Kerr was a lieutenant in the United States Naval Reserve during World War II and is a member of the Disciples of Christ Church.

Windhauser Leads Journalism Program

John W. Windhauser, a native of Rochester, New York, has been employed as an instructor in journalism in the newly-developed program which will lead to a minor in journalism. This fall will mark the first time a minor in this field is to be available to MTSU students.

In addition to teaching, Windhauser will assist Gene Sloan,

100 Teachers Begin 14th Aero Workshop

One hundred Tennessee teachers will begin five weeks of intensive study Monday, June 12 as the fourteenth annual Tennessee Aerospace workshop sponsored by the Tennessee Aeronautics Commission and Middle Tennessee State University begins. Many of these same teachers will join Dr. Bealer Smotherman, director, for the July 10-August 10 visit to eight European countries to continue the study of International Aerospace activities. Other co-operating sponsoring agencies include the Civil Air Patrol Aerospace Education Association, Ellington Air Force, commercial and military aviation agencies.

The program this year will include the return of several familiar staff members and lectures from past years with additional speakers, particularly in the area of women's participation in modern aviation. The participants will be divided into five groups for study on grade level interest. There are 99 teachers in the "Regular" workshop and 36 in the "Advanced" in Murfreesboro.

Among the field trips on the schedule for this summer is a June 16 visit to Berry Field for orientation flights by American Airlines. Later a tour of Sewart Air Force Base, a visit

to the Marshall Space Flight Center at Huntsville, Ala., and a visit to the Arnold Engineering and Development center will be conducted.

The International Aerospace workshop members will assemble in New York Monday, July 10, leaving for Paris on Wednesday, July 12. While in Europe the workshop members will visit air installations and study aerospace developments in France, England, Denmark, Germany, Austria, Italy and Switzerland. Briefing sessions with the survivors of the "Battle of Britain" and the German Luftwaffe pilots and a visit to East Berlin will be among the interesting features of study. There will also be some free time for visits to points of tourist interest in the Shakespeare region of England, observation of public education in Copenhagen, and visits to historic points of interest in Paris and Rome.

Feature presentations will be made by nationally and internationally known scientists, government officials and military leaders in the seven countries visited, according to Dr. Smotherman. Credit may be earned for graduate or undergraduate level. About 70 persons are expected to participate in the International workshop from MTSU.



Dr. Bealer Smotherman
Director, Aerospace Workshop

Fifty Students Earn 4.0 QPR's

Fifty students at MTSU attained perfect quality point ratios for the spring semester. An additional 284 students had averages of 3.500 or above. The average quality point ratio for Deans List students was 3.715 and the total hours earned for the semester 5,448.

These students with 4,000 averages are: Carol Jane Bailey, Patricia Jones, Wilda Merkobrad, Helen White, Charles Morhouse, Karen Fiedler, Sarah Benet, Robert Anderson, Ernest Kintz, Billie Lee, Marilyn Ammerman, Mary Elizabeth Ray, Gwendolyn Arnold, Linda Barnes, Linda Curtis, Maye Ann Hardin, James Stamps.

Kathleen Bryson, Robert Huskey, Virginia Morrow, Judy Gentry, William Beazley, William Boner, Patricia Higgin, Marsha Pierce, Linda Duszynski, Brenda Buckner, David Hornik, Robert Ashton, Sandra Maeks, Mary Coulter, Paul Britt, DeWayne McCamish, Donald Schwendimann, Lucy Honey, Claudia McConnell, Carl Pettus, Jean Andrews, Dora Lee McMeen, Elaine Barnhill, Cheryl Bible, Robert Hall, Susan Harney, Patsy Hendrix, William Sumnerford, Emma Preston, Glenda Karty, Homer Smith, James Morris, Le Gia Trinh.

MTSU Adds Three To Faculty

director of public relations, in the division of school publications. This will especially involve work with the SIDELINES staff.

Windhauser holds a Master of Arts degree in journalism from Ball State University where he also served as a graduate instructor. He is a graduate in accounting from the Rochester Business Institute and received his BS from Tri-State College, Indiana. He is currently an employee of the Hammond Indiana TIMES.

At Tri-State, he was chairman of the publications Board, editor of the yearbook, as well as sports and copy editor for the TRIANGLE, the student newspaper. At Ball State, he was business manager of the yearbook and on the editorial staff of the daily BALL STATES NEWS. He is an editorial assistant of the Indiana Collegiate Press Association, advisor for Kappa Sigma Phi and a member of Alpha Phi Gamma, Sigma Delta Chi, the National Council of College Publications Advisors and of the Association of Education in Journalism.

Hofman Is Named Economics Chairman

Dr. Cornelius A. Hofman will head the MTSU Department of Economics and Finance upon the

opening of the 1967 fall semester. Hofman will come to MTSU from Utah State University. Dr. Firman Cunningham, dean of the School of Business and Industry, has been serving as acting head of the department since its recent separation from the social sciences.

Dr. Hofman received his undergraduate and graduate degrees from the University of Utah. He has had seven years teaching experience at Idaho and Utah State universities. He is regarded as an authority on taxation and public finance.

Hofman and his wife have three children. He is a member of Beta Gamma Sigma and the Church of the Latter Day Saints.

History Seminar In Progress

Thirty-two high school teachers of American history have arrived on the Middle Tennessee State University campus for the NDEA Institute in American history. The Institute will continue from June 5 through July 15.

The teachers attending have been screened on the basis of their teaching excellence and need for preparation in recent American history from among more than

400 applicants.

The program of study includes lectures, seminars, and guest symposiums. It will emphasize recent American history around the topic "The United States in a Dynamic World."

The staff of the institute includes Dr. Roscoe Strickland, as director, Dr. Robert Corlew, Dr. Newell Moore, and Dr. William Windham, professors of history at MTSU.

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For The Good Of Man

The tendency of our modern day world to place involved processes and series of red tape before the welfare of people faces us everywhere we turn. This fact was brought sharply to mind last week when an MTSU student had an accident in which his nose was badly hurt. He went to the local hospital where he was denied medical attention because he was a college student. After waiting an hour, he was told to go to the infirmary for treatment.

A call to the infirmary reported that no doctor was available in cases stitches were required or a bone was broken, yet he was still refused treatment. He was given a bandaid at the infirmary. The next day, after a trip to a local physician, it was learned that his nose was broken and now infected.

Many instances such as this occur in our society. The institutions set up to help humanity often play cruel jokes by letting organization and rules blind the real reason for their existence. Their true purpose is blotted out through man's eagerness to put everything into a system for his own convenience and protection.

Yes, our society has reached an unbelievable level of civilization. We have developed every imaginable type of institution for the welfare of humanity. But what use are these institutions if they cater more to the convenience of rules and regulations than to the suffering of mankind?

—C.P.

ASB REPORT

It has been customary for the past several years for the ASB President to write a weekly column for the SIDELINES containing pertinent information regarding ASB activities. During the next year, we shall continue this as often as it is feasible.

Perhaps the most important item this week is a general welcome from the ASB to all students—regardless of class, age, or status. For anyone who may need assistance, the ASB Office is located on the second floor of the Student Union Building. Also if there is anyone who would like to participate in ASB this summer, the office is always receptive to volunteer help.

To the new Freshmen students, as well as all other students, the key to success here lies with a responsible attitude on your part to the challenges and duties before you. The first order of business for this student government

is to assist in the creation, in any manner possible, the existence on this campus of an environment conducive to the best education available. This includes an emphasis on extra-curricular activities which are beneficial to the student body as well as a proper emphasis on studies. While the government may be more directly involved with the former situation, it remains the responsibility of the individual to involve himself with the latter. And as the success of the government depends upon those who are a part of it, their success with their responsibilities will determine our success next year.

Therefore, to not only insure the success of the ASB but also the success of the entire student body, do we in ASB ask for help—regardless of the area in which it is applied or the degree of application you are able to make.

—Paul Womack

Johnson Attends CCUN Institute

MTSU junior Charles Johnson is presently attending the 22nd annual National Student Leadership Institute on the United Nations. The conference is under the sponsorship of the Collegiate Council for the UN and is being held at UN Headquarters in New York.

The purpose of the Institute is to provide students with the opportunity of participating in workshops and discussion groups designed to enable them to organize successful international affairs programs on their campuses. At the same time, participants are given the opportunity of meeting and discussing issues with renowned academicians, UN diplomats, and US government officials.

The Institute is recognized as one of the most valuable short-term United Nations and international affairs educational programs in existence. Topics for the discussion groups include "Arms Control and Disarmament," "Problems of the Mini-States," "Human Rights," and "Un: Evolution, Growth, and Structure."

Among the speakers at the conference will be US Ambassador Goldberg, Lord Caraden, the United Kingdom Representative to the UN, and UN Secretary-General U Thant.

The Institute is scheduled for seven days and will end June 17.

Johnson is representing the MTSU chapter of the Collegiate Council for the United Nations.

Abolish Student Deferments

(ACP) — President Johnson recently canceled plans for this fall's college deferment tests in a move preliminary to a decision on whether to continue student deferments. The following editorial from the STATE PRESS, Arizona State University, Tempe, looks at the pros and cons of the current and proposed draft systems.

To university students, the most important of the far-reaching reforms proposed by the President's special Commission on the Selective Service is the discontinuation of under-graduate deferments. Thus, students would receive the same draft consideration as factory workers, file clerks, and ditch diggers. Not surprisingly, this recommendation has not been met with universal glee.

According to Joe College, a student is trying to better himself and make an invaluable contribution to his country as one of its intellectual leaders. The poor wretch who is either too stupid or too poor to make it to college is the logical draft choice, says Joe.

Perhaps Joe is right, but he might get an argument from Poor Wretch. But avoid for the moment any value judgment concerning who is the more logical draft choice and look at the proposals objectively.

The question of student deferments is not black and white. Both the present system and the proposed reforms have advantages. It is necessary, therefore, to construct something of a balance sheet.

On the credit side of the present system is the protection from the draft, at least temporarily, of hundreds of students who sincerely seek a higher education and have the ability to make the most of it. The military can offer them nothing, and they can offer the military little except a healthy serving of a resentment at the imposition.

There are two distinct debits. First, the deferment is only temporary. When a student's education is completed, his age makes him more than ever ripe for the plucking. He is eager to begin his career, but he is like, to be drafted.

Second, the present system encourages the hanger-on: the guy who comes to school with no intention of offering the university anything and who takes nothing from it except a diploma; the guy who makes it through the graduation on the skin of his teeth and his roommate's notes; the guy who shudders every time he sees a uniform; the university parasite.

Contrast the proposed reforms. Debit: There would be virtually no student deferments; thus, many potentially fine students would be drafted. Credit: Once a student makes it past his 19th birthday, in all likelihood he will escape the draft and make plans for the future with confidence. Instead of two or three years of anxious uncertainty, only his 19th year will be tense.

Since being a student will not in itself offer any favorable consideration from the draft board, the draft dodger will find no advantage in expending the minimum effort required to get through school and thus will not burden the university with his presence. The loss will be the gain of all sincerely dedicated students.

ROTC Cadets Bound For Camp

Middle Tennessee State University will send the largest number of cadets to Fort Bragg, N.C. for the six weeks summer training period in the history of the University, according to the list of eligible cadets released this week by Lt. Col. James Chrietberg, PMS at the University. There are 63 cadets slated for the field training between the junior and senior year. Four of these have already received degrees but will not be commissioned until the close of the summer field training.

A cadre of MTSU officers and non-commissioned officers are also slated for the six weeks period at Fort Bragg. They are Lt. Col. Harry R. Mallo, Major James R. Dismukes, Major W. Glen Emery, Captain James R. German, SFC James R. Owneby, SSG Herman D. Duncan, SSG Franklin J. Holley, Jr., SSG Quinn S. Pressley.

The cadets from the University brigade who have qualified for this step towards their commissions are: James K. Allen, Lawrence O. Anderson, Lloyd B. Arnold, Jerald W. Baldwin, Ronald K. Bancroft, John R. Baker, James E. Beavers, James L. Breeden, Jr., William B. Buchanan, Jr.,

William K. Burger, Gary Clayborne.

Charles A. Cotter, James W. Craven, Joe W. Davis, Robert R. Dinkins, William N. Dobbs, Gary W. Dyer, David H. Emerson, William Gannon, Jerry E. Gilliland, David P. Glover, John R. Green, Malcolm E. Gresham, Cecil M. Halcomb, Noah E. Half-acre, Stanley I. Hardison, Allan R. Hollis, Jerry L. Howse, Iro-cus E. Jernigan III.

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Marston, Patrick H. McBride, Newton F. Mallowy, Michael N. Murphy, Robert Neel, Joe E. Nunley, Lyle L. Parker, Rawlin L. Parker, Albert L. Parsley, Jr., William H. Patterson, Thomas Perez.

Charles H. Perry, David S. Rawlins, James G. Searcy, Edward T. Steele, Jr., Donald W. Tarter, Michael L. Vaden, Jerald Washington, Larry G. Williams, Howard M. Yates, Jr., Charles R. Zumbro, James M. Dickson, Layton G. Dunbar, Robert L. Huskey, Jr., and William G. Tomilson.



SHOWN ABOVE ARE CADETS being sworn in as 2nd Lieutenants into the United States Army by Colonel James Chrietberg, PMS, at Middle Tennessee State University. Pictured, from left to right, are: John V. DePriest, Franklin; Robert S. Hardison, Jr., Columbia; Paul W. Landers, Murfreesboro; Gregory E. Samuels, Newburgh, Indiana; Wayne E. Willis, Beersheba Springs; Jack D. Dickson, Tullahoma; Thomas R. Forrester, Shelbyville; James W. Hewitt, Jr., Murfreesboro; and Chester M. Waggoner, Goodlettsville. The ceremonies were conducted on graduation day.

FEES INCREASED \$15

Student fees at Middle Tennessee State University will be raised \$15 each semester following State Board of Education action this week, according to Dr. Quill E. Cope. For out-of-state students the fees will increase by \$75 a semester.

The State Board also voted to raise teachers salaries and to establish a Junior College in the Moore county-Tullahoma area. This junior college is expected to be open by the fall of 1960.

Looking Back On 1966-67

BY JIM FREEMAN, SPORTS EDITOR

Looking Back on the school year just completed, we are justified in being proud of the record turned in by the various athletic teams that represented the University.

Of the seven varsity sports played here at MTSU, including cross-country, football, basketball, baseball, golf, tennis, and track, all teams turned in winning records except one.

Golf was the only sport that provided an OVC championship, but the football, cross-country, and baseball (Western Division) teams all came close with second-place finishes.

Tennis was fourth in the OVC, with track claiming fifth place. Basketball registered the only non-winning season, finishing 10-15; but even then, it was an improvement over the past two or three seasons. The freshman roundballers were the best in the school's history with a 21-4 record, so the outlook for next year is much brighter.

Tennessee Intercollegiate competition was dominated by Raider teams. Of the four sports which recognize champions, MTSU won the crown in cross-country, tennis, and golf, and was a second-place finisher (behind four-time SEC champ Tennessee) in track. Quite a record.

Overall, MTSU teams posted a 59-37-1 record. Broken down, it went like this:

Cross-country — 5-1, won TIAC, second in OVC.

Football—7-3, second in OVC.

Basketball—10-15, seventh in OVC.

Baseball—15-12, second in Western Division of OVC.

Golf—7-0-1, OVC champs, TIAC champs

Tennis —11-4, TIAC champs, Fourth in OVC.

Track—4-2, second in TIAC, fifth in OVC.

In addition, Middle Tennessee placed second in the competition for the OVC's all-sports trophy. They had 47 1/2 points, five less than the winner, Western Kentucky.

Both the players and the coaches are to be commended for representing the University in such a manner.

THIS AND THAT

—Dr. E. K. Patty, the Raiders outstanding golf coach, was once again named the OVC golf Coach-of-the-Year. This was the fifth time in six years he has been so honored.

—Butch McGrath, MTSU's fireballing right-hander, has won his first two starts in the highly regarded Tri-State Amateur baseball league. Butch hurled a no-hitter in his debut, but slipped a little in his second outing, allowing one hit. Both games were shutouts. Butch plays for Coursey's Barbecue.

Golfers Repeat As OVC Kings



OVC'S BEST—MTSU's golf team poses with the OVC championship trophy after winning the annual event at Fort Campbell last month. From the left: Ernie Adcock, Jeff Riley (low medalist), Art Kraft, Coach Patty, George Cogbill, Craig Stoudner, and Mike Whiteside.

Riley Low Medalist Patty Coach Of The Year

Middle Tennessee's potent golf team finished a perfect season by capturing the OVC Championship at Fort Campbell, May 19-20. MTSU finished with a 7-0-1 match record plus winning four major tournaments.

The Raiders held off a strong final day bid by Western Kentucky to grab the title for the second year in a row. Their team total was 587, three strokes better than the Hilltoppers.

Jeff Riley, the freshman sensation from the Canal Zone, was the low medalist, defeating Larry Ringer of Murray in a sudden death playoff.

Ernie Adcock of the Raiders was second.

The win was the seventh OVC championship for Middle Tennessee in the last eight years.

Raider coach Dr. E. K. Patty was selected the OVC Coach of the Year. It was his fifth time in six seasons.

The final standings were; MTSU 587, Western 590, Murray 598, East Tennessee 609, Austin Peay 613, Eastern Kentucky 614, Tennessee Tech 622, Morehead 639.

Netters Finish Fourth In OVC

Captain John Prevost led Middle Tennessee to a fourth place finish in the OVC tennis tournament at Fort Campbell last month.

Prevost, Tom Magner, and Mike Albano advanced to the finals of the number one, two, and four singles before losing. Included among Prevost's victims was James Novitsky, Murray's highly-rated number one man.

Prevost lost in the finals to talented Jackie Cooper of Western, 6-2, 6-0. Magner was defeated by Murray's Mark Reznich, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3. Albano fell to Niemeyer of Murray, 6-3, 6-1.

Middle Tennessee didn't fare too well in the doubles competition, losing in the first round in the number one and three doubles, and getting ousted in the semi-finals of number two.

Buck Bouldin coaches the tennis squad.

Final OVC tournament standings: Murray 27, Western 22, Eastern 13, MTSU 8, ETSU 4, and Morehead 0.



OVER THE BAR—Mike Stevens of MTSU clears the bar on his way to a second place finish in the pole vault. Action came in the OVC meet at Fort Campbell.

Track Team Grabs Fifth Place

Coach Dean Hayes' track team finished in fifth place in the OVC track and field meet at Fort Campbell last month. They scored 30 points, primarily in the running events.

Don Jones set a new OVC record in the 440 Intermediate Hurdles, covering the distance in 54.3 seconds. Jones is only a junior, so MTSU appears strong in that event for at least one more year. Lonnell Poole, a freshman from Chicago, finished fifth in the same event.

The other Raider record setter was sophomore Jerry Singleton, also from Chicago, who won the 440 yard dash in 47.2 two tenths of a second faster than the old mark.

While Singleton ran an outstanding 440 to win, the crowd was even more thrilled the way he made up ground in the mile relay. Running the last leg, he got a poor handoff and began his lap in sixth place. By the time he crossed the finish line he was rapidly closing in on second place, having shown his heels to the anchor men from Murray, Morehead, and Tech.

Mike Stevens, a junior from Oak Ridge, placed second in both the high jump and the pole vault. His eight points was high for the

Raiders.

Freshman Stan Sumrell got MTSU's only other field event point with fifth place in the triple jump.

In the distance runs, senior Paul Anderson raced to third place in the 880 yard run, and sophomore Charlie Dahlgren took fifth place in the three mile run.

Western won the meet for the fourth year in a row, totaling 89 points to 55 for runner-up Murray State.

Three Baseballers Named To All-OVC

Three members of Coach Jimmy Earle's baseball team were named to the western division All-OVC squad.

The include senior Bruce Skeen, junior Don Tarter, and sophomore Greg Cunyngnam. Skeen, the Raider centerfielder, played flawless defensive ball with 34 chances in the field, and banded out 27 hits in 92 trips for a .293 batting average. He led the team in doubles with six, and had two triples and a home run.

Tarter, the second-sacker, led the team in hitting with a .358 average. He connected on 29 of

81 attempts, and was also the top receiver of bases-on-balls with 19.

Cunyngnam, the underhanded work horse of the pitching staff, posted a 5-3 record and 2.21 ERA during the past campaign. The submariner from Chattanooga worked in 77 1/3 innings, allowing 52 hits and struck out 72. His victory column included two shut-outs, while the loss column had a 13-inning defeat to Murray State. Cunyngnam had pitched as hut-out for 12-innings against the Thoroughbreds, before being tagged with a home run.

Outstanding Profs Honored



HERE ARE SOME CANDID CAMERA SHOTS of the Middle Tennessee State University "Most Distinguished Teachers" for 1967 as they prepare to go about their summer tasks. DR. WILLIAM T. WINDHAM, professor of history. DR. HAROLD STEPHEN SPRAKER, is professor of Mathematics. DR. J. GERALD PARCHMENT is a professor of Biology. These Distinguished Teachers were se-

lected by students, faculty and other teachers from twelve different nominees. Each award (conferred in recognition of excellence in teaching, consists of a gift of \$1,000 from the MTSU Development Foundation) which was made at the annual Senior-Alumni dinner.

From The Grapevine

The latest fashion column in the Eastern Kentucky's PROGRESS was quite an eyecatcher. Instead of the usual current fashion trends, the theme was the latest fashions of the year 1428.

The students at Vanderbilt University were faced with a parking referendum. If the bill passed, each student would pay \$35.00 per semester for parking privileges. Should the measure fail, parking would be restricted to only seniors, or to juniors and seniors with a given grade point average. The registration fee passed with a 4 to 1 margin among the female students, and a 5-3 margin among the males.

"Just be very loving" seems to be the key to having a successful "be-in", according to the Duke Chronicle. There will be a couple of bands, and plenty of paints,

paper, and chalk for everyone to freely demonstrate their artistic creativity. As for preparing for a "be-in," dress in bright, colorful and unusual attire, bring a kite to fly or musical instrument to play, bring flowers to give away, wear some flowers

yourself, and bring plenty of food to share. The purpose of a "be-in" is to forget your fears and problems by forgetting your own inhibitions through sharing with other people. Can't think of a better time to have a "be-in," than before finals.

Hardaway Company Wins Building Bid

Hardaway Construction Company of Nashville was the successful bidder for the new classroom and office building at Middle Tennessee State University. The new bid of \$1,653,000 includes the razing of Murfree Hall the old li-

brary building. Work is to start June 15 and be completed in 425 calendar days — which would provide for occupancy in late August of 1968, according to Dr. Quill E. Cope, University president. The building will contain 50 classrooms and 100 offices.

The three-story, concrete block and brick structure will be on ground level located in the center of the quadrangle between Old Main and the Administration Buildings. It will have walkways radiating from each of four sides towards the Todd Library, the Union Building, Old Main and the Administration building. The construction will replace the rapidly deteriorating Murfree Building with its basement water problem. The south end line of the new building will be on a line with the present eastwest doors of the present building.

Construction will not disturb the fine grove of trees south of Murfree Hall but will eliminate two of the large oak trees to the west. English classrooms have been moved to other buildings on the campus with Jones Hall being used as temporary offices. When completed the new building will provide relief for the present overload in class rooms and offices in both Old Main and the Administration Building.

Farnsworth Heads "Midlander" Staff

One of the most time — consuming tasks on campus is the job of editor of the MIDLANDER. This position has been filled for the coming school year by the election of Ann Farnsworth, a junior from Chattanooga, by members of MTSU's Publications Committee. MIDLANDER business manager will be Emily Kelly, a junior from Waynesboro.

Miss Farnsworth has already selected her staff members and some work on the yearbook is now underway. This is the first time that the work on the MIDLANDER has begun in the summer session. Ann's plans include "a bigger and better annual than ever before, a goal toward which all

editors strive."

Various staff appointments are as follows: MIDLANDER secretary - Charline Lorraine, Freshman editor - Ann Sloan, sophomore editor - Betty Hunter, junior editor - Julia Douglas, senior editor - Carol Call, beauties editor - Sharon Duggan, Honoraries editor - Arline Fitzpatrick, organizations editor - Marilyn Ensley, index editor - Betty Sims, sports editor - Prissy Owen, photographer - George Brown, Greek editor - Anita Johnson, military editor - All Frazier, faculty and administration editor - Sharlene Phillips, art editor - Gracie Lee Bond, activities editor - Lynn Small, Alma Jean Denney and Patty Ann Ried will serve as typists.

HAPPY HUNTING!

Can you pick out the 50 states? You may go across — backward and forward — up and down as well as diagonally. The same letter may be used more than once. The names of the cities Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, and Bemidji are also included. There are no abbreviations.

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