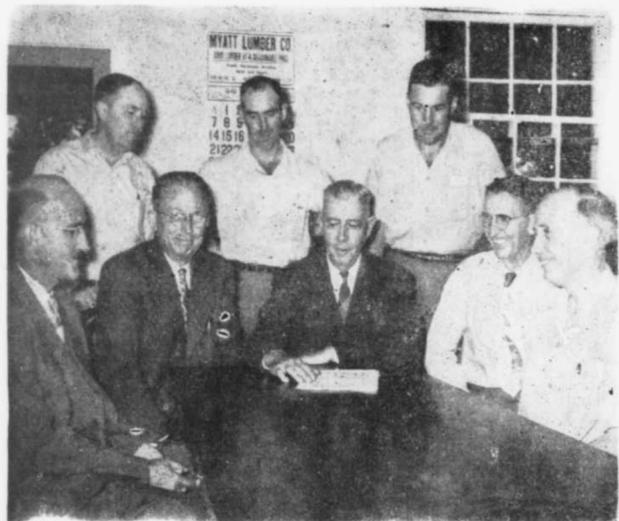


AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FACULTY



The Middle Tennessee State College at Murfreesboro has announced the addition of an agriculture department to its long list of specialized fields. The above pictures shows members of the faculty. They are (seated, left to right): H. N. Parks, professor of agriculture education; Dr. Clifford N. Stark, director of the department; Q. M. Smith, president of the college; B. B. Gracy, Jr., associate professor of agriculture; S. R. Woods, associate professor of farm electricity; (standing, left to right) Philip Dalton, farm workshop instructor; E. S. Vorheis, farm mechanics instructor; and Jo Little, farm manager and agriculture instructor.

College Band To Become One Of Nation's Largest

According to Neil H. Wright, director of the Middle Tennessee State College Band, State's band will soon become one of the largest in the country. Last year Mr. Wright ordered 100 band uniforms with a view of building the band to that size within the next five years. Last year there were 72 playing members of the band.

Applications for membership in the band have already passed the 100 mark with more applications expected. Indications are that Mr. Wright will have to "cut his squad" to fit the limitations of the number of available uniforms.

The college marching band parading on a darkened football field provided a new effect in halftime activities in Middle Tennessee last fall. The band members are equipped with chapeaux that are battery lighted and their instruments are also wired to produce a brilliant spectacle in intricate marching maneuvers at night.

Robert Cole, son of the noted Nashville organist, Leon Cole, is drum major of the band.

Mr. Wright stated that there are fewer than a dozen college bands in all the United States that have 100 pieces.

Dean Beasley Lists Good Study Habits



To— Student Body, 1949-50:

May I suggest some rather important factors for a successful college program.

A person does not have to be a genius to do good college work. One does need average, or above average ability. Much depends upon the study habits of the individual and upon the reasons for going to college. Good study habits, good average ability, and a real desire for a college education will go far to insure a good college program.

You will find, too, that much of your college program is built around the ability to read. If you do not read well, you are not fortunate. If you do not read well, you can, at least, improve the situation. Do not hesitate to request of your teachers directions for improving your reading. It is important not only to read well but also to take notes well, to review frequently, and to talk over your course problems with others.

Your college program will differ from your elementary and high school program in that college study is largely self-directed. Frequently this leads to a great loss of time. Sooner or later, each must learn to direct one's own program and your college work is planned to give opportunity to learn self-direction.

It is not a bad idea to watch and study your teachers. Teachers use different methods and expect different things from students. Find as soon as you can, what the course is and what is expected of you by teachers.

Finally, may I suggest that you guard jealously your reputation. What other students think about you, what your teachers think about you really matters. Your college career will be what you make it. The college staff will endeavor to be helpful. The opportunity to be helpful is appreciated.

With all good wishes for a pleasantly profitable year, I am Sincerely, N. C. BEASLEY Dean

Faculty Members Spend Vacations In Work, Travel

Members of the Middle Tennessee State College faculty spent the break between the summer and fall quarters in varied fields of activity and recreation.

President and Mrs. Q. M. Smith, were in Boston, Mass., for the National Education Association Meeting as an official delegate from the Tennessee Education Association.

Dean N. C. Beasley and Mrs. Beasley also attended the N.E.A. meeting and paid a short visit to the campus at the University of Vermont.

Dr. Ed Baldwin and Mrs. Baldwin visited friends in Mississippi and found time to journey up to South Carolina for a few days at the seashore.

Mr. Gracy's vacation was spent in moving the equipment of his agricultural classes into the new agricultural building.

The Clayton L. James has just returned from Michigan where Dean James did some work at the Danforth Foundation for Leaders in Christian Education.

Mr. Judd is back on the campus after two weeks of recuperation from an operation, and the student body is very happy to welcome him back. Mr. Kirksey completed his residence work on his Doctor's degree at George Peabody College in Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin W. Midgett have just returned from a trip to New York and Boston.

Miss Nelson journeyed down to the Lone Star state for her vacation.

The Robert Abernathys were in Florida for a few days before settling down to the grind of another school year.

Dr. C. C. Sims spent part of his time on his farm getting things in shape and then he and Mrs. Sims motored up to the Smoky Mountains for a week.

Doctor Joe Frank Wilkes and Mrs. Wilkes attended an educational meeting in North Carolina.

Dr. Calcott passed the vacation away with her relatives in Virginia. Coach Charles Greer made a short trip up to New York with the Junior League All Stars.

Miss Mary Hall attended the Smoky Mountain Workshop of the Association for Student Teachers which met at Western Carolina Teachers College at Cullowhee, North Carolina.

Doctor Martin spent his time at the Reserve officers training camp at Memphis.

Mrs. Muncie was in Atlanta over the holidays. Coach Charles Murphy had to stay on hand to get football practice going.

The Richard Pecks went home to their native state of Kansas.

Will Dunn Smith and his family were on the Peabody campus where Mr. Smith completed resident work on his Ph.D.

The Lane Boutwells stayed in Murfreesboro while Mr. Boutwell did graduate work at Vanderbilt. The Stoves were at Peabody College for the summer.

Mr. Stowe also worked on his Doctor's degree at Peabody.

Mr. Stephen Woods stayed on the campus to supervise the construction of the new electric score board on the football field.

The student body regret that Mr. West has requested a leave of absence for a second operation. He carries with him the Student Body's wishes for a speedy recovery and return to the campus.

Cheerleader Tryouts

All who are interested in trying out for cheerleader this year report to the stadium at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, September 20. We must make selections on Tuesday in order to be ready for the game Thursday. If you have had experience and are willing to work hard come on and try out. Experience is not absolutely necessary, but the will to work is.

STUDENT GUIDANCE PROGRAM

Table with columns: Dormitories Open, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1949, Groups, Home Room, and Advisor. Lists various groups and their advisors.

President Smith Welcomes New Students



The Class of 1953, the largest entering class in the history of the college, is welcome to its Alma Mater. The expanded facilities of this college will be taxed to the limit to accommodate you and the large classes which are expected to follow during the next few years. It is, therefore, important that all of us co-operate in making use of classrooms, laboratories, dormitories and recreational facilities so that every person in the college will have his share of opportunity.

You have selected a college that is recognized for its spirit of thoroughness, friendliness, and cooperation. We are happy that the students, teachers, parents and citizens of the community enjoy a full measure of confidence in college students and in the desire to be mutually helpful as they live and work together.

It is important that beginning college students choose wisely their associates, the subjects they are to study, and the organizations which they will join.

It is important also that they place full confidence in the program which will be worked out with the counsel and advice of faculty members and that a serious effort be made immediately toward the accomplishment of the high purposes for which they are coming to college, and for the full accomplishment of which the greatest enthusiasm and perseverance will be needed during the next four years.

The administration extends its most cordial welcome to the Freshman Class of 1949.

Q. M. SMITH, President.

Fuson Produces Champion Tomato

Francis Fuson won out in the Middle Tennessee State College veteran's "tomato derby" at weighing in time at the end of the first term of summer school.

Fuson not only took top honors



FRANCIS FUSON

with a two pound, two ounce Pale Ponderosa that would have sold for forty-three cents at current retail prices, but he placed second in the unofficial contest with other Trailer Vef gardeners on the college campus with a giant that measured 17 inches in circumference, weighing 29 ounces. His third entry weighing one pound, seven ounces was still better than the 18 ounce entry of George Smart and the "little" one pounders grown by Ed Stamps and others.

Fuson had eighteen plants, each of which, due to liberal administrations of commercial fertilizer, plenty of rain and careful cultivation, produced as many as six to ten tomatoes averaging a pound in weight.

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MTSC Meets Requirements in Ag. For Smith-Hughes Certification

In keeping with its policy of constant improvement, Middle Tennessee State College announces its latest addition to its long list of specialized departments—a department for training vocational agriculture teachers.

The faculty of eight members will offer courses in agriculture and associated subjects that amount to 157 credit hours toward a college degree.

The department is headed by Dr. Clifford N. Stark, who is a native of Dickson County and a graduate of MTSC.

"Our training courses offers fundamental subjects in the freshmen and sophomore years and moves on to the more specialized courses in the junior and senior years," Dr. Stark said.

President Q. M. Smith, Dean N. C. Beasley and Professor B. B. Gracy have been working toward such a department for some time. Mr. Gracy has been teaching agriculture here since 1920 and the President and Dean both own farms in this county.

"It is our desire to train young men for agriculture teaching that will be a credit to themselves, their school and our state agriculture program," President Smith said.

"It is too early yet to estimate the number of potential agriculture teachers who will register this week. We can care for a sizeable number in our department but we will never sacrifice quality for numbers," Dr. Stark declared.

Dr. Stark was professor of bacteriology at Cornell University for 25 years. He is a practical farmer and owns a large farm in Hickman County. He is a former vocational agriculture teacher and has authored more than 60 publications in the field of food and water sanitation bacteriology.

Students in the agriculture classes will have the benefits of modern and fully equipped machine, electric and woodwork shops which are a part of the extensive industrial arts department. The school farm is second to none with new and scientific farming practices being employed throughout.

The agriculture department will be run entirely by Tennessee men, many of whom are former MTSC students.

In addition to Dr. Stark and Professor Gracy other members of the teaching staff include H. N. Parks, who has for the past several years been supervisor of vocational agriculture.

course to be offered include agriculture engineering, 21 hours; agricultural economics, 18 hours; agronomy, 31 hours; animal husbandry, 27 hours; horticulture, 21 hours; and agriculture education, 21 hours.

The department headquarters are located in a new one-story building on the edge of the college farm. Classes will be held in this building and two other similar buildings which include a laboratory and library.

The first attempt of the MTSC summer theater met with such success that summer productions promise to become an annual event at State.

The play chosen for the first production was "Little Women." It was presented on August 14 in the college auditorium before a sizeable audience. Director of the play was Campbell Williams, MTSC student, who was completing his fourth production at State. Williams also played a minor part in the play.

Other members of the cast included Mrs. Billie Odom Smith of Murfreesboro as Beth; Doris Williams of Murfreesboro as Amy; Gerry Sorrells of Petersburg as Meg; Doris Pigg of Petersburg as Marmee; Sadie Dossett of Tullahoma as Jo; Bill Royster of McMinnville as John Brook; Bill Lewis of Nashville as Laurie; Carl Lappin of Monteagle as Father and, Mary Bandy of Chattanooga as "Aunt March."

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Co-Ed Margaret Scott Featured in DuPont Magazine

How a pretty co-ed at Middle Tennessee State College is taking advantage of an opportunity for an education which her dad never had is reported in the current magazine for its 75,000 employees throughout the country.

The co-ed is Margaret Scott of Old Hickory, Tenn., who is now starting her senior year at Middle Tennessee State. Her father, Dexter Scott, is a spinning doffer at the Du Pont rayon plant in Old Hickory.

In three pages of pictures and text entitled "A Du Pont Daughter," Miss Scott is shown leaving home, arriving at college and starting a full round of campus activity. Also included are pictures of eight other Du Pont sons and daughters who are students at Middle Tennessee State. These are: Margaret Williams, Betty Nees, Nolen Gatlin, Eugene Hunt, Douglas Watson, James E. Harrison, Harry Gupton, and William A. Lewis, Jr.

Other scenes shown are "Scotty" in the biology lab with Charles Taylor, a late evening cello session in the dormitory with Lorene Parker, Susie Epperson, Liz Butler, Melba Davis, Susie Tanner, Lavada Waters and Mildred Bouton. She is shown being initiated into Tau Omicron Sorority, honorary society, with Sammy Van Hooser, Paye Brandon, Mary Hill, Elizabeth Wolf, Betty Nesbitt Qualls, Mary Pope, Carol Crouse, Annette Stepp, Miss Hester Rogers and Mrs. Muncie.

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New Clubs To Be Organized This Fall

In answer to the request of students to extend their experiences in rhythms beyond classroom two new clubs will be organized this quarter.

A folk dance group will devote time to enjoying the dances they already know and to learning new ones. Square dances and other types of American folk dances will be used along with dances of other countries.

It is hoped that members of this group can attend the various festivals which are held in this section. All who are interested watch for announcement of the first meeting. Dates for regular meetings will be the second and fourth Mondays at 5 p.m.

The Modern Dance Club will give both boys and girls opportunity to express themselves in original composition. Exchange visits with groups from other schools in the state will be planned. Meetings for this group will be scheduled later, probably on Wednesday nights at 6. Watch for announcement of the first meeting.

Three MTSC Alumni have received outstanding recognition in Congress in the past year.

Representative Percy Priest of Nashville is now an important administration driver, while Representative Albert Gore of Carthage has won national recognition for his opposition to the Brannan Agricultural Program.

Students at State will be pleased to learn that Representatives Pat Sutton of Lawrenceburg is working to extend the GI bill of rights, particularly the college training phase of the program. Representative Sutton has been continuously active in promoting all phases of the college training program for veterans.

State students may be assured that all of these former students now in Congress are willing and eager to represent their interests wherever possible.

Miss Hall, Mr. Wilkes Attend Teacher Workshop

Dr. Joe F. Wilkes and Miss Mary Hall, of the M.T.S.C. Education Department attended the Smoky Mountain Workshop of the Association for Student Teaching held at Western Carolina Teachers College, Cullowhee, North Carolina, August 14-26, where over fifty-five educational institutions and thirty states were represented.

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Speech Dept. Open to All

Those students interested in extra-curricular activities will find that the MTSC speech department has much to offer.

The Buchanan Dramatic Club invites all students interested in any phase of dramatics to join. No previous experience is required for membership. Each quarter the club presents at least one play. The fall production will be the three act comedy "John Loves Mary." Director of the play will be Lane L. Boutwell. John A. Scott will act as technical director. Mr. Boutwell announced that tryouts will be held during the first week of the fall quarter. Tryouts are open to new and old members alike.

The honorary dramatic society of the speech department is Alpha Psi Omega. President of the MTSC chapter is Carl Lappin. Membership in the organization is earned by doing outstanding work in the field of dramatics. During the summer this society, under student management and direction successfully produced the three act play "Little Women."

The Speech Arts society, which includes debating, and all forms of oratory in its scope of activities, completed its most successful year in history last spring. The society took part in five speech tournaments, two of which were national in scope. The organization is looking forward to an even greater year this season.

All students interested in any of the club's activities should see Lane L. Boutwell for further information.

Students going to school under the "GI Bill of Rights" must now list the name of the school that they plan to attend and the particular line of study that they plan to pursue before they may receive certificates of eligibility, according to the VA Information Service, White Bridge Road, Nashville, Tennessee.

Veterans who have never had a course of training and now have unused certificates of eligibility—issued after September, 1948—may use them as they are until March 1, 1950. They need not be exchanged for new certificates, but after March 1, 1950, they will not be valid.

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Positions Open on Side-Lines Staff

The staff of the Side-Lines will be completed as quickly as possible. Students on the staff may receive college credits for their work. At present there are openings for freshmen and upper classmen both with and without experience in newspaper work. If you are interested in receiving valuable experience in newspaper work and credit toward graduation at the same time, meet in Room 21A at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Let's All Pitch In

The Side-Lines is a student publication which means that the students themselves will determine just how good a paper we will have this year. The staff is composed of students who receive nothing for their work but the satisfaction of having a good paper. All of you can help to make your paper better. Make your criticism the constructive type. If you have a complaint make it to the staff where it will do some good. If you want to be on the staff come to the first meeting and we'll talk it over. Work with us this year and we'll all do our best to get out a paper that will be a credit to our school.

One sensitive youth, his feelings wounded by a remark a prof wrote on a paper he had turned in, went in to see what the prof meant.

He breathed freely once more when he found out the harried teacher had intended to write "Good!" Next time, he promised, he wouldn't leave out one of the "o's."—The Daily Texan.

A student hesitated to give his speech. The professor asked, "What are you, man or spouse?"

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Former MTSC Students Trod Busy Path to Altar

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Dorothy Hurt, John Grimes; Anne Byrn Roberts, Jack Roberts; Frances Broyles, Bill Robertson; David Willis, Betty A. Thompson; Margaret Smith, Henry G. McNabb, Jr.; Elizabeth Smith, Herschel K. Love; Nancy Miles, W. K. Lane; Anita Bellamy, Carrol Cartwright; Daniel McMillan, Buleah M. Hogan; Bette Tenpenny, Garland Russell; Jean McHenry, Ralph Hitt; Anne Cobb; Joe Tompkins; Lurline Wiseman; Frank Morgan Allen; Edd Delbridge; Clara McDonald; Doris Johnston; Douglas Brown; John Tyree, Emma Lee Shoffner; Mary Bell Nisbett; Will Edd Watts; Glenn Price Willard, Vivian Reddint; Irma Banks; Elbert Lentz; Sue Bratton, James D. Oakley; Lew Aaron, Elizabeth Jarrell; Ralph Sheppard, Mary Arnette; Tee Faulkinberry, Howard Bettis; Blanche Cook, Creed McClure.

"Half the legislature are crooks!" ran a glaring headline.
A retraction in full was demanded of the editor.
Next afternoon the headline read: "Half the legislature are not crooks!"

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Side-Lines Staff May Receive Credit For Work Now

Members of the SIDE-LINES and MIDLANDER staffs this year may work towards credit in Journalism 452 if their training and experience as members of the staff of either of the college publications justify.

Dean N. C. Bessley has approved a plan whereby students interested in learning the techniques of writing, lay-out, advertising, and editing the school publications may work on the college publications and earn credit.

The class in School Publications (Journalism 452) will meet Thursday afternoon at three o'clock in room 21 A (opposite the Side-Lines office) for organization. The class may meet in the early evening later in the year.

This class, which will offer one hour credit each quarter, will meet for a full hour once each week, at which time the members will actually work on writing, editing, copy reading, proof reading, dummy layout and other phases of school paper and annual work.

Mr. Sloan, college journalism instructor, has pointed out that this course or journalism 251 will be required of members of the SIDE-LINES staff and will be an elective for MIDLANDER staff members and for prospective teachers who expect to sponsor school publications.

96 Band Applicants Seek 1949 Uniforms

Prospects are that all 100 uniforms of the MTSC band will be filled this fall. Mr. Wright already has 96 applications for band membership for the fall quarter.

An invitation has been received by the famous "Pep Band" to participate in a Chattanooga convention July 23-25. No decision has been reached as to appearance of the costumed clowns and their musical instruments there.

FORMER TEAMMATES



Maxie Runion and J. B. Proctor, shown above, are big guns in the backfield, formerly played together in the backfield of Cohn High School in Nashville. Both will be in the starting lineup Thursday night.

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CAP BOOSTERS VISIT CAMPUS



The college airport was included on the Air Booster tour conducted in August under the sponsorship of the Tennessee Bureau of Aeronautics and the Civil Air Patrol. Elmore Meriwether, commander of the college squadron, made the complete tour of the state with the group and is pictured with state aviation leaders, along with President Smith and Miller Lanier, college airport manager, in the lower right picture. Joel Rogers, assistant state director of aeronautics, and former member of the Side-Lines staff is shown in the lower left picture. The upper picture gives a general view of the airport and visiting planes.

Civil Service Exams Date to be Announced

Information has been received that the U. S. Civil Service Commission will announce within the next few weeks its 1949 Junior Professional Assistant, Junior Management Assistant, and Junior Agriculture Assistant examinations. Positions in Washington D. C., and throughout the United States, at \$2,947 a year, will be filled from these examinations. The announcements to be issued by the Commission will be in booklet form and will give full information regarding the examinations and the positions to be filled. This information will be of particular interest to college graduates and senior graduates, since the examinations of

for an opportunity to train for a career in the Federal service in a variety of professions.

When these examinations are announced, information will be available at the Placement Office (location).

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Mrs. Carol Fleeman Cartwright was before her marriage September 3 in Memphis Miss Edith Anita Bellamy, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Bellamy of Memphis. She is a niece of Mrs. J. W. Fletcher of Murfreesboro. Mr. Cartwright, son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Cartwright of Cleveland and his bride will make their home in Knoxville. Both attended Middle Tennessee State College. The Side-Lines extends congratulations to its former business manager.

No applications should be filed with any Commission office until the announcements have been issued.

Mike Turns Vocalist

Mike Murphy, oldest of Coach and Mrs. Murphy's children, was an unqualified success in singing, "Jesus Loves Me" at the Thursday night

dance. In his first mike appearance little Mike was accompanied by the Townsmen.

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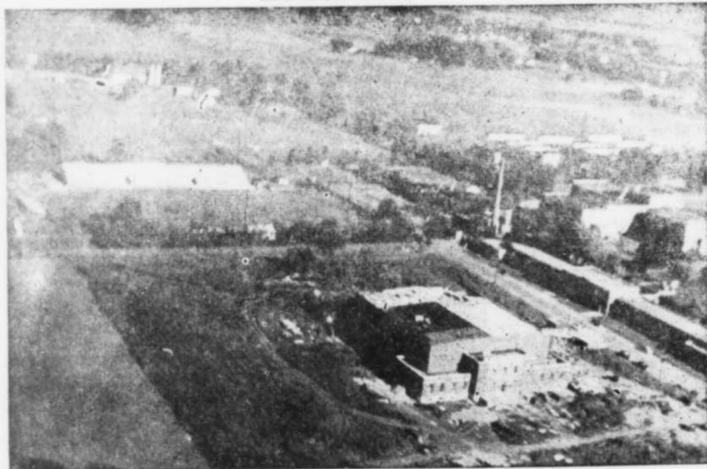
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LANDSCAPING



Middle Tennessee State College has received many compliments on the excellent layout of its health and recreation area. In this picture made by Gene Sloan from a plane piloted by Miller Lanier, manager of the college airport, workmen are shown laying the roof on the new health and physical education building. The new swimming pool and women's gymnasium will be located between this building and Jones Field. Tennis courts are to be built to the left of the health and physical education building. The new seats in Jones Field are clearly shown to the right center. The vocational agriculture center is shown in the deep background, adjacent to the college airport. To the right of the picture may be seen the five-unit industrial arts building and the new heating plant, other building projects that have brought over \$2,000,000 in campus improvements since the war.

Along The Sidelines

By BILL WILLIS

The first week of school and everybody's happy—everybody, that is, but Coach Murphy. The reason for the coach's blues is the fact that he lost seven letter men and of these three were starting linemen. The spectacular playing of Jack (Ashhead) Yearwood will be sorely missed this year. Yearwood was something of an exception. He lettered four years in college football. Also lost is Big Allen Prince, the starting guard on the left side of the line, while Yearwood held down the right side. Joe Jackson, a four-year letterman and starting end is also lost. Campbell Williams, a reserve guard, but one who saw plenty of action, is also among the missing.

Bill Blackman, ace quarterback of last season and an important wheel in the Raider machine, also received the sacred sheepskin. Bill Nesbitt, the starting fullback, is now a college graduate. One of the most gratifying pieces of news received this season is the news that veteran end and last year's captain Vic Varallo will be on hand for another season. Vic is expected to be on the holding end of quarterback J. B. Proctor's passes.

Enough has been said about the dim past; now let us look at the prospects of the 1949 squad. I'm not Grantland Rice or Dr. Litkenhous, but I predict that the Raiders will have it this season. With the addition to the coaching staff of two of the best men in the field the boys in blue and white have a decided advantage from the outset.

Now let's take a look at the backfield. J. B. Proctor and Jim McCoy will call the signals and toss the pigskin. Maxie Runion, D. Harris, Shorty Adams, Bob Searcy, Dick Beck, Jim J. Jackson and Pete Holmes will take care of the other positions. The line is considered the main weakness of the Raiders this year, but it shows possibilities of being one of the best. Fred Grider, Charley Lyons, Louie Davidson, Dave Burnette, Rock Hardaway, and some others will all have cracks at the guard positions. Joe Love, Brad Miller, Frank Tice, and others will be tackle prospects. The center position doesn't look too weak with Monte Kennedy, Garland Russell, Royce McElroy and Howard Gamble around to plug in the gaps. In the end slots will be Vic Varallo and Frank Atchley, two lettermen, Bob Brown and Bill Brown. These boys are the ones to watch because they will be the main cog in the Raider aerial attack. The material looks good; the coaches are good; the spirit is grand. What more does it take for a perfect season?

ODDS AND ENDS: Heard in the dressing room: "Maybe Coach Little is human after all. He let us rest a minute this evening." Rudy White—"Tice has taken off his nose guard to give the fellows a chance to get even."

New and greater things are being planned for intramurals on the campus according to Coach Reil, a recent addition to the phys. ed. department, who will be in charge of intramurals this year. An extensive program is being planned that will reach all students. Your full cooperation is needed. Give it to 'em. Let's all be out on that new field the night of the first game yelling our heads off. There have been very few winning teams that didn't have an enthusiastic student body supporting it.

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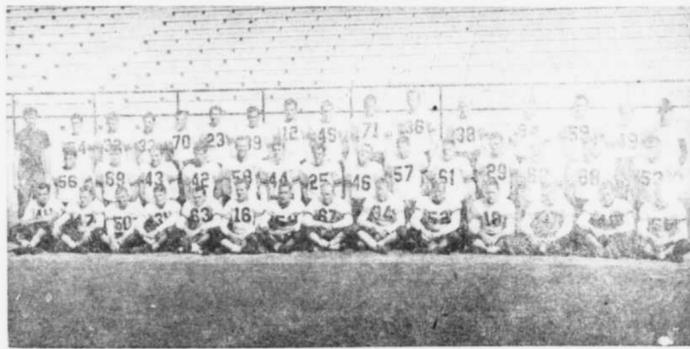
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THE BLUE RAIDER SQUAD FOR '49



First row, left to right—Doug Watson, Jim Jackson, Pete Holmes, Bob Searcy, Jim Saunders, Garland Russell, Louis Davidson, Mac Arnold, Ed Sullivan, John Swaffard, Hubert McCullough, Jack Moore, Dick Beck, Jim Hite. Second row, left to right—Brad Miller, Charlie Lyon, Monte Kennedy, J. D. Pinkerton, Guy Buchanan, Frank Tice, Fred Grider, James Adams, Bo Murray, Harold Hitt, James Ballard, Dave Burnett, J. B. Proctor, Joe Love. Third row, left to right—J. S. Holmes, Bobby Hardison, Bill Brown, Jim Kennedy, Angelo Varallo, Charles Sparkman, Dee Harris, Howard Gamble, Ernest Adams, Frank Atchley, Ben Canada, Bob Brown, Maxie Runion, Frank Ford, Jimmy McCoy, Lew Aaron.

Milligan Has "Fastest Team," Coach Says on Game Eve

"The fastest team I ever saw" was the way Coach Charles Murphy described the Millington Naval Base football team, which will open the football season here Thursday night at eight o'clock against the MTSC Raiders. Coach Murphy and Coach Charles Greer scouted the service team in their Paris Island game last week-end.

Murphy will start Varallo and Atchley at ends, Ford and Tice at tackles, Miller and Grider at guards and Hite at center. In the backfield he will have Proctor at quarter, Runion and Dee Harris at half back and Dick Beck at full.

If the Navy receives the coaches will throw in the Blue's defensive platoon which will substitute Hardaway and Lyons at guard, Bob Murray and Joe Love at tackles and Whiteaker or McElroy at center. Hardison, McCoy and Pete Holmes will work in the defensive backfield.

Millington won five, lost one and tied one last season, beating Memphis State 14-0. They run from a standing T formation, similar to the Raiders.

Phys. Ed. Club Plans Full Year

The Physical Education Club has another full year of activities planned. In addition to sponsoring the informal recreation on Tuesday and Saturday nights of each week the following schedule has been arranged.

- September 20—Freshman Party
September 21—All Students Party
October 18—Carnival
October 31—Hallow'sn Party
November 8—Square Dance
December 5—Club Christmas Party

- January 18—Informal Dance
February 1—Annual Bingo Party
February 22—Folk Festival
April 20—Square Dance
May 15—Club Annual Picnic

As usual the club will have a float in the Homecoming parade and will cooperate with the ASB social committee in supporting all recreational activities of the college.

Regular meetings of the Physical Education Club are held on the first and third (and fifth) Mondays of each month at 6 p.m. in the gym. If you would like to have fun and learn the easy way, join this club and attend its meeting. All teachers and many other people are called upon to lead recreation at some time. This is your chance to get experience in such leadership.

It is hoped that the club may have several delegates to attend the National Convention of AAHPER when it meets this spring in joint session with the Southern District in Dallas, Texas.

The first meeting will be Monday night, October 3, at 6 in the gym. Come. Get a good start.

National Outlook

Notre Dame and Michigan again will battle for top rating nationally in college football this season, and more and more teams will employ the two-platoon system in an effort to satisfy the spectators' preference for high-scoring games.

These are two conclusions drawn by Fred Russell in "Pigskin Preview," as this week's (Sept. 17th) Saturday Evening Post presents its tenth annual football forecast. Mr. Russell, sports editor of the Nashville (Tenn.) Banner, analyzed reports from more than 200 key operatives among coaches, sports writers, scouts, game officials and college-athletic-information directors in making his predictions.

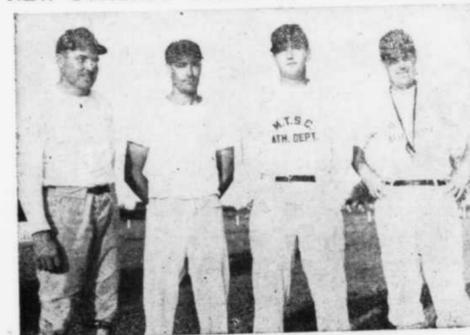
Russell's pre-season All-American team lists ends: Hart (Notre Dame) and Harvin (Georgia Tech); tackles: Ends: Hart (Notre Dame) and Harvin (Georgia Tech); tackles: Wistert (Michigan) and Wade Walker (Oklahoma); guards: Franz (California) and Nomellini (Minnesota); center: Watson (Rice); backs: Doak Walker (Southern Methodist) Siko (Notre Dame) Justice (North Carolina) Murakowski (Northwestern).

As Back of the Year, Mr. Russell is sticking with Doak Walker. He likes Bill Wade of Vanderbilt for Sophomore of the Year, and Leon Hart of Notre Dame for Lineman of the Year.

"The T formation is increasing in use," Mr. Russell says. "The prominent holdouts who cling to the undiluted single wing include Princeton, Pittsburgh, North Carolina, William and Mary, Clemson, Tennessee and Oregon State. . . There's a definite drift toward a blend of the systems. Many T teams are incorporating single-wing blocking. The so-called brush block is disappearing. Another important trend is toward shifting defenses, which depend more on maneuver and position than on solid line play."

A little Hungarian coed is re-reading her English dictionary after asking a football player if he were the "centerpiece" on the Bengal eleven.

NEW COACHES ADDED TO RAIDER STAFF



Pictured above are the four men who will handle the destinies of the Blue Raiders as they face the toughest schedule in many years. From left to right—Joe Little (UT) center and tackles; Francis J. Reil (Amherst) backfield; Charles Greer (MTSC) ends and guards; and Charles Murphy, athletic director and head coach.

Coach Reil comes to MTSC from Fort Devers branch of the University of Massachusetts where he headed the Physical Education Department. Coach Greer comes back to his alma mater from West High School in Nashville.

MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1949

- Sept. 22—(Thursday) Millington Naval Base, Here (Night)
Sept. 30—(Friday) Maryville, Here (Night)
Oct. 7—(Friday) Union, Here (Night)
Oct. 15—(Saturday) Arkansas State There (Night)
Oct. 22—(Saturday) Milligan, Here, Oct. 28—(Saturday) E.T.S.C., Here, (Night)
Nov. 5—(Saturday) Florence State, There (Night)
Nov. 12—(Saturday) Murray, There, (Night)
Nov. 18—(Friday) Open
Nov. 24—(Thursday) T.P.I., Here (HOME COMING) (THANKSGIVING DAY)

ALONG THE WAY

By Albert Hines RAW! RAW! RAW!! Suggestion for coach remarks to squad before kickoff: No matter what you've heard, boys, this won't be a pushover. They're hard. They've got guts. They'll be right in there (coach, visibly affected, swallows his Adam's apple twice). You've got to be in there too—all the time. I want to see every man marching down the field, with but one single thought in mind—to win this game. If there's one here afraid to die for dear old Ivy Towers, let the coward stand aside (pause here one moment). At the end of the first quarter, I'm going to be disappointed if there's not at least a gallon of enemy teeth on the field. At the half, I'll be sore if less than seven of the enemy have gone to the hospital. At the third, I'm coming out on the field and thrash every man of you who haven't made it so rough they've had to call out the fire department and two riot squads. But above all else, boys (tears in eyes here), I want you to play the game clean. Let the foe resort to trickery, dirty tactics—anything. But you play it clean. Go now, my brave lads, and make this a slaughter so great that the creeks will run bloody for two weeks. (Coach faints here and has to be carried to beach.)

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Lloyd Coleman Emery New Biology Teacher

Lloyd Coleman Emery, Jr., of Paducah, Kentucky, is the latest member to be added to the Middle Tennessee State College faculty, according to the announcement of President Q. M. Smith.

Mr. Emery, who was educated at the University of Louisville and Vanderbilt University will be an instructor in biology. For the past year he has been a bacteriologist with the State Department of Public Health and was formerly an instructor in botany and zoology at Vanderbilt University.

During the war, Mr. Emery served as an ensign in the Navy.

CENTRAL HIGH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1949

- Sept. 9—(Friday) Columbia, There
Sept. 16—(Friday) Clarksville, Here
Sept. 23—(Friday) Bristol, Here
Sept. 30—(Friday) McMinnville, Here
Oct. 7—(Friday) Lebanon, There
Oct. 14—(Friday) Tullahoma, There
Oct. 21—(Friday) Shelbyville, There
Oct. 28—(Friday) Stair Tech, Here
Nov. 4—(Friday) Manchester, Here
Nov. 11—(Friday) Gallatin, Here

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RARITY OF FOOTBALL

By BILL WILLIS

One of the rarities of football occurred Friday night in the MTSC vs. a neighboring college scrimmage. Dave Burnette, MTSC guard scored a touchdown. A kick was blocked by Rock Hardaway and bounded behind the enemy goaline. Burnette was there and fell on it. It proved to be a deciding factor in the game as MTSC went on to win 13 to 6.

The other bright spot in the scrimmage was when Jim McCoy flashed over from the ten-yard line for the other marker. The athletic department hopes this exhibition was a preview of things to come when the season opens Thursday night.

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 tache back with a long stick and drinking from a lacquer cup. The old chief is a trader and he travels the islands of Japan doing a type of barter trade and the things he has collected are of no value except to him. The designs of their clothes were very similar to those of our American Indians. The houses were a big room with thatched roofs and a fire place in the center of the room. These fire places have no chimneys but there is an opening in the roof for the smoke to escape; needless to say the house was covered with soot. They had corn on strings such as our own Indians do. There were many dried vegetables on the walls on the outside of the house. The old man and woman were caring for the grandchildren as is much the custom in Japan.

Visits Aso Kanko
 Miss Gillentine also tells of a visit to the volcano of Aso Kanko—"While at Aso Kanko we visited the volcano that erupted in '45 and '46. The pressure has been released by the eruption but the hot lava bubbling and the steam bursting forth underneath ones feet gives a feeling of the great difference in the force of man and the pattern of science that was used in the creation of this earth. Of course the large sulphur deposits were very obvious. The farmers in Japan have very small plots of ground and it is arranged in forms. These are separated by hard lines of soil that are not plowed or broken up. The purpose of the hard soil is to retain the water that is pumped in to irrigate the rice, etc. . . It is very interesting to watch the Japanese cut the straw from the mountain sides. They use this grass for covering their thatched roof houses. It is said that the Japanese would always prefer grass covered houses to other styles but den because of the fire hazard.

Miss Gillentine finishes by promising to tell more of the Japanese and their present way of living in the near future.

Library Lookout

An excellent new travel guide to America catches the eye among new books, even though it comes at the end of the vacation period. "The American Guide" edited by Henry G. Alsberg is the only complete guide to the entire United States ever published. This book, which contains 40 pages of maps and which includes 100,000 points of interest in all regions of the country, will help you plan your trip, enjoy your trip, and know your country.

General Books
 To continue with non-fiction, "A Guide to Confident Living" by Norman Vincent Peale is a must for every individual. Dr. Peale shows how personal problems can be solved by a unique combination of the old truths of religion and the new truths of psychiatry. He illustrates by using fascinating case histories taken from his years of practical guidance in a famous church clinic.

A book of similar nature "The Mature Mind" by H. A. Overstreet will invite that kind of self-examination which is stimulating and profitable. This book enables the reader to understand the value of psychology in terms of his own life and shows how immaturities of attitude and action cause most of the difficulties of life.

An entirely different type non-fiction publication is "The Aspirin Age." This big volume contains twenty-two interesting and lively articles by outstanding writers on some characteristic events of the 1920's and 1930's. These discussions, which are both serious and entertaining, begin with the Treaty of Versailles and end with the case of Orson Welles.

New Fiction
 Turning to fiction, "The Mudlark" by Theodore Bonnet is a delightful historical novel of a little London ragamuffin and the highly improper disturbance he caused in the reign of Queen Victoria. The dirty little boy, who wandered into Windsor Castle stirred the beginning of a social revolution.

"Twilight on the Floods" by Marguerite Steen is the sequel to "The Sun is My Undoing." This exciting novel about the heirs of "The Sun is My Undoing" is the story of a ruthless dynasty fighting to atone for the crimes of its slave-trading ancestor, Matthews Flood.

The tenth and last novel in the Loring Budd saga "O Shepherd, Speak!" by Upton Sinclair takes Lanny Budd from the Battle of the Bulge to the Yalta conference and the Nuremberg Trials to a disturbing interview with Stalin. It also presents him with a million dollars to spend for the cause of peace.

The Best Sellers
 The list below shows the Best Sellers for the current week as compiled by leading book stores. How many have you read?

- Fiction**
1. Twilight on the Floods—Steen.
 2. A Rage to Live—O'Hara.
 3. Let Love Come Last—Caldwell.
 4. Father of the Bride—Streeter.
 5. Point of No Return—Marquand.
 6. Nineteen-Eighty-Four—Orwell.
 7. The Egyptian—Waltari.
 8. Prides Castle—Yerby.
 9. The Big Fisherman—Douglas.
 10. The Mudlark—Bonnet.
- General**
1. White Collar Zoo—Barnes.
 2. Cheaper by the Dozen—Gilbreath and Carey.
 3. The Seven Story Mountain—Merton.
 4. Peace of Soul—Sheen.
 5. A Guide to Confident Living—Peale.
 6. Lead, Kindly Light—Sheean.
 7. Behind the Curtain—Gunther.
 8. American Freedom and Catholic Power—Blanshard.
 9. The Mature Mind—Overstreet.
 10. The Greatest Story Ever Told—Ourisler.

One Day a Week Classes Now Available Here

Persons working five days a week may now earn college credit at State by attending Saturday classes, according to Mr. Robert Abernathy, Director of Field Services at Middle Tennessee State College. This is the first time that such courses have been available.

Classes begin September 24 and meet each Saturday including December 17. In addition to this, three two-hour periods must be arranged by the classes. The following classes will be available.

Education 341, Reading in the Elementary School, 8:00-10:00—Miss Hall.

English 338, Old Testament Literature, 10:00-12:00—Dr. Peck.

Music 321, Music in the Grades, 10:00-12:00—Miss Trivett.

Music 431, Music Literature, 8:00-10:00—Miss Saunders.

Sociology 414, The Family—8:00-10:00—Mr. James.

Registration fee for six quarter hours or less is \$12.00 and freshmen are not eligible for any of the courses now offered. Persons interested in any of the courses offered should notify Mr. Abernathy.

Mademoiselle Announces Annual Student Contest

Mademoiselle magazine has opened its annual contest for College Board members during the 1949-50 college year.

Membership in the board is the first step in becoming one of Mademoiselle's twenty "Guest Editors," who will be brought to New York City next June to help write and edit the annual August College issue of the magazine.

The Guest Editors are selected from the College Board on the basis of three assignments given by the magazine during the year.

Each Guest Editor while in New York City takes part in a full calendar of activities designed to give her a head start in her career. She interviews a celebrity in her chosen field to get advice on the education and training needed and to ask about tips and short cuts in reaching the top. She also takes field trips to newspaper offices, fashion workrooms, radio stations, stores, advertising agencies and printing plants.

Here are the rules for joining the College Board:

1. Contestants must submit a report of two typewritten, double-spaced pages on any phase of campus life: a new academic course, a fashion, a fall, campus activity, an interesting organization, a college trend or anything else that might interest other college students.
2. Contestants must submit a snapshot plus complete data on college and home address, class year, college major and minor, other interests and activities and paid or volunteer jobs held.
3. All material must be mailed to the College Board Editor, MADMOISELLE, 122 East 42 Street, New York 17, New York, postmarked no later than midnight November 1, 1949.
4. Only undergraduates at ac-

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SEPTEMBER 20 - 21
Louis Hayward
Dennis O'Keefe
 IN
WALK A CROOKED MILE

THURSDAY-FRIDAY
 SEPTEMBER 25 - 26

Bob Hope
 IN
SORROWFUL JONES

SUNDAY - MONDAY

Richard Widmark
Lionel Barrymore
 IN
DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS

TUESDAY - WED.
 SEPTEMBER 27 - 28

Spencer Tracy
Deborah Kerr
 IN
EDWARD, MY SON

THURSDAY - FRIDAY
 SEPTEMBER 29 - 30

Fred MacMurray
Claudette Colbert
 IN
FAMILY HONEYMOON

SUN.-MON., OCT. 1-2

Humphrey Bogart
John Derek
 IN
KNOCK ON ANY DOOR

TUES.-WED., OCT. 4-5

Robert Taylor
Ava Gardner
 IN
THE BRIBE

Student Guidance

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1:30 p.m. Registration
 3:00 p.m. Assembly in Auditorium—Freshmen Only
 Student Activities, Mr. Clayton James, Dean of Students
 Associated Student Body Activities, President Fred Grier
 Supper—Cafeteria
 7:30 p.m. Recreation

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22
 8:00 a.m. Assembly—Freshmen Only, Classes as scheduled for others
 8:20 a.m. Testing—Freshmen

10:00 a.m. Assembly—Student Body
 Music
 Devotional
 Address—President Q. M. Smith
 Presentation of Ministers
 Group Meetings

Baptist—Dr. Griffin Henderson, Rev. Woodrow Medlock, A60
 Rev. Wendell Price A79
 Catholic—Father O'Riley A78
 Central Christian—Rev. James Gupton A51
 Christian Science—Mrs. T. Farmer A50
 Church of Christ—Mr. George W. DeHoff, C. M. Pullias, Auditorium
 Joe Morris A59
 Church of God—Rev. Virvel Stafford A59
 Cumberland Presbyterian—Rev. Hubert Covington A45
 Episcopal—Rev. Paul Burns A61
 Jewish—Mr. Mortimer Cohen A43
 Methodist—Rev. Marquis Triplett, Rev. Ben Alexander A59
 Nazarene—Rev. M. J. North A53
 Presbyterian—Rev. Ralph M. Llewellyn A41
 Seventh Day Adventist—Rev. Lester G. Stauffer A77

12:00 a.m. Lunch—Cafeteria
 1:00 p.m. Classes as scheduled for all except freshmen
 2:00 p.m. Testing—Freshmen

3:00 p.m. to
 7:00 p.m. Football game

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23
 8:00 a.m. Classes as scheduled

12:00 a.m. Lunch—Cafeteria
 1:30 p.m. Classes as scheduled

4:00 p.m. to
 8:00 p.m. Reception—President's Home

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24
 Classes as scheduled

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School—Church of Choice
 11:00 a.m. Services—Church of Choice
 5:00 p.m. Vesper Service—Auditorium

Under the direction of Student Christian Union
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
 7:30 p.m. Church Parties

credited colleges and junior colleges, available to work as Guest Editors from June 5 through June 30, 1950 are eligible.

New Course Added In Aviation Dept.

Extensive use of the "Link Trainer" and emphasis on methods of navigation and radio phraseology constitute the nucleus of Radio 302, newest addition to the aviation department curriculum at Middle Tennessee State College. Successful completion of the course will qualify students for a Federal Communications Commission Radio Operators license according to Miller Lanier, chief instructor at the MTSC airport. These license will be issued to students at the close of the quarter.

Other courses offered this quarter include Navigation 300, Meteorology 301, Civil Air Regulations 303, Theory of Flight 304, Engines 305, Workshop in Aviation Education 306 and Flight 307, 308, 309 and 310.

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MTSC Wins Right To Train Students As Farm Agents

Middle Tennessee State College may now train students to hold positions as county agents and to teach vocational agriculture in county schools, according to Q. M. Smith, president, who made known the approval of the college for this program.

In accordance with the plan to train county agents and teachers of vocational agriculture, a vocational agriculture department is being set up to go into full operation by September 1. Additions have been made to the present agriculture faculty, consisting of Joe Little and B. B. Gracy. Courses in bacteriology, nutrition and chemistry will also be added to the curriculum. The various herds on the college farm already meet the standards required for the program.

The agriculture department has been moved to a new location on the airport road and will be completely standardized for all types of vocational agriculture. The new center is composed of classrooms, a farm shop for repairs and an exhibition room for judging crops and livestock. An agriculture library and laboratory will also be provided.

CAP Head Commends Airport Instructor

Capt. E. D. Meriwether, commander of the Murfreesboro Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol, stationed at Middle Tennessee State College airport, has received a personal letter of commendation from Col. Harry B. Dyer, wing commander for his contribution to the successful Civil Air Patrol Booster Tour conducted last month.

"I wish to commend personally Captain E. D. Meriwether for his able assistance to the Tour by acting as Flight leader for the group of small planes which would not have had the facility of navigation without his leadership. It is because of such a fine spirit of cooperation on the part of the officers of the Civil Air Patrol that I am able to continue to command the Tennessee Wing," Colonel Dyer wrote.

Opening fall maneuvers for the Murfreesboro squadron of the CAP have been scheduled for Saturday, September 17, according to Miller Lanier, College Airport Manager.

College Airport To Have Glider Soon

Dan Haynes, senior member of the Murfreesboro Air Patrol squadron, located at the Middle Tennessee State College airport, has purchased a glider, which he expects to bring to the college within 10 days, according to Miller Lanier, airport manager.

Haynes, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Haynes of Lascasas, has returned from a ten day visit to the National Soaring Contest at Elmira, New York, where he participated in the glider contests as a crew member with Bill Coverdale of Chattanooga.

Haynes is a student at Middle Tennessee State where he is a leader in the aviation activities of the college.

Robert E. Brinkley Added to Faculty

Robert E. Brinkley, formerly principal at Du Pont High School, has opened his office as regional supervisor of public schools for Middle

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Tennessee, in the education department at Middle Tennessee State College.

Mr. Brinkley succeeds Howard Kirksey who has been added to the college faculty as a full time professor of education.

Mr. Brinkley was educated at Murray State College, where he was outstanding as a football player, and at Peabody College. He was coach at Antioch High School, principal at Bellview prior to going to Du Pont as principal in 1946.

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