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CAROL ANN LOWERY, Clifton Trimble, Molly Lynch, Roy Shelton and A. W. Powell, Pi Kappa Delta's representatives in the national forensic competition at Stillwater, Oklahoma, left last Friday for the tournament, which is still in progress.

Photo By Kenneth Love

## "Fifty Golden Years" Plans Announced By Dr. Q. E. Cope

"Fifty Golden Years" will be the theme of the fiftieth anniversary celebration planned by MTSC for 1961-62.

Tentative plans announced by Dr. Quill E. Cope, president, follow proposals outlined by a committee of the faculty which has been working on the program for the past six months.

These plans include three major rally and recognition days centering around a fall convocation, the annual homecoming and the spring alumni meeting.

Other projects include the publication of a history of the college, which is now being written by Dr. Homer Pittard, alumni secretary; the establishment of a museum and archives room in the library somewhat similar to the Tennessee Room; the production of a color-sound film of college life; a souvenir editor of the *Midlander*, college yearbook; the composition of a new

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### ATTENTION, WRITERS!

Articles, short stories, photographs, cartoons, anecdotes and poems on any subject are sought by 'College' magazine, \$100.00 being paid for the best article printed each month and \$50.00 for the second best. There is a \$150.00 bonus for exceptional articles, while \$1,000.00 is paid for exceptional short stories.

Ten dollars is paid for all other articles and short stories as well

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## Final Drama For Season Set In April

By June Carole Vickery

**The Man Who Came To Dinner**, a three-act play by Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman, will be presented April 26 and 27 in the college auditorium. This final production of the year contains a cast of thirty-four.

Cast members include Kent Brisby as Sandy, A. W. Powell as Prof. Metz, Scottie Ward as Bert Jefferson, Reid Bell as Westcott, Jerry Dooley as Beverly Carlton, Joyce Edens as Maggie Cutler, Bob Turman as Dr. Bradley, Bruce Hancock as Whiteside, Betsy Sims as Harriett, Dick Schooman as Banjo, Gordon DeFriesse as Mr. Stanley, Ann Petty as Sarah, James Gentry as John, Jamice Wynne as June Stanley, Vickie Wise as Miss Preen, Bob Conwell as Mr. Barker, Carol King as Mrs. Stanley, and Agnes Carlson as Lorraine Sheldon.

Others in the production are John Spinning, Roger Wilkerson, Joe Armstrong, Dickie Barnes, Kenneth Love, Jimmy Dean, Bill Hunter, Jeannie Stone, Virginia Woodall, and Tom Watts.

Mrs. Dorathe Tucker, director, will be assisted by Carolyn Duke Benson, student director, and Bert Barrett, technical director.

Members of the Buchanan Players were entertained Tuesday, March 21, with a one act-play directed by Mr. Louis Rosenthal of the English department. The play, entitled **Three People**, included a cast of two, Nancy Johnson and Mr. Rosenthal.

### HEY, SENIORS

Seniors are reminded that pictures for the annual can now be picked up at Delbridge Studio.

Special prices effective until April 15 for additional copies of senior pictures include: 8 x 10's, one for \$4, two for \$6.95, three for \$8.95; 5 x 7's, one for \$3, two for \$5.50, three for \$7.95; wallet size, 12 for \$3.50 or 6 for \$2.

Delbridge invites all MTSC students to view the superlative pictures now on display.

## Four MTSC Students Debate In National Forensic Meet

Four MTSC students are on the forensic team which is competing with students from colleges and universities from 35 states in Stillwater, Oklahoma March 26-31, 1961.

The Pi Kappa Delta national speech tournament and convention annually attracts the outstanding orators and debaters in the nation.

## Pi Omega Pi Sets Contest

Gamma Chi Chapter of Pi Omega Pi will hold its annual high school typewriting contest Friday, April 7.

The purpose of this contest is to give recognition to outstanding first- and second-year typewriting students in the secondary schools.

Approximately 50 students will participate in this year's contest as representatives of Mt. Juliet, Cohn, Issac Litton, Du Pont, Cumberland, Nashville Central, Antioch, College Grove Franklin, Lebanon, Watertown, Franklin County, Huntland, Murfreesboro Central, Christiana, Kittrell, Lascassas, Rockvale, Smyrna, Walter Hill, Shelbyville, Unionville, Auburntown and Tullahoma high schools.

The agenda consists of contest in the morning, lunch in the college cafeteria, a tour of the campus and presentation of awards by President Cope.

## MTSC Musicians Appear In Recital

Three MTSC student organists represented the college by appearing in recital in Nashville on Tuesday evening, March 14, at Peabody College.

Sarah Helen Jones played **Cortege et Litanie** by Dupre; Linda Jean Davis played **Elves** by Bonnet; and Glenn Arnold played **Outburst of Joy** by Messiaen.

Linda Jean is organist at St. Pauls Episcopal Church and Glenn is organist-choir director at St. Marks Methodist Church. They are students of Margaret Wright.

The organ recital is sponsored annually by the Nashville chapter of the American Guild of Organists. This year it featured organists from Peabody, MTSC, TPI and the studio of Peter Fyfe. The organ is a two manual Reuter.

Carol Anne Lowery and Roy Shelton, who won the state tournament and went on to additional honors at the Magnolia tournament for the southern regions, will be accompanied by Martha Lynch of Watertown and A. W. Powell of McMinnville.

Clifton Trimble, MTSC speech and debate coach, will accompany the team.

Lowery and Lynch will debate in the women's division, while Powell and Shelton are slated in the men's contest. In addition, Lowery and Powell will give original orations, and Lynch and Shelton will give extemporaneous speeches on the United Nations during the four rounds of the tournament.

## Kappa Delta Honors Frosh

The Theta Omicron chapter of Kappa Delta Pi honored freshmen scholarship students with a "Recognition Night" program on March 13 in Dining Room B of the S.U.B.

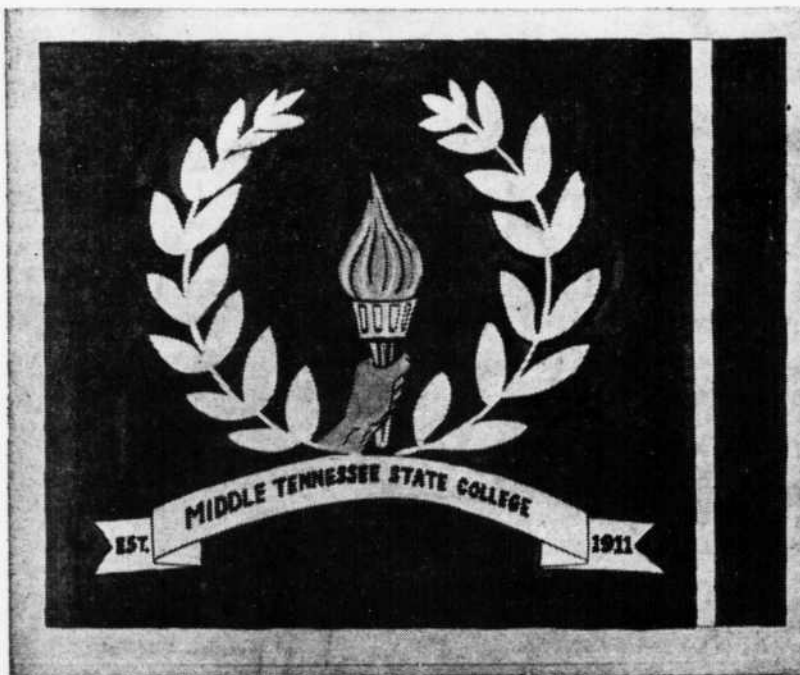
Dr. Homer Pittard, Theta Omicron sponsor, introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Robert Abernathy, director of field activities at MTSC.

The Abernathy brand of humor spiced excellent thoughts on his subject, "The Hearth, the Hand, and the Place of Prayer," which he described as three essentials in preparation for and the living of a good life.

Another outstanding feature of the evening was a musical program presented by Don de George and Carl Adams, who are students at Murfreesboro Central.

Approximately forty-five members and guests enjoyed refreshments at the close of the program.

Kappa Delta Pi is a national honor society in the field of education.



PRELIMINARY SKETCH of the proposed college banner, which will be presented during the "Fifty Golden Years" celebration next year, shows the red, white and blue of the Tennessee emblem with the color pattern reversed.



THE MAN WHO CAME TO DINNER rehearsals have begun, the production being slated for last of April. From left to right are Vickie Wise, Bob Turman, Carol King, David Gammons, and Janice Wynne. Seated in Bruce Hancock. The play is under the direction of Mrs. Dorathe Tucker with Carolyn Duke as assistant director.

Photo By Kenneth Love



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR - - - "Operation Abolition" Defended By Students

### To the Editor:

Our American system of government was built upon the theory that man, as a free-thinking individual, is capable of deciding for himself the difference between a truth and a lie. This system demands that each citizen has the inalienable right to this freedom of choice.

In our country, I am proud to state that every side, every opinion, is given the opportunity to assert its own views. Our views are not derived from the blind acceptance of a single, regulated flow of state approved information.

Having enjoyed this vast array of opinions on any given topic for so long, I note that we often forget that in many lands, some much larger than our own, the flow of public thought is regulated by a select few. In such countries, the individual's view of any happening is manipulated by just such an organ as this paper, multiplied many times over.

These citizens are not privileged to read something in *The Nashville Banner*, and later to pick up *The Nashville Tennessean* and view that same subject from a completely different point of view.

This is the wonderful climate in which democracy prospers, in which the truth is something that is placed in a spotlight for anyone to tear down if he can, and in which great men have found the freedom to develop their own resources in spite of ridicule and derision on all sides. This climate evokes the true spirit of a free government.

Today, we seem to relax in the protection of the truth of these statements. We know in our hearts that our system is the best one on the face of the earth today. However, we are shocked to find that for some reason, half of the world doesn't agree with us. These people disaccord to such an extent that they twist our every statement and action by outright lies and various methods of hoax and threat. These people do everything short of outright total war to destroy our nation and its beliefs.

It is high time that someone brought these ominous facts home to the hearts of the real leaders of America, Mr. Average Citizen, You! These freedoms that we enjoy are not going to remain in the grasps of material mad, overly complacent citizenry who insist that Laos is far away from their everyday lives. Our citizens must witness for themselves the distorted perspective through which the masses of uneducated peoples of the world view our experiment in democracy. We must view for ourselves the methods by which white can appear black, and such a pure emotion as patriotism can be distorted to the extent of treason.

This is the benefit that I have received from viewing the film, "Operation Abolition." I was never so glad at heart and confident in our country's future as when I heard the outcries of strong, individual views on this film. This is what we need, something which can arouse our own thoughts and shed light on our real enemy. I know that Americans will never be duped, as were the citizens of Germany, into mistaking patriotism for the truth as they know it in their own hearts and souls.

This film cannot be criticized because it presents a false, distorted view of an occurrence, for we are faced with such views every day. Are we to criticize every commercial advertiser who insists that his product is the very best there is? As long as each individual is free to interpret what he views in his own way, no freedom is restricted.

This film seems to have presented this distorted view for a purpose . . . to arouse our own thoughts and views of this subject. One definite point has been proven: Educated minds cannot be swayed by these methods of distortion, for these minds possess their own standards for truth. They are willing to speak out against what they believe to be untrue and to defend unto death their own principles . . . here in the seeds of controversy and free expression lies the key to a successful democracy.

Pate

### To the Editor:

I read the letters concerning "Operation Abolition" in the last issue with much disappointment. I had hoped our student body and faculty members were broad minded enough to grasp the point made by the film. I am disappointed to see, however, that some were not.

I will be the last to deny that the film was not perfect. I went to view it with an open mind, as I believe most of the other students did, to see what it had to say. I am not an expert on the factual aspects of the film since I was not in California when the incidents occurred, nor have I believed every word I have read concerning this matter.

I do not think the entire student population of California is Communist, but I do believe that these "peaceful" riots did have a Communist-led flavor to them. Does the freedom to voice one's opinion include violence, utter disregard for law and order, and absolute disrespect for a Congressional committee?

I would like to ask the students and faculty members who are so violently opposed to this film to realize that it was to demonstrate the threat, methods, and results of Communist infiltration ever present in our society today.

One of Many

## MTSC's TOP TEN

By Jimmy Dean

1. Surrender ..... Elvis Presley
2. Pony Time ..... Chubby Checkers
3. Apache ..... Jorgen Ingma
4. What A Price ..... Fats Domino
5. Where The Boys Are ..... Connie Francis
6. Dedicated To The One I Love ..... The Shirelles
7. Blue Moon ..... The Marcells
8. Calcutta ..... Lawrence Welk
9. Ebony Eyes ..... The Everly Bros.
10. Shop Around ..... The Miracles

When the four lads known as the Coasters get together and make a record, there's one thing certain, another hit is on the way. The boys have proven their ability to score with the public time and time again with million record sellers like *Charlie Brown*, *Searchin'*, *Yakety Yak*, and *Young Blood*.

Born and raised in New York City, the four boys met at high school. They discovered their mutual interest, singing, and were intrigued by the way their voices just seemed to blend together.

The Coasters started singing for fun, entertaining friends and doing benefits, until one night when a talent from ATCO records heard them. Immediately afterwards they astounded the country with their recording of *Young Blood*. After five years of recording, the boys are still riding high.

**Bulletin:** Bobby Wright's recording of *I Need Sleep* has just been released on Decca. Bobby is a freshman at MTSC.

### Choi, Mitchell Take Week Doing Field Service Here

Young Jip Choi, East Coast Korea, and Joe Mitchell, Anniston, Alabama, graduate students in the Peabody College Library Science School, spent a week of "field service" at MTSC March 13-18.

While here they worked with Miss Catherine Clark and her associates in the library and visited the regional library on campus and the Linebaugh public library.

Mr. Choi's home is only 14 miles from the 38th parallel. He served as a translator for the transportation corp during the Korean conflict and is in America on an ICA scholarship.

Mr. Mitchell holds the B.S. degree from Jacksonville State College and the M.A. from the University of Alabama. He is working on his Library Science degree at Peabody. He taught for five years in Key West, Florida, following his service with the U. S. Air Force in the Pacific.



Abide in me, and I in you.  
—(John 15:4).

How close God is! But man must realize this. He must become conscious of God with him. Then closer, closer is the relationship, until through divine love man and God are one.

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## MTSC Co-Eds May Enter College Queen Contest

The National College Queen Contest has been greatly expanded for 1961. The search to select "the nation's most attractive and most intelligent college girl" has attracted so much interest that the contest committee has enlarged its plans.

## Sen. Taylor Will Address CCUN in April

Senator Robert Taylor of Nashville will speak concerning his views on Program of the Kennedy Administration on April 20th, at the MTSC Collegiate Council of the United Nations.

Senator Taylor a young lawyer interested in the growth of the Corps, a graduate of Vanderbilt and a member of the 1961 State Senate from Davidson County.

The Assembly of the local CCUN chapter has elected Nicky Beehan as president, Bill Brinton as vice-president and Elaine Vanniatta as secretary-treasurer. Webb Pickard served as chairman at the last meeting until the president was elected.

Committees appointed by the officers were: program, publicity and project committees.

The Secretariat, a committee consisting of the officers of the Assembly and the chairman of the various committees, will serve as the policy-making body.

Non-members are invited to hear Senator Taylor.

The chapter will discuss the Lactian crisis at its next meeting.

## Block and Bridle Set Farmers' Frolic

The MTSC Block and Bridle Club will sponsor the fifth annual Farmer's Frolic in the Tennessee Room at 7:30 on April 21.

There will be square dancing to a live string band, with other activities including cake walks, door prizes, crowning of the King and Queen, and other prizes to be awarded to those who hold the lucky numbers. Refreshments including cold drinks, apple cider, doughnuts, and cakes will be served.

Voting for the King and Queen will take place on April 18 and 19 in the lobby of the Administration Building and also in the lobby of the Student Union Building.

The price of tickets for stags will be 50c, and for couples, 75c. Tickets will also be on sale at the door on April 21.

In past years, the Block and Bridle Club has been well pleased with the attendance at these square dances, and they hope that all campus organizations will sponsor nominations for King and Queen and will back these people in trying to get them elected.

The national winner will now receive an automobile and an electric portable typewriter among her \$5,000 in prizes.

College girls from throughout the United States will receive free trips to Manhattan so they can participate in the pageant and compete for the national crown.

A coast-to-coast television program is being planned to originate from New York and cover the coronation of the new National College Queen.

The entire pageant will be a highlight of the "New York Is A Summer Festival" Celebration, sponsored by the New York Convention and Visitors Bureau. If a girl from this college is chosen as a finalist, she will receive five days in New York. She will visit the Fifth Avenue fashion centers, the Broadway theatre district, the United Nations -- will be photographed by newsreels, TV and national magazines.

Contestants will be judged on their accomplishments as well as their appearance. This is not a "beauty contest." Only 50% of the judging will be based on attractiveness, charm and personality. Equally importance will be the student's scholastic record, her campus activities, her hobbies and community service.

International interest has been shown in this competition. The British Motor Corporation is a new sponsor, in order to encourage safe driving among college students. The Queen will soon be driving an Austin Healey Sprite, and this true sports car will be one of her key prizes.

The National College Queen will also receive a trip to Europe, a complete wardrobe of high fashion wearing apparel, a scholarship to the Dramatic Workshop in New York City, plus payments for modeling and personal appearances. All these activities will be arranged so that they will not interfere with her academic schedule.

To enter the contest, just write to National College Queen Committee, Suite 1606, Paramount Building, 1501 Broadway, New York 36, New York. You will be sent an official entry blank and complete details.

Classmates and members of campus clubs can also nominate a girl as a candidate by writing to the same address.

Applications must be received not later than May 20th. Regional winners will then be chosen and will be brought to New York City, all expenses paid. The National College Queen headquarters will be at the Hotel Manhattan, and the pageant begins on Tuesday, June 20th.



"It was owned by a part-time instructor who used it on Sundays to prepare his lectures."  
Courtesy MTSC Bookstore



## Shotgun Riders And Riverboat Pilots Included In Those Sought For Summer

Thousands of college students are wanted this summer to fill interesting jobs.

This break for students who need vacation employment comes from an unexpected source. Big family-style amusement parks, the nation's newest extravaganzas, are paying college students bonus wages.

In a recent interview, William W. Snow, employment counselor of Weston, McMurry Inc. of New York City explained the whys and hows of this new and still rapidly developing situation.

The employment peak begins in June and continues until Labor Day. And the jobs are located in prime vacation spots: New York, Southern California, Texas, Massachusetts, Ohio. Others are opening soon in Washington and Florida.

There are jobs for hosts and hostesses to greet guests at the main gates, answer questions and help park visitors enjoy the various rides and amusements. There are jobs in guest relations and child relations for persons able to set others at ease. There are jobs for security officers, groundkeepers and costumers.

Special talents sought, but not required, include: "Speilers," lecturers, stagecoach drivers, shotgun riders, tugboat operators, riverboat pilots, submarine operators, "Indian" canoeers, harness makers and horse shoers.

Many other kinds of jobs are also available. Office workers are in demand. Receiving and shipping clerks and warehousemen are needed. Cash control people must be found. Parking lot guides and controllers are wanted.

A commercially printed brochure is obtainable for \$1.00 from Weston McMurry Incorporated, 50 Broad Street, New York 4, N.Y.

## Air Force Selection Team Slates Informational Visit

The Air Force Selection Team from Nashville will make an informational visit to MTSC on April 4-6.

Comprising the personnel from the 304 Recruiting Services, Nashville, are Major Edwards J. Quirk and Technical Sergeant Kirby S. Bullard, who is the local Air Force representative here in Murfreesboro.

This group is made available to furnish information to students concerning the Air Force programs in addition to administering the cadet screening test. They will be located in the Terrace Room of the S.U.B.

## Fifty Golden - -

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Alma Mater, and the adoption of an official college banner.

The preliminary design for this banner has been executed by Charles Hughes.

This preliminary sketch is on display in the lobby of the Administration Building. Members of the student body and faculty are asked to examine the sketch and make suggestions for modifications or changes that may be feasible. These suggested changes should be submitted in writing to Joe Smith, director of MTSC marching bands, by April 12.

As now planned, the school colors will incorporate the red, white and blue of the Tennessee emblem with the color pattern reversed, i.e. the red field will be blue and the blue bar changed to red. The center insignia will be a white hand, holding a flaming torch surrounded by a white garland. A streamer across the bottom will name the college and date of founding.

As outlined the flag would combine the idea of achievement, knowledge and peace in the symbols and the college, state and national colors in that arrangement.

A high-light of the year-long observation of the fifty year history of MTSC will be recognition of outstanding individuals among the faculty and student body over the past half century.

And their feature will be a special program in which the college will express appreciation to the leaders in the mid-state area who have been and are now contributing to the development of the college.

The biggest homecoming parade in the history of the school will be observed in October with an array of floats and visiting bands. The new Alma Mater, and school lawer will be dedicated during the homecoming activities.

"A tribute to the past, a prelude to the future" will be the motto of the year, in which the college will review its total achievement and service to the area.

## It Happened On Campus

By Kenneth Love

MTSC was proud to be the host for the State TSSAA State Basketball tournament last week for the first year. The Rutherford county team, Smyrna girls, won the state championship for the first time.

One of Smyrna's top players, Jean Barrett, will be at MTSC next year. "I'm thinking about majoring in P. E., but it may be business," she said.

Jean scored the final two points for her team with 11 seconds left to put Smyrna ahead for the first time. "It was a nervous hook shot combined with luck," she smiled. It gave the team a 50-49 state crown and a very large trophy. One cheerleader suggested the school build a new trophy case just for the basketball, net, and trophy. It was just their night.

Another excellent team we will comment on is the Loretto team. As a previous state winner, they went into the game as favorite. Their star player, Mary Nell Hollis, will also be at MTSC next year. She broke the state record for individual game with 40 points and the four-game record with 127 points.

Loretto gave a promise before leaving that they would return next year. Glenda Flatt was also outstanding.

Support your track team this season. Porter Maxwell and Dick Swain have already accepted one trophy for the team and will have more before the season is over.

Ray Cooper has shown outstanding ability in the Chattanooga meet recently.

As this is the Easter holidays, several students are going to sunny Florida, but most are going home. Remember to attend the church of your choice Easter Sunday.

## Emma Hale, MTSC Junior, Married To Horace Hasty

By Bernice Nabors

Emma L. Hale and Horace M. Hasty were married March 5, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Virgil Bradford at the Church of Christ here in Murfreesboro.

Emma, who is now a junior here at MTSC, is formerly from Jasper, Tennessee. Horace is from Murfreesboro.

The couple is now living on Woodbury Road.

## Reid Bell Accepts Position With Radio Station WAGG



REID BELL

Reid Bell has accepted a position with radio station WAGG in Franklin. The MTSC freshman can be heard each Sunday from 6 a.m. until noon and then again from 2 p.m. until sign-off at 6 p.m. He will also work different times on Saturdays and during the week. WAGG is at "950" on the radio dial.

Reid, a business education major with minors in speech and English, has long been associated with radio. He worked in Camden, his home, seven days a week since November of 1959. WFWL, his home station, is co-owned by the famous Duke of Paducah and Whitey Ford and is where Rally Stanton, now a disc jockey at WKDA in Nashville, formerly worked.

Reid is active in the Booster's Club, the Track and Sabre Club and the Buchanan Players. He has participated in a number of plays this year. He is also a staff member of the *Sidelines* and will be Assistant organization editor of the 1962 *Midlander*.

A secretary, whose boss is dozing in chair after one too many during lunch hour, to caller: "Sorry, he's still out from lunch."

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## Raider Roundup

By Ray Bailey  
Sports Editor



### Netters Begin Practice—

Coach E. O. Hawkins' tennis team has begun practice for its spring match and schedules with three top veterans. Andre Duhaime, Fred Bonney and Bonnie Hudgens return for another year and will probably rank as the No. 1, 2, and 3 men (?).

Sophomore Ronnie Guess is being groomed for the No. 4 position. The No. 5 position is conceivably wide-open and a number of players are competing for it.

### Baseballers Underway—

The Raider baseball team, with Coach Jack Deere at the helm, has been practicing for the approaching season. Second baseman and captain Mois Hill has a veteran crew that finds eight of the nine positions already remanded to one or two players.

Ace pitcher John Sanford returns for another season; Bill Settle will be at first base; Hill will cover

second; the shortstop position is a toss-up between freshman Louis Alford and Jack McCauley; veteran Jim Painter and Johnny Stallings are battling for the third base position.

Jackie Reavis, Doug Tasse and Phil Jones all return for outfield duty. The catching position is the only wide-open position on the team.

### Tracksters Open At Murray—

The Raider thinclads are preparing for their first regular season encounter April 4 at Murray State.

The Raider squad did a good job in the Chattanooga relays, placing second behind the Murray State squad. Sophomore Ray Cooper came into his own with a remarkable 12 point performance and will be counted on heavily as a top point-producer throughout the season.

Don Willingham bettered his own

12-foot pole-vault record with a 12'3" jump, but was only able to place second behind Murray's Joe Vorgles, who vaulted 12' 6".

### All-OVC?

The failure of OVC coaches and sportswriters to recognize the Raiders' Bob Burden as one of the ten better players in the league came as a shock to many. Burden paced the squad throughout the entire three years he played on the varsity, setting a new 3-year school scoring mark.

Bob or "Tweety" placed among the top ten scores this past season with a 17.0 average per game. He was also a leader in the rebound department.

The Tennessee teams of the OVC were able to place only one player in the top ten, and he was the terrific Tom Chilton of East Tennessee, the number one player in the OVC and the top draft choice.

Here is the official All OVC team for 1961:

### First Five

Tom Chilton, East Tennessee, 210 points.

Granville Williams, Morehead, 210 points.

Carl Cole, Eastern Kentucky, 190 points.

Charlie Osborn, Western, Kentucky 190 points.

Bobby Rascoe, Western Kentucky, 190 points.

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RAY COOPER receives the individual track trophy from Coach Joe Black Hayes. Cooper scored 12 points in the Chattanooga meet recently.  
Photo by Kenneth Love

## Golfers Finish Sixth In Meet; Tracksters, Tourney Second

Middle Tennessee State athletes made good showings in their first

spring sports encounters. The Raider golf team opened their 1961 season at the Florida Collegiate Invitational, while the track squad opened their season at the Chattanooga Jaycee Invitational Indoor Track Meet.

Coach Elbert Patty's golfers finished sixth in a field of twelve teams at the Ocala Municipal golf course. Defending NCAA champion Houston took the team championship with a 10 under par 1,126.

MTSC's David Dixon was the low individual for the Raiders with 288. He carded 78-68-75-67, finishing 14th, but only 11 strokes off the pace set by Frank Beard of Florida University with a 277, seven under par.

Dixon won the second day low medalist honors for the tournament with 68, and was awarded prizes for his showing. The junior from Memphis played the first day with a bad virus before firing the 3-below par. His final round of 67-4 below par, was second low for that round.

Other MTSC golfers participated in the tournament were Johnny Moore, Joel Vinson, Doug Hall, Boots Scott and Gary Head.

Coach Joe Black Hayes' track squad brought home the second place trophy of the Chattanooga Invitational, while team members Ray Cooper grabbed individual honors for the college division. Cooper, a sophomore from Nashville, tallied 12 points for the meet's top performance.

Cooper won both the 60 yard high hurdles and 60 yard low hurdles, while adding another 2 points with 3rd place in the 60 yard dash. His :07.7 in the high hurdles tied the record set by Phil Mulkey of Memphis State in 1959.

Don Willingham set a new school mark in the pole vault with 12'3".

Murray State took top honors in the meet with 56 points, followed by MTSC's 36. Howard 14½, Southwestern 13½, Sewanee 5, Emory 4, and Tennessee Tech 3. Bryan, David Lipscomb, Chattanooga, East Tennessee and Georgia State failed to score.

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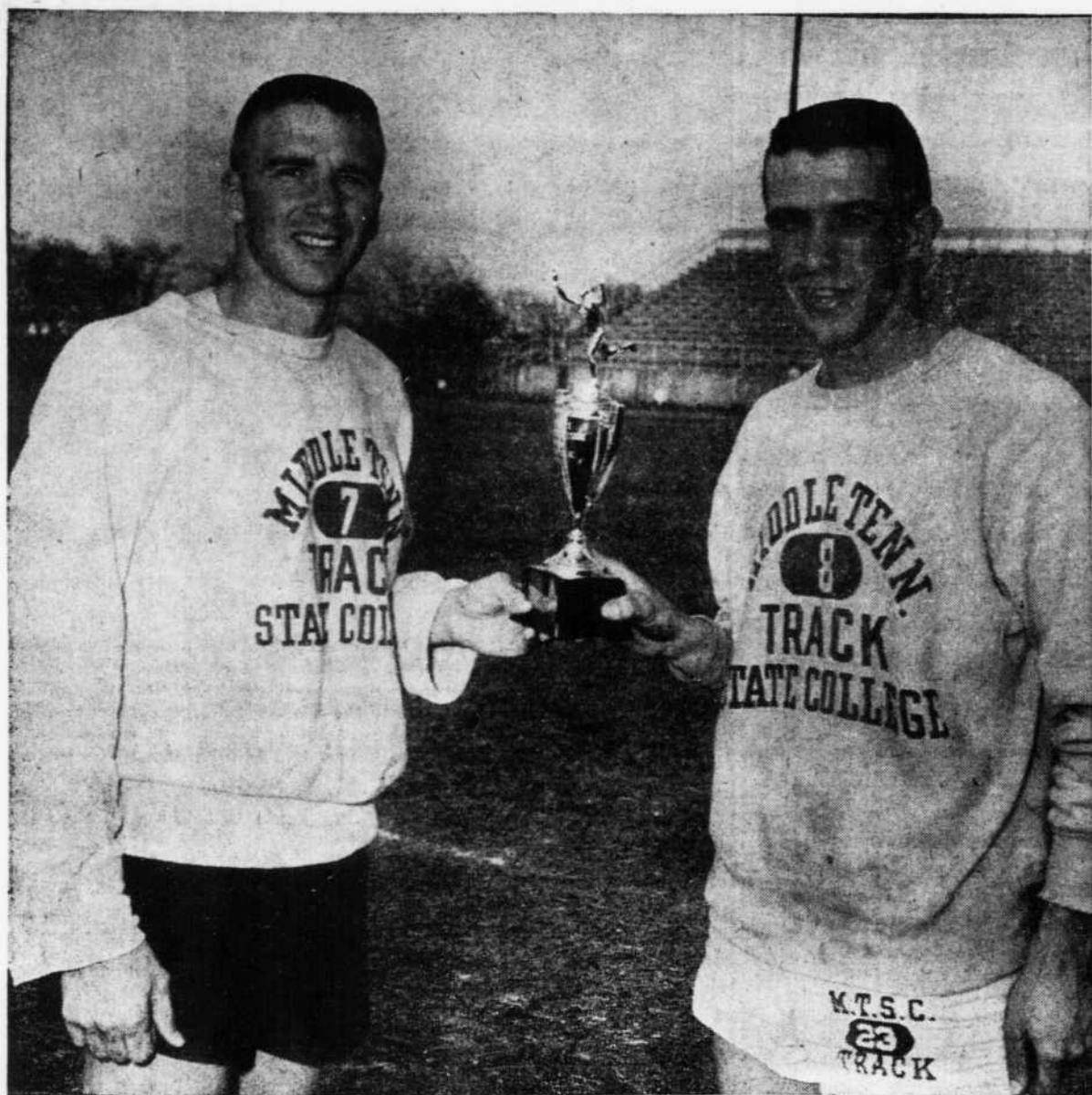
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PORTER MAXWELL and Dick Swain display the team trophy won at the Chattanooga Invitational track meet recently. MTSC placed second to Murray State in the contest.

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## Smyrna Girls Take Thriller, Win Tournament Held Here

Bill (Pusher) Howell, an MTSC alumnus, guided his Smyrna Bulldogs to a thrilling 50-49 victory over Jim McCoy's Loretto ball club. McCoy's team led until the last 11 seconds of the game when Jean Barrett whipped a hook in to give the Rutherford county team the first state championship. Three years ago it was the Loretto team which took the girls state championship.

Jimmy Edwards, a member of the TSSAA board of control, in congratulating Coach Charles Murphy on his management of the tournament stated that "It looks like the Girls' State tournament has found a home." Mr. Bridges and Mr. Porter, executive secretaries of the TSSAA, were highly complimentary in their praise of the MTSC handling of the tournament.

Dr. Quill Cope, the college president, presented the trophies. Third

place went to Sparta, which won a single point victory over Centerville in the consolation finals.

Mary Nell Hollis of Loretto attempted to "clinch" the game with a 15 foot set shot, only to be nullified by a walking violation. Smyrna lagged behind the entire game until Jean Barrett's 11-second hook shot to give them the title.

Hollis broke the previous record of 111 points with a thrilling 127 total points for the four-game tournament. Thursday night she scored 40 points to set a record for individual game performance. Doris Rogers had 38 points in Tuesday game for Porter.

A "Shipwreck Party," sponsored by the Circle K Club on March 14, replaced the weekly Fun Night. The "Monarchs" furnished the music for the fund-raising event.

## Brooks Publishes Spring Sports Data

Bob Brooks, assistant business manager of athletics and sports publicist for Middle Tennessee State, has recently published a spring sports brochure, the results of monumental effort in research in school newspaper and annual files and scores of interviews and letters.

"There are many spots in records, names of captains and even the names of coaches lacking in this effort to compile a statistical history of minor sports at MTSC," Brook stated. "We would welcome information from former students or coaches."

Golf records in the book go back only to 1951. Track was first started as an inter-collegiate sport in 1955. Fragmentary records of baseball teams back to 1925 have been discovered, but no baseball captains between 1925 and 1940 have been ascertained. Tennis team records are also needed.



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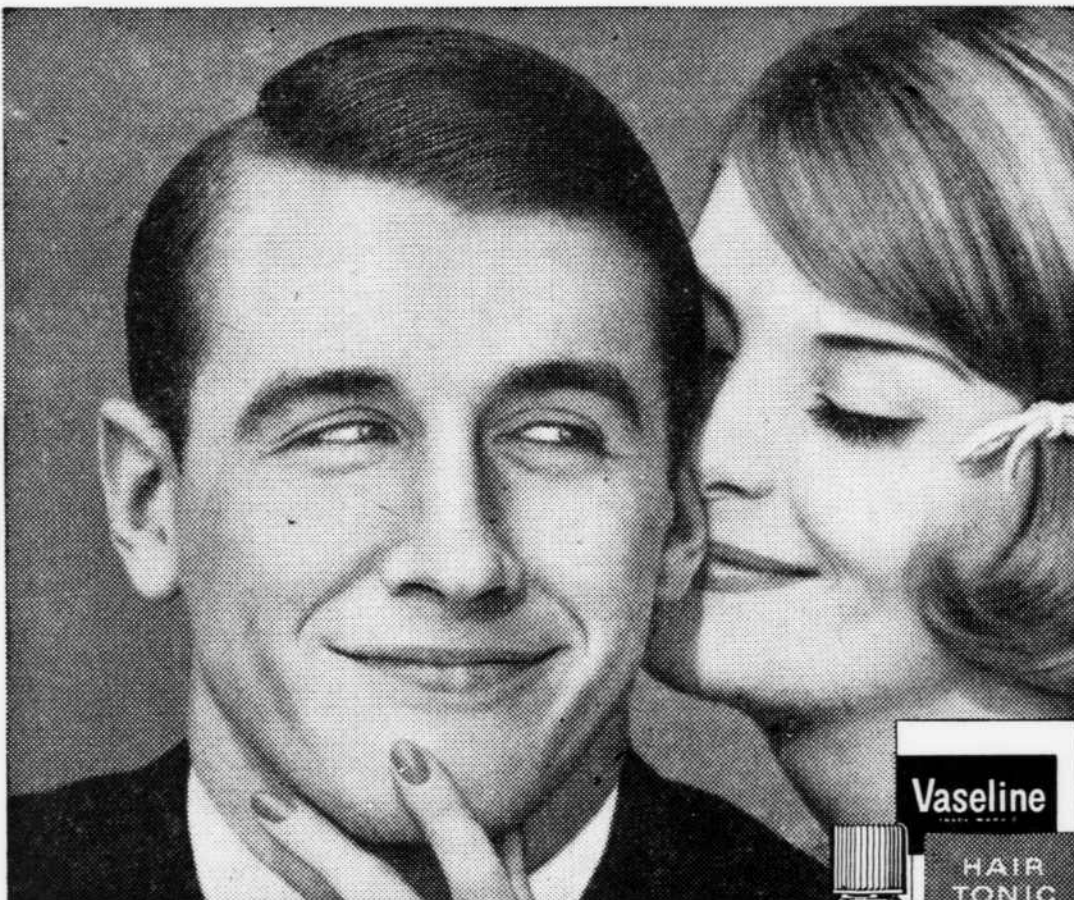
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## Ten On Staff Speak At VA

Then MTSC faculty members were chosen to speak to top management and supervising personnel at the Veteran's Administration hospital in Murfreesboro during the past month.

These lectures were delivered as a part of the co-operative community service between the two institutions and constituted a part of the in-service training program for VA personnel.

The speakers and their subjects included, Dr. W. B. Bowdoin, "Process of Group Interaction"; Finis Poole, "Basic Factors Involved in Employee Learning Processes"; Dr. Bealer Smotherman, "Visual Aids in Hospital Supervision and Administration"; Dr. James A. Martin, "Supervising, Evaluating Techniques and Processes".

Dr. Firman Cunningham spoke on "Basic Statistical Concepts," while Walter L. Chatman's subject was "Basic Principles of Auditing."

E. S. Voorhies had as his topic

## Dr. J. A. Patten Speaks At Student NEA Meeting

By Sue Lane

Dr. John A. Patten was the principal speaker for the SNEA meeting of March 16, discussing Central America this past summer.

Dr. Patten also showed many color slides that he took during his trip.

The next meeting is at 11:00 on April 6th. Mr. Roy Dowdy, superintendent of schools in Lebanon, will speak on his tour of Europe last summer. He will also have color slides.

All members of the SNEA are reminded that the SNEA convention will be held on this campus April 28th. The convention will last all day and will be followed by a banquet that night.

"Time and Motion"; Morris Puckett, "General Principles of Office Management"; Dr. H. Clay Tucker, "Written Communication"; Dr. Norman Parks, "Principles of Administration in Government Service."

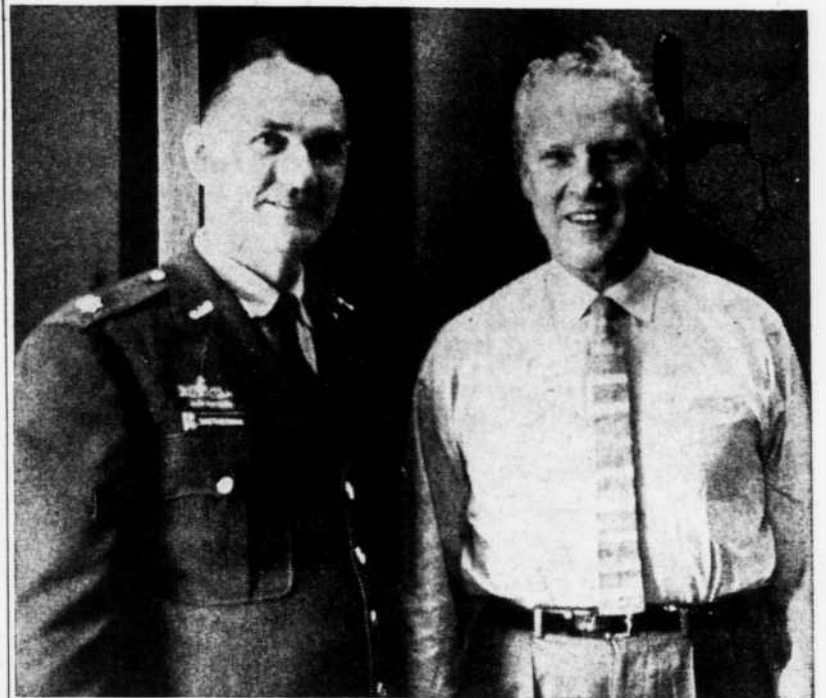
## Pittard Surveys Graduates of '60

Dr. Homer Pittard, alumni secretary, has completed a partial survey of the more than 400 graduates of 1960. With about one half the class responding, he has discovered that 51% went into teaching. Of this number, 24% more became elementary teachers than secondary school teachers.

Eleven per cent are in fields requiring mathematical or scientific skills. Fifteen members of the class went into military service, while 13 are continuing their education in graduate school.

The fields of business in which 1960 graduates have chosen work cover 31 fields, with insurance being the most attractive.

ARO at Tullahoma, the Redstone Arsenal and Oak Ridge claim the usual good share of science majors. Four graduates have already secured management posts with various businesses and three are in public relations and promotional work.



MAJOR BEALER SMOTHERMAN visited Senator Albert Gore in connection with the Aero-Space Workshop to be held on the MTSC campus this summer. The workshop, sponsored jointly by the Tennessee Bureau of Aeronautics and the Civil Air Patrol, offers scholarships to more than 130 Tennessee teachers interested in this phase of scientific progress. Smotherman is deputy administrator of aero-space education for the Civil Air Patrol for the southeastern region.

## Dr. Smotherman Spends Three Days In Study Of Aero-Space Workshop

### L&M Unlocks Opinions In College Campus Polls

Students representatives of L&M Cigarettes at 130 colleges throughout the nation have completed a series of polls involving nearly 1400 college students.

The polls, designed to unlock campus opinion on provocative questions, will be the basis for L&M's new spring series of college newspaper ads.

A fair cross-section of opinion has been obtained on topics such as space travel, college football, kissing one's date and beards. L&M will pose these questions anew to the student body at large and challenge readers of campus newspapers to compare their responses to the survey results given in each ad.

Dr. Bealer Smotherman has just returned from a three-day study in Washington, D. C., of problems relating to the Aero-Space Education Workshop which he will direct on the MTSC campus this summer.

This fifth annual Space-Air Education Conference offered the initial public demonstration of the NASA-space science demonstration which will be on public display at the MTSC workshop June 21, 22, 23.

According to the recent announcement of Senator Albert Gore, this will be the first time the people in the southern part of the United States will have an opportunity to see this fascination and marvelously educational demonstration.

Dr. Smotherman, deputy educational director of the Civil Air Patrol for the southern region, participated in the aviation-space educational workshops, toured Washington, Baltimore and the Dulles International Airport, did ground approach study from aircraft operating into these airports, attended schools of rocketry, and met with the University Aviation Association members in the Senate committee rooms.

Middle Tennessee State College is now a member of the National Aviation Education Council, which met at the same time of the national conference and which Dr. Smotherman also attended.

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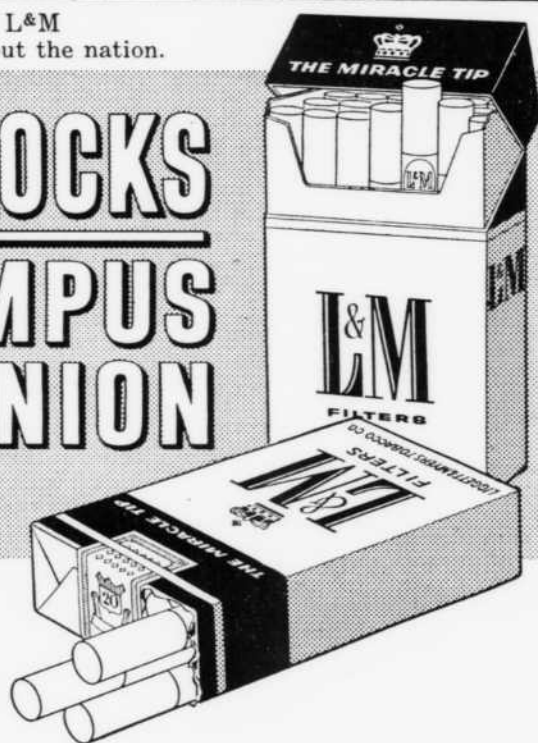
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Job satisfaction \_\_\_\_\_  
Fame \_\_\_\_\_ Money \_\_\_\_\_ Recognition of talent \_\_\_\_\_

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## Hollie W. Sharpe Receives Doctor of Education Degree

Hollie W. Sharpe, assistant professor of business, received his Doctor of Education degree at the University of Tennessee on Saturday, March 18.

His dissertation is entitled "An Application of Evaluative Criteria to the Graduate Business Education Curriculums of Selection Southeastern Institutions."

In the late summer of 1960, Dr. Sharpe traveled 4,050 miles in the southeastern states gathering data from eleven selected institutions for his study.

Professor Sharpe has been connected with MTSC since the fall of 1954 when he came from Northeast Louisiana State College, Monroe, where he was assistant professor of secretarial science.

Sharpe received his elementary and secondary education in the Davidson County Schools. After he completed his military service in the Infantry, he earned his B. S. and M. A. degrees at Peabody College in 1950 and 1952 respectively.

Sharpe is the author of an article which appeared in the October, 1956, issue of the "U B E A Journal."

He is a former president of the Tennessee Business Education Association and former secretary of the Middle Tennessee Business Education Association. He holds membership in Delta Pi Epsilon, Pi Omega Pi, Phi Delta Kappa, United Business Education Association, Southern Business Education Association and the Tennessee Education Association.

Sharpe is married to the former



HOLLIE W. SHARPE

Lorene Hendrix of Eagleville. Their two children are Hollie Lynn and Deborah Kay.

Besides teaching a full load, Mr. Sharpe is serving as business education consultant to the business student teachers at Middle Tennessee state.



## Two On Faculty Assume District, State P.E. Offices

Miss Buleah Davis and Dr. Francis Riel have recently assumed responsibilities in state and district organizations for health, physical education, and recreation.

Dr. Riel became vice-president for recreation of the southern district AAHPER at the close of its annual convention in Atlanta on March 3.

Miss Davis is the president of the Tennessee AHPER, having taken the position at the close of the meeting in Memphis on March 17.

In Atlanta Miss Davis was elected secretary of the safety education section of the southern district and was appointed by the district president to serve as chairman of the proceedings committee for 1962.

## Largest MTSC Alumni Club Elects Spielman President

Largest MTSC alumni chapter yet formed elected officers at a dinner meeting of 185 graduates of the institution residing in Nashville and Davidson county at the Maxwell House Friday night.

Ross Spielman, class of 1955, was named as first president of the Davidson county chapter. Other officers selected were Lynn Banks, 1956, vice-president; Mrs. Roasseau (Dimple Moncrief) Browder, 1954, secretary, and John W. Johnson, 1931, treasurer.

## Cunningham Is Leader Of Insurance Discussion

Firman Cunningham, assistant professor of economics, led the discussion on unemployment insurance at the U. S. Department of Labor-sponsored meetings of economists at Louisiana State University on March 17-19.

Mr. Cunningham has been on the MTSC faculty since 1952 and has been active in economics associations during that time. The meeting at Baton Rouge is listed as "University Consultation on Social Security." There were two divisions for the three day study, one on the development of old age insurance and the other on the topic for which Mr. Cunningham was designated as discussion leader.

Committees were named to provide for projects, future meetings and a special Raider club committee composed of former MTSC athletes now coaching or working in Nashville.

J. E. Malone, class of 1930, presided at the meeting. Jack DeLay, Nashville business man, represented the class of 1926—the first class to graduate from a four-year college at the old "Teachers College." The Rev. Robert Parks, Dr. Robert Martin of the MTSC faculty and Mrs. Margaret Wright with her famous Sacred Harp Singers were on the program.

Dr. Quill Cope, president of the (Continued on page 8)

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## Speech Tourney Set For April 8

MTSC will be the site of the District IV Tennessee Literary League Speech Tournament on Saturday, April 8, beginning at eight o'clock.

Lane Boutwell, director of the tournament, has announced that division chairman will include Jesse Smith, girls oratory; Dr. E. B. Baldwin, boys oratory; Dr. Robert L. Martin, extemporaneous speaking; William Beasley, poetry interpretation; David LeDoux, dramatic reading; Gene Sloan, declamation; Fred Rubbens, humorous reading; Mrs. Dorthe Tucker, one-act plays.

The one-act play contests begin at eight o'clock and all other meets begin at nine o'clock.

## Fred Rubens Participates In FSC Art Festival

Fred Rubens, art department faculty member, participated in the Florence State College art festival March 24, 25 and 26.

Mr. Rubens had a display in the festival and also did quick pastel portraits.

He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Art League and Nashville Artists Guild and has several exhibits in this area.

## Raider Roundup - - -

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### Second Five

Henderson Thompson, Morehead, 130 points.

Ed Noe, Morehead, 120 points.

Gene Hendon, Murray, 100 points.  
Larry Bale, Murray, 100 points.  
Harry Todd, Western Kentucky, 100 points.

### Honorable Mention

(Points received in voting in parenthesis)

Bob Burden, Middle Tennessee (80); Tom McKinney, Tennessee Tech (70); Jarrell Graham, Murray (70); Phil Estep, Eastern Kentucky, (60); Larry Parks, Eastern Kentucky (50); Mike O'Riordan, Murray (50); Bobby Jackson, Western Kentucky (50); Bennett Jent, Middle Tennessee (30); Don Gorin, Tennessee Tech (20); Ray Gardner, Eastern Kentucky (20); Roland Wierwille, Eastern Kentucky (20); Paul Holland, Middle Tennessee (10).

\*Points in voting were distributed as follows: 30 for first team vote, 20 for second team and 10 for third five ballot.

## Largest MTSC - - -

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college, outlined the planned growth of the college, pointing out three new buildings contracts for which would be let in the immediate future and a projected enrollment of more than 3,000 for the 1961 fall semester. He also outlined plan for the "Fifty Golden Year" anniversary of the college founding and invited alumni participation in the expansion of college services.

"What the man who has everything needs is help with the payments."

—Maurice Seitter.

## Classes Survey Peace Corp; Find Lack Of Information

A survey made by an MTSC journalism class and another by an education class revealed a startling lack of information about the Peace Corp by MTSC students.

The chief objections voiced include the lack of maturity of college graduates for such an undertaking, the language barrier, the re-adjustment to new standards of living and the feeling that there should be close co-operation with missionary groups already experienced in this type of work rather than a separate operation.

## Dr. H. Dark Invited To Participate on Panel

Dr. Harris Dark, head of the Middle Tennessee State College mathematics department faculty, has been invited to participate in the Panel on Teacher Training of the Southern Region of the Mathematical Association of America. The conference will be at the Carillon Hotel in Miami Beach, Florida, April 17-18.

The Committee on the undergraduate program in mathematics of the MAA, in operating under a grant of the National Science Foundation and is charged with making studies of the recommending improvements in undergraduate mathematics curricula and upgrading the content and teaching of college mathematics.

There are 48 million overweight Americans, reports the April Reader's Digest. If you're one of them, chances are you're eating more than the national average - 1488 pounds per person in 1960. The typical U. S. daily menu contains 3000 calories, should contain only 2300.

Dr. Nicholas Hebb, head of the department of psychology at Peabody College, was selected this past week as screening director of youths seeking to enter the newly-created Peace Corp. He will decide which candidates are qualified for service in foreign fields under sponsorship by the organization.

Typical reactions by Middle Tennessee State College students were:

Quinton Tubb, 25, Air Force veteran, senior: "I believe President Kennedy's idea of sending dedicated people is better than just sending money."

Joe L. Bass, 22, junior: "Very good start towards helping other nations understand the American people."

Burton Barrett, scheduled to graduate in August, expressed a willingness "to step into any position offered" in the promotion of the Peach Corp plan.

"Basically the idea is good because with the intermingling of young people we will understand the other nationalities, the way they think, their culture, and their way of life," said Mrs. Jean Pittman, a junior.

Marilyn Prior, 19 and a sophomore, feels that the plan will not work because "there are not enough qualified people interested."

Jackie McCauley 21, is in favor of the Corp because he feels "it gives everyone a chance to be a 'real' part of their country."

Connie Coppedge, 19, a sophomore, views that "in six months a person could not get the type of training that would be necessary to meet all the problems that would arise."

Claude Hopkins, 21 and a senior, thinks that the Corp is an "excellent opportunity for the American people to know and understand the people of other nations."

Paul Kenneth Blackburn, a junior, is of the opinion that the Corp is a "waste of time and money."

A bulletin issued by the American Council of Education, "Higher Education and National Affairs," says that once the Peach Corps is a going concern, training for it would be integrated so far as possible within the four-year college curriculum of students interested in going overseas after graduation.

The Peach Corps should set standards such as intensive language study and completion of courses on the history, economics, politics and culture of the area to which the student would like to be sent - as well as sufficient study of American history and society to make him a well-informed representative of this country abroad.

If a student intends to go into Peace Corps teaching, he should take available courses in teaching methods.

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—by 1st. Lt. Janet McManus, Women's Army Corps Officer Recruiter



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